



JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Humphris Terrace, Jamestown SA 5491
Phone (08) 8664 2700 Fax (08) 8664 2707
Email: dl.0777_info@schools.sa.edu.au

10th November, 2021
Issue 19

DIARY DATES – Term 4

Week 5 – 8/11/21 to 12/11/21

Monday to Friday

-PE Week

Tuesday -Middle School transition meetings

-R-6 SMG Christmas RE Seminars

Wednesday to Friday

-Hockey SA @ JCS - **POSTPONED**

Wednesday -2022 Reception Info Session @
5.30pm

Thursday -Remembrance Day

Friday -Yr 12 Graduation Dinner

-Casual Clothes Day

-Bizzy Bugs

Week 6 – 15/11/21 to 19/11/21

Monday -**STUDENT FREE DAY**

Tuesday -2022 Reception Transition from
start of the day until Recess
-Happy Haven Info Sessions
2.30pm, 3.30pm & 5.30pm

Wednesday & Thursday

-Hockey SA @ JCS- **POSTPONED**

Thursday & Friday

-2022 Yr 7 & 8 Transition

Thursday -Yr 11 History Exam

Friday -R-6 Assembly

-Donut Van

-Story Time

Week 7 – 22/10/21 to 26/10/21

Monday to Friday

-R-6 Swimming Lessons

Monday -Yr 11 Maths Exam

Tuesday -2022 Receptions transition from
start of day until end of lunch
-Yr 11 Physics & Biology Exams

ADVANCE NOTICE:
Remaining 2021 Student
Free Day
Monday 15th November
(Term 4 Week 6)

Respect
Excellence
Integrity
Honesty
Loyalty

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

2022 STUDENT LEADERS

Last Friday I had the privilege of announcing our school leaders for the 2022 school year at a whole school assembly. Our student leaders play a critical role in contributing to decision making processes and school improvement planning.



Aimee Goode, in her role as Student Voice Coordinator, this year worked with our HASS teachers to have our election process closely follow the one that students will engage in future years when they vote at a federal and state level. Polling booths, ballot boxes, formal voting papers and even a barbecue all featured as part of the election process and provided students with an authentic voting experience.



Congratulations to the following students for being elected as a student leader in 2022:

School Captains:

Jessica McKay & David Duncan

School Vice-Captains:

Macy Kitschke & Belle Theron

Middle School Captains:

Maisie Wilson & Austin Rattley

Middle School Vice-Captains:

Ebony Case & Sam Richmond

Junior School Captains:

Caitlyn Millane & Thomas Cootes

Junior School Vice-Captains:

Emily Boston & Jack Fitzgerald



Government of South Australia
Department for Education



I would also like to acknowledge those students who stood for election but were unsuccessful in winning a position. We are very fortunate to have many, high quality candidates that would have made outstanding student leaders. It takes courage to stand for election amongst your peers, and I commend all candidates for doing so.

The first commitment our 2022 leaders have will be to attend an overnight camp in Wallaroo on the 29th and 30th November. This camp will provide leaders with the opportunity to get to know each other, identify priorities for 2022 as well as developing their public speaking skills.



These students will be formally inducted at our Presentation Night on Monday 6th December.

Students also have the opportunity to take on a leadership role through nominating to be a House Captain for 2022. House Captains have a significant role in leading Eyre and Frome at Sports Day and Swimming Carnival, and contributing to the successful running of these events. I encourage students to consider nominating for these roles; nominations are due to Mrs Goode by Tuesday 16th November.

Through the support of our school community we are fortunate to learn and work at a fantastic school; I have the utmost confidence in our student and house leaders contributing to further improvements in 2022.

Michael Gaunt
Principal

R-6 NEWS

J150

Well done to the amazing committee of the J150 celebrations which was held over the weekend. The show went on despite the weather! On Saturday (as the storm was rolling in) Sarah Cooper and Ryan Couch placed a time capsule in a monument at the information bay. The time capsule had the students' entries explaining what it is like living in Jamestown in 2021. Jed Booth won the R-2; Ryan Couch Year



3-6; and Ruby Sutter Year 7-9. Mason Adams is the youngest student enrolled in school and he cut a cake to commemorate the celebrations on Sunday.



Swimming Lessons

Swimming lessons are from Monday 22 November to Friday 26 November. Please ensure you return your forms to your class teacher. No forms returned no swimming! Hopefully we have some great weather this year!



PE Week

This week is PE Week with some activities planned each morning for classes to undertake to keep our bodies moving. Thank you to Ella Thredgold for organising. There will be some activities at lunch times during the week to promote the importance of having an active and healthy lifestyle.

R-6 Assembly

We are continuing to host assembly every fortnight with the next assembly to be held on Friday 19 November at 9am hosted by the Year 4/5 class.

2021 Reception Transition

Over the next three weeks, our 2022 Reception students will begin their transition sessions to school. They will begin on Tuesday 16 November and continue Tuesday 23 November and finish on Tuesday 30 November where the students are at school for the whole day. Welcome to Bohdi, Ava, James, George, Angus, Addison, Oscar F, Cameron, Oliver H, Sarah, Patrick, Eli, Oliver J, Charlotte, Charlee, Oscar M, Max, Marley, Calvin, Lewis and Lara!



Should you have any queries or issues, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school or via email jillian.hudson336@schools.sa.edu.au

Jillian Hudson
R-6 Coordinator

7-9 NEWS

Round Table Discussions

Aimee and I met with the Year 6 students about their transition to Middle School and how they were feeling. We had some great conversations about what they are looking forward to doing the most and any worries or concerns they might have. We did a quick tour of the middle school building and we showed them the 3 classrooms we have. It was a great opportunity for myself and Aimee to chat with the Year 6 students.

Transition Meetings

Transition meetings have been held over the last two weeks to discuss students' transition into our middle school. It has been great to sit down with families to discuss what 2022 looks like for their child and any concerns or issues families might be having with the transition. If families would like to meet with me, please send me an email (Morgan.Slattery157@schools.as.edu.au) to book a time.

Transition Days

Our Year 6 and Year 7 students will be taking part in our two days of transition next week. Planning is underway for students to experience a range of subjects offered in our middle school. Students will meet at the front of the school on Humphris Terrace from 8:30am onwards and I can direct them to the appropriate classrooms.



Year 9 Camp

Year 9 camp is scheduled for Wednesday to Friday in two weeks time (Week 7). Students are very excited about this trip. Please make sure you have returned the appropriate forms and paid via the front office by Friday 12th November.

Week 9 Activities

Staff are busy planning our Week 9 activities for our middle school students. More information will be sent home once final arrangements have been confirmed.

If you have any questions, concerns or would like to discuss anything about our middle school, please email me on Morgan.Slattey157@schools.sa.edu.au or contact me via the front office

Morgan Wallis
7-9 Coordinator

10-12 NEWS

Austrdrive Defensive Driving Course

– Registrations close this Friday. **We need more registrations to meet minimum numbers!**

We have booked **Austrdrive** to come to Jamestown Community School to run a defensive driving session that carries over multiple road surfaces and scenarios, suited to Learner drivers - through to probationary drivers. Learner Drivers will need to have a licenced driver to accompany them during the practical sessions, and one vehicle is required for each participant.

The training educates young drivers to realise while they may have their licences, many scenarios can be precarious, unexpected, and dangerous. The course content is unpacked further in the attachments.

The course comes with very positive feedback and needs a minimum of 15 participants to run and can take up to 30 learner drivers.

The session is booked in for **Thursday 25th November, from 8.30am - 5.00pm**, at Jamestown Community School.

You may register interest via Danya.mckay149@schools.sa.edu.au. There is also a host link to the facebook event <https://fb.me/e/2DRfiPwtf>.

This link enables people to book directly online for the program, however payment is made directly to Jamestown Community School. Payment details will be forwarded following a registration of interest that confirms minimum numbers for the course have been met. The cost of the course is \$150. **Registrations close this Friday November 12th.**

We think extended driver training that lessens the risks for our learner drivers is a great opportunity. If you have any questions, please let me know.



Year 10 & 11 End of Year Schedule

Week 7 Starting Mon. 22/11	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 11	History Exam Lesson 1 & 2 Maths Exam Lesson 5 & 6	Biology & Physics Exam Lesson 1 & 2	Blyth Excursion	Defensive Driving Course	Year 11s finished
Year 10				History Exam Lesson 3 & 4	Maths Exam Lesson 1 & 2
Week 8 Starting Mon. 29/11	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 10	Science Exam Lesson 5 & 6		Senior First Aid Theory – morning double 9-10.30 AIE online presentation 11.30-3pm – including lunch break Regular teachers supervise each lesson.	Senior First Aid	Year 10s finished

10-12 Upcoming Events

- **Year 12 Exams @ JCS** Week 4 & 5 - throughout
- **Year 12 Graduation Dinner @ Port Pirie Sporting Precinct** – Friday November 12th – Week 5
- **Year 11 Exams** – Week 6/7 – Schedule attached
- **Year 10 Exams** – Week 7 – Schedule attached
- **Austdrive Course – Thursday 25th Jamestown** Open to all learner drivers

Danya Mc Kay
10-12 Coordinator

SAPSASA NEWS

Congratulations to Tom C who was involved in the North Eastern SAPSASA Cricket team that played last week. The team finished second and were highly competitive throughout the week. Well done Tom on your efforts. SAPSASA Tennis is this week, however we do not have any students representing JCS.



That concludes our SAPSASA sports for the 2021 year. JCS have had a very successful year with lots of students representing the school in a range of different sports.

Thanks to Amanda Bowman for all of her hard work organising each SAPSASA sport. Thanks also to the coaches for volunteering your time and to the parents for your support throughout the year in getting students to trainings, trials and volunteering your time while in Adelaide for events, it is greatly appreciated. SAPSASA will look a little different next year to align with year 7's in the middle school.

Tamara Schmidt
JCS SAPSASA Coordinator

*Respect
Excellence
Integrity
Honesty
Loyalty*



Government of South Australia
Department for Education



23HL NEWS

Letter writing

We have been practicing writing letters to different people. We wrote to our parents on a postcard and sent them through the mail. These were on postcards donated by Australia Post to promote people connecting by writing to others. We have written thank you letters to people in our school community. Our next step is to write Christmas cards for friends or family away from Jamestown. We are learning how to address letters and put a return address on the back.

Storm Boy

We have read the story Storm Boy by Colin Thiele and decided that we will never look at pelicans in the same way again. This has highlighted the area of the Coorong to students who may never have been there. Millie Cooper and Ella Hammat have both talked to us about their experiences in that area. We saw and compared the two versions of the film.

Maths

On Wednesdays we have been doing measuring maths looking at capacity, length, time, mass and angles. We are rotating around in groups and will have a turn at each topic.

Visual Arts

We have been looking at artists such as Picaso and James Rizzi. Both use a lot of colour and pattern. Our James Rizzi style drawings will be on show in the school art show.

Helen Lehmann

2/3HL Home Group Teacher

Canteen Roster Term 4 2021

Week 5			Week 6		
Wed	10/11		Wed	17/11	Shaona Brooks
Thurs	11/11	Phillippa Pycroft	Thurs	18 /11	Sharon Millane
Frid	12/11	Susanne Hogan	Frid	19/11	Megan Catford
Week 7			Week 8		
Wed	24/11		Wed	1/12	
Thurs	25/11	Julie Gilshenan	Thurs	2/12	Kylie Kupke
Frid	26/11	Catrina Duncan	Frid	3/12	Gemma Williams
Week 9					
Wed	8/12	Kristin Eastham			
Thurs	9/12				
Frid	10/12	Amanda Stone			



ITEMS FOR TENDER

Jamestown Community School is selling some equipment that is surplus to our needs and/or does not comply with the Department for Education's requirements for use in schools. Funds raised will go back into Design and Technology to purchase new equipment, with a focus of providing subjects relevant to the needs of the community.

Tenders must be received by 3pm Friday the 12th of November 2021.

This is a public process so please pass on this information onto whomever you think could be interested. The more money we raise from this is the more we have to spend on new equipment for our students.

If you would like a tender document, ask our front office staff at our front desk or email a request to dl.0777.info@schools.sa.edu.au. In addition, equipment can be viewed by making an appointment with the school. Appointments can be made via email or by phone on (08) 8664 2700.

xyz Davinci Pro 3D Printer	Makerbot Replicator+ 3D Printer	Sliding Router Table (No router included)
		
Drill Press	Chiser Mortiser	
		



JAMESTOWN
COMMUNITY SCHOOL
&
BELALIE ART GALLERY

Visual Arts

Exhibition

Opening night:
Wed 24th November 5:30pm

Belalie Gallery Open Times:
1pm-4pm Wed-Fri & Sun

**Exhibition Open Until
5th December**



Jamestown Community School Official Playground Opening

Friday the 3rd of December

2:00 PM





Staff, Students and Parents

you are invited to the

**2021 Jamestown Community School
R-12 Presentation Night**

*Monday 6th December at 6.30pm
in our school stadium*

RSVP by Monday 22nd November

Email dl.0777_info@schools.sa.edu.au or

Phone 86642700

Aspire. Strive. Achieve.

Dream big. Work hard. Be the best you can be.

