

28 November 2024

Care Respect Security Success Trust

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FOR YOUR DIARY

DECEMBER

Wed 11 Presentation Night, 6pm
Thurs 12 Last day of Term 4, 2.05pm dismissal

JANUARY

Tue 28 First day of Term 1, 2025

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK...



Hello Everyone,

Staffing

With my twelve month move into the Department's seconded 'Principal on Assignment – Country Education' role for next year, we are currently working to fill the vacant Deputy Principal role given Mr Tim O'Reilly's appointment into the Principal position for 2025. Given these role's are twelve months or less, the 2025 Deputy position is only able to be advertised internally within our staff. We hope to have the Deputy position filled in the next couple of days and will then work through any subsequent positions that may be need to back filled. We are aiming to have our staffing processes completed by the end of the term. Congratulations to Mr Lucas Mosey and Mrs Ashleigh Sims who have won the Area Relief Teacher (ART) positions based at Streaky Bay Area School for 2025.

Organisation for 2025

Thank you to those parents and community members who have provided information of any student movements either joining or leaving our school at the beginning of 2025. Our school's funding is generated by student enrolments at the beginning of the year, so it important for us to have accurate expected student numbers for 2025.

Work is continuing on setting our 2025 budget, class structures and staffing levels in preparation for next year, we are aiming for all students and families to know their child's class and teachers by the end of this term.

There is important information further in the newsletter from Mr O'Reilly regarding the school's end of year arrangements with the Yondr mobile phone pouches which have been allocated to each student in years 6 to 12 this year.

Music Concert

Congratulations to our Music Students who put on an excellent end of year concert at the Streaky Bay Hotel on Sunday afternoon. It was great to see and hear our students showcasing all their music skills that have been taught by our music teacher Ms Jodi Martin and SSO Tom McCarthur who started many of our students as junior musicians. Many thanks to SSO's Tom McCarthur, Steph Roeske and Jodi Martin for their organisation, equipment set up and support throughout the event. There were many highlights and we can't wait to see our music students continue to develop their music skills next year.

Around the School

This week the Primary students have been involved in the annual Water Safety program utilising the school pool. The Year 11 Outdoor Education students have been on an aquatics camp at Cactus Beach with the Far West Aquatics Unit providing the program. Many thanks to Mr Karp, who stepped in at the last minute, and Ms Marley Fairclough for providing supervision of this great outdoor learning experience. Last week the school held its annual Colour Fun Run much to the amusement and delight of many of our primary students, it was fantastic to see high levels of support from our older students and lots of interest from parents and community members. Many thanks to Mrs Brougham and the staff who supported the event.

Solar Pool Heating

It was unfortunate to hear that the installation of the solar pool heating system is facing further delays due to a terrible motor vehicle accident involving some of the installation company's workmen a couple of weeks ago. It was awful to hear that there were some significant injuries which are requiring time off work, our thoughts go out to these people. We are now hopeful of the installation being completed before Christmas.

End of Term Arrangements

Presentation Night will be held on Wednesday 11 December commencing at 6pm in the school gym, students are expected to dress in school uniform, parents, caregivers and community members are all welcome. Thursday 12 December is the last day of the school year, with school dismissing at 2.05pm.

Chris Roberts
Principal

YONDR PHONE POUCH RETURN

Students Year 6-12



At the start of the 2024 school year, all students from Year 6-12, were issued with a Yondr phone pouch to support the statewide ban on mobile devices in schools.

At the conclusion of the year, all students issued with a Yondr pouch are required to return their pouch.

The timelines are as below:

Year 11 students – Hand in Yondr pouch, Friday 29 November.

Year 6-10 students – Hand in Yondr pouch, Thursday 12 December.

Students leaving school earlier than the timelines above, are required to hand their Yondr pouch back on their final day of their school.

As communicated at the commencement of the year, each student was issued with a unique numbered pouch. **Upon handing them in by the due date the number will need to match the pouch issued in their name. If the pouch is damaged, and or not returned the student will be issued with an invoice of \$35 and required to pay for a replacement pouch.**

This information has been shared with the students and they are aware of the expectations and responsibilities associated with the phone pouches. I ask parents and caregivers to speak to your child/ren to remind them of the Yondr pouch hand in requirements.

When school resumes in the 2025, the process will recommence as per this year.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Tim O'Reilly
Deputy Principal

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.

SCHOOL PARKING

Morning Drop Off - A reminder to families that the zone between the front gate and staff car park is a designated 'Kiss and Drop' zone. Vehicles are not to be left unattended or parked in this zone from 8am-9am. The swimming pool car park is for parking and flow through traffic not for - kiss and drop off. If you are using it as a morning drop off or afternoon pick up you need to park in a park so you are not blocking the flow or the walk way for others to use.



Government of South Australia
Department for Education

School Bus Driver required

An expression of interest for the position of:

STREAKY BAY AREA SCHOOL BUS DRIVER 2025:

For further information regarding conditions of employment & pay rate please contact:

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

CANTEEN CORNER

Friday - Sushi & Poke bowl day

Sushi Rolls

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

Please specify if you do not want lettuce or cucumber

Teriyaki Chicken Poke Bowls

Sml \$7.00	Lge \$9.00
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Teriyaki chicken, rice, lettuce, cucumber, edamame, pickles & mayo
Please specify if you do not want edamame beans or pickles.

Thursday is our regular menu plus some homemade options.

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

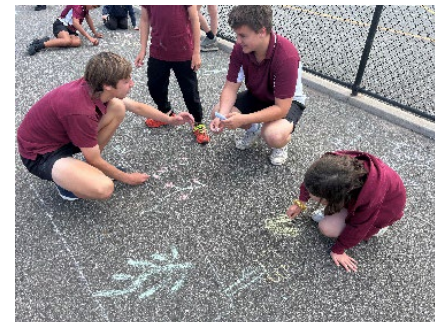
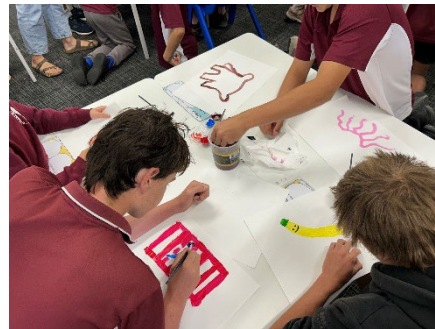
Thank you,

Naomi

www.facebook.com/streakybayschoolcanteen

Year 3 and 9 buddy class

This year the Year 3's have been lucky enough to spend a lesson every Friday with their Year 9 buddy class. They have enjoyed every minute of it and are very grateful to Miss Nicholson and the Year 9's for spending time getting to know them through fun activities.



MIDDLE SCHOOL MATTERS

Civics and Citizenship Workshop- Parliamentary Education

Last week, our Year 8 and Year 6 students participated in an engaging Civics and Citizenship session facilitated by the Parliament of South Australia's Community Education Program. The students explored various aspects of government, including the different levels of government, electorates, and elections. They also engaged in an activity that examined the responsibilities and significance of being a member of parliament.

An election simulation was conducted where students voted on a selection of dinner options using specific ballot papers. This exercise provided them with hands-on experience in conducting and counting votes. They were introduced to the structure and functions of the House of Assembly and participated in appointing students to roles such as officers of the Parliament, Premier, and Ministers.

Additionally, the students role-played the legislative process by debating a proposed law to ban homework in South Australia. This activity highlighted the role of the Legislative Council in the law-making process. Finally, the students discussed and recorded issues that are important to them, which will be shared with our Member for Flinders, Sam Telfer, to consider as significant concerns for our community.

Student Feedback:

"I learnt about the colours of the carpet in each house and what the pictures and symbols mean."

"It was good because it was hands on and interactive and there were lots of activities."

"It was fun and structured really well, when are they coming again?"

"I learnt that you can't vote if you are sentenced to more than 3 years in prison."



SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS

I am pleased to inform you that, from 2025, our school will offer to its senior students a new and innovative Stage 2 SACE subject called Activating Identities and Futures (AIF). This subject has been successfully piloted in recent years and will be introduced throughout South Australia next year replacing the Stage 2 compulsory Research Project (RP) subject.

Building on the Stage 1 Exploring Identities and Futures (EIF) subject, AIF gives students a chance to explore an area of personal interest through a process of self-directed inquiry.

Schools and teachers involved in designing the subject were positive about the experience, and there were both immediate and long-term benefits for students. Students felt energised when they studied a topic of their own choice. They enjoyed stronger relationships with their teachers, took greater control of their own learning, and were able to transfer their new learning habits to other subjects.

Both the SACE Board and our senior school see AIF as an opportunity for young people on the cusp of adulthood to demonstrate initiative, show the world what they know and can do, and to set themselves up for where they want to go in life. These subjects are an integral part of a wider effort to ensure that SACE is a modern and responsive qualification for a changing world – a passport to thrive. As students start to think about what sort of subjects they want to study from 2025, we hope you will talk to them about their plans and what they might pursue as part of AIF.

If you have any questions about AIF, you can learn more on the SACE Board website <https://www.sace.sa.edu.au/studying/subjects/activating-identities-and-futures> or contact the school on 86261202.

Senior schooling is an exciting time for students achieving success in their areas of passion. One who has successfully achieved a unique accomplishment this year is Elke Kerin, our first student to explore the aviation industry. Elke recently completed the Certificate in Aviation on top of her normal study load, traveling to Port Pirie for one week per term across the year for practical training. The course allowed her to build up her flying hours and sit aviation theory exams while working towards her commercial pilot's license.



An incredible achievement while studying at Streaky Bay Area School! Congratulations Elke!

*Kind Regards,
Karen Box
Senior School Coordinator*



2024 School Magazine

The Streaky Bay Area School Magazine has a wide range of items this year, including class pages, theme days, sports events and performances. All magazines will again be in full colour and continue to be high quality. Don't miss your chance to order a magazine. This assists us in distributing them once they have arrived. Magazines will be ready for distribution by the end of Term 4.

We would also like to take this opportunity to thank our community members and businesses who have sponsored the magazine over the years so that we can keep the magazine price low for our families. Magazines will cost \$22. All monies and the return slip must be returned to the Front Office.

Students Name: _____ Class: _____

I would like to order _____ copy/ies of the 2024 school magazine @ \$22 each.

Total amount enclosed: _____

DO YOU QUALIFY FOR FREE HOME INTERNET?



If there is a school age student at your home and you don't have an nbn connection, you could qualify for free home internet until the end of 2025.



School Student Broadband Initiative

An Australian Government Initiative
Powered by nbn

FREE HOME INTERNET FOR SCHOOL STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES

This is an Australian Government program that offers free home internet to families and carers who look after school age children and are struggling to pay the bills.

To apply, follow the four steps below:

- 1 Contact the National Referral Centre on **1800 954 610** Monday - Friday, 10am - 6pm (AEDT) or visit anglicarevic.org.au/student-internet
- 2 They'll ask you some questions to see if this offer is right for you.
- 3 If you qualify, you'll get a voucher.
- 4 Use the voucher to connect through your chosen participating internet provider before 31 December 2024.



LEARN MORE

Scan QR Code to learn more.

THE BEST PART IS



Free home internet until 31 December 2025



The Wi-Fi router is free and you can keep it



There is no lock-in contract



Assistance provided by the National Referral Centre



Callback, webchat and interpreting are available



An Australian Government Initiative

Streaky Bay Vacation Care

Vacation Care is available to children aged 4 to 15 years old, parents are not required to be working for their child/ren to attend. Vacation Care offers a range of activities including a daily planned activity, see program below.

- **WHEN:** Monday to Friday - unless advised
- **TIME:** 8a.m. to 6p.m
- **WHERE:** Stem/Art room in the Primary Courtyard, at the Streaky Bay Area School.
- **WHAT TO PACK:** Water Bottle, lunch & snacks, hat & spare clothes.
- **COST:** \$50.00 - for 10 hours of care or any part thereof. This amount can be greatly reduced by registering for the CCR percentage.

New enrolments are always welcome. When enrolling in the program, you will need a Customer Reference Number (CRN) from the Family Assistance Office, which is linked to the Childcare Rebate (CCR) (formerly CCB) system. You can register for a CCR either online at www.familyassist.gov.au or by calling 13 61 50. To receive a reduced fee, **you must be registered with Centrelink prior to the holiday program beginning.**

Toni Foster has graciously agreed to step in as temporary director once again these holidays, along with the support of Bec Godwin, Mel Launer, Macy Trezona, Karly Woolford & Belinda Black

Pre-booking is essential to ensure adequate staffing. All bookings or cancellations must be made by 9 PM the night before. Same-day cancellations will incur a charge.

For bookings or any inquiries, please call or text Toni on 0400 084 840

WEEK 1	MONDAY December 16 th WINDOW CHRISTMAS ART 	TUESDAY December 17 th GINGERBREAD CUBBY HOUSE 	WEDNESDAY December 18 th DECORATE A CHRISTMAS BISCUIT 	THURSDAY December 19 th CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS 	FRIDAY December 20 th DIY PUFF PAINT XMAS STOCKING 	Outcome: 5 & 3	Outcome: 6 & 4	Outcome: 2 & 5	Outcome: 3 & 5	Outcome: 3 & 4	
	MONDAY December 23 rd CHRISTMAS MOVIE MADNESS 	TUESDAY December 24 th CHRISTMAS OLYMPICS 	WEDNESDAY December 25 th CHRISTMAS DAY CLOSED	THURSDAY December 26 th BOXING DAY CLOSED	FRIDAY December 27 th CLOSED		Outcome: 5 & 3	Outcome: 6 & 4			
	MONDAY December 30 th CLOSED	TUESDAY December 31 st CLOSED	WEDNESDAY January 1 st NEW YEARS DAY CLOSED	THURSDAY January 2 nd CLOSED	FRIDAY January 3 rd CLOSED						
	MONDAY January 6 th PLANT A MINI GRADEN 	TUESDAY January 7 th KIDZ BOP DAY Learn the Nubush, Misarena & more 	WEDNESDAY January 8 th KIDS IN THE KITCHEN Ricotta Pancakes 	THURSDAY January 9 th LEGO COMP 	FRIDAY January 10 th EXCURSION Picnic at Slijdy's Beach 		Outcome: 7 & 1	Outcome: 3 & 2	Outcome: 6 & 3	Outcome: 2 & 2	Outcome: 7 & 1
	MONDAY January 13 th KIDS IN THE KITCHEN Milo Balls 	TUESDAY January 14 th YARN ART 	WEDNESDAY January 15 th T-BALL 	THURSDAY January 16 th CLAY MONSTER 	FRIDAY January 17 th LAB TODAY Let's become scientists! 		Outcome: 5 & 3	Outcome: 6 & 4	Outcome: 2 & 5	Outcome: 3 & 5	Outcome: 3 & 4
MONDAY January 20 th MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS 	TUESDAY January 21 st EXCURSION Museum 	WEDNESDAY January 22 nd WHEELIE DAY Bring your scooter, bike or skateboard & helmet. 	THURSDAY January 23 rd BASKETBALL 	FRIDAY January 24 th WATER WARS Pack your baths & towel. 		Outcome: 5 & 3	Outcome: 6 & 4	Outcome: 2 & 5	Outcome: 3 & 5	Outcome: 5 & 3	

COMMUNITY NEWS AND EVENTS

INFORMATION FOR CUSTOMERS

Australian Government Mobile Service Centre



Serving Regional Australia

Visit the Mobile Service Centre to find out about Australian Government payments and services for rural families, older Australians, students, job seekers, people with disability, carers, farmers and self-employed people.

Information about Department of Veterans' Affairs programs and support services for veterans and their families will also be available.

Staff can provide you with information and support. They can also help you create a myGov account. myGov is a simple and secure way to access government services online.

Friday, 13 December 2024

9 am to 4 pm

Post Office car park, Bay Road

STREAKY BAY

For more information, go to servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice



INFORMATION FOR CUSTOMERS

Australian Government Mobile Service Centres



If you live in a rural area, you may need to travel greater distances to access government payments and services. To make it easier for you to access these services, we're bringing them to you and your community.

Mobile Service Centres travel extensively throughout rural and regional Australia and also to disaster affected areas to provide help and support.

Staff from Services Australia travel with the Mobile Service Centres and can help you with Centrelink and Medicare payments and services. Our Mobile Service Centres also have disabled access.

Information about Department of Veterans' Affairs programs and support services for veterans and their families will also be available.

Wi-Fi is available for visitors to the Mobile Service Centre and staff will be able to help you create a myGov account. myGov is a simple and secure way to access government services online.

Our staff will provide you with friendly face-to-face service, information and support. From time to time, representatives from other government agencies also travel with the Mobile Service Centres.

Information and help you can access on board the Mobile Service Centres

We provide information, help and support to rural and regional communities, including:

- families
- older Australians
- students
- job seekers
- people with disability
- carers
- farmers
- self-employed people.

We can assist you with:

- registering and using the agency's online services
- new claims for Centrelink payments
- updating and confirming Centrelink and Medicare information
- information on how financial matters may impact on payments
- assistance with payment and service options
- rural payment entitlements for eligible farmers
- non-cash Medicare transactions
- enrolling for and issuing new Medicare cards
- updating and re-issuing Medicare cards
- social work support and referrals.

More information

To view the latest itineraries for the Australian Government Mobile Service Centres, visit servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice

The stopping locations for Mobile Service Centres are promoted in each town and on social media before each visit.



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STREAKY BAY AREAS BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

MONDAY 2 DECEMBER, 2024

STREAKY BAY COMMUNITY COMPLEX

6.30PM

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED

- Need Committee Members
- 2025 Season



Term Holiday Drama for Boys in 2025

Expressions of Interest

Through Drama activities boost your confidence and have lots of fun. Success is having a go!
Age range 8/9 up to 16/17 years old.

April 14 to April 25, 2025.

Tutor: **Nick Carroll** – Experienced theatre professional and qualified Drama Teacher.

For further information contact Nick on 0406 575 174 or email ncarroll@adam.com.au