



News in Brief

Year 7 Camp 2023

Nearly 90% of Year 7 students attended an orientation camp at Ern Halliday Recreation Camp in Hillarys during week five. Despite the high temperatures, students eagerly participated in ice breaking team activities such as caving, oval sports, beach games, letters to their future self and fun quizzes. Orientation camp was an excellent opportunity for our Year 7s to build friendships with their new cohort and create their first high school memories. We hope they enjoyed the adventure.

School Tour - 17 March

The Principal Mr Neil Hunt will host the next school tour on Friday 17 March. Take the opportunity to make an informed decision about sending your student to Churchlands SHS. Make a booking on our website under the New Student tab.

New Grass on Oval

Have you noticed how great the school looks from Hale Road? There was great excitement when staff and students witnessed the final demountable being removed from the oval. New turf that would rival Optus Stadium was laid soon after and the oval was re-stored to it's former glory. As soon as the fences came down the students flooded on to the new grass for picnics and ball games.

What a beautiful sight!

Extra curricula activities

Did you know CSHS offers students the opportunity to participate in a wide range of extracurricular activities to further their interests, develop new skills and make new friends? Students are encouraged to partake in these activities that are offered for FREE. Activities are held before/after school and during break times.

Click on the link to discover what is on offer

<https://www.churchlands.wa.edu.au/assets/documents/CSHS-Extracurricular-Activities-Sem-1-2023.pdf>

Individual Pathway Planning for Year 8 students

During form class every Tuesday the year 8 students are completing their Individual Pathway Planning.

This pathway planning is available to them as they move through high school. Pathway planning helps students explore, reflect, identify and evaluate the learning and work **pathways** available and recognise opportunities, make connections and prepare for transitions.

In short the IPP resources provide advice and guidance by

- year level
- developmental approach

The IPP resources focus on

- self awareness
- career exploration
- action planning



Mobile Phone Policy

Mobile phones are to be off and away all day. They should not be in use while on school site from the first bell at 8:55am until the last bell at 3:00pm. We want all students to engage with their education and with their peers without the distraction of their mobiles.



NAPLAN Enquiries

Please contact the following staff if you have any queries relating to NAPLAN.

Mr Johnston for Year 7

rjohnston@churchlands.wa.edu.au

Mr Boyadjian for Year 9

hboyadjian@churchlands.wa.edu.au

Current student numbers

2427



to **Ashley Popp** in Year 11 who has recently been named in the Australian Softball U18s Talent Development Squad. Ashley will travel to Canberra in April to attend a camp at the Australian Institute of Sport and be eligible to play in international tournaments. Well Done Ashley on your wonderful achievement!



to **Sebastian Lyttle** who won two gold medals in the 2023 WA State Track and Field Championships this weekend. He ran first in the Men's Under 15 800m and 1500m races. These performances qualify him for the Australian Track and Field Championships in Brisbane in addition to an invitation to join the Athletics West International Team competing in Singapore in July. Congratulations on your dedication and commitment to sport Seb!

Quote of the Day

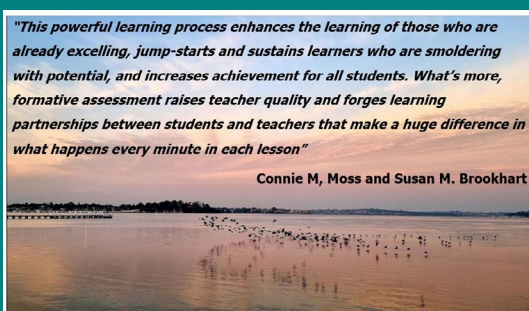
Kindness is seeing the best in others when they cannot see it in themselves.

Churchlands Bytes

Formative Assessment A Whole School Focus

Formative assessment is a key component of the school business plan which will be in place from 2023 to 2026. Below are the three targets relating to this initiative.

- Teachers have completed Formative Assessment collaborative professional learning utilising an ongoing action-learning component.
- Formative Assessment practices are evidence in the classroom practice of all teachers.
- Students engage in Formative Assessment practice to improve their own learning.



Newsletters and bytes will contain information and examples illustrating how we are implementing formative assessment. If you would like to more detailed information or are keen to be part of this initiative contact Ms Kym Lucchesi: klucchesi@churchlands.wa.edu.au

2023 Secondary Assistance Scheme

Secondary Assistance applications must be claimed by Thursday 6 April 2023. A current Health Care Card must be presented to staff in Administration.

Contributions and Charges

The cashier can be reached on 9441 1711 to discuss payments or QKR issues. For parents paying directly into the school bank account please ensure that you include the student's name and year level so funds can be allocated correctly.

Win Win Win

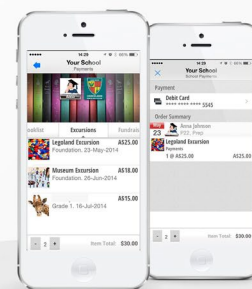
Pay the amount listed at the bottom of your contributions and charges sheet by Thursday 6 April 2023 and go into a draw to win back your payment! This initiative is always very popular with our parents.

For quicker, hassle-free school payments, try *Qkr!* today



Introducing *Qkr!* (pronounced 'quicker') by MasterCard: the easy-to-use phone app that gives you the flexibility to place orders at a time and place that suits you. *Qkr!*:

- Saves you time by letting you order and pay for school items directly from your phone;
- Reduces the need for your child to bring cash to school;
- Reduces the time school staff spend on administrative tasks



Getting started is easy - try it yourself today

Step 1 Download Qkr!

on your Android phone or iPhone. iPad users can download iPhone app



Step 2 Register

Select your Country of Residence as 'Australia' and follow the steps to register

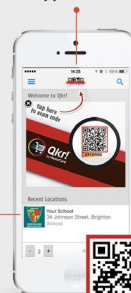
Step 3 Find our school

Scan the QR code or search for our school name. Our school will also appear in "Locations Nearby" if you are within 4kms of the school

Step 4 Register your children

When first accessing your school menu, you will be prompted to register your child. This allows you to make school orders on their behalf.

Scan QR code provided by your school




Or search for our school name

If within 4kms of the school, you can select from "Locations Nearby"



Now you're ready to order directly from your phone...

Churchlands Bytes



My Churchlands

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- FINANCES >
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- LIBRARY** >
- PARKING >
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Home > MyChurchlands > Library

LIBRARY

Churchlands Library is an inviting and engaging flexible space for students to enjoy. The Teachers - Library provides support for the teaching and learning programmes to staff and students.

We select and evaluate materials for students, we assist students with the development of skills of collaborating, critical thinking, communicating and creating as well as manage the physical space of our great library.

Our Library is a community hub for our students.

The Library hours are 8.00am to 4.00pm including most break times.

Year 7-8 students have access during Break 1 between 11.10am to 11.35am
Year 9-10 students have access during Break 2 between 1.35pm to 2.00pm
Year 11-12 students have access both Break 1 and Break 2.

Three online resources for all students and families to use

<https://cshs.softlinkhosting.com.au/oliver/home/news>



The WEST AUSTRALIAN

(Click on images below)



Username: churchlands
Password: newspapers

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eBooks & AudioBooks



Churchlands Bytes

What's Coming Up?

Churchlands School of Music

presents

Twilight Jazz

on the Green!

At Churchlands SHS on the new lawn by the pool.



17th March 2023 6pm – 8:30pm

Family and friends are invited to a twilight picnic to enjoy swinging Jazz.

Our big bands; Ellingtons, BlueNotes and Birdland will each perform alongside small combos and current Alumni WAAPA students.

Please support our fundraising efforts by entering our raffle.
You may just have the luck of the Irish and win!

If you are considering bringing alcohol, then please do so in moderation and drink responsibly as this is a school event.

Join the stars under the stars for a night of swinging Jazz!

	Term 1, 2023
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7	Year 9&10 Young Writers Excursion
8	Year 9 HASS Law Courts Excursion
10	Year 11 Geography Excursion - Perth Hills
13	MPC Meeting 7.30pm
14	Year 12 EES Excursion - Bells Rapids
15-24	NAPLAN Testing Years 7&9
17	School Tour 9.15am
17	Jazz Twilight Concert - oval
20	P&C Meeting 7.30pm
22	Staff Conference
23	School Ball
24	PD Day for Staff. Students do not attend.
27&28	Year 12 Biology Excursion Harry Perkins
29	Year 7 & 8 Fun Run
30	School Board Meeting
30	Year 11 Body Boarding Competition
30	A Grade Interschool Swimming Carnival
31	Year 9 and 11 Interim Reports due
31	Free dress day - Fundraiser
31	Year 9 -12 Churchlands Surf Competition
31	Curtin Uni Ready excursion

- Free event / no tickets required / BYO drinks and rugs
 - Food options available for picnics, book by 12 March
 - [Click here for food bookings](#)
 - Fundraising for the CSHS Japan Music Tour
- Whole school community welcome!**



FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



Department of
Education

Shaping the future

Career Conversations 2023

Bringing families together

Career information for families

As parents/carers, you are the greatest influencers of your children's career decision making. Together with schools we can prepare young people for the many opportunities and challenges ahead.

We all need to be having career conversations beginning much earlier than secondary school.

Armed with accurate, up-to-date information, families can explore together the full range of options and pathways open to young people.

Join the conversation about post school options at our free parent events in your local area. Come and hear about:

- exploring university and training pathways
- career pathway information for young people with disabilities
- where to find accurate, up-to-date career pathway information
- where the jobs are
- what employers and industry are looking for.

Register for an event



Region	Location	Date
Breakfast events (7:30 am to 8:15 am)		
Central Perth	Perth CBD	Monday 3 April
Metropolitan events (6:30 pm to 8:00 pm)		
North Metropolitan	Joondalup	Monday 29 May
	Scarborough	Tuesday 14 March
	Bentley	Thursday 16 March
South Metropolitan	Henderson	Wednesday 15 March
	Mandurah	Monday 15 May
Regional events (6:30 pm to 8:00 pm)		
Goldfields	Esperance	Thursday 8 June
	Kalgoorlie	Tuesday 13 June
Kimberley	Broome	Tuesday 2 May
	Kununurra	Tuesday 8 August
	Camaron	Thursday 27 July
Mid-West	Geraldton	Monday 22 May
	Hedland	Thursday 22 June
Pilbara	Karratha	Wednesday 21 June
	Newman	Tuesday 25 July
	Tom Price	Thursday 10 August
Southwest	Albany	Monday 8 May
	Bunbury	Tuesday 28 March
	Busselton	Monday 27 March
Wheatbelt	Narrogin	Wednesday 31 May
	Northam	Thursday 25 May
Online events (5:30 pm to 6:30 pm)		
All	Online	Tuesday 4 April
All	Online	Monday 26 June



BODY CONFIDENT CHILDREN & TEENS WEBINAR

SUPPORTING BODY CONFIDENCE AND HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS WITH FOOD AND EXERCISE IN YOUNG PEOPLE

TUESDAY 21ST MARCH 2023

7.00PM – 8.15PM

VIA ZOOM – Time-limited recording available

AUDIENCE
Parents & Community

SESSION LENGTH
1hr 15mins

COST
\$15

BOOK NOW



This relaxed and informative seminar for carers of primary and secondary age children gives practical tips to help you better understand and promote positive body image in the home. Delivered by the Butterfly Foundation, Australia's largest not-for-profit for eating disorders and body image concerns.

In this session you will cover:

- Overview of body image and the importance of prevention
- The spectrum of body and eating issues
- Key influence on body image, including social media
- The impact of diet culture and weight stigma
- Busting common myths around eating disorders
- Reducing appearance talk and how to respond when a child expresses negativity towards themselves/others
- The power of role modelling positive body image and behaviours
- Understanding warning signs and the importance of early intervention.

TESTIMONIALS

"So glad I came. There is so much pressure on kids these days, it's hard to know what to do. This has given me lots of practical ideas." Parent WA

CHURCHLANDS SHS

QUIZ NIGHT!

FOOD & DRINKS AVAILABLE

ALL WELCOME!

QUESTION ANSWER QUESTION

MAX 8 PEOPLE PER TABLE

SATURDAY | 1ST APRIL | 7 PM

PRIZES | SILENT AUCTION | GAMES

CHURCHLANDS SHS GYM | 12 LUCCA STREET

EXTRA POINTS FOR THE BEST THEMED TABLE! AN EVENING OF FUN FOR THE COMMUNITY!

www.trybooking.com/CFNWH

Come and Try

UWA WEST COAST SWIMMING CLUB

Youth Squad

For High School Students

Squad sessions available - Monday to Saturday

HBF Stadium - Mt Claremont and UWA Aquatic Centre - Crawley

COME AND TRY a FREE Youth Squad session

administration@uwawestcoast.org

08 6156 1900

www.uwawestcoast.org

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FOR YOUNG PEOPLE



Department of Education
Department of Health

THE FACTS ABOUT VAPING

Vapes are electronic devices designed to deliver vapourised liquids into your lungs when you breathe in. Vapes aren't water. The main ingredient in vapes is propylene glycol, vegetable glycerine or glycerol, and they often also contain nicotine, flavours and other chemicals. Vapes may contain harmful chemicals that aren't listed on the pack.

The biggest misunderstanding about vapes is that they are harmless compared to cigarettes. This is not true. **Vapes are not safe.**

DO YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'RE VAPING?



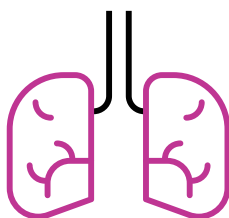
Many vapes contain nicotine making them **very addictive**



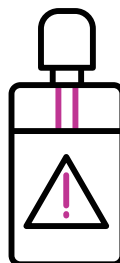
The nicotine in 1 vape can
= 50
cigarettes



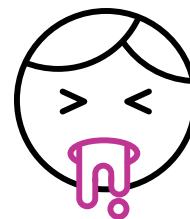
If you vape you are **3 times** as likely to take up smoking cigarettes



Vaping has been linked to **serious lung disease**



Vape aerosol **is not water vapour**



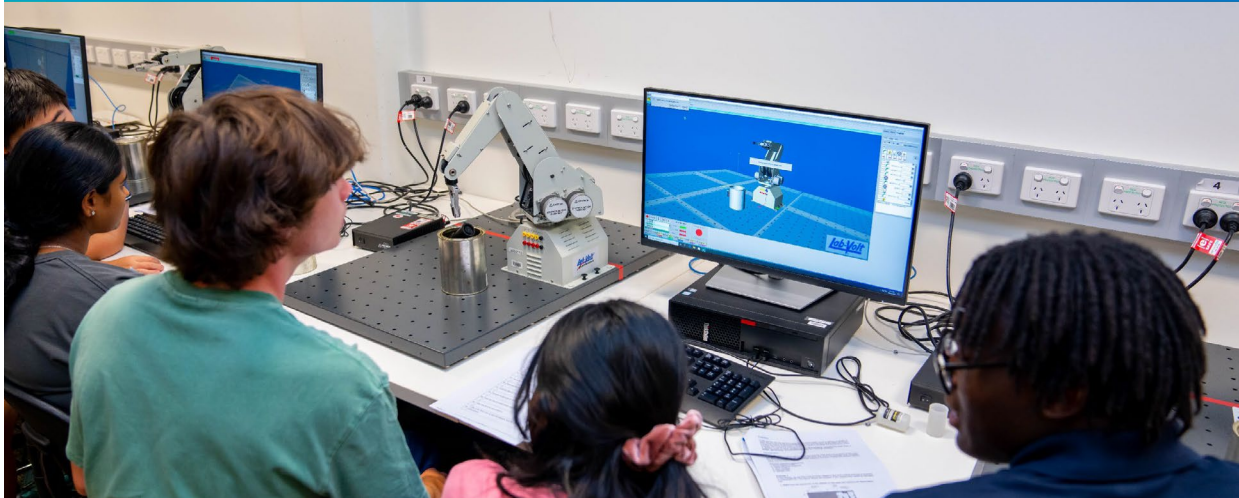
Vapes can contain the same **harmful chemicals** found in cleaning products, nail polish remover, weed killer and bug spray.

For more information [Click here](#)

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



School of
Engineering



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. Register your participation by QR code scan or at <https://www.trybooking.com/CGLGK>



Registrations close 4 April 2023.

ENQUIRIES

E: se-create@ecu.edu.au

T: (08) 6304 292

ACTIVITIES

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

DATES

11, 12 & 13 April 2023

TIME

9.15 AM – 3.00PM

LOCATION

ECU Joondalup Campus
Building 23