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CHURCHLANDS
SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

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News in Brief

World's greatest shave to raise money for the Leukaemia Foundation.

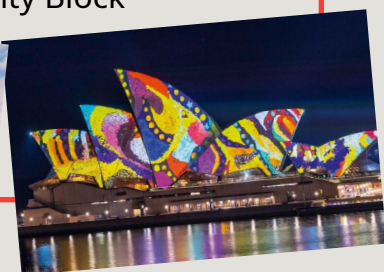


Amount raised \$7464.95

Reminder to parents

Year 10 AEP Canberra / Sydney Tour
Parent Information Evening

Wednesday 26 August - 6pm
F Activity Block



Congratulations

A huge Thank You from Bliss Studio and Make-A-Wish Foundation for supporting our Fundraiser via our Charity Photo Booth at your School Ball. As a participating school you have helped raise a massive \$5686!



Thank You

Bliss Studio
for raising \$5,686 for Make-A-Wish

Thank you for being a
participating school!

Make-A-Wish
AUSTRALIA

Congratulations, Goodbye and Good Luck

Farewell to our revered Director ICT Mr Shaq Herath who has won a position as Director of Information Technology at Trinity College.

Shaq who is a former student of Churchlands SHS (class of 2003) has led the ICT team at Churchlands since 2017. In that time, he has delivered initiatives to ensure that IT Teaching and Learning was geared to operate way above any other school in WA and certainly leaves Churchlands SHS technologically advantaged.

Shaq served on the School Board representing staff between 2020 and 2022.

The school would like to thank Shaq for his wonderful service to Churchlands SHS and wish him the very best of luck for all future endeavours.



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News from Middle Secondary

A massive thank you to students and parents in completing subject selection for 2024. NAPLAN results and OLNA pre-qualifications are now in SEQTA. The new proficiency levels or standards seemed to cause some questions for students who were deemed as "Strong" but did not meet the standards. As in the past there is a minimum score aligned with the scores in the old NAPLAN Band 8 which falls in the strong section of the new standards in your child's NAPLAN report.

In week 3 Term 4, we will have the first of six possible OLNA sessions for students who have not demonstrated this standard. From past results, we expect the majority of our Year 9 students to meet the minimum requirements from the first sitting in October this year.

Support for preparing students for OLNA is ongoing but specific assistance will be provided in English classes and Mathematics.

NAPLAN reporting is changing from 2023

Visit the NAPLAN results and reports page to read about the changes.



<https://www.nap.edu.au/results-and-reports>

Helpful Podcast for Parents

This is a link to a podcast which may be helpful for many of our parents who have students with ADHD.

<https://www.additudemag.com/webinar/executive-functioning-skills-adhd-teens-school/>



Source: Additude Magazine

Year 12 Textile Displays



Welcome New Staff



Ms Rymarczyk
Education Assistant



Ms Michalkova
Education Assistant



Mr Gott
Education Assistant



Ms Jack
Library Officer



Ms Murray
Learning Support Teacher



Learning Support Teacher

Good luck to Ms Adriansz with your new fixed term position at Gilmore Catholic College for the remainder of the year. We wish you well in all future endeavours.

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Year 9 -12 Individual Champions

	Boys	Girls
Year 9	Seb Lyttle, Eita Samukawa	Jessica McNally
	Noah Blakeney	Audrey Minaee
	Isaac Romeo	Ava Norwood
Year 10	Hudson MacNeill	Gabrielle Maxton
	Jackson Muir	Paige Pickford
	Jethro Lucas	Isobelle Herriot
Year 11	Jacob Lourens	Charlie Kemp
	Aden McDonald	Colette Eason
	Joel Parker	Ella Juracich
Year 12	Cooper Russell	Sophia Dark
	Zack Cook	Sienna Pallavicini
	Max Wagenaar	Ivy Foyster

New record holders

Yr 9	Audrey Minaee	Triple Jump	10.37m
Yr 9	Seb Lyttle	400m	57.13sec
Yr 10	Paige Pickford	Triple Jump	10.21m
Yr 11	Aden McDonald	Long Jump	6.70m
		100m	11.67sec
Yr 11	Charlie Crogan	Triple Jump	12.88m
		High Jump	1.83m
Yr 12	Francesca Baker	Triple Jump	10.09m



The inter-school team will start training next week every

Tuesday

3.10pm-4.10pm

Thursdays

7.50am-8.50am.

Formative Assessment Eliciting Evidence of Learning Example 2

Reminder:

Eliciting evidence of learning is a formative assessment strategy that involves teachers using planned practices to collect information to establish where students are in their learning and use this to inform the next step.

The Year 11 Accounting and Finance students participated in three events as part of the end of financial year games.

Each event was designed to consolidate their understanding of accounting concepts relating to balance day adjustments.

Using a game format not only encourages active participation from all students but allows the teacher to observe and evaluate student understanding, providing them with feedback on what terms and concepts they understand, and which need further consolidation in future lessons.

Event One: Account Relay Quiz

Students form teams, answering questions asked by the teacher on complex topic of Balance Day Adjustment. When they get a correct answer the student shifts to the back of the line and the next member answers. A round is won when all students in the group have answered a question correctly. Best of three rounds wins.

Event Two: Account Classification

This is like a variation of "pass the parcel." Students sit in a circle, each with a sticky label showing a Balance Day Adjustment term like "Accrued Income" or "Prepaid Rent". A student calls a term/category, and a student with this label shifts chairs moving to a chair that indicates they understand how their term is classified. Rounds continue, eliminating chairs until one winner remains.

Event Three: True/False

Students sit in pairs of chairs, back-to-back, in a line. One chair labelled "false" is at one end, and the "true" chair is at the opposite end. The starting pair competes, running to their chosen chair for the first question. The student who sits on the correct chair first advances. Each subsequent pair answers a question. Winning pairs proceed until there is one final winner.

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SEQTA Engage Absentee Note Form

Convenient, Quick, User Friendly

Thank you to all those parents who are using this form already.

As part of our continuous efforts to improve communication and streamline processes, we are introducing a new and convenient option for reporting daily absences, the 'Absentee Note Form'.

Parents/Guardians can now use this online form available on SEQTA Engage to notify the school of a student's absence whether due to illness, appointments or other reasons. This form will allow you to easily provide us with essential information about your child's absence.

Parents/Guardians can log on to SEQTA Engage,

<https://parent.churchlands.wa.edu.au/>

- On the dashboard Click Portals
- On Portals Click Absentee Note
- Fill in the required information,
- Submit the form before 9 am.

This process will save you time and help our staff to accurately record the information.

Please note that while the Absentee Note Form offers a digital option, you can still call the absentee line on 9441 1700 to report absences.

Please note. Students must still sign in at Students Services if you use this form for lateness or early departure

Thank you for your cooperation in ensuring your child's attendance is up to date.

From the Library

Australian School Library Day will be celebrated on the 23rd of August 2023, which is the Wednesday of the Children's Book Council of Australia 2023 Children's Book Week®.

The purpose of Australian School Library Day is to celebrate and highlight the glorious variety of things that your school library staff do - especially those things that may normally be 'hidden' from view but are so essential to the far-reaching web of impact that the school library has in your school.

By raising awareness of the benefits of a well-resourced and suitably staffed school library we hope to ensure that future generations enjoy them as well.

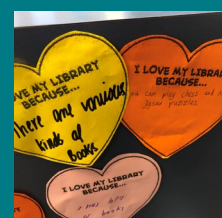
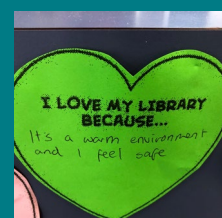
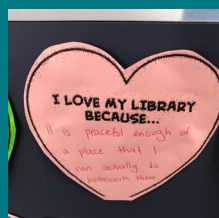
Churchlands Senior High School students will celebrate both these events with displays and a "Guess the book from just a bit of the cover competition"

as well as asking students in forms to write on hearts to build our "we love the library display"

Students are encouraged to pop in and see our display and take part in our activities. We will also have lovely bookmarks to colour.



Australian School Library Appreciation Day





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SCHOOL BOARD OPEN MEETING INVITATION

Date: Thursday 7 September 2023 | Time: 5.30pm | Conference Room
(via the main reception area in Administration)

In keeping with the Churchlands Senior High School's Terms of Reference we extend an invitation to any parents/guardians as observers, to the next School Board meeting. The Chair of the Board will report on the performance of the Board's functions.

You may also be interested in the Churchlands P&C who aim to promote community engagement between parents and the school.

Please RSVP your attendance or if you would like further information on the agenda for this meeting please contact Mrs Kylie Hearle on 9441 1719 / khearle@churchlands.wa.edu.au

Documents describing the role of the School Board and the Terms of Reference and information about the P&C can be found on the school website under Our Community - School Board or P&C



Date
Tuesday 29 August 2023

Time
5.00 pm to 7.30 pm

Venue
Taryn Fiebig Concert Hall

Bookings

<https://www.trybooking.com/CKOVX>



Churchlands Senior High School has operated a highly successful and well-resourced student laptop program for several years. Come along to our ICT Information Night to learn about the program and how Churchlands Senior High School maintains an engaging and safe online learning environment for its students.

PROGRAM

5.00 pm	Door opens
5.10 pm	ICT and STEM teaching and Learning at Churchlands SHS
5.50 pm	Stott & Hoare BYOD Program
7.30 pm	Close

Students are encouraged to attend with their parents

www.churchlands.wa.edu.au | Tel: 9441 1700 | Connect with us /churchlands-shs



FRIDAY
25 August 2023

Promote diversity and inclusion

- ♥ Flag raising (before school)
- ♥ Accessorize something **PURPLE** or **RAINBOW**
- ♥ Library display

@ the quad at lunch

- ♥ Face painting
- ♥ Purple nail polish
- ♥ Free fairy bread
- ♥ Friday beats queer friendly music

Wear it Purple day strives to foster supportive, safe, empowering and inclusive environment for rainbow young people. It is a collaborative effort to tell students and community that 'we accept students for who they are and believe all students should feel a sense of belonging in our community'.

What's coming up?

Term 3, 2023

24 August - Intermediate Concert 7pm

24 August - Australian Informatics Competition

26 August - Year 6 AEP testing

29 August - Year 7 2024 ICT Information Night

30 August - Year 11 ATAR Politics & Law Excursion to the courts

31 August - 2 Sept - Year 11 Biology Camp

1 September - Junior Concert 6pm - 7.30pm

1 September - Free dress day - Theme Fantasy

2-3 September - Choral Festival

4 September - P&C Meeting 7.30pm

4 September - Year 9&10 Swimming Cadet Camp - Coral Bay

4 September - OLNA Years 10,11,12

4 September - Year 12 Workplace Learning

Quote of the Day

The happiest people don't have the best of everything, they just make the best of everything they have.

Anonymous



Family and Community Engagement

JB 6 A-SIDE SUMMER SOCCER



**SEASON STARTS 24TH
OCTOBER 2023**

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Volunteers wanted for Assessment Demonstration

My name is Sarah and I'm the Research Development Manager at CliniKids. A big part of my role is helping us to translate best practice into the clinical community.

One of the most effective tools we have for supporting professionals to learn new skills is through the use of 'demonstration videos'. Videos have been shown to be incredibly helpful for adult learning. We use demonstration videos to make sure that clinical professionals are better trained and prepared to support children and families. We are currently desperately seeking volunteers to be videoed completing the 'Autism Diagnostic Observation Scale (ADOS)' diagnosis.

If you are interested please ring me for more information on 6319 1832 or email sarah.pillar@telethonkids.org.au




FUTURE ENGINEERS PROGRAM

Learn about the Future of Energy & STEM careers in the Subsea and Energy industries!

- Learn about the Future of Energy and what it means to you.
- Visit offices in Perth and experience cool site visits.
- Explore the Indian Ocean Marine Research Centre at UWA.
- Interact with the latest technology that will blow your socks off.
- Build self-confidence and public speaking skills.
- Hear from passionate STEM professionals in the industry.

**OCTOBER 2023 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS
APPLY TODAY!**

This program is open only to females attending WA high schools.
This includes individuals who identify as female.

MONDAY - FRIDAY 2ND - 6TH OCTOBER 2023



Scan the QR code or download the application form at bit.ly/FutureEngineersProgram

Contact us at wise@subseaenergy.org.au for more info!

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Are you an Olympian in the making?

Discover your potential at the **WAIS Talent Search**
on Saturday 09 September 2023

As we gear up for the home Olympic Games in 2032, we are looking for the next generation of Western Australian athletes. If you are aged between 13 and 18, you can test your potential to be successful in rowing, sprint kayak and cycling.
Location: WAIS High Performance Service Centre, Mt Claremont | Contact: tgatt@wis.org.au



ROWING
Do you enjoy the challenge of training and racing hard?

- Long levers
- High overall strength and endurance capacity
- General toughness and appetite to challenge yourself with hard training



SPRINT KAYAK
Love the water with a desire to become strong and powerful?

- High overall strength and explosive power
- Good middle distance speed and endurance (<5 min)
- Coordination, balance and ability to learn new skills



CYCLING
Want to go fast and discover your power?

- Lower body strength
- Lower body explosive power
- Very good endurance capacity

Sign up using the QR code




Family and Community Engagement

EAST FREMANTLE YACHT CLUB

DISCOVER SAILING DAY

SUNDAY
10 SEPTEMBER
9AM - 12PM

Bring a friend down & try:

- keelboat sailing
- stand up paddling
- dinghy sailing
- meet our coaches
- explore the club
- stay for lunch

All boats and safety equipment are provided by the Club. All you need to bring are clothes and shoes you don't mind getting wet, sunscreen and a hat. Call 9339-8111 to book today!

For all ages & abilities!



SCAN HERE TO REGISTER

FREE EVENT OPEN TO PUBLIC

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STEM One Day Workshop

For Years 9, 10, 11 & 12

Inviting students interested in Engineering, Physics, or Mathematics to come and explore engineering and applied science concepts through a series of hands-on and engaging workshops during the school holidays. The activities are STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) focused and have been designed and developed by ECU's School of Engineering for their CREATE program.

Through these workshops, students will have the opportunity to engage with multidisciplinary studies relating to a range of different engineering fields, the courses they are aligned to, and the diverse career opportunities they will have the potential to experience as engineers.

Do not miss out on the opportunity to attend these workshops.

Activities

- Civil Engineering
- Bridge Design & Building
- Mechatronics (Automation)

Dates
27, 28 & 29 September 2023


Time
9:15am – 3:00pm

Location
ECU Joondalup Campus, Building 23

Enquiries
E se-create@ecu.edu.au
P (08) 6304 2324

Register your participation by QR code scan or at <https://www.trybooking.com/CKL6Z>
Registrations close 15 September 2023

Information contained in this flyer was correct at the time of printing and may be subject to change.
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Positive Partnerships have a range of autism workshops specifically for parents/carers and school staff.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

TERM 3 & 4 WORKSHOPS 2023

- Our parent and carer workshops are designed to help parents and carers understand their young person and foster productive school, family and community relationships.
- Our autism programs are designed to help educators increase their understanding of autism and improve their skills and expertise when working with autistic students. They also provide strategies and resources for strengthening relationships between home and school.

Term 3

mid July-early Aug	Parent Carer Online Sessions	National Online
early August	1 Day Parent Carer	Ballajura
mid August	2 Day Professional Learning	Albany
mid Aug-early Sep	Professional Learning Online Sessions	National Online





Term 4

mid Oct-early Nov	Professional Learning Online Sessions	National Online
late October	2 Day Professional Learning	Canningvale
early November	Professional Learning Online Sessions	WA Online
mid November	1 Day Parent Carer	Canningvale

NB: dates are subject to change


If you would like to find out more, please contact:
Rebecca Wahlsten, Coordinator WA | M: 0447 810 025 | rwahlsten@positivepartnerships.com.au

To learn more about the program types, please scan the QR code or visit www.positivepartnerships.com.au

Diverse Communities Parent and Carer Professional Learning Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Peoples

This initiative is funded by the Australian Government Department of Education through the Helping Children with Autism package. The views expressed within these workshops do not necessarily represent the views of the Australian Government or the Australian Government Department of Education.



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- Guidance from a highly qualified and experienced exam marker

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