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2022 Term 3 Week 2

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From the Middle and Senior School Principal

Last Friday at Assembly we acknowledged the efforts and achievements of all Academic Excellence and Academic Merit award recipients from Semester 2, 2021 and from Semester 1 this year. It was pleasing to have over 130 names displayed across the screens and read out by Mr Watkins and Ms Wegener. To each award recipient, congratulations! To any student who achieved a personal best and/or improvement from their previous academic report, irrespective of whether you qualified for one of the awards, I equally congratulate your efforts.

Our Year 12 cohort of students has a relatively short time remaining at the College before graduating. It probably feels like a long way away given the assessment workload and preparation at present, but time will pass quickly. To maximise my time in which to learn from them, I am currently inviting groups of approximately eight Year 12 students to have lunch with me each day. While not compulsory, it is pleasing to see most taking up the offer over the first two weeks of term. The lunch is an opportunity to get to know them better as I do not teach them this year, but most importantly, it is a chance for students to provide valuable feedback to the College about their collective experiences over their time spent here. I am quickly gaining a profile of the ideal teacher, in terms of attributes that assist students to learn, and what they would change about the College if they could. I have been blown away by their openness and desire to help make Concordia an even better school than it is now. They are solution focused.

The second round of Learning Conversations for the year are scheduled to take place on Tuesday 16 August in person, and Thursday 25 August via Microsoft Teams. Offering an afternoon/evening of each format is in direct response to the feedback received from parents in the recent school-wide survey conducted by MMG Education. We hope this flexibility will maximise your opportunity to speak with your child's teachers about the progress of your child's learning.

Finally, I would like to encourage parents of Year 9-12 students to consider attending the short Parents' and Caregivers' *Canapes and Conversation* events to be held in coming weeks. The

Year 7-8 event held late last term was a wonderful event. I hope to meet you there.

Dennis Mulherin
Principal - Middle and Senior School

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Q&A with Sophia Chen, Year 7 Home Class and Science/Maths Teacher

1. Where were you before this and what persuaded you to join Concordia College?

For the last three years I have been teaching at Eynesbury Senior College, mainly teaching senior mathematics subjects. I have heard so many good things about the strong relationship within the Concordia community, and it attracted me a lot to this place.

2. Three words to describe you.

Organised. Optimistic. Passionate.

3. What is your motivation or inspiration in your role?

I value teaching at a middle and senior secondary level and working with students to excel in Science and Mathematics. I am motivated by the culture of collaboration at Concordia, which provides a sense of belonging.

4. If you had a superpower, what would it be?

Instant travel. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, I have not been able to visit my family in China for almost three years. I would like to have this superpower to go back to see them every night or weekend, and get back to school on time.

5. Who would you invite to a dinner party of six guests and why? Alternatively, tell us something you might like to share that we could not possibly know?

I would like to invite my family and friends to the party. I love to hang out with them and chat about the things that happen in our life. Besides being a teacher, I am also a rapper. At the moment, my friends and I are writing songs and hopefully we can publish them soon.

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Q&A with Manda Wilson, Inclusive Learning Coordinator

1. Where were you before this and what persuaded you to join Concordia College?

For the past five years, my role was Principal of Aspect Treetop School located in Ashford, catering for autistic students. Aspect is the shortened name for the not-for-profit organisation, Autism Spectrum Australia. It was an amazing experience and I have come away with a deeper understanding of autism and the importance of inclusion in all school settings. Being Principal in a highly specialised environment was both exciting and challenging. After five years I was ready to move in a new direction and amazingly the advertisement for an Inclusive Learning Coordinator here at Concordia popped up on my LinkedIn page, and the rest is history.

2. Three words to describe you.

Creative, insightful, compassionate.

3. What is your motivation or inspiration in your role?

Working to support our incredible teaching staff and our students is a constant motivation for me and my inspiration comes from always thinking about what's possible. I love the opportunity to problem solve and my role gives me the opportunity to do this ongoing.

4. If you had a superpower, what would it be?

To be able to travel through time and see what the past was like but also the future.

5. Who would you invite to a dinner party of six guests and why? Alternatively, tell us something you might like to share that we could not possibly know?

My favourite guests at my dinner parties are my family members as we are spread across four states. Something you may not know about me is the origin of my name, which explains why it is just 'Manda', not Amanda nor Mandy! My mother named me 'Manda Reggae'. Manda came from a perfume in the 1970s called 'Aquamanda'. Mum liked the 'Manda' part of that name and she saw the name Reggae in a magazine and thought it would fit well. Mum's an artist with a very creative imagination - so enough said!

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'Red Centre' Music Tour

On Monday 18 July, 56 Concordia students (from Years 7–12) and nine adults embarked on Concordia's first 'Red Centre' Music Tour. For the next 11 days, this group travelled to the Flinders Ranges, Coober Pedy, Curtin Springs, and Alice Springs, performing concerts in each location to a diverse range of communities and audiences.

In the months leading up to this concert tour, the students and their ensemble directors spent

hours of time preparing, including two full days during the term break so that we were well placed to represent Concordia as best as we could.

Whilst music was the ‘vehicle’ which carried us, such tours are transformative for a great many other reasons. They offer opportunities to not only understand how to prepare and cope for time away from home, but they create community, offer insight into the way others live, enhance appreciation for ‘the simple things’, shape resilience, enhance appreciation for God’s creation, and the list goes on…

Tour highlights include:

- **all** of the concerts, particularly at Living Waters Lutheran, Yirara College, and Hermannsberg
- Walking around Uluru (9.6kms and not a single complaint from the students)
- Meeting and performing with the Central Australian Aboriginal Women’s Choir
- Visiting the RFDS and first Telegraph Station
- Hearing Mattson Jazz (one of our choirs) sing in Simpson’s Gap (Rungutjirpa)
- Sleeping in a dugout hotel in Coober Pedy for two nights
- Karaoke on the buses
- Karaoke at the YHS in Alice Springs
- Listening to the students reflect on their daily learnings and experiences
- Hearing from staff at Qantas, Adelaide Coachlines, cafes, the RFDS and hotels we stayed in that this was the most polite and considerate school group they had hosted

Whilst we may still be recovering from the effects of many late nights and very early (and cold) mornings, I am confident that the learnings taken from this monumental experience will be lifelong.

Enormous thanks go to Lee Pfitzner, Barnabas Smith, Deanna Whelan, Simon Kuchel, Martin Butler, Shirin Lim, Adam Page and Scott Darlow for their time and talents which made this trip possible. Thanks also to Jenni Watkins (Music Administrator) and Jackie Male (Angus Travel) for all they did ‘behind the scenes’.

Mat Noble
Director of Music

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The new Early Learning Centre

ELC families and staff were excited to officially move in to our newly renovated space this week. Complete with a new classroom, kitchen, sensory room, offices and open-plan foyer, the Early Learning Centre has been transformed into a welcoming, tranquil and inviting learning space. Our children are loving exploring what this new environment holds for them!

“I love the colour of the new walls and the spots on the roof” **- Kate**

“This foyer is like a day spa!” **- Parent**

“I like the new teachers' chair and the new lockers” **- Charlotte**

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Year 8 Oliphant Science Awards

The Oliphant Science Awards is an annual competition for South Australian school students that aims to support, encourage and celebrate Science education within South Australian schools. In Term 2, the Year 8 cohort worked on projects based around the five competition categories of photography, crystals, games, models and inventions, and scientific writing. The outcomes that have been produced have been outstanding.

We have fifteen entries being sent off to be judged and we feel that we are in with a good chance of winning some prizes. We want to wish good luck to those that have entered.

Laura Austin
Year 8 Leader

Here are some thoughts from two Year 8 students:

“During this topic, we learnt a lot about brain, body, and cell science. We all picked things to research on and inquire about, and we made different displays and reports, ranging from videos to posters and to models. Everybody got to be so creative with their projects, and the final displays all looked great and were very informative. I learnt about how different systems in the body work and how they are affected by diseases from projects other students made, and I learnt about cell reproduction and how cells go through stages to develop from my own project.” - **Gwen 8SMAR**

“The Oliphant Science Awards has been an experience which challenged us students to research about a certain topic. My group and I did a physical board game and we had to create it by using resources that were accessible in school and outside of school. Making the game was the fun part but we didn’t only just make a board game, we also researched online and made brainstorms, checklists and even had group meetings whilst we recorded down our ideas for what to do next and any other issues we encountered during the lesson.” **- Zach 8SMAR**

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Career Awareness Opportunities

There are several career awareness/training opportunities available in the coming weeks, which may be of interest to our Senior School students.

- **Adelaide Hills Careers Expo - Tuesday 9 August** | 6.00pm-8.30pm | inbarendi (gym) at Cornerstone College, Mt Barker
    - Bookings essential
    - Download a flyer
    - Book online
- **Agricultural, Animal and Vet Sciences Careers Expo - Tuesday 20 September** | 2.00pm-7.00pm | Urrbrae Agricultural High School gym
    - Download a flyer
- **Dental Assistant Traineeships**
  Applications open Friday 29 July 2022 and close on Sunday 21 August 2022 for the January 2023 intake
    - Download a flyer
    - Read a fact sheet for more information

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Enhancing Leadership and Creative Play

Recently our school has been given a collection of stumps and branches to enhance our creative nature play area. The Year 5s have been developing their leadership skills by meeting with other classes to develop a whole-school culture for using these materials safely and successfully. These opportunities have been important for expanding imagination; developing collaboration, communication and problem-solving skills; and exploring basic engineering in fun and engaging ways.

“I love how the students are working through all of the different steps involved in setting up their rules and responsibilities. It’s wonderful that students have these opportunities to be creative in their play. Thanks, Year Fives!” **- Jen Schultz, Reception Teacher**

Janine Sarson-Parker and Rebecca Geue
Year 5 Teachers

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Staff Achievements

Congratulations to the following staff on some outstanding recent achievements:

- Head of Design, Technology and Engineering, Mr Shane Beitz, was recently presented with his Highly Accomplished Teacher certification by Blair Boyer - Minister for Education. Shane is the first Lutheran school teacher certified at this level by the Association of Independent Schools of South Australia (AISSA).
- Learning Mentor - Literature, Languages and Societies and Senior English Teacher Ms Colleen Porch, was recently presented with her renewed Lead Teacher certification by Dr Neil McGoran.

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NAIDOC Week

NAIDOC Week recently took place from 3 – 10 July while we were on our mid-year school holiday break, with this year's theme being **Get Up! Stand Up! Show Up!**

NAIDOC Week celebrates the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. It is a week where all Australians can learn more about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and their communities.

Leading on from NAIDOC week was this year's Garma Festival from 29 July – 1 August.

The Garma Festival brought together the largest gathering of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples. Senior political dignitaries attended, including Prime Minister Anthony Albanese and Minister for Indigenous Australians Linda Burney, for discussions that will help inform future policies and decision making. Vision from news reports showed Prime Minister Anthony Albanese visibly moved at the festival where he delivered a speech with those present believing he was not speaking empty words and where he endorsed the need for an Indigenous voice in parliament.

Unfortunately, we also acknowledge the sad passing of Archie Roach AM, also known as Uncle Archie. He was a Gunditjmara and Bundjalung elder, talented musician and Aboriginal activist.

Steve Eden
Head of International Student Programs

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Immunisation information for parents/guardians of Year 10 students

Year 10 Second Visit Reminder

Eastern Health Authority (EHA) will be returning to the College on Friday 12 August 2022 for the below vaccination.

- **2nd dose of the Meningococcal B vaccine (Men B), BEXSERO**

A reminder to parents: Students in Year 10 are offered two free vaccines two months apart to be fully vaccinated against Meningococcal B. It is important that your child is present at school on the day when EHA will be providing second doses.

Further information and videos for high school students are available at:
www.health.gov.au/news/school-based-vaccinations-for-teens

Please notify EHA if:

- Your child has already started the above program with another provider
- You wish to withdraw your consent
- Your child's medical condition has changed

Tips for the day of immunisation:

- Encourage your child to have a good breakfast and recess on the morning of immunisations
- Encourage your child to keep their arms moving and drink plenty of water throughout the day.

If you did not receive an immunisation consent form from your child at the beginning of the school year, please ask at SSO, or if unavailable contact EHA on 8132 3600.

If you have any further questions about the program, please directly contact **Eastern Health Authority on 8132 3600 or via e-mail at eha@eha.sa.gov.au**

Remember: it is your responsibility to notify EHA on 8132 3600 of any changes or new information, particularly in relation to your child's medical condition, on the day of immunisation or prior. A signed and dated note in your child's diary from a parent or guardian presented on the day is acceptable.

School Immunisation Program records may be required for future employment or travel.

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Year 7s learn from world-renowned historian Dr Kiera Lindsay

Recently our Year 7s attended a presentation by Dr Kiera Lindsey – a world-renowned historian. She spoke to the students about the work of a historian as well as the importance of a historian as a healer, rebel, truth teller and detective.

One of her key points was that *"To be a history detective you need to be deeply suspicious but also constantly curious."*

Here is what two of our students, Rebecca and Sienna had to say about the presentation:

'Last week on the Wednesday 27 July, Dr Kiera Lindsey spoke to the Year 7s about her role as a Historian. She talked to us about how there are always new things to be found in history as well as many different types of history and how many jobs are open to a historian. She told us that history is not only the past but the present as well and even the future. History is not an object, but of what remains, and it is never a finished business. She taught us a lot about archives and realia and interested us in becoming historians like her. Overall, historians are bricklayers, healers and storytellers and we now have a lot of knowledge on her job and how important history is.' **- Rebecca 7SCHE** and **Sienna 7SCHE.**

Hajnalka Molloy
Learning Resources Manager

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Year 12 Retreat

The Year 12 Retreat took place on a beautiful winter day at Kuitpo Forest.

The students appreciated a day immersed in nature with a range of elective activities.

The more energetic among the cohort could take part in activities such as orienteering, mountain biking and games of Capture the Flag.

Those wishing to express their artistic sides could enjoy nature photography and art in the environment.

Horse care, mushroom foraging and campfire cookery gave experiences that aren't commonly found during the school year.

Enhanced by the magic of a campfire, the day gave the opportunity for genuine relationship building and the reflection that comes with departure from the usual.

Adrian Bright
Year 12 Leader

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Canapes & Conversation Parent/Caregiver Functions

Our Year 7 and 8 Canapes & Conversation event was a huge success - thanks to all who attended!

We are now looking forward to the rest of the events in the series, starting with the Year 9 and 10 parent/caregiver event on Thursday 11 August. Please note revised dates for some of these events listed below.

- Book online for the Year 9 and 10 Canapes & Conversation event
- Book online for the Year 11 and 12 Canapes & Conversation event
- Booking details for the ELC to Year 6 Canapes & Conversation event coming soon

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Harry Potter Celebrations

During Weeks 1 and 2 of Term 3, the Yangadlitya Centre (Middle and Senior School library) is celebrating all things Harry Potter. Harry Potter's birthday is the 31st of July and this year marks the 25th anniversary of the release of the first book. To celebrate, the library staff have

organised a magical display with a range of events, including: Harry-themed jigsaw puzzles, Harry Potter Cluedo, word searches, making spiders with bead craft, Harry Potter blackout poetry, building Hogwarts with LEGO, voting for a favourite Harry Potter character, Harry Kahoot and reading a German version of Harry Potter. The highlight of the celebrations was the Potions Class run by the amazing Science Faculty.

Many thanks to all of the staff and students who supported and participated in the various events.

Hajnalka Molloy
Learning Resources Manager

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Bracelet Action Team

Since the beginning of last term, a group of Year 3s has independently been taking action to raise money for the Cancer Council SA by designing and making bracelets to sell. Abbie, Maya, Quincy, Charlotte, Elsa, Molly and Georgia originally started with only the Year 3 year level clientele in mind when they first launched their advertising campaign. Now, however, as their enterprise has grown, they find themselves taking orders and manufacturing bespoke bracelets to meet demand from students in other year levels, Concordia staff and even residents at Fullarton Lutheran Homes! Their creativity, with the generosity of their families, has now raised over $100 and sparked the latest fashion trend at St John's Campus! This entrepreneurial group has independently used impressive design, literacy and numeracy skills in their collaboration to source materials, keep the financial records accurate, produce made-to-measure bracelets, negotiate, problem solve, develop a repair and alterations sideline business (!) and make many people happy with their delightful enterprise.

Elizabeth Reu
Year 3 Teacher

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Youth Parliament

Congratulations to **Tahlia 11RGOG** who participated in the Youth Parliament program. The Youth Parliament program runs from March to August every year and includes mentoring, a training weekend, a week-long camp and access to Parliament House. Every year, young leaders come together to learn about public speaking, parliamentary etiquette, bill development and youth advocacy. They share their big ideas, discuss the challenges facing South Australia and create solutions in the form of Youth Bills. Tahlia was recently profiled in Unley Life magazine.

“Youth Parliament this year was an incredible opportunity to develop my knowledge and skills surrounding debating, parliamentary procedure and understanding how our government system

works. Over the course of this year I have been involved in the climate, environment and energy committee and have developed a bill surrounding setting up a recycling facility in SA for lithium ion batteries. During Parliament week in the July holidays I have had the opportunity to debate my bill and other committees' bills. I also had the opportunity to meet with Susan Close MP, the current Deputy Premier of South Australia to discuss my bill and had the opportunity to attend a reception at Government House with the current Governor of South Australia."

Tahlia was awarded Best speaker in the Opposition of the Upper House.

The Youth Parliament program will run again in 2023. Please contact Mrs Rieger for more information.

Emma Rieger
Enrichment and Extended Learning

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Lost Property Reminder

A reminder for Middle and Senior School students to please check at SSO if you have lost any items recently. There is quite a large number of items awaiting collection.

Items that remain unclaimed until Thursday 18 August will be donated to charity.

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Out of School Hours Care (OSHC) Update

Welcome back to school as Term 3 gets up and running! It's hard to believe that the year has flown by so quickly thus far. We have been settling into our new space quite nicely and hope the children are enjoying our new space as much as we are. We have just concluded our extremely busy mid-year Vacation Care program which saw so many familiar faces return to OSHC as well as some lovely new faces attending.

We were very lucky throughout this Vacation Care to go on many excursions all over Adelaide! There were a few standout excursions, including the Ice Arena, Woodhouse Outdoor Activity Centre, MARS sports centre and Zone Bowling. It was amazing to see all the children (and Educator Liam) be so resilient at the Ice Arena. They were all amazing at brushing themselves off if they fell down and trying again, which was incredible to see. They should all be very proud of themselves.

We were also lucky enough to head over to the Middle and Senior School campus a few times during our incursion days which was a new, exciting experience for many of the kids. We created some fun outdoor games to play in the new areas and even had some LEGO

specialists come and visit us, showing the children how to build some really amazing LEGO structures. We were also able to build some amazing cubbies with huge carboard boxes we were lucky enough to get from the Wood family. Thank you again for supplying these for us to use, everyone really enjoyed them!

Vacation Care also saw a few special birthdays for our Educators. Happy Birthday to Bree and Amira! We were able to have a big surprise celebration for Amira which we hope she enjoyed (organising 65 kids for a surprise birthday was quite difficult).

A big thank you to Educator Liam for all his organising for our successful Vacation Care program. He always does an exceptional job and we appreciate everything he does here at OSHC. It won't be long until we begin organising the next Vacation Care, so please don't hesitate to contact us for any suggestions/feedback for next time.

With thanks

Isaac Noles
Assistant Director OSHC

On behalf of The OSHC Team

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Primary School Sports Results

Basketball

Monday 20 June

Concordia Cats lost to Unley Boomers: 8-14.

Wednesday 22 June

Concordia Cannons lost to St Therese: 32-36.

Wednesday 29 June

Concordia Chargers defeated Unley Wolves: 17-4.
Concordia Cyclones lost to STJB Bulls: 6-11.

Wednesday 27 July

Concordia Cyclones defeated Black Forest Primary School Angels: 18-10.

Netball

Monday 20 June

Concordia Silver drew with Unley Primary School Navy: 4 all! A great result.

Monday 27 June

Concordia Gold lost to St Thomas Sharks: 7–17, with a few players out they should bounce back next game!

Concordia Silver lost to St Thomas Tigers: 0-10.

Monday 1 August

Concordia White defeated Unley Primary School: 5-0.

Concordia Silver lost to Annesley: 1–5. After a few weeks off with byes and school holidays the girls were super excited to score a goal.

Soccer

Saturday 25 June

Concordia Under 9s lost to Immanuel: 1-4 - a very tough game and the players tried very hard.

Concordia Senior Primary defeated Stella Maris: 7-0.

Saturday 2 July

Concordia Under 9s defeated Belair: 5-0.

Concordia Senior Primary B defeated St Peters Woodlands: 7-2.

Saturday 30 July

Concordia Under 9s lost to McAuley: 0 - 2.

Concordia Senior Primary B defeated Clapham Primary School: 7–0.

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Middle and Senior School Sports Results

Boys' Sport

Basketball

Friday 24 June

Year 7 Gold lost to St Pauls: 22-28. Best player: Emmett.

Year 7 Blue defeated St Peters: 31-14. Best players: Hudson and Leo.

Saturday 25 June

Senior A defeated Trinity: 57-51. Best players: Nick, Tom and Paddy.

Senior B lost to Trinity: 60-81. Best players: Kurtis, Elijah and James.

Senior C lost to Trinity: 60-31. Best players: Elijah, Jackson and Patrick.

Middle A defeated Trinity: 62-37.

Middle B defeated Trinity: 33-21.

Middle C drew with Trinity: 26-26.

Middle D defeated PAC: 32-22.

Friday 29 July

Year 7 Gold lost to St Pauls: 18-36. Best players: Jack and Emmett.

Year 7 Blue lost to St Pauls: 16-38. Best players: Hudson and Hari.

Saturday 30 July

Senior A defeated Immanuel: 56-53. Best players: Nick, Noah and Lachy.

Senior B lost to Immanuel: 30-31. Best players: Kurtis, Elijah and Daniel.

Senior C lost to Immanuel: 34-42. Best players: Elijah, Ezekiel and Owen.

Middle A defeated Immanuel: 57-24. Best players: Luke and Darcy.

Middle B defeated Immanuel: 32-12. Best players: Michael, Lachie and Ky.

Middle C defeated Immanuel: 50-19. Best players: Ben, Henry and Cooper.

Middle D defeated Immanuel: 29 - 28. Best players: Matthew, Oliver and James.

Football

Wednesday 22 June

1st XVIII lost to Cardijn 5.8 (38) - 9.9 (63). Best players: Jaden, Kurtis, Nick, Fletcher, Angus, Oscar and Dane. Goals: Noah 2, Jacob 1, Ben 1 and Dane 1.

B Grade - No game (Year 11 exams)

Middles lost to Blackwood High School: 3.7 (25) - 15.7 (97). Best players: Thomas, Luca, Archie, Jackson, Louis and Angus. Goals: Louis 2 and Clive 1.

Wednesday 29 June

1st XVIII defeated Urrbrae 6.7 (43) - 5.12 (42). Best players: Ben, Max, Kurtis, Jaden, Eli and Bailey. Goals: Ben 2, Noah 1, Max 1, Harry 1 and Kurtis 1.

B Grade - No game (Year 11 Work Experience)

Middles defeated Woodcroft 12.10 (82) - 1.1 (7). Best players: Thomas, Archie, Jake, Jack, and Jackson. Goals: Jacob 3, James 2, Thomas 2, Jack 2, Ned 1 and Archie 1.

Wednesday 27 July

1st XVIII - Game cancelled

B Grade lost to Nazareth 3.5 (23) - 12.12 (84). Best players: Bailey, Elijah, Aaron, Austin and Oscar. Goals: Aaron 1, Angus 1 and Ethan 1.

Middles lost to Cabra 8.3 (51) - 10.12 (72). Best players: Thomas, Jack, Louis, Archie and Luca. Goals: Louis 3, Jack 2, Will 1, Ned 1 and Jake 1.

Soccer

Saturday 25 June

Senior B lost to Unley: 0-3.

Middle A drew with Immanuel: 1-1.

Middle B defeated Immanuel: 12-4.

Year 7 lost to Immanuel: 2-4.

Saturday 30 July

Senior B lost to Westminster: 1-8.

Middle A defeated Cabra: 9-1. Best players: Max, Marshal, Lucas Goals: Max 4, Liam 2, Kosta 1, Marshal 1 and Lachlan 1.

Middle B lost to Cabra: 2 - 10. Best players: Archie, Lachlan and Isaac. Goals: Isaac and Archie.

Year 7 defeated Cabra: 4-2. Best players: James, Oli L and Aaron. Goals: Oli L 4.

Girls' Sport

Football

Friday 24 June

Senior A defeated St Peters

Middle A defeated St Peters

Middle B lost to Westminster Middle A

Friday 29 July

Senior A - CC forfeit

Middle A defeated Scotch: 2.5 (17) - 4.4 (28). Best players: Sari, Paige, Holly, Gigi and Hayley.

Middle B defeated Scotch: 9.2 (50) - 2.2 (14). Best players: Lola. Mia, Stella and Eva.

Netball

Saturday 25 June

Senior A lost to St Peters: 44-29. Best player: Ella.

Senior B lost to St Peters: 34-29. Best players: Hannah P and Jessie.

Senior C lost to Scotch G

Inter A lost to Immanuel: 24-45. Best player: Amelia.

Inter B lost to Immanuel: 20-52. Best player: Katie.

Inter C/9 Gold lost to Seymour: 44-10. Best player: Alice.

Year 9 A lost to St Peters: 49-53. Best players: Ruby and Winnie.

Year 9 B defeated St Peters: 55-20. Best players: Mackenzie, Emily and Susie.

Year 9 Gold/Inter C lost to Seymour: 44-10. Best player: Alice.

Year 8 A lost to St Peters: 28-33. Best player: Eliza.

Year 8 B defeated St Peters: 31-18. Best player: Lola.

Year 8 White defeated Seymour: 38-16.

Year 8 Navy lost to Immanuel C1: 17-40.

Year 8 Gold defeated Immanuel C2: 19-18. Best players: Poppy and Ava.

Year 7 White defeated St Peters: 30-8. Best player: Gemma.

Year 7 Navy defeated St Peters: 34-4. Best player: Lexi.

Year 7 Gold defeated Immanuel: 34-3. Best player: Mary.

Monday July 25

Senior A defeated Seymour: 47-46. Best players: Saffron, Millie and Grace.

Senior B lost to Seymour: 34-35. Best players: Aleisha and Jessie.

Saturday 30 July

Senior A lost to Scotch 23-50. Best players: Ebony and Ella.

Senior B lost to Scotch: 36-60. Best players: Hannah S and Eloise.

Inter A lost to Scotch: 64-15. Best player: Chloe.

Inter B lost to Scotch: 33-14. Best player: Crystal.

Inter C/Year 9 Gold lost to Woodcroft.

Year 9 A lost to Scotch: 22-55. Best player: Holly.

Year 9 B lost to Scotch: 27-42. Best player: Phoebe.

Year 9 Gold/Inter C lost to Woodcroft.

Year 8 A lost to Scotch: 28-37. Best player: April.

Year 8 B defeated Scotch: 41-23. Best player: Halle.

Year 7 White lost to Scotch: 30-36. Best player: Sienna.

Year 7 Navy defeated Scotch: 35-16. Best player: Eva.

Year 7 Gold defeated Westminster: 12-0.

Soccer

Wednesday 22 June

Middles defeated St Michaels: 4-3.

Wednesday 27 July

Middles defeated Scotch in a scratch match.

Mixed Sport

Hockey

Wednesday 22

Middles lost to St Peters: 0-1. Best players: James, Fergus, Oscar and Fletcher.

Wednesday 27 July

Middles drew with St Ignatius: 2-2. Best player: Oliver.

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Student Achievements

Congratulations to **Charlotte 3D**, who placed first in Division 5 Alpine and first in Division 5 Skiercross at the Interschools Ski Racing 2022 competition held at Falls Creek in July - an outstanding achievement!

Well done to **Ari 8SMAR** who represented SA in tennis, with the South Australian team finishing in third place overall. He also competed in the Queensland Rafa Nadal 14s Tournament and finished runner up for his age group out of 109 competitors - a fantastic effort!

Congratulations to **Sophie 9GLET** on being selected by Ice Skating Australia to represent Australia in her figure skating in Singapore later this month. Sophie will also compete in Melbourne prior to the international competition and we wish her all the very best for both events.

Over the school holiday break, **Fletcher 11RAMO** represented South Australia in the 2022 Australian National Championships in the youth bridge team, with the SA team winning the final against Victoria. Well done, Fletcher!

Concordia congratulates **Noah 12TMCC** and **Nick 12KNIC**, who both made their debuts in the NBL1 basketball league over the school holidays. It is exciting to have two of our students playing at this level and we wish the boys all the best for their future basketball endeavours.

Well done to **Joey 9SWHI** who has been selected in the SA state team to participate in the Pool Rescue Championships on the Gold Coast. All the best!

Congratulations to **Elise 6H**, **Lucy 6H** and **Amalia 6H** for winning first place in the Division 1 School Sport SA State Netball Carnival!

Charlotte skiing at the Interschool Ski competition at Falls Creek

Charlotte with two first place medals at the Interschools Ski Competition at Falls Creek

Noah and Nick — double debut in the NBL1 competition

Elise, Luca and Amalia — School Sport SA State Netball Carnival Division 1 winners

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Diary Dates

ELC and Primary School

August	
Wednesday 10	P&F Meeting, 6-7.30pm in G67 (upstairs in the Winchester St Hub, Middle and Senior School)
Thursday 18	Class Connector Meeting (ELC-Year 6), 9am at Living Choice
Saturday 20	Year 5 Class Connector Mums' Dinner, Cocobello Restaurant, Frewville
Mon 22 - Fri 26	Book Week 'Dreaming with eyes open'
Saturday 27	Year 6 Class Connector Parent Dinner, Noi Vietnamese Eatery, 306 Glen Osmond Rd, 7.45pm
September	
Thursday 1	P&F Father's Day Breakfast, Damien on Fisher, Living Choice, 7.45am | Book online
Friday 2	Father's Day Market Stall, 2.45-3.30pm
Friday 9	Student Free Day (Staff Professional Development)
Wednesday 7	ELC Bush Day
Sunday 11	Reception Class Connector Dads' Event, Little Bang Brewing Co., Tap Room, Stepney

Middle and Senior School

August	
Friday 5	Heart Foundation Non-uniform Day Fundraiser (Years 7-12)
Saturday 6	Pedal Prix, 8-hour race at Tailem Bend
Wednesday 10	Co-curricular photos P&F Meeting, 6-7.30pm in G67 (upstairs in the Winchester St Hub, Middle and Senior School)
Thursday 11	Year 9 and 10 Canapes & Conversation Parent Event, 5.30-7pm, The Grand Hall, Living Choice | Book online
Friday 12	Year 10 Vaccinations
Saturday 13	Collective of St Mary Magdalene | Middle School community service
Tues 16 - Wed 17	Year 10 Subject Counselling
Tuesday 16	Year 7-12 Parent/Teacher Interviews
Thurs 18 - Fri 19	Year 11 Subject Counselling

Thursday 18	Year 11 and 12 Canapes & Conversation Parent Event, 5.30-7pm, The Grand Hall, Living Choice | Book online
Saturday 20	Ukaria Chamber Music Concert, 2.30-4.30pm, Ukaria Cultural Centre, Mt Barker Summit
Thursday 25	Year 7-12 Parent/Teacher Interviews
Mon 22 - Fri 26	Book Week 'Dreaming with eyes open'
Thursday 25	Year 7-12 Parent/Teacher Interviews
September	
Thursday 1	P&F Father's Day Breakfast, Damien on Fisher, Living Choice, 7.45am | Book online
Friday 2	Senior Vocal Cabaret, Arkaba Hotel, 6.30pm
Wednesday 7	Old Concordians' Association Year 12 Breakfast
Friday 9	Student Free Day (Staff Professional Development)
Monday 12	Year 7 Grandparents and Special Friends' Day
Mon 12 - Fri 16	Year 12 Trial Exams
Thursday 15	ELC to Year 6 Canapes & Conversation Parent Event, 5.30-7pm, The Grand Hall, Living Choice | Booking details coming soon

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The School Shop

General trading – no appointment required. Physical distancing rules apply and masks are requested. We thank you for your patience during this time.

- Mondays: 8am - 4pm
- Wednesdays: 12.30pm - 4pm
- Thursdays: 12.30pm - 6.15pm (new later finish time)

Email orders are also welcome and purchases may be collected from The School Shop during opening hours. Please email: schoolshop@concordia.sa.edu.au and include:

- your child’s name and year level
- size
- your contact details

The School Shop staff will contact you for payment and advise when your order is available to collect.

Uniform Orders

Uniform orders - students in Years 7-12 are emailed to advise when their orders are ready to be collected. For students in ELC-Year 6, email advice is sent to parents.

The School Shop staff can be contacted on the direct phone line during opening hours – **8291 9302**.

Secondhand Clothing

If you have uniforms you no longer need, they may be donated or sold on consignment in The School Shop (click to download a secondhand uniforms consignment form).

Please note:

- Blazers and winter skirts/pinafores must be dry cleaned with a receipt attached.
- Jumpers must be washed using a wool wash detergent.
- All other items must be in good condition, stains removed, washed and ironed ready for sale.
- Summer hats must be hand washed.
- Any uniform items in need of repair e.g. broken zips, seams unstitched, missing buttons, etc. must be repaired prior to acceptance for sale. Buttons are sold in The School Shop.
- Garments presented on hangers are preferred.
- Old logo and discontinued styles – uniforms with the old school logo and discontinued styles are no longer saleable in The School Shop but can be dropped off for overseas charity donation.

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Public Notices & Events

- **Glen Osmond Scout Group** runs Joey Scouts for children aged 5-7 years on Thursdays from 5-6pm. Download a flyer for more information.
- **World Taekwondo** runs classes with experienced instructors. Taekwondo is an Olympic sport and can help build resilience, confidence, discipline and fitness. For more information, visit www.worldtaekwondo.com.au
- The **Adelaide Hills Careers Expo** will be held at Cornerstone College, Mount Barker on Tuesday 9 August from 6-8.30pm, with a large range of exhibitors. Download a flyer for more information. Book online
- The **Agricultural, Animal and Vet Sciences Careers Expo** will be held on Tuesday 20 September from 2.00pm-7.00pm at Urrbrae Agricultural High School. Download a flyer for more information.
- **Dental Assistant Traineeship** applications opened on Friday 29 July 2022 and close on Sunday 21 August 2022 for the January 2023 intake. Download a flyer or read a fact sheet for more information.

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