

MARCH CALENDAR

Thu 17 th	Finance/Governing Council Meeting
Fri 18 th	Sports Day
Fri 25 th	Good Friday
Mon 28 th	Easter Monday
Tue 29 th	Year 12 Kayaking Camp
Wed 30 th	Year 12 Kayaking Camp

APRIL CALENDAR

Wed 6 th	Interschool Sports Day
Wed 13 th	Adelaide Athletics
Fri 15 th	End Term 1 – 2:20pm Dismissal

Last Saturday Night I witnessed my second Waikerie Food Fair. The new format in the main street was very successful and I congratulate the organisers on a wonderfully well organised and well attended event. I would also like to congratulate our Schools organising committee of Students and Staff. Our stalls: The Water Sponge Throwing, Coin tossing, Dart throwing, Basket Ball Competition and Raffle were well patronised on the night. To the students and staff who supported our community by attending the stalls. Thank you for representing Waikerie High School so well in the community. We will inform you in the next newsletter about how much we raised.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



Last week our elected Student Representative Council met down on the River in the Wok on Water restaurant for their induction and planning day. This day is invaluable for electing the 2016 office bearers and committee representatives for the many committees of the school.

It gives me great pleasure to announce the following Leaders with the SRC:

President: Tegan Griffiths, **Vice President:** Navjot Singh, **Secretary:** Emma Ziegler, **Treasurer:** Erica Austria



We look forward to working closely with these leaders to make our school environment meet the needs of all students.



The next two weeks are particularly busy with Sports Day on Friday 18th March, Interschool Sports Day on Wednesday 6th April and our End of term Reports for students and Parents being developed to go home at the end of term.

Finally as in our last newsletter I want to recognise and congratulate a group of students who have excelled in the broader community. They have followed their passion and achieved outstanding performances.

Firstly to Dakota McGurgan, Jia McGurgan and Riley Fillmore who participated in the State Benchrest Smallbore Championships, with the following results:

Jia - Six Gold Medals across Junior Class 1 and Class 3
Dakota - Three Silver Medals in Junior Class 3
Riley - Three Bronze Medals in Junior Class 3

Also congratulations to Rachel Fillmore who has been selected in the State Women's Under 18 Football Team.

Rob McLaren
Principal

WAIKERIE STREET FESTIVAL

Waikerie High one again provided entertainment and activities at the festival. The SRC raffle, guess the number of Easter eggs, balloon on a stick, lucky squares, coin toss, dart throw, basketball competition and the ever popular sponge throwing.

We thank our sponsors for the raffle prizes and all the staff that donated items.

The night was very successful with many students and staff helping to run these events. Special thanks must go to the working committee in Georgia Sheehan, Jessica Neal, Emma Ziegler, Tegan Griffiths, Chloe Linke, Joshua Liebich, Navjot Singh, Tom McKay and Sam Haese. These students planned and coordinated the night.

Most importantly, thank you to the community for supporting the evening and helping to make the Waikerie Street Festival an enjoyable evening.

Raffle Winners:

1 st	Julie Pretty	2 nd	Emilee Burgy
3 rd	Gill	4 th	Fulwood
5 th	S Kleemann	6 th	M Travaglioni
7 th	Gordon Johnston	8 th	Janette Cleaver
9 th	Marion Maywald	10 th	Frances Simes
11 th	Connie Little	12 th	J Collins
13 th	C Cabot	14 th	Connie Little
15 th	Alyshia	16 th	Alice Lewis
17 th	Trinity W	18 th	Felicity Ziegler
19 th	Felicity Ziegler	20 th	Kris Black
21 st	Francis Simes	22 nd	Norma Modistach

\$5.00 Lucky Square: - Barb Gartley

\$2.00 Lucky Square: - Sheri Schubert

Guess the Number of Easter Eggs in the Jar:

Tahlia Cabot with 128

Craig Griffiths
AP Senior School

UNIFORM SHOP



This week's heat is not going to last and we will soon be looking for warmer clothing. The new winter jackets have arrived and been purchased by Year 8 students. If you would like your student in Years 9-12 to be warm in winter then you need to put in your order now! We do have some in stock but to ensure your student has a warm jacket we need to have orders in by Friday, March 18. Please order at the uniform shop which is open:

- **Tuesday afternoon: 3:00-3:45**
- **Thursday morning: 8:30-9:30**

Old Style Zip Collar and Zip Front Windcheaters.

We are selling these at \$20.00 each. We have some in very large sizes – XXXL – XXXXL which would be great for workers on orchards or farms.

2015 School Magazine

We were given extra 2015 School Magazines by the supplier. If you would like to purchase one then please see Jenny or Elizabeth at the book room. They are \$20.00 each.

Elizabeth Golding
Business Manager

2016 WINEMAKING



On the 24th February a dedicated bunch of Year 11's came to school at 7:00am to harvest grapes for the schools wine. Dominic Travigilone, Dakota McGurgan, Matt Lawrie, Ben Smith,

Ryan Smith, Paige Brooks Billenger, Harvey Dearman, Bailey Danzic, Georgie Myer, Ella White, Zach Taylor, Kane Matthews, Sam Twilley, Tyson Devroome and Josh Coombs were aided by the Year 9 Agriculture class and they handpicked over a tonne of grapes. They were also involved in crushing the wine and getting the wine ready for ferment. For their wonderful efforts, the students were given breakfast and lunch.

Big thanks to Laurena Grieger, Hayward Paynter, Paul Tripodi and Roger Perks for their hand over the day.

The wine has now been pressed and is sitting in barrels.

Donna Haynes
Viticulture teacher



WHITE CARD TRAINING OPPORTUNITY

'White Card' is a term used to describe the plastic card issued by a Registered Training Organisation indicating that a person has undertaken general induction training for construction work. Under the Work Health Safety legislation, workers on construction sites in Australia must undertake general induction training or 'White Card training' and have evidence of their attendance from the course before they are permitted to commence work on a construction site. The Work Health Safety regulations outline this requirement.

Waikerie High School students (Years 10-12) will have the opportunity to gain their White Card qualifications on Wednesday, May 4th (Week 1, Term2). There is a sign-up sheet for students outside of my office. Alternatively please contact me at school, or email lauren.oswald558@schools.sa.edu.au to find out more information. The cost of the course will be \$50 (will confirm) and will commence at 9am after home group. Students will be invoiced and must also fill in a green slip to ensure they know what work they are missing in their classes on that day.

Lauren Oswald
The Arts/VET Coordinator

provided at the finish line. Thank you to Chemplus Waikerie for the donation of the sunscreen.

Weather – forecast is for a pleasant day. If it is raining the event will continue as planned. If lightning is present, then teachers will postpone current events and proceed when it safe to do so.

An events at a glance is attached to the newsletter. I wish all competitors an enjoyable day.

Phil Valentine
HPE & Sports Coordinator

SPORTS NEWS

Sports Day 18th March 2016

Waikerie High school has a proud tradition of sporting events and the sports day is the premier event of the year in our sporting program. This is perfect lead up to the Riverland Secondary Schools Sports Associations Sports Day on Wednesday, 6th April in which Waikerie is hosting.

Sports Day Expectations:

The day will start officially at **8:40am**. Throwing event officials will wait for bus students if they are a few minutes late and the first running event (U14 1500m) will commence at 8:50am.

Instructions for all students

1. Dress in house colours ready to compete. Wear appropriate footwear and wear a hat for when you are not competing.
2. Arrive **before 8:40am** and sign in at the desks outside the Recreation Centre
 - a. The school is not open during the day; if you are late you must sign in at the announcer's desk.
 - b. If you are planning an early departure, see the announcer to sign out.
3. Bus students will walk through the school's tennis courts, use the crossing lights and avoid walking through the car park at the rec. centre.
4. Report to your House Captain and cheer on your house mates if not in a morning event.
5. During the day compete, volunteer and spectate.

All students are to attend the day. There is something for everybody: track and field events and ball games are offered. Those students not competing can earn points for their house by assisting with the running of the day. The more volunteers we have, the smoother the day runs. As always, we appreciate the assistance offered by parents. Please let your house captain know if you can assist.

Marion Maywald will run the canteen through the Recreation Centre so plenty of food and drink will be available. Sunscreen and drinking water will be

CANTEEN NEWS

SPORTS DAY FRIDAY 18th MARCH

Canteen facilities will be available at the Rec Centre on Sports Days with a range of hot food, drinks, rolls, sandwiches and wraps.

If you would like to **help in the canteen on these days, please pop in.**

CANTEEN ROSTER As you can see there are a lot of days where help is required. Please consider volunteering.

If you are unable to help by serving in the canteen, you can help by donating products. Eg: carrots, capsicums, onions cucumbers, tomatoes, avocados, cherry tomatoes, corn kernels (frozen or tin), tins of crushed tomatoes, milo, sugar, grated cheese, BBQ sauce, tomato pasta sauce or tomato sauce.

March/April Roster

MAR	18	SPORTS	DAY
	21	L Rowe	K Hawke
	22	V Schmidt	HELP
	23	HELP	C Nayda
	24	J Woollatt	B Phillips
	25	GOOD	FRIDAY
	28	EASTER	MONDAY
	29	S Kreusler	HELP
	30	HELP	K Scott
	31	S Kreusler	HELP
APR	1	W Bell	HELP
	4	M Kokegei	K Hawke
	5	T Souter	T Twigden (Lunch)
	6	INTERSCHOOL	SPORTS DAY
	7	K Fowler	HELP
	8	HELP	B McLean (Lunch)
	11	HELP	S Perry
	12	HELP	K Sargesan
	13	L Mortimer	HELP
	14	S Smith (Lunch)	C Nayda
	15	HELP	HELP

Marion Maywald
Canteen Manager

ADELAIDE SWIMMING 1ST MARCH – MARION AQUATICS CENTRE

Congratulations to our swim team that performed very well at the recent SA Secondary Schools E grade carnival. Waikerie finished second in the combined schools trophy which promotes the school back into D grade next year. Our boys finished second by a single point, whilst the girls achieved a third place. Ten schools competed in total.

It was a smaller squad this year due to the number of students who were able to swim multiple events. Much thanks goes to the students who put their hand up to fill in events that were vacant especially the U15 girls that only had two swimmers in their squad.

Thank you to Mr Tyler for coaching and for the parents who travelled down to support and assist with timekeeping.

Finals Scores

	Boys	Combined	Girls
1st	Concordia 599	Heathfield 1198	Heathfield 637
2nd	Waikerie 598	Waikerie 1140	Norwood-Morialta 569
3rd	Temple 586	Concordia 1103	Waikerie 542

Individual Placings:

1st	BANNISTER, Kira	Open Girls 50 m Backstroke Div 2
2nd	BANNISTER, Kira	Open Girls 50 m Breaststroke Div 2
3rd	BURGEMEISTER, Jack	U15 Boys 50 m Backstroke Div 2
3rd	BURGEMEISTER, Jack	U15 Boys 50 m Breaststroke Div 1
2nd	BURGEMEISTER, Jack	U15 Boys 50 m Freestyle Div 2
3rd	FILLMORE, Rachel	U16 Girls 50 m Backstroke Div 1
1st	FILLMORE, Rachel	U16 Girls 50 m Breaststroke Div 2
3rd	FROST, Riley	U15 Boys 50 m Freestyle Div 3
3rd	GRIFFITHS, Connie	U15 Girls 50 m Backstroke Div 2
2nd	HOCKING, Aden	U15 Boys 50 m Breaststroke Div 2
2nd	HOCKING, Aden	U15 Boys 50 m Freestyle Div 1
2nd	HOCKING, Nick	Open Boys 50 m Breaststroke Div 2
3rd	HOCKING, Nick	Open Boys 50 m Freestyle Div 2
1st	JAWADI, Isabella	U14 Girls 50 m Breaststroke Div 3

2nd	LOCHERT, Shae	Open Boys 50 m Freestyle Div 3
3rd	MACKERETH, Cooper	U14 Boys 50 m Backstroke Div 3
3rd	MACKERETH, Cooper	U14 Boys 50 m Freestyle Div 3
2nd	SIDHU, Declan	U16 Boys 50 m Breaststroke Div 2
1st	SIDHU, Declan	U16 Boys 50 m Freestyle Div 3
2nd	SMITH, James	U16 Boys 50 m Freestyle Div 2
2nd	WEST, Laney	U16 Girls 50 m Backstroke Div 2
3rd	WEST, Laney	U16 Girls 50 m Breaststroke Div 1
1st	WEST, Laney	U16 Girls 50 m Freestyle Div 2
3rd	WHITEHEAD, Joseph	Open Boys 50 m Breaststroke Div 1
3rd	WHITEHEAD, Joseph	Open Boys 50 m Freestyle Div 1
3rd	WAIKERIE	Open Boys 4 X 50 m Medley
3rd	WAIKERIE	U15 Boys 4 X 50 m Freestyle
1st	WAIKERIE	U16 Boys 4 X 50 m Freestyle
1st	WAIKERIE	U16 Girls 4 X 50 m Freestyle



2016 ABORIGINAL CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL CAMP

Recently a group of 16 of our Indigenous Students ranging from Years 8 to 12 attended a three day Cultural and Educational Camp in and around the Adelaide District. This camp was to promote their ancestral culture as well as to increase their knowledge and understanding of traditional practices and foods and to discover future options for further education.

The experiences that the students encountered included a visit to Tauondi College and Flinders University, Warriparinga/Kaurna Cultural Education Centre, the Tjilbruke Monument at Brighton Beach and the historical Colebrook Home Memorial Reconciliation Park where Mrs Dutschke and Samuel Twilley placed some native flowers at the monument.

We also visited and toured the Port Adelaide Football Club where members from the Power Community Mentoring Program Paul Van der Berg, Wade Thompson (former AFL Port Power player) and Robbie Young (current Port Adelaide Magpies player) made time to talk to the students about striving to be the best that they can be. During the visit students also had the opportunity to meet former Magpie great Russel Ebert and a number of current Port Power players including current captain Travis Boak.

Students were also given some time to enjoy recreational activities while staying at the camp site and were also treated to an all you can eat pizza meal.

The final day of the camp was spent at the Mega Adventure Park where everyone got to try out the 26 metre high structure with 50 aerial crossings. Mr Stevens was one of the last to hop off as he was enjoying it so much. Mrs Dutschke was too busy taking Photos.

It was a very quiet trip on the way home. Arriving back at school to enjoy a family BBQ kindly prepared and cooked by Mrs Maywald and Mr McLaren.

According to feedback from the students, Colebrook Memorial Reconciliation Park and the Mega Adventure Park were the highlights of the camp.

The school would like to thank the Waikerie Rotary Club for their generous donation without their help a lot of the activities would not have been

possible. In the near future two of our students will be attending a Rotary Dinner to talk about their experience.

Marilyn Dutschke
Aboriginal Community Education



EVENTS AT A GLANCE

Boys	Under 14	Under 15	Under 16	Open
Shot Put	9.40	9.20	9.00	8.40
Javelin	9.20	9.40	8.40	9.00
Discus	9.00	8.40	9.40	9.20
100m A	10.23	10.33	10.42	10.54
100m B	10.19	10.30	10.40	10.51
200m	1.09	1.19	1.29	1.35
400m	12.15	12.25	12.35	12.45
800m	2.15	2.20	2.25	2.30
1500m	8.50	9.05	9.25	9.45
Hurdles	11.45	11.54	12.00	12.05
Long Jump	1.31	10.36	10.00	11.12
Triple Jump	12.25	11.17	1.00	10.05
High Jump	10.36	10.00	11.20	12.25
4x100m Relay	2.42	2.46	2.50	2.54
Girls	Under 14	Under 15	Under 16	Open
Shot Put	9.40	9.20	9.00	8.40
Javelin	9.20	9.40	8.40	9.00
Discus	9.00	8.40	9.40	9.20
100m A	10.17	10.27	10.38	10.45
100m B	10.15	10.25	10.36	10.45
200m	1.03	1.15	1.24	1.33
400m	12.20	12.30	12.40	12.50
800m	2.15	2.20	2.25	2.30
1500m	8.50	9.05	9.25	9.45
Hurdles	11.40	11.48	11.51	11.56
Long Jump	1.31	10.36	10.00	11.12
Triple Jump	12.25	11.17	1.00	10.05
High Jump	10.36	10.00	11.20	12.25
4x100m Relay	2.40	2.44	2.48	2.52
Ball Games	Year 8	Year 9	Senior	
Boys Football Relay	1.55	1.50	1.45	
Girls Circle Gap	11.02	10.59	10.56	
Mixed Soccer Relay	11.30	11.25	11.20	
Mixed Spoke Relay	2.10	2.05	2.00	

L O X T O N
Arts and Crafts Inc.
Kids' Easter Craft Workshops



Saturday 19th March, 2016

Location: Loxton CWA Hall – Kokoda Tce, Loxton



Easter Card Making

with Kath Gillard

Time: between 9.30-11.30am

Create an Easter Bunny card and add extra detail with stamps and other embellishments.

Workshop Cost: \$5 - Bookings appreciated

Easter Baskets

with Domenica Tootell

Time: between 9.30am-11.30am

Create an Easter Bunny or Chick basket and experiment with flower craft punches to add embellishments.

Workshop cost: \$5 - Bookings appreciated



Pottery Egg Cups

with Erin Harrald

Session Times: 9.30am-10.30am or 10.30am-11.30am

Learn the skills to create an egg cup from clay. Participants can add their own personal touch to make it unique.

Workshop Cost: \$10 – Bookings essential



Please call Domenica on 0419 820 483 for bookings

Loxton Arts and Crafts Inc. would like to thank the Loxton Waikerie Council for covering the costs of all materials for these workshops through a Community Grants Program