

23 May 2024

## FOR YOUR DIARY...

<b>MAY</b>	
Mon 27 – Wed 29	SAPSASA Football State Carnival, Adelaide
Thurs 30	Tcharkuldu Rock Run, Minnipa
<b>JUNE</b>	
Tue 4 – Thurs 6	Year 10 Careers Expo
Fri 7	Yr 9/10 Mixed Volleyball, Wudinna
Mon 10	<b>KING'S BIRTHDAY</b>
Tue 11	<b>STUDENT FREE DAY</b>
Wed 12 – Fri 14	Yr 12 Outdoor Ed Cycling Camp
Fri 21	Yr 7,8,9 AFL 9's Boys & Girls, Ceduna
Mon 24 – Wed 26	SAPSASA State Netball Carnival, Adelaide
Wed 26 – Thurs 27	Year 10 Outdoor Ed, Scearcy bike ride
Fri 28	Yr 7,8,9 Badminton Carnival, Streaky Bay
<b>JULY</b>	
Mon 1 – Fri 5	Yr 10 Work Experience
Wed 3	Yr 5/6 Basketball Carnival, Streaky Bay
Thurs 4	Community NAIDOC Event
Mon 1 – Fri 5	Yr 10 Work Experience

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK...



Hello Everyone,

### Staffing

Tomorrow Mr Luke Chamberlain will finish in his role as middle school teacher. We would like to thank him for his work and wish him all the best for the future. As Chris Roberts shared earlier in the

term, a vacancy to replace Mr Chamberlain has been placed, which is currently being advertised nationally on SEEK, on the Department For Education's jobs vacancy platform, through the University Hubs and we are also engaging with a specialist recruitment company to assist in finding a replacement middle school maths teacher. Our Permanent Relief Teacher, Mr Lucas Mosey will be placed into the middle school maths role while this vacancy remains unfilled. Ms Leah Chynoweth will be increasing her time in the Year 6 class to fulltime.

### Women in STEM morning

On Monday 13 May the Primary School hosted the annual Women In STEM morning. This event looks to promote the role of women in the fields of science, technology, engineering and mathematics. We were thrilled with the large turnout of visitors that supported

and participated in the various activities with our students. Thank you to the many women who took the time out of their day to be part of this event.

### Simultaneous Story Time

National Simultaneous Storytime (NSS), now in its 24th year, is an Australia-wide group reading and literacy event, where schools, libraries and other institutions gather school-age children together in the last week of May to read the same chosen picture book at the same time. This involves students being able to participate in listening and watching the live stream story reading, and reading with classes after the event. This year the picture book featured in the simultaneous story was "Bowerbird Blues", the story book is always written and illustrated by an Australian author and illustrator. We'd like to thank Mrs Elliott and the primary staff for their work in ensuring our students had this opportunity.

### On the Sporting Field

**Football** Congratulations to Winston Day, Year 6 and Jude Elliott, Year 5, for being selected to represent Western Eyre Peninsula in S.A.P.S.A.S.A Football. The state carnival will be held next week in Adelaide, and we wish them all the very best.

### Netball

S.A.P.S.A.S.A Netball selection trials were held in Ceduna last week. Well done to the following girls who will represent Western Eyre Peninsula in the state carnival in Adelaide 24 -26 June.

Year 6: Neko Freeman, Rhea Huntley, Emmie Window, Ava Walsh, Sunny Faulkner, Shaylea Bubner  
Year 5: Millie Schmucker

### 2024 School Sport State Football Representative

A huge congratulations to Kirralee Johns, Year 9, for being selected to represent South Australia in the 15 Years and Under Girls Australian Rules Football Championships.

The competition will be held on the Gold Coast from 27 July to 3 August. Outstanding effort and achievement.



## 2024 School Sport State Gold Representative

Aspiring golfer and Waratah House Captain, Kyle Feltus is chasing his dream and took a big step a few weeks ago when he finished 5th in the 2024, 18 Years and Under Secondary Individual A Grade Golf State Championships played at the Vines Golf Club in Adelaide. Kyle is the only country student to make the team. He will compete in the National Championships in the ACT at the Royal Canberra Golf Club from 18 – 23 August. Congratulations and good luck.

*Regards,  
Tim O'Reilly  
Principal*

## SUPERVISION AT SCHOOL

Families are reminded that children are not to be on school ground prior to 8.30am. Staff supervision does not commence until this time.

## STUDENT ABSENCES

If your child/children are absent from school it is an Education Department requirement to have parent/guardians provide the school with a reason unless a student exemption form has been granted prior to the absence. It would be appreciated if parent/guardians could notify the school by either phone or make a note in the diary, to reduce the calls being made each day regarding student absences.

## BREAKFAST CLUB



8.30 – 8.45am each morning. Thanks to Redding's Foodland & the volunteers for their continuing support of the Breakfast program. It is very much appreciated.

## LOST PROPERTY

Our lost property box is once again overflowing. Please come in and check the box if you think your child is missing something. All uncollected items will be sent to the Streaky Bay Op Shop at the end of the term.

## SCHOOL PHONE NUMBERS

Please note when contacting the school use phone number **86261202** as this is our main line and will divert to other lines in the instance a line is busy. If staff have called out on one of our other numbers please do not call or respond to left voicemails by auto dialling as these numbers may be engaged and do not divert if busy. **The School Community Library number is 8626 1492.**



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Department for Education

## Vacancy – School Bus Driver

### Streaky Bay Area School

A written application is invited from all eligible persons, for the position of:

#### STREAKY BAY AREA SCHOOL BUS DRIVER:

Applications should address the person specification and include the names of two referees.

Job and Person Specifications are available from the Streaky Bay Area School front office.

Please provide a copy of the application marked 'Confidential' to:

Mr Tim O'Reilly  
Streaky Bay Area School  
109 Wells Street  
STREAKY BAY SA 5680  
Ph: 86261202  
[tim.oreilly419@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:tim.oreilly419@schools.sa.edu.au)

## CANTEEN CORNER

### Sushi & Poke bowls now on Fridays (not Thursdays)

#### Sushi Rolls

Cucumber, lettuce & mayo	\$4.00
Add Tuna	\$0.50
Teriyaki Chicken, cucumber, lettuce & mayo	\$4.50
Add avocado	\$0.30
Add pickled ginger	\$0.20
Add soy sauce	\$0.20

Please specify if you do not want lettuce or cucumber

#### Teriyaki Chicken Poke Bowls

Sml \$6.50 Lge \$8.50  
Teriyaki chicken, rice, lettuce, cucumber, edamame, pickles & mayo  
Please specify if you do not want edamame or pickles.  
**Thursdays is our regular menu plus some homemade options.**

Some items have been removed from the menu that were either not popular, not cost effective or too fiddly (if your child will miss it let me know & I will do my best to add it to next terms menu).

Every now & then we will have a special Wednesday pop up day with a special on, depending on when I can get a volunteer to help cater for this - if you can volunteer 3-4 hours of your time once per year please get in touch, the kids & myself will appreciate it (I will try & give a few weeks' notice for these days:).

Don't forget we have lots of snacks in the canteen ranging from 20c +.

Thank you,  
Naomi

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# SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS

Subject counselling sessions for Year 10 and 11 students regarding Semester 2 subject choices will take place on June 3 and 4. Please discuss your child's preferences beforehand to ensure they make informed decisions. Your insights are invaluable in guiding their academic journey. Review their current subjects, strengths, and aspirations to help them articulate their goals for the session. Reach out to Mischa or myself if you have any concerns.

Additionally, our buddy classes have begun a project growing vegetables together. They will cook with the produce, fostering teamwork and practical skills. It is a joy to watch them working together!

*Warm regards,  
Karen Box  
Senior School Coordinator*

## Encounter Youth- Drug, Alcohol & Vaping Education Workshops:

Next Monday 27 & Tuesday 28 May, educators from Encounter Youth will be delivering education workshops to secondary students from years 7 to 12. Encounter Youth are SA's leading Alcohol & Other Drug education program provider and present evidence-based information and strategies for young people, parents and educators.

A parent workshop will also be held in the school on Monday 27 May from 6:00pm in the school staff room. We encourage parents to attend. More details are provided in the flier enclosed in the newsletter.

*Mischa Karp  
Wellbeing Leader*

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## **STREAKY BAY AREA SCHOOL GOVERNING COUNCIL NOMINATION FOR ELECTION FORM – 1 position for 1 year**

I \_\_\_\_\_ (full name) of \_\_\_\_\_  
(address)

nominate

\_\_\_\_\_ (full name) of \_\_\_\_\_  
(address)

I \_\_\_\_\_ (full name) of \_\_\_\_\_  
(address)

accept the nomination and hereby declare that I have not been declared bankrupt and do not receive a benefit of a law for the relief of insolvent debtors. I have not been convicted of any offence of dishonesty, or of a sexual nature involving a minor, or of violence against a person. I understand that should I be declared bankrupt, receive a benefit of law for the relief of insolvent debtors or be convicted of any of the offences listed, my membership of Streaky Bay Area School Governing/School Council will cease.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



With the summer Olympics in Paris commencing in 64 days, we are thrilled to be able to connect with an Australian Olympian and hear about their journey into their chosen pathway. This is a unique learning opportunity for our students and school community to be part of and for many, this will be the first time that they get to meet an Olympic Athlete.

Athlete, Nicholas Timmings will be connecting with Years 7 - 12 students on 4/06/2024 1:45 PM, as part of Olympics Unleashed program.

### ***Fast Facts***

**Sport:** Skeleton

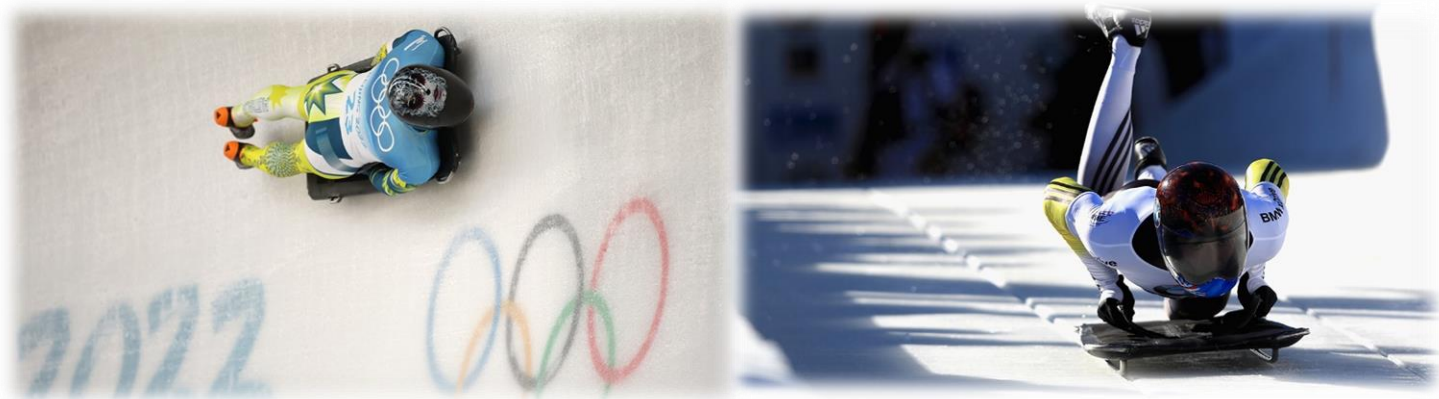
**Event:** Men's Skeleton

**Olympic History:** Beijing 2022

**Highlights:** PB at Beijing 2022, 3x World Championship Appearances, 2021 North Americas Cup Champion

**Year Born:** 1990

**State Born:** Western Australia



The students will learn from Nicholas Timmings's Olympic journey how to build resilience, the importance of setting goals and how to find what you are passionate about.

Students will hear firsthand from Nicholas Timmings about how they overcame challenges to compete in their chosen sport at the very highest level, and how some lessons they've learned in sport can help students to be the best they can be – whether that's in school, at home, on the sporting field or with friends.

Tim O'Reilly  
Deputy Principal



# MIDDLE SCHOOL MATTERS

## Year 6 News



**Dear Mr Chamberlin, the Year 6's have loved having you as their teacher this year. We will all be sad to see you go! Here are some heartfelt messages from the students...**

*To Mr Chamberlin, I have really enjoyed playing netball with you in PE and I liked when we researched about Jobs for the Future and our travel plan thing. Maths was good cause we get to do our dream home and work outside more. I will miss having you around and how you let us go on the courts a lot. You are very kind and you are a very good teacher also. Hope you do well in your new job and hope you like it.*

*Lots of luck, Ava. We will all miss you lots.*

*Thank you for being a great PE and Hass teacher. Good luck on your new job! – Kiana*

*To Mr. Chamberlain,*

*You are the best Math, Hass and P.E teacher this class has ever had. Good luck and I hope you have heaps of fun with your new job.*

*From Sunny!*

*Thanks for all that you've done for me and how kind you were. I may of been a bit impatient and silly but you still tried to help. You are pretty good at backflips in PE. You're also a good math and HASS Teacher. Good luck on your job. Hope you do well and find it fun. From Nate*

*Dear Mr Chamberlain, I will miss having you for your fun P.E lessons, the interesting tasks you gave us in H.A.S.S and the good but hard lessons in maths. I wish you all the best in your new job and good luck. – Rhea*

*Dear Mr. Chamberlin*

*I will miss how well you teach maths when people are at different levels.*

*Goodbye Mr. Chamberlin I wish you have a great time at your new job and I know we will all miss you! Good luck!*

*From Shaylea!*

*To Mr. Chamberlain I will miss you. Thanks for making every lesson so fun. Have fun at your new job. -Emmie*

*I have enjoyed having you helping me with my dyslexia making it hard for me.*

*I will miss having you as my teacher. You were the teacher I was looking forward to having you when you first started teaching at this school. Now I got to have you as my teacher, you are leaving to a new job.*

*We wish you have the time of your life in a new job. Goodbye and good luck. – Izaak*

*I have enjoyed every lesson of PE.  
I will miss ALL the lessons we have with you.  
Goodbye and good luck Mr Chamberlin with your new job.  
I wish you could stay. We will all miss you very much. 😊😊  
From Mason.*

*Dear Mr Chamberlin, you were the best maths and PE teacher. I hope you have a good new job we will all miss you. From Harrison.*

Forever grateful for your guidance and support over the few months we have had you for our Hass, maths and PE teacher. I'll miss you and it will never be the same without you. From Kai.H

*Thanks for being a lovely smiling face Luke! Enjoy the next chapter. Claire Blesing – SSO*

*To Mr Chamberlin,  
I will miss you and the P.E lessons and I'm glad I got back for my very first time in mat ball!  
I hope you have a good rest of your life and the new job! I wish you the best!  
From Kai Urkko.*

*I liked everything Mr Chamberlain taught me in maths. He had fun lessons of P.E and I liked his HASS tasks. He was good and kind I wish him good luck in his new job. - From Nghi*

*Thank you Mr Chamberlin for not making maths impossible but fun. Also, I hope you enjoy your job. From Caleb N*

*I may not have been taught by Mr Chamberlin as much as my classmates, but I know I will miss him just as much. He really made HASS fun and I will miss being taught by him. I wish he wasn't leaving but all good things must come to an end and Mr Chamberlin has found a new job path and I wish him well – from Mareike*

*Dear Mr Chamberlin, I really liked you as a maths and PE teacher. You are really nice and I like how you teach us. I find when I have you in maths it's really easy and not that confusing. In PE I found it really fun even though I didn't participate in a bit of it and in Hass it was fun because we got to research and do stuff I enjoyed. I hope you succeed in your new job. Good luck. From Caleb. C.*

*I enjoyed the way you were so understanding and kind. I will miss the way you taught me. I hope you will enjoy your job and I hope I will see you around. From Winston*

*Thank you for making maths so much fun and helping me when I need it. You are a great teacher and we all wish you could still be our teacher. I don't really like maths but this year it has been so much fun and I have enjoyed it more. I hope you like your new job. Good luck on your new job, I hope you have a good time. -NEKO*

*I enjoyed PE and having free play.  
I will miss your PE lessons and your smile.  
Good luck with your new job. I hope you enjoy it.  
From Ollie*

*Thanks for being a great teacher. You were the best teacher I've ever had. I loved the maths lessons we had and PE was great. Hass was great too. You have a lot of knowledge about the world. I know that everyone will miss you and I certainly will. Good luck at you new job.  
From Banjo*

*I enjoyed how you let us have lots of brain beaks in maths and go outside. I will miss you. Goodbye and good luck at your new job. From Jed*

# -\*-\*Patterns-\*-\*

In the Year 2 class we have been looking at Patterns. We have learnt that all patterns have a unit of repeat, terms and elements.



# Women in STEM morning!



What a fantastic session we all had for Women in STEM morning! It was great to see so many significant women in our student's lives come in and spend some time with them at school. Students and adults took part in lots of different activities – from making straw rockets to building circuits, programming vex-go robots and maths activities. A fun day was had by all who attended and we would like to thank our community for being so supportive of the special days that we hold for our students.





## Eyre Peninsula Hub Conference 2024: A Triumphant Gathering of Minds

Over the course of three action-packed days, Streaky Bay Area School became the nexus for innovation and education as it hosted the annual Eyre Peninsula Hub Conference. The event saw 20 dedicated teachers from across the Eyre Peninsula and the state converge to share knowledge, explore new technologies, and engage with the future of design and technologies education.

### A Warm Welcome and a Dive into Innovation

The conference kicked off on Sunday with a 30-minute meet and greet, providing an opportunity for educators to network and welcome new members into the fold. Following a brief school tour, the spotlight turned to esteemed representatives from Totaltools (Simon Grima), DeWalt (Ben Wood), Makita (Brad Slatter), and Milwaukee (Ryan Smart). These industry experts shared their insights into the latest tool innovations, battery technology, and maintenance tips, offering invaluable advice for both school and home use. Being able to network and use the new tools was a rewarding experience. A huge thanks to them for making the journey to Streaky Bay and on their departure were looking forward to being a part of next year's conference. Thanks again for the support, knowledge, and tips to care for our tools.



### Culinary Delights and Curriculum Insights

A hearty BBQ lunch prepared by Greg Griffiths (Swan Reach Area School) and Matt Thursby (Samaritan College) offered a delicious interlude before the conference resumed its focus on the serious matters at hand. Steve Knipe, a curriculum writer, led a compelling discussion on the new SA curriculum and the Australian Curriculum's version 9, encouraging feedback and reflecting on the significance of the subject matter.

It was a first look at the SA curriculum and we all got something out of it. It was great to also look at our units of work and how they can be modified and adapted to fit with the new curriculum. The day concluded and we all went and explored Streaky Bay and met for tea and continued the professional conversation into the evening. The conversation continued Monday with Steve taking us on a more detailed and deeper journey into the new SA curriculum. We again gave feedback and had the opportunity to ask questions, have input and discuss how this will be implemented in 2027. What an informative session to get a deeper understanding of the resources and structure we will be using soon.





### Hands-On Learning and Fierce Competition

Participants had the choice to construct a CO2 dragster or assemble a VEX Robotics claw bot, fostering hands-on learning and practical application of skills. The CO2 dragster competition heated up on Tuesday, with Streaky Bay's F1 cars blazing past the competition, showcasing the exciting F1 in Schools program.



### Gratitude and Anticipation

As the host, I extend my heartfelt thanks to our special guests, participants, and Streaky Bay Area School for their unwavering support in organising this enriching conference. The event concluded with educators leaving inspired and eager to implement new ideas, all while looking forward to the 2025 conference and the continued professional growth within our community.



#### Sharing Success and Looking Forward

The final session of the conference was dedicated to sharing successful skills tasks, project ideas, and units of work across various age groups. This exchange of resources and experiences is a testament to the collaborative spirit of the attendees, all united in their commitment to providing the best educational outcomes for their students.



### In Summary

The conference was a resounding success, marked by the sharing of innovative projects and skills tasks. The engagement and enthusiasm of the attending teachers were palpable, each one keen to embrace new learning opportunities and enhance their teaching practices for the benefit of students across the Eyre Peninsula.



## ALCOHOL & OTHER DRUG EDUCATION FOR PARENTS AND COMMUNITY

**HOW TO HAVE A POSITIVE INFLUENCE AND  
TALK ABOUT ALCOHOL & OTHER DRUGS**

**Parent & Community Seminar**

**Monday 27th May 2024**

**6:00pm - 7:15pm**

**Location: Streaky Bay Area School**

*SA's leading Alcohol & Other Drug education program  
presents a night of evidence-based information and  
strategies for you to support your young person.*



# Streaky Bay

## NAIDOC 2024

**NAIDOC Family Day**  
**Streaky Bay Institute**  
**Thursday 4th July 2024**  
**10am - 2pm**  
**Cultural Education, Weaving, Painting & much more!**  
**Free event, all welcome**

# OCCASIONAL CARE

@ Streaky Bay Children's Centre

**WHAT IS OCCASIONAL CARE?**  
 Occasional Care is for children aged 12 months to kindergarten age & is a delightful break for parents/caregivers, providing a 3-hour 'now and then' childcare session. It gives parents/caregivers the chance to attend appointments, engage in activities, or simply take a well-deserved break while their child/ren are in good hands. It's also a great opportunity for your little one to have fun, learn, and socialise with peers & educators in a nurturing and safe environment.

**SESSION DETAILS**

**DAYS**

- MONDAY & WEDNESDAY
- DURING SCHOOL TERM

**TIMES**

- 8.45AM - 11.45AM
- 12.15PM - 3.15PM

**COSTS**

- \$5 PER CHILD, PER SESSION
- CONCESSION APPLY

For more details contact the Centre on Ph: 0429 697 595 or 8621 160  
 Email: [Wendy.carcurro173@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Wendy.carcurro173@schools.sa.edu.au)  
 or pop into the Centre Monday or Wednesday to see Bec or Toni

**JOIN THE 100 CLUB, BUY 1 OR MORE OF 100 TICKETS FOR \$100 EACH**

# 100 CLUB

**PRIZES DRAWN ONCE ALL TICKETS ARE SOLD**

**FUNDS RAISED GO TOWARDS NEW LIGHTS**

**REVERSE DRAW 100TH NUMBER WINS**

**1ST PRIZE \$2500**  
**2ND PRIZE \$1000**  
**3RD PRIZE \$500**  
**LUCKY 10'S \$100**

**SEE RENEE ELLIOTT OR SAM FRICK TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKET**

# Australia's Biggest Morning Tea Fundraiser

**Join us in raising funds for cancer research.**

**Friday 31 May**  
**10am-12pm**  
**Supper Room**  
**Scones available**  
**Min \$5 donations appreciated**