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From the College Chaplain

This week is Harmony Week. The name 'Concordia' literally means ‘together in harmony’, which gives Harmony Week a little more significance to our community.

Living in harmony with one another is what we all desire, but if we are honest, something with which we all struggle. We live in a world of disharmony, where relationships are often frayed - in our homes, communities and between countries. It's true to say, disharmony is so often the result of hurt and unforgiveness.

Next week is another special week - Holy Week. A week where Christians focus on the suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus, especially on Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday. Holy Week could also be given the title of Harmony Week. Jesus' purpose for coming into the world and was to restore harmony between God and humanity. The perfect relationship that existed at creation was lost due to sin, and it was only through Jesus that we

can be forgiven and made right to live in harmony again with God and each other.

Only the selfless love and forgiveness that Jesus gave to the world through his actions during Holy Week bring true harmony to the world. In response, with God's help, we can also live lives of forgiveness, selfless love and service to bring his kind of harmony to those around us. Read St Paul's words about living in harmony with each other:

'Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect harmony.' **- Colossians 3:12-14**

A happy and harmonious Easter to you all!

Mark Rathjen
College Chaplain - Highgate Campuses

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Q&A with Melissa Pisano, Year 5 Teacher - St John's Campus

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

Previously I was working at Sacred Heart College Champagnat Campus with students from Years 7-9. I am qualified as a Primary School teacher and have a great passion for working with younger students. I wanted to challenge myself to enter the primary teaching space and continue to develop my skills in a community that values educating each and every learner.

2. Three words to describe you.

Motivated, enthusiastic, empathetic.

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

A huge motivation for my role is the opportunity to create relationships and a fun educational space for the students. It is such a privilege to get to come to work and actively facilitate moments of joy, success and growth.

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

I would love to be able to teleport! Heading to Paris for dinner and then back to school in the morning would be delightful!

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 used to be a KX Pilates instructor!

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Q&A with Jack Egan, Digital Technologies Teacher - Concordia Campus

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

Previously I worked at Brighton Secondary School for 13 years. I came to Concordia College as a Digital Technologies and English teacher to be part of a community that really helps to build the whole person. In my short time here, I've marvelled at how CC helps our young citizens to be the best version of themselves across all the factors that make humans complex, intelligent and kind.

2. Three words to describe you.

Funny, serious, consistent.

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

I love seeing students have that 'aha' moment where it all clicks into place, whether it's their code that suddenly springs into action, or the recognition of a film director's true intent; it's so good when that revelatory moment happens.

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

Time is the ultimate resource, so I'd like to be able to slow and speed the passage of time. Proper time travel sounds too risky though.

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?

When I was younger, I was a pro-gamer. I'm a National Worms champion, and have coached Counter-Strike clans, including one that went to South Korea to compete.

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Primary School Sports Day

Under blue skies and hot weather, the 2024 Concordia College Primary School Sports Day unfolded with flashes of blue, green, red and yellow. Despite the heat, participants showcased their athleticism in various running, jumping, throwing and novelty events. In a remarkable display of dominance with back-to-back victories, Cheltenham emerged victorious with their winning house cheer resonating throughout the grounds. Amidst cheers and applause, Cheltenham's achievement underscored the essence of sportsmanship and dedication, inspiring all to strive for excellence regardless of the adversities faced. As the day concluded, memories of triumph and camaraderie lingered, marking yet another memorable sports day.

Results

1. Cheltenham - 981
2. Highgate - 919
3. Malvern - 904
4. Winchester - 815

Mick Phillips
Sports Day Coordinator

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Middle and Senior School Sports Day

Thursday 15 March saw the annual Middle and Senior School Sports Day being held at SA Athletics Stadium. As always, the day was the culmination of a lot of effort and organisation from many people, both staff and students, to deliver the most successful Sports Day in a generation. For the first year, we were also able to successfully use electronic timing and photo-finish technology supplied by Athletics SA to enhance the experience.

Throughout the day, the lead changed between three Houses and never exceeded 100 points. It wasn't until the last two relays that we were able to determine the victor, a true testament to how competitive Sports Day has become in the last few years.

In the end, a 30-year drought was broken as Highgate took home the Bartel Cup by the very slender margin of 18 points. Indeed, the competition was so close that the margin from first to fourth was only 50 points (compared to nearly 800 two years ago).

We now wish those athletes who will be selected to represent the College at the Interschool Athletics Carnival in April and later events all the best.

Age Level Champions

Division	Winner	Runner-up
13 Girls	**Paloma 7SCHE** (M)	**Sienna 8JCAR** (C)
13 Boys	**Henry 8SFOR** (C)	**Finn 8SFOR** (H)
14 Girls	**Stella 9TFUR** (M)	**Erin 9TFUR** (M)
14 Boys	**Oliver 9MSMA** (W)	**Erik 8MSMA** (C)
15 Girls	**Rebecca 9VMIE** (C)	**Nari 9VMIE** (H)
15 Boys	**Nick 9MSMA** (M)	**Baxter 9NSHR** (M)
16 Girls	**Annabel 10JDIV** (H)	**Halle 10JDIV** (M)
16 Boys	**Josh 11RGOG** (C)	**Jack 10JDIV** (H)
Open Girls	**Sophie 11RGOG** (W)	**Amelia 12SBAC** (M)
Open Boys	**Ronan 11RGOG** (C)	**Jackson 12KNIC** (H)

Records

Event	Student	New Record	Old Record
14 Girls 1500m	**Stella 9TFUR** (M)	5:48.77	5.48.80
13 Girls 400m	**Paloma 7SCHE** (M)	1:06.15	1.09.40
13 Girls Shot Put	**Sienna 8JCAR** (C)	9.25m	8.65m
Open Girls Triple Jump	**Sophie 11RGOG** (W)	10.93m	10.83m

Will Mead
School Activities Coordinator

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Making Electric Cars in Year 8 Science

Our Year 8 students recently embarked on an engaging Science task, constructing electric cars using various components, including motors, batteries and gears. Working in small groups, they investigated how adding 50g masses affected the time it took for their cars to travel a set distance. Through experimentation and data collection, students gained insights into the scientific process and what makes a fair test. Following the experiments, they diligently compiled their findings into scientific reports, honing their communication skills.

This hands-on project not only fostered scientific inquiry but also promoted teamwork, critical thinking and problem-solving skills. We're very proud of our students' enthusiasm and the growth that has taken place. This project is just one component of our commitment to nurturing future innovators and leaders in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics).

Year 8 Science Team

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Reminder: Year 10 Immunisations Friday 22 March

First Visit Reminder for Parents of Year 10 Students

Immunisation information for parents/legal guardians of Year 10 students

All Year 10 students will be offered:

- two doses of the meningococcal B vaccine, Bexsero® at two separate visits (two months apart).
- one dose of the meningococcal ACWY vaccine, Nimenrix®

The Eastern Health Authority (EHA) will be visiting Concordia College on **Friday 22 March** to

complete the meningococcal B (first dose) and ACWY vaccine, Bexsero® and Nimenrix® immunisations for Year 10 students where consent has been provided.

Further information and videos for high school students are available online.

Immunisation consent packs were given out at the beginning of the school year with information about the vaccines on offer. It is important that you have read the information supplied in the packs before you give consent for your child to be vaccinated at school. If you did not receive an Immunisation Consent pack from your child, please ask at the school office.

If any information you gave on the original consent form has changed, please inform the Authority's immunisation staff before the date of vaccination on 8132 3600.

Please notify us 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
- Wear sports uniforms to aid easy access to the upper arm and avoid unnecessarily exposing yourself if clothing needs to be removed/undone
- Encourage your child to keep their arms moving and drink plenty of water throughout the day.

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

Remember: It is your responsibility to notify EHA of any changes or information, particularly in relation to your child's medical condition. 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 will be available on MyGov within 24 hours of the school visit.

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Year 3 Drama Fringe Performance

On Thursday of Week 7, our St John's Campus Year 3 students attended a captivating Fringe show performance titled *Signor Baffo*. The show left our young learners thoroughly entertained as they witnessed Signor Baffo's fun, adventurous and chaotic journey in the kitchen, requiring many helpers along the way.

This term in Drama lessons, Year 3 students have been immersing themselves in the art of

role-play, character development, and the skilful use of humour to craft engaging scenes. Observing such creativity firsthand undoubtedly enriched their understanding of storytelling and performance.

Events like these not only entertain but also inspire creativity, curiosity, and a passion for the arts among our young learners. A special thank you to Interactive Theatre International for providing a delightful performance that ignited our students' imaginations.

Carla Bigiolli
Primary School Dance and Drama Teacher

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Book now for Concordia College's production of CHICAGO: High School Edition

We can't wait to see our students perform in this extraordinary show on Thursday 4, Friday 5 and Saturday 6 April.

Book today to secure your tickets.

Content rating: PG.

Note for parents/caregivers: If your child is performing in the Musical, please ask them which cast they are in prior to booking your tickets.

Book Tickets (opens an external website in a new window)
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Year 9 Concordia - The Rite Journey Calling and Departure

A sense of anticipation was in the air as the Year 9 students and families made their way up Carrick Hill Drive to McElligott's Quarry reserve early on Friday 8 March. They were greeted by the Home Class teachers as they settled on the grassy hill overlooking the city below. Concordia – The Rite Journey begins with a Calling and Departure Ceremony. This ceremony acknowledges the call for students towards adulthood, a call of more responsibility and the building of knowledge and competency for adult life.

The Home Class teachers shared their wisdom as they each explored a key character quality and how it will be essential for personal growth for the Year 9 students. Each quality was then focused on throughout the remainder of the day. We will also continue to focus on these throughout the year. Whilst 'Amazing Grace' was being played by the Year 11 string

quartet, the students had an opportunity to share their gratitude for their childhood by giving gratitude letters to their parents. Chaplain Mark Rathjen prayed a prayer of blessing and the parents said goodbye as the students prepared for the Departure element of the day.

The Departure is symbolised in a challenge day for the students, to represent the challenges experienced and the qualities needed on the journey to adulthood. 150 of us embarked on a three-hour hike around Brownhill Creek, where various challenges were attempted. *The Sticks*, *The Summit*, *The Rock* and *The Rope* provided opportunities for the Year 9 students to show teamwork, leadership, grit, resilience, communication and perseverance as a Home Class.

We want to congratulate the Year 9 students for the way they approached the challenge day and started The Rite Journey for 2024. It was difficult, it was hot, it was tiring, and it was rewarding as we completed the hike by finishing at Mitcham Reserve and debriefing on what we had achieved.

We will build on the lessons learned from this experience as we prepare for our Adventure Camp to the Flinders Ranges midway through Term 2.

Ben Crook
Year 9 Leader

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Book your tickets for our 2024 P&F Quiz Night

Calling all curious minds and trivia enthusiasts!

Join us for an evening of intellect and fun at the 2024 P&F Quiz Night. All welcome! Challenge, connect and empower your friends on a journey of mind-boggling questions and brain-teasing puzzles.

- Date: Saturday 18 May
- Time: 6pm for a 6.30pm start (finishing at 10pm)
- Location: Wirrkuta Trruku (St John's Campus Activity Hall)
- Ticket price: $40 per person
- Theme: The Letter C - fancy dress and dress your table
- Table size: 8-10 people

Presented by the Concordia P&F with help from Quiz Meisters.

Quiz Mesiters pride themselves on making their quiz nights fun, funny, innovative and interesting. Gather your squad and let the thrill of friendly competition fill the air.

Please note, this event is for adults.

To register as a table captain, contact Angela Warrick. Alternatively, book onto your year level table via the TryBooking link below.

Secure your spot now and let the quest for knowledge begin. More details about food, beverages and wine wall to come!

Book Now (opens an external website in a new window)
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2024 Ensemble Leaders

Congratulations to our 2024 Music Ensemble leaders who were presented at Assembly on Friday 8 March:

- Big Band 1 - **Macy (12CFIL)**
- Big Band 2 - **Marco (10JROB)**
- Chamber Strings - **Rebecca (9TFUR)**
- Concert Band - **Indiana (12JLEY)** and **Victoria (12JLEY)**
- String Ensemble - **Daniel (12SBAC)** and **Sean (12TMCC)**
- Mattson Jazz - **Tilly (12JLEY)** and **Bianca (12KNIC)**
- McKenzie Jazz - **Matilda (12ALON)** and **Ebony (12TMCC)**
- Prelude Jazz - **Annabelle (9RBEN)**
- Testosterphones - **Thomas (11EBAB)**
- Wind Ensemble - **Jackson (10JMCP)**

Kellie Rich
Head of Music Performance ELC-12

Absent from larger group photo above: Annabelle and Rebecca

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Walk My Way

Concordia College is once again supporting Australian Lutheran World Service (ALWS) by taking part in ‘Walk My Way’ walk-a-thons.

As part of a College-wide focus on ALWS’s work in the final week of Term 1, we are holding two events:

- Wednesday 10 April - A joint Primary School campuses walk (for all students from St John's and St Peters campuses). Walk lengths will vary for each year level.
- Thursday 11 April - The Women’s Pioneer Trail walk for 60 secondary-aged students (17km or 26km)

Students involved in the walks will be seeking sponsorship to raise money to support ALWS’s refugee appeal. Every $26 raised enables one refugee child, in either East Africa or Myanmar,

to attend school for one year!

Our goal this year is to raise $36,400, enough to send 1,400 children to school (i.e. one for every Concordia enrolment).

To sponsor us, please go to our Concordia Walk My Way fundraising page.

Click on the orange 'Fundraise' button at the top. This will take you to three options:

- "Walk My Way Concordia Campus" – here you can sponsor individual students (names to be added soon)
- "Walk My Way - Combined Primary Campuses Walk" – here you can sponsor year level teams
- "Challenge" – here you can sponsor secondary-aged students choosing to take on awareness challenges (names to be added soon).

Over the next week or so, more detailed information will be forthcoming for parents of students taking part in the walks.

Thank you for your support; our students greatly appreciate it. We hope we can once again bless hundreds of children with an education they may otherwise not receive.

Check out ALWS's Walk My Way webpage for more general information about this amazing project.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Mark Rathjen
College Chaplain

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Pedal Prix at Mount Gambier

On Saturday 16 March the Concordia Pedal Prix teams competed in the opening race of the season at Mount Gambier. The weather was very hot, but it didn't stop our three teams from producing consistent lap times throughout the day. The technical track provided a fun racing experience for students with limited rollovers and technical incidents slowing teams down throughout the race. Team *Veloci*, our Senior School team, chased down third position in the early hours of the race and held on to finish third in their category. Both team *Concorde* and team *Shockwave* had a mixture of experienced and new riders. They pushed all day chasing down the teams above them, both finishing in the top 10 of their respective categories.

Overall our students demonstrated a strong, competitive attitude, excellent sportsmanship and

strong grit as they pushed through the heat throughout the day. Thank you to all the parents who provided overwhelming assistance across the weekend and a big thank you to Mr Divitkos and Mr Brown for leading the race weekend.

We look forward to racing five teams in Round 2 at Tailem Bend early next term.

Results

Team	Position	Laps
Veloci	3rd (S3)	122
Concorde	8th (S3)	106
Shockwave	5th (S2)	98

Matthew Smart
Pedal Prix Coordinator

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Term 2 Kelly Sports at St Peters Campus

St Peters Campus students in Reception to Year 3 are invited to get involved in the Kelly Sports program being run in Term 2. The program will focus on football, hockey, soccer and basketball.

- **When:** Weekly on Thursdays for one hour
- **Commencing:** 9 May 2024
- **Concluding:** 27 June 2024
- **Cost:** $128 per child incl. GST or redeem your $100 Sports Voucher and pay only $28

Download a flyer for more information or visit kellysports.com.au to register.

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St Peters Campus ELC Clean Up Australia

The children at St Peters Campus ELC showed so much respect and care for our school environment recently when they set off to clean up our school grounds. We were lucky to receive a gift from ‘Clean up Australia’ with brand new gloves and rubbish bags to help us sort the rubbish we collected. It was a fantastic opportunity to talk about the importance of taking care of our world and the things we can do to make a difference.

Sarah Midson
ELC Director - St Peters Campus

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SchoolTV News: Cultural Diversity

Cultural diversity encompasses the variety of cultures, beliefs and traditions present globally, contributing to a rich tapestry of human experiences and perspectives. By valuing every child's cultural background, we enable them to excel in all facets of life. Nurturing an environment of curiosity, open-mindedness and respect for all cultures will not only promote unity but a deeper appreciation of the nuances that distinguish us.

Inclusion is about more than just words; it's about fostering a sense of belonging and acceptance for every child, regardless of their cultural background. When children and adolescents feel seen and valued for who they are, they can thrive academically, socially, and emotionally. Valuing and understanding cultural diversity helps our communities benefit from a wealth of perspectives and experiences, enhancing our collective capacity for empathy and innovation.

As parents and adult carers, instilling an appreciation for cultural diversity is vital to equip young people with the tools they need to navigate an increasingly interconnected world. Through leading by example and showing that kindness and understanding knows no boundaries, we can encourage them to embrace multiculturalism. This will not only prepare young people for personal success, but also for contributing to a world that views diversity as a strength. Through collective efforts, we can help pave the way for a more accepting and vibrant future.

In this edition of SchoolTV, learn how best to embrace and celebrate cultural diversity with your children. We hope you take time to reflect on the information offered in this month’s edition, and we always welcome your feedback.

If you do have any concerns about the wellbeing of your child, please contact the school wellbeing team for further information or seek medical or professional help.

Read the SchoolTV Newsletter (opens an external website in a new window)
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AHOMINGS

On Wednesday 6 March, we had the privilege of representing Concordia at the initial meeting of the Association of Heads of Music in Non-Government Schools (AHOMINGS) for the year, held at Loreto College. All student representatives attended two workshops with multi-instrumentalist and composer Adam Page. Adam shared his passion for looping with us and led a small improvisation session with everyone and their instruments. Following this, we sat down and asked Adam questions about entering the music industry. We received amazing advice about how to get your name out there as a young musician, organise gigs, the importance of having a strong foundation in technical work and how to strengthen one’s motivation. At the conclusion of the day, students, music administrators and directors came together to share what they discussed during their sessions. This was an incredible opportunity to connect with other leaders who share a strong passion for music and are seeking to further

enhance their school music department.

Georgina (12CFIN) and **Hayden (12CFIL)**
College Captains

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Enrichment and Extended Learning News

Mrs Trish Prenzler (Acting Languages Coordinator) recently organised for four Concordia teams (Years 9–12) to take part in Round 1 of the 27th annual Australian Computational and Linguistics Olympiad (OzCLO). In a two-hour period, students worked in teams to solve challenging puzzles using real languages – ancient and modern. Our students enjoyed searching for patterns and stretching their brains. They should be commended on their incredible focus and magnificent teamwork during the event. Results should be released soon.

Upcoming Competition Dates

Please contact Emma Rieger as soon as possible if you would like to enter any of the following competitions:

- What Matters! Writing Competition - Closes Friday 17 May 2024
- SA Young Writers Award - Closes Friday 17 May 2024
    - The Young Writers Award is now open to South Australian students R-12. It is free of topic. Entries can be poetry or prose, up to 1000 words.
- Dymocks 'Beyond Words' Writing Competition - Closes Friday 31 May 2024
- 2024 University of Sydney Sleek Geeks Science Eureka Prize will be awarded for a short (two-minute) film that communicates a scientific concept in an accessible and engaging way. The theme for 2024 is 'Energy'.
    - Primary and Secondary Categories - Closes Friday 12 April 2024

Emma Rieger
Enrichment and Extended Learning

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Year 10 Health and Nutrition Wellbeing Activities

Year 10 PE students in the Health and Nutrition strand have been participating in a range of activities focused on developing their wellbeing. They have learnt about ways to use movement to reduce stress, stabilise muscles, build and maintain positive relationships and motivate lifelong participation in physical activity. This week the students participated in bouldering, an activity that has a strong social culture and encourages one to build resilience and take risks in a structured environment. The students thoroughly enjoyed this new challenge and represented the College beautifully. They were encouraging of one another and determined to

improve throughout each session.

Bec Crouch
Physical Education Teacher

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School TV Special Report: Celebrating Harmony Week

Harmony Week is celebration held annually in March across Australia. It is aimed at promoting diversity, respect and inclusiveness. This event is an excellent opportunity for parents to teach their children about different cultures, traditions and customs. The goal is to encourage everyone to appreciate and celebrate differences and promote a sense of community and belonging for everyone.

During Harmony Week, there are a number of events and activities held to bring people from different cultures together. These activities include multicultural food festivals, cultural performances, art exhibitions and workshops. Participating in these events helps children to gain a deeper understanding and appreciation of the diverse communities that make up Australia.

As a parent, you can engage your children in discussions about multiculturalism and encourage them to ask questions. Promoting a more harmonious and inclusive society can help children grow up with a greater appreciation for the richness and diversity of Australia's cultural landscape.

This Special Report hopes to instil positive values and create an opportunity to start a conversation with your child about understanding diversity and multiculturalism.

Read the Special Report (opens an external website in a new window)
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Reminder: Julia Farr Centre Farewell

Neighbouring property, Highgate Park (formerly Julia Farr Centre) is hosting an event on Sunday 24 March 2024 from 2-4pm. With the Highgate Park site being sold this year, the gardens and other sections of the site are being opened one last time for people to farewell this facility which has a 140-year history of supporting people with disability. Please note there will likely be increased traffic around the College and the local area at this time.

Any members of the Concordia community who would like to attend are welcome to attend.

Click for more information.

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Sapsasa Adelaide South East District Swimming

On Thursday 7 March, 23 students from our St John’s Campus competed at the Adelaide South East district Sapsasa swimming trials. All our students participated to the best of their abilities and were competitive in their heats. Congratulations to:

- Elsa - 2nd 10yr Girl Butterfly
- Jaco - 1st 10yr Boys Backstroke, 3rd 10yr Boys Butterfly, ASE Team Selection
- Noah - ASE Team Selection

Mick Phillips
PE Teacher and Sports Coordinator - St John's Campus

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Concordia Campus Sports Results

Boys' Sport

Cricket

Saturday 16 March

- 1st XI lost to Blackfriars: 151/6 - 153/7.
- Middle A3 defeated Cabra: 117/4 - 98/9.
- Middle B1 defeated Mercedes: 106/0 - 100/0.

Tennis

Friday 15 March

- Year 7 lost to CBC: 5/26 - 7/30.

Saturday 16 March

- Drive defeated Rostrevor: 5/39 - 4/34.
- Open A4 lost to Pembroke: 1/19 - 8/52.
- Open B3 - bye.
- Middle C2 defeated Nazareth: 7/55 - 5/49.

Volleyball

Monday 4 March

- Middle A1/A2 lost to Immanuel: 1 - 2.
- Middle B1/B2 defeated Immanuel: 3 - 0.

Thursday 7 March

- Open A2 defeated Cardijn: 2 - 1.
- Open B2 lost to Cardijn: 0 - 3.

Friday 15 March

- Open A1 defeated St Peters: 3 - 0.
- Open B1 defeated St Peters: 3 - 0.
- Open A2 lost to Westminster: 0 - 2.
- Open B2 lost to Westminster: 0 - 2.
- Open A3 lost to St Michaels: 1/44 - 1/45.
- Open B3 - bye.
- Middle A1/A2 defeated Cardijn: 2 - 0.
- Middle B1/B2 defeated Cardijn: 2 - 0.
- Middle B4 defeated Unley: 3 - 0.
- Middle C1 defeated Unley: 3 - 0.
- Middle C Gold defeated Scotch College: 2 - 1.
- Middle C Navy lost to Pedare: 0 - 2.

Girls' Sport

Basketball

Monday 4 March

- Senior C - opposition forfeit.
- Middle C1 defeated St Peters: 40 - 8.
- Middle C2 defeated St Peters: 20 -13.
- Middle C3 - opposition forfeit.

Tuesday 5 March

- Middle A defeated St Peters: 66 - 31.

Wednesday 6 March

- Senior A drew with Westminster: 23 - 23.
- Senior B - opposition forfeit.
- Middle A defeated Westminster: 44 - 20.
- Middle B lost to Westminster: 17 - 28.

Wednesday 13 March

- Senior A lost to Seymour: 24 - 37.
- Senior B lost to Seymour: 7 - 56.
- Middle A defeated Seymour: 69 - 15.
- Middle B lost to Seymour: 24 - 25.

Cricket

Friday 15 March

- Open A defeated Pulteney: 116/0 - 20/0.

Tennis

Monday 4 March

- Premier League - bye.

Saturday 9 March

- Div 2 - bye.

Volleyball

Saturday 16 March

- Senior A1 lost to Immanuel: 1 - 2.
- Senior A2 defeated St Peters: 2 - 0.
- Senior B defeated Walford: 3 - 0.
- Senior C1 defeated Pembroke: 2 - 0.
- Senior C2 lost to Immanuel: 1 - 2.
- Senior C3 defeated Immanuel: 2 - 1.
- Senior C4 defeated St Peters: 3 - 0.
- Middle A lost to Walford: 1 - 2.
- Middle B lost to Immanuel: 1 - 2.
- Middle C1 lost to Immanuel: 1 - 2.
- Middle C2 defeated Pulteney: 2 - 1.
- Middle C3 lost to Seymour: 0 - 3.
- Middle C4 lost to Westminster: 1 - 2.
- Middle C5 defeated Seymour: 3 - 0.
- Middle C6 defeated Westminster: 2 - 1.

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Student Achievement

Congratulations to **Annabel (10JDIV)**, who recently represented competed at the state athletics championships, winning gold in the U17 400m and silver in the U17 800m. An extraordinary result! Annabel will now represent SA in the National Australian athletic championships in Adelaide in April, competing in the U17 800m.

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Diary Dates

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The School Shop

Term Time Opening Hours

General trading – no appointment required.

- Monday: 8am - 4pm
- Wednesday: 12.30pm - 4pm
- Thursday: 12.30pm - 6.15pm
- Friday: 2.30 - 4.30pm (Terms 1 and 4)

  (Closed on Public Holidays)

The School Shop will be closed from Friday 12 April and reopen on Friday 26 April (see holiday opening hours below).

School Holiday Opening Hours

- Friday 26 April: 12.30pm - 5pm
- Monday 29 April: 8.00am - 4.00pm
- Tuesday 30 April: 12.30pm - 5.00pm
- Wednesday 1 May: 8.00am - 4.00pm (Start of Term 2)

Winter Uniform Requirements

All students are required to wear the College winter uniform from the start of Term 2. Winter uniform requirements can be found on the 'Uniform Shop' page within the College website.

Please check that you have all items required prior to the start of Term 2. To ensure preferred sizes are available, students new to the College will need to make their booking for a uniform fitting prior to the end of this term. Students requiring change of size can make their purchases during general trading and holiday opening hours.

Winter Uniform Appointments

Winter uniform appointments are available for all students new to the College. Please check

your emails for booking information. ELC students do not require an appointment.

Uniform Orders

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. 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/caregivers.

PE Socks Ready for Collection

PE Sock orders are ready to collect. Please check your emails for notification.

PE Polo Shirt

The old style gold and navy PE polo shirts are now discontinued and students are required to have the new navy PE polo shirt.

PE Socks

The CC Sport Socks with the logo are required to be worn by all students from Reception to Year 12 with their PE uniform. Students in Years 7-12 are also required to wear the CC Sport Socks with their formal summer uniform.

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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CC Café Term 1 Menu

Our CC Café Term 1 menu is here! Download a copy of the menu to see what is on offer this term.

- Brief Menu with Price List
- Full Menu

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Public Notices & Events

- **Code Camp** is running in school holiday activities in the April school holidays. This year they are also offering free learning activities for all Aussie kids, with free one-hour sessions covering 'Learn to code', 'Minecraft Engineering', 'Design Skills 101' and 'Discovering AI tech' plus trivia parties. Visit their website for more information.
- **Mitcham Dance** offer classes for ages 2+ in jazz, tap, classical ballet, contemporary, acro, music theatre and hop hop. Enrolments for Term 2 are now open. Phone 8351 9006 or email info@mitchamdance.com.au for more information.
- **Head for the Hills Off Road Cycling** have a range of fun and engaging mountain bike activities and skill development programs for young people aged 10-14 years. Winter programs including school holiday programs, after school skills and Adelaide Dirt League are open for registrations and booking fast. Visit their website for more information.

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