



Important Dates

Last Day Term 1 -
2024

Thursday 11 April 2024

Pupil Free Day

Friday 12 April 2024

ANZAC DAY -
Public Holiday

Thursday 25 April 2024

First Day Term 2
2024

Monday 29 April 2024

Kings Birthday -
Public Holiday

Monday 10 June 2024

Last Day Term 2 -
2024

Thursday 4 July 2024

Pupil Free Day

Friday 5 July 2024

First Day Term 3
2024

Monday 22 July 2024

Last Day Term 3 -
2024

Thursday 26 September
2024

Pupil Free Day

Friday 27 September 2024

First Day Term 4
2024

Monday 14 October 2024

Last Day Term 4 -
2024

Wednesday 11 December
2024

Pupil Free Day

Thursday 12 December 2024

Pupil Free Day

Friday 13 December 2024

From the Principal

Hello Friends

Here we are at the end of the first term of 2024. 11 weeks for students and nearly 13 weeks of work and commitment from staff.

We have celebrated:

- Aquatics Day
- Lenten Celebrations

- Assemblies
- NAPLAN
- Clean Up Australia Day
- Excursions and Incursions
- Swimming Carnivals
- Swimming Week
- Harmony Day
- Holy Week Celebrations
- Parent Teacher Conversation

I get the sense that the students are ready for a break and at the same time compliment them on their commitment and efforts to their learning this term.

Uniform Consultation and Feedback

I thank you for your contribution to this process. Our uniform prototypes will be on display until Friday 10 May. Visit Audiri or contact the school for the feedback link and hard copy forms. We look forward to hearing from you.

Vacation Care Program

For the first time, we can offer a vacation care program delivered via Camp Australia here on site at CTK. Contact camp Australia for registration and booking details. There are many great activities available for students during the holiday period with Camp Australia.

Term 1 and Term 2

A reminder that ***Term 1 finishes on Thursday 11 April at 3.10pm***. Students will be wearing 'casual clothes' on this day. Staff will be at school on Friday 12 April and this is a Pupil Free Day. ***Term 2 begins on Monday 29 April***.

"You deserve to feel proud of your progress, no matter how small." – Shawn Achor, *The Happiness Advantage*, 2010

Thanks and Blessings

Matt Perry

APRIM News

I often receive questions from community members about Easter's length. New members of our community are surprised that we continue to celebrate the Easter Season well after the Long Weekend. The Season of Easter is longer than the Season of Lent but as we do not 'give up' anything we often don't mark the days in Easter and the Season passes us by. We meet each week as a community during the season and share prayer and masses to celebrate Easter and the message that 'He Is Risen'.

Here are some facts about the Easter Season that you may find interesting.

Days

Easter Season begins on Easter Day (Easter Sunday) and lasts 50 days, ending on Pentecost.

Date

In 325 AD, the 'church council of Nicea' decided that Easter should be made a true holiday. They established that it should be held on the first Sunday after the full moon, after the 21st of March, which is the Equinox. This means that Easter can land anywhere between late March and late April.

Colours:

In most churches, the decorations are white and gold.

The East:

Orthodox churches use the Julian calendar to calculate Easter Day and adjust the date so that it falls after the Jewish Passover. This year the date of Easter Sunday is 5th May. For them, Easter Season also lasts fifty days, ending on Pentecost.

REGIONAL ASSEMBLY

Have you ever been curious about the many branches of our local Catholic church: schools, organisations, outreach... There will be presentations, displays, sausage sizzle and opportunities for you to ask questions.

On May 4th you are invited to visit The Regional Assembly. It will take place at Sacred Heart Champagnat Campus. 28 Percy Ave, Mitchell Park. A flier invitation is included in this newsletter.

WAYS TO PRAY- A SERIES

Contemplation

One of the aims of contemplation is to simply be in the presence of God, as one might with a friend. It is often accompanied by a conscious stilling of our mind and body, which can help us to become aware of God's quiet presence. The repetition of a particular word or phrase, or concentrating on our posture or breathing, can help to remove distractions so that we can concentrate on God.

PROJECT COMPASSION

Thank you to the many families who have sent in their collection boxes. The school will do a final tally and send the money into Caritas at the end of Wk. 1 Term 2 (3rd May). We will gladly collect boxes until then.

Teresa Pascoe

Assistant Principal, Religious Identity and Mission

LIBRARY NEWS

HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Our local Libraries do a wonderful job of providing events throughout the holidays. The link below takes you to the Marion and Glenelg event's page.

<https://www.marion.sa.gov.au/things-to-do/school-holiday-guide>

<https://www.glenelglibraries.vic.gov.au/Events-and-Programs/Events-and-Programs-Listing>

Teresa Pascoe

Teacher/Librarian

SACPSSA - Swimming Carnival



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On Wednesday 3rd April some of our students competed in the SACPSA swimming carnival at the SA Aquatic Centre.

They competed against 6 other schools. All of our Yr 3,4,5 and 6 swimming squad members did a fantastic job of representing

themselves and our school.

Great swimming everyone!

**** Our results were amazing ****

- Yr 5 - Age Group pennant winners
- Yr 6 - Age Group pennant winners
- Yr 5 - Age Champion - Justin Wu
- Overall 2nd place in the Carnival.

Congratulations Team and Go CTK!

From the Office



ENROLLING SIBLINGS NOW 2025 and BEYOND

If you have siblings who you would like to attend Christ the King School, we ask that you lodge your enrolments as a matter of urgency.

Application forms can be collected from the front office or at info@christking.catholic.edu.au

Please be aware we have a wait list for some year levels in 2025.

Visit the Parents, Babies and Children's Expo with ticket discount code



Visit us at the
Pregnancy, Babies & Children's Expo

Use code **637 J88** for
50% off adult ticket price.
Children free.

Saturday April 13
Sunday April 14

**Adelaide Showground,
Wayville**

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Parents
SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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[Book your tickets here](#)

Have your say - New Uniform



Christ the King
SCHOOL

*Have your say
at CTK*

We are now seeking your feedback on our new school Uniform.

The feedback process will close on May 10 at the end of Week 2 Term 2.

Please see Audiri or the front office if you would like to online link.

Hard copy feedback forms are also available from the front office.



**come
find your
awesome**

CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL

AUSKICK CENTRE

Tuesday (3:15-4:15pm)

7th May - 25th June

@ 126 Dunrobin Rd, Warradale

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