

Term 2, Week 7
14 June 2019

Term 2 Upcoming Events

Wednesday 19th June

9.30am – 11am mainly play in The Cottage

3.20pm-4.00pm Sporting Schools Hockey in the stadium

6.30pm for a 7.00pm start P&F Meeting @ The Bentleys- all welcome

Thursday 20th June

11.00 – 11.45am Music Tour performance by Faith Lutheran College @ Vineyard

Tuesday 25th June

11.50am Student Parliament Session with Geoff Brock- all welcome to attend,

Wednesday 26th June

9.30am – 11am mainly play in The Cottage

Friday 28th June

Term 2 finishes for Vineyard Students- normal 3.15pm finish

Monday 1st – Friday 5th July

Vineyard Staff PD Week -Students on holidays

Vineyard Term Dates 2019

Term 1: Tues 29th January – Fri 12th April (11 Week Term)

Term 2: Mon 29th April – Fri 28th June (9 Week Term)

Please note: Vineyard Staff PD Week will be Mon 1st – Fri 5th July 2019- students on holidays

Term 3: Mon 22nd July – Fri 27th September (10 Week Term)

Term 4: Mon 14th October – Fri 13th December (9 Week Term)

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Vineyard Wire

Pentecost Sunday

For me Pentecost Sunday is a great reminder of what God gives us. We read in **Acts 2** how 50 days after Jesus died on the cross God sent the Holy Spirit to the earth. It was on Pentecost Sunday that God came to us through the Holy Spirit. In **John 14:16-20**, Jesus says that He will send a helper to us and this helper is accessible to anyone who believes in Jesus.

The concept of the Holy Spirit can be hard to grasp and understand. How does one explain something that you can't see? We can't physically see the Holy Spirit, but we can see the effects of the Holy Spirit in people's lives. I relate it a bit to explaining the wind. We can't see the wind, but we know it's there. We believe in the wind because we can feel it on our skin. We can see the tree's move because of the wind even though we can't actually see 'wind'. It's the same with the Holy Spirit. We can't see the Holy Spirit, but we can sense His presence, we can feel it and others can see the evidence of the Holy Spirit by the way we journey through life.

For me personally, I've had times in my life that I don't think I would have got through without the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit has been a comforter to me when I've been overwhelmed and anxious about things I'm facing. The Holy Spirit has given me strength when I've been completely depleted and thought I couldn't go on. There's been times where the Holy Spirit has guided me when I've not known what to do. The Holy Spirit can also bring healing.

For me the Holy Spirit is an exciting gift that is given to us but like any gift that is given, we must use it for it to be any good to us. Let's say for example I give you a gift for your birthday. You open it, admire it and then put it away in the cupboard. The gift is of no use until you get it out and work out how to use it. It's the same with this gift of the Holy Spirit that God has given to us.

My prayer for each one of us is that we can recognise this helper in times of need, feel comforted in times of distress and be strengthened in times of challenge.

Blessya,

Amy Gogoll

School Chaplain



From the Principal

EXCITING VISIT

Next Thursday we are hosting Faith Lutheran College's annual music tour. They will be travelling through the Mid North this year (previously visiting the Riverland) and are very excited to be calling in here on their way further up north.

The College band are offering us a 40 minute concert style program which is based on the theme: Songs from Movies. It promises to be audience focused and highly interactive. We have invited other neighbouring schools to join us for the performance, which will be held in our stadium, and both Clare Primary and some of the St Joseph's students are intending to join us.

We thank Faith for offering this exciting opportunity to us, free of charge and look forward to seeing the live concert after recess next Thursday.

UNIFORM REMINDER

We are now in the Winter uniform period and remind families that with recent chilly weather we have coats, scarves and beanies for sale. The uniform policy states that all additional items such as these must be plain navy – no patterns or other colours. Beanies and scarves purchased from our Uniform shop will have the Vineyard logo on them, but they can be purchased from other places without the logo providing they are plain navy.

STICKS

We are hoping to begin cubby play on the bottom oval but require some sticks of around 1 - 1.5metre with smaller radiating branches removed. If you can help, please let us know or deliver them to the back of the stadium. We can also use some small rope/ binder twine to secure sticks and poly tarps to make the cubbies. Last year we saw some amazing constructions which were made by a very industrious group of children from across all year levels. The collaborative play and planning was really great to see. We anticipate the same interest this year! Should be great fun!

SPORTING SCHOOLS

It has been wonderful to see the involvement of both students and staff in our Sporting Schools Hockey program this term. Sporting Schools is a \$200million Australian Government initiative designed to help schools to increase children's participation in sport, and to connect them with community sporting opportunities. Sport Australia has partnered with more than 30 national sporting organisations (NSOs) to deliver sport before, during and after school hours. Sporting Schools programs are provided free to children and their families and up to three programmes are funded in each applying school each year. Since Sporting Schools started in 2015, over 6,900 schools have received funding. This has provided more than four million participant opportunities to get students active, engaged and have fun while sampling a variety of different sports.

Here at Vineyard we have engaged in many different sports including Basketball, Hockey, Australian Rules Football, Table Tennis, Netball, Gymnastics, Badminton, Cricket, Softball, Soccer and Athletics. We have been able to purchase new equipment for not only the program use, but also for our own internal sports programme and lunchtime activities. We thank Mr Jervies for his efforts in applying for the funding and running the variety of different sporting programmes over many years for our students. An awesome effort! Check out our Facebook page to see the fun being had in Hockey this term.

I hope you are enjoying the rain this week-

Blessings to you for the coming week,

Michelle

School Notices

Mid North Lutheran Ministries – Service Times

SUNDAY 16TH JUNE

Clare	9.00am
Blyth	9.00am
Brinkworth	11.00am
Burra	9.00am
Snowtown	10.00am

Family & Staff Prayers

Over the last week in staff devotion we prayed for the: Nolan, Price, Cutten and Mullighan families, and Cornerstone College, Mount Barker.

Chapel services are held every Monday at 8.50am. Family and friends are welcome to join us for these services.

Lunch Orders

Hot lunches are available every Friday. This year they are being supplied by Main Street Bakehouse.

All orders must be placed at the office or via the blue bags in your child's class before 9.30am the Thursday before.

Brown lunch order bags are available from the front office.

Chapel Offerings- Term 2

This term we have chosen to support **Lutheran Media Ministry with our chapel donations**. We encourage everyone to bring along a Chapel offering to support these Christian ministry opportunities.

Birthday Blessings

God's Blessings to everyone who is celebrating their birthdays.....

19 th June	Annabelle Harvey
21 st June	Tegan Kloock

Students of the Week –

Term 2, Week 7 – Community Awards

Shea Plowman – For demonstrating QUALITY. It's been lovely to see you play so nicely with the other students in the library during lunchtimes– creating awesome car tracks and building fantastic 'towns' with the wooden blocks; happily sharing blocks, cars and ideas.

Amreen Atwal – For demonstrating SERVICE. Thank you for always helping to pack up, help other students, put books away and always do those things with a happy and considerate heart. Also thanks for being an amazing storyteller during Storytime on Tuesday- your enthusiasm was catchy!!

Flynn Becker – For demonstrating QUALITY. IT has been a pleasure watching you create some amazing car tracks with some of the other students during lunchtimes in the library and be willing and happy to pack up afterwards!

Josh Carlin – For demonstrating SERVICE. Thank you for all your patience and time spent teaching younger students how to make an origami boat during Storytime at lunch on Tuesday.

Henry Upton – For demonstrating QUALITY. Thank you for always trying your very best during Minilit-with your writing, reading, listening and game playing!

Hayden Carlin – For demonstrating SERVICE. Thank you for being willing to give up your lunchtime to help the younger students during Storytime. And for your creative Book Week play display plans.

Students of the Week are presented at our Assembly every Friday afternoon at 2.45pm. Family and friends are welcome to attend.

Woolies Earn & Learn

Don't forget to keep collecting Earn & Learn stickers for our school!

This program will finish on 25th June.

Let's stick together and make this year our biggest one yet!



Carpark Safety & Kiss and Drop

Parents are reminded that students are not to be in the carpark unsupervised at the beginning or the end of the school day. Please ensure you cross the carpark with your child at the zebra crossing.

The 'kiss and drop' and bus area at the front of the office building is not to be used for parking and walking your child down to their class. To work efficiently this area is designed to be used for buses dropping off and picking up students, or parents who are quickly dropping their children and then leaving them to walk to their classes by themselves. If you need to walk your child to their class, please park in one of the car parks.


Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Parents & Friends News

LAST CHANCE: Parents & Friends Excess Stock Clearance

Vineyard Lutheran School Parents and Friends are having a clean out! Final call to come and grab a bargain. We still have a number of boxes of glasses left. **\$10 per box or make us an offer.**

Please come into the Front Office to purchase.

	22 boxes (6 glasses per box)	510ml Hi Ball Glasses
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NEXT P&F MEETING

The next P&F Meeting is being held on Wednesday 19th June, 6.30pm for dinner with a 7.00pm meeting start @ The Bentleys. All welcome!

Old Scholars News

Congratulations to the following Old Scholars who have achieved some amazing things since leaving Vineyard.

Chloe Dutschke (left 2005) – In early April this year Chloe was awarded the 2019 Peter Westblade Scholarship. The Peter Westblade Scholarship exists to promote the practical skills associated with the sheep and wool industry and aims to deliver hands on experience to young people aspiring for a career in the sheep and wool industry.

Chloe is currently working as a contract musterer across NSW and SA. She will use the scholarship to work with consulting companies to better understand how they work with farmers and other companies to achieve on property results.

Hannah Sanders (left 2010) – In late April of this year Hannah was named the Senior Ambassador of the Murray Grey National Youth Stock Show. As part of being named Senior Ambassador she will travel to the USA for six weeks early next year to observe farming operations and breeding methods in Texas and Colorado.

Hannah is involved in Ballyvaughan Murray Grey Stud (run by parents Steve and Katrina) and, along with sister and Vineyard old scholar **Lydia (left 2014)**, has launched Ballyclare Murray Grey Stud. She is also studying Veterinary Medicine at Roseworthy.

Congratulations girls on these wonderful achievements!

We would love to share the stories of what is happening in the lives of our old scholars. If you are a past Vineyard student, please contact mkeller@vineyardls.sa.edu.au so we can share your information in the Wire. We would also love to collate a contact list to keep you and your family informed of special events. Please email contact details to admin@vineyardls.sa.edu.au

Sports News

SPORTING SCHOOLS HOCKEY

This term we have provided Sporting Schools Hockey on a Wednesday afternoon.

It has been great to have Mr Upton coaching these sessions and his knowledge and encouragement has created a great atmosphere where participants want to develop their skills. Miss Friebe has also been involved and this has allowed for her to share her expertise with our students.



The group has included students from Year 1 to Year 6 and it has been great to see so many involved, especially from our Year 6 cohort.

As part of the program we are granted funding by the Federal Government to assist with the running of these activities. This term we were fortunate to be able to give each student a hockey stick so they can continue to develop their skills and develop an interest to possibly play in the local competition.

Next term we are not doing a sport, but will nominate in Term 4 again.

FOUNDATION TENNIS RACQUETS – HOT SHOTS



Today the Foundation students received a tennis racquet courtesy of the Hot Shots program and sponsored by the ANZ.

ANZ's ongoing support of ANZ Tennis Hot Shots and in particular the School Partnership program has ensured Foundation school students continue to receive a brand new 19" racquet. Since 2015, ANZ have provided 110,000 racquets to new school starters with a further 30,000 to be delivered this term!

Tennis is a popular sport in the Clare Valley with many junior programs run, usually starting in Term 4. If you are interested please see Mrs Dare.

Hamper offerings



Last week of term (week 9)



All donations welcome



You could bring:
Long lasting milk
Pasta
Can foods

PIC-COLLAGE

CHAPEL OFFERINGS TERM 2

THIS TERM THE OFFERING IS GOING TO THE
LUTHERAN MEDIA MINISTRY.
BRING MONEY FOR A SMALL DONATION EVERY
MONDAY AT CHAPEL FOR THIS TERM.

LUTHERAN
MEDIA)))
COMMUNICATING CHRIST

thank
you

PIC-COLLAGE

Invitation

Who: All are welcome
What: To an open
session of Student
Parliament
When: 25 June Tuesday
week 9 at 11:50

Where: It will be in the
Stadium with the
honourable Geoff Brock.



OSHC Program for Vineyard pupil free week- Term 2 Week 10

Please see below the OSHC program for Vineyard students in Week 10. Booking forms are available from the Front Office for any families wishing to use OSHC during this week- bookings can also be made directly at OSHC if you are a current OSHC family. For any further information or enquiries please contact OSHC direct on 88421 430.

Vineyard Pupil Free Day

1st - 5th July 2019

Our 'Before School Care Program' will be running between 7.00am and 9.00am

Our 'After School Care Program' will be running between 3.15pm (2.15pm on Friday) - 6.15pm

Program is from the results of the survey by Vineyard children during week 1 -3 Term 2

Tegan, OSHC Kids Leader assisted with the planning of the Menu

Wednesday 3rd July

Science Day with Tahlia

\$65



MORNING TEA: Fruit, Veg, Cheese & Crackers

LUNCH: Butter Chicken, Rice and Naan Bread

Ice-Cream Suggested via the Telling and Thinking Tree (28-4-19)

Monday 1st July

\$65

Super Hero's Day

Come dressed as your favourite Superhero



Make a Super Hero's Mask



MORNING TEA: Fruit, Veg, Cheese & Crackers

LUNCH: Spring Rolls, Chicken Chippies, Fish Fingers, Potato Gems and Salad Cupcakes

Thursday 4th July

Movies @

\$73



Bus departs promptly at 10.30am - Returns 2.30pm
PLEASE BE AT OSHC NO LATER THAN 10.00am

MORNING TEA: Tiny Teddies, Chips or Muesli Bar and a Fruit Box

LUNCH: Mixed Sandwiches
Lamingtons

Tuesday 2nd July

Playground Crawl

\$70

Auburn, Watervale and Sevenhill



Order Lunch from The Little Red Grape

Bus departs promptly at 9.30am - Returns 2.30pm
PLEASE BE AT OSHC NO LATER THAN 9.00am

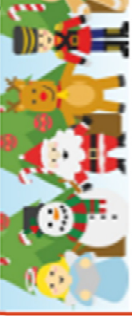
MORNING TEA: Fruit, Veg and Crackers

LUNCH: Pie, Pasty or Sausage Roll and Hot Chips
Donut

Friday 5th July

Christmas in July

\$65



Wear your favourite Christmas outfit

Electronics

Afternoon



Bring along your favourite electronic device to use after lunch

MORNING TEA: Fruit, Veg, Cheese & Crackers

LUNCH: Roast Chicken, veggies and gravy

Chocolate Pudding and Custard

Entertainment Book

Each year Vineyard Lutheran School is able to offer Entertainment Books to our community as a fund-raiser for those who would like to participate. Entertainment Books provide many 2-for-1 offers and up to 50% discount offers for many restaurants, arts, attractions, hotels, travel (interstate and international) and shopping in Adelaide and South Australian country regions (including the Clare Valley).

The Entertainment Book can be purchased from the School or online for \$70 each, with 20% of the purchase price coming back to the School as fundraising. Books can be purchased in digital format (ideal for your phone) – which can also be shared across family members or hard-copy with tear out vouchers and Gold-card.



Anyone is welcome to come into the School and have a look through our copy at Reception or families are also welcome to take a copy home for review.

If you do wish to keep and use the book, payment can be made online, at the School, or return the payment slip back to the School Office. If you do not wish to use the book (or will purchase a Digital Membership) please return it back to the School. *The Entertainment Book will be unacceptable for return if any voucher is used or the book marked.*

Our fundraising is available to anyone who would like to participate. Books can be bought from the School or ordered online from the Entertainment Book website.

Community News

Please see the school notice board in the stadium for further information on these and other events.

