



Mid North
Christian
College

Hope in
the Living
God

CHAPEL

Week 8

No Chapel:
Community

Week 9

Whole School Assembly
Thursday 12 December,
2:30pm

CALENDAR

Week 9

Celebration Night
Monday 11 December

4:45pm:

Primary students to be
seated in Room 9/10

5pm:

Primary Awards

5:45pm-6:45pm:

Dinner & Community time

6:45pm:

Secondary students to be
seated in Room 9/10

7pm:

Secondary Awards

Last Day of School

Thursday 12

December 2024

Dismissal 3:05pm

Week 1, 2025

First Day of School

Tuesday 28

January 2025

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Office Hours Mon to Fri 8:15am to 4pm

News Term 4 Week 8



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6 DECEMBER 2024

*From a child in a cradle to a king upon a cross
He knew the road was leading Him to pay a crimson cost
And when no other arms could carry
The weight of all our sin
He took the fall and it happened all
Because of Bethlehem*

*Love is born, hope is here
Heaven's light has made the darkness disappear
Peace on Earth, good will to men
God with us all because of Bethlehem.*

Written by Matthew West

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

On Sunday at the Crystal Brook Carols, the above song was performed as part of the celebration of the Christmas season. It tells the story of God's love for every person that began with Christ's birth, and ended with Christ's death and resurrection that gives us the opportunity to have life forever with Him. He brought love and hope into a world that is so often dark and hopeless.

I John 4:19 says, "We love because He first loved us." Our theme this year at Mid North Christian College was "One Another", thinking first of others instead of ourselves, and putting love for others into practice. This seems like an impossible task, but when we recognise what God did and how He showed His love for us, it changes our heart towards others. May you reflect on God's story of love for you and your family this Christmas and have a safe and wonderful summer break.

As we come to the end of 2024, there are so many things to thank God for as He has once again provided all that we have needed as a College community. I have seen God work in the lives of the students, staff, and families, and He has been faithful to us through the good times and the tough times. We look forward to having our final celebration together on Monday evening, as we come together to award achievement, but more importantly, to celebrate everyone's growth and development in all areas.

Thank you for your ongoing partnership this year, and I look forward to Mid North Christian College's 20-year celebrations in 2025 – Celebrating God's Goodness.

Rachel Richardson
Principal

UPDATES FOR 2025

Please be aware that the first day of the 2025 school year for students will be Tuesday 28 January, as the Monday is the Australia Day Public Holiday.

There will be a slight change to our school day times in 2025 with the finishing time each day being 3:10pm, instead of 3:05pm. This has been a slight tweak to make our daily lesson times more consistent. We will ensure that external bus students still get to their buses on time.

We are excited that we have quite a few new families beginning with us in 2025. Our Foundation class is starting with 16 students, with more joining at mid-year. We want to express a warm welcome to them.

Our Warrior Course in Secondary is nearly finished! It is on track for students to start their fitness regime on it for the start of the year. We will also have an official opening of it in the New Year.

I will be sending an email to you in January with any further updates and reminders for the beginning of the year.

Rachel Richardson
Principal

ORIENTATION DAY

On Friday 29 November, we welcomed our new students for 2025 to the College to meet their classmates and new teachers!

Our current students also had such a fun day moving up year levels and doing fun "getting to know you" activities to prepare for next year.

Monique Eggers
Head of Primary



SA POWER NETWORKS VISIT

Last week, the students were excited to welcome SA Power Networks and their robot dog, Spot, as part of our innovation prize for the Robotics Challenge.

Students gained insight into future STEM applications being used in our power grid and had a lot of fun playing with some VR equipment.

A big thankyou to Vasily, Harsh, Mike, Alysa, Alex and Sophie from SAPN for facilitating such a wonderful experience for our students.

Jordan Smith
Robotics Teacher



YEAR 3/4 TENNIS

On Monday 25 November, a group of Year 3/4 students travelled to Adelaide to play in the Hot Shots Tennis Regional Final and played against 11 other teams.

They had a wonderful time having a hit of tennis and meeting new people. We won quite a few sets, however we didn't make the semi finals. We were very fortunate to have the opportunity to hold the Adelaide Cup trophies (although they were a little heavy).

Monique Eggers
Year 4 Teacher



HARVEST CHRISTIAN COLLEGE BADMINTON

We were happy to welcome staff and students from Harvest Christian College to MNCC last Friday for a day spent playing Badminton against one another. After an early skills session, the rest of the day was spent playing doubles with a BBQ lunch also enjoyed. All had a great day!

Chris Veitch
F-12 Sports Coordinator



COLLEGE NOTICES

LETTERS SENT HOME

- Year 12 Retreat letter
- Year 11 Mawson Lakes excursion note
- Primary class party note

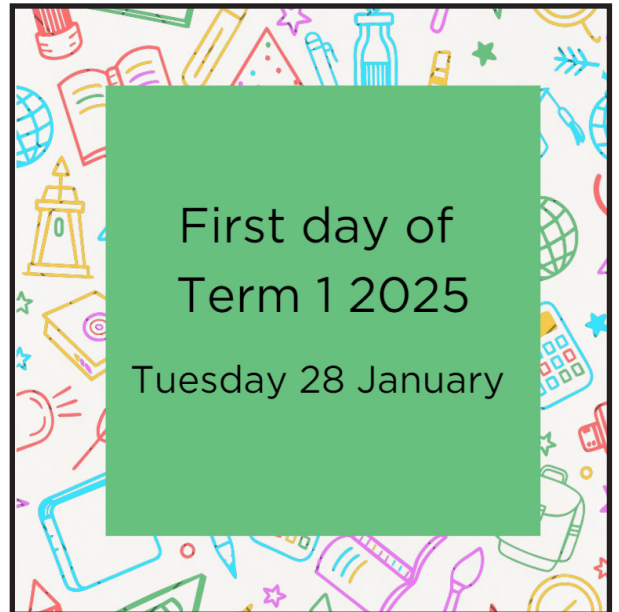
NEWSLETTER HARDCOPY

If you would like to request a hard copy of the newsletter, or if you have content to add, please email Lisa Church:

lisa.church@midnorthcc.sa.edu.au



Last day of Term 4
Thursday 12 December
3.05pm dismissal



First day of
Term 1 2025
Tuesday 28 January

COMMUNITY NOTICES

An advertisement for Adelaide Strikers holiday programs. It features a photo of three young boys in cricket gear on a field. The text is overlaid on the image and a blue banner at the bottom.

JOIN IN THE FUN WITH OUR
HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

SECURE YOUR SPOT!

Port Pirie, Ages 5-10
Thurs 19 & Fri 20 Dec 2024
09:30am-12:30pm

SCAN TO REGISTER

ADelaide Strikers

Mid North Christian College

20 Year

ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATING
GOD'S GOODNESS
2005 - 2025

OPENDAY

FRIDAY 4 APRIL 2025
4 - 7:30 PM
43 PORT DAVIS ROAD
PORT PIRIE
SOUTH AUSTRALIA

TO REGISTER YOUR
INTEREST GO TO
[midnorthcc.sa.edu.au
/tours-prospectus/](http://midnorthcc.sa.edu.au/tours-prospectus/)

Come & join us for
Coffee Morning

**every Wednesday
9am - 12pm**

**NOTE:
NEW TIMES**
(effective 20/11/24)

Cost: \$3 per cuppa
(includes Biscuits &/or Cake)

All welcome!

**Napperby Tennis &
Community Club**

31 Second St, Napperby



Enquiries:

Contact us via our Facebook page (@NapperbyTennis)
or by Phone/Text on 0411 570 359 or 0417 807 424

Received your ATAR and need some advice?

Come and speak to the Uni Hub during ATAR Week!

16-20 December 2024

Give us a call or come into one of our centres before our Christmas closure.
Visit our website unihubsg.org
to find your closest Uni Hub.



Uni Hub
Spencer Gulf



Christmas Giving

Uniting Country SA are seeking donations from the community for non-perishable items.

Donations can be dropped off at the Port Pirie Visitor Information Centre before Friday 20 December.

We want to help make Christmas happy for everyone - even a small donation can make a BIG difference!



WANDEARAH UNITING CHURCH

1311 Wandearah Rd,
Wandearah East SA 5523

2024 Carol Service

A Donation of non-perishable items
will be collected and donated to
Uniting Country SA Port Pirie Food
Hub.

Please bring a small plate
of food to share
afterwards.

Sunday December 15 Commencing 7pm

Wandearah Uniting Church



Sunday, December 22

10:00am

**A chance for the whole family to spend
time together with various craft activities, stories,
songs and lunch.**

Peace

Hope

PORT PIRIE

FESTIVAL OF
CHRISTMAS

SATURDAY
7TH DECEMBER 2024

COMPRISING OF:

CHRISTMAS TWILIGHT MARKETS

4PM - MEMORIAL PARK

PORT PIRIE CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

6PM - CBD

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT

7:30PM - MEMORIAL PARK

