Dear Bethany Campus Community,

It has been an excellent start to the school year and I would like to welcome back all the Temple Christian College Bethany Campus families. I extend a special welcome to the 50 new families and the 85 new students that have joined us this year.

**Enrolments and Staff**

Our current enrolment is 394 students, with 17 places available in Year 7; 0 places in Year 8; 11 places in Year 9; 4 places in Year 10 and a number available in Years 11, 12 and 13. Interviews for 2014 new enrolments have commenced.

Our staff numbers have also increased and currently we have 48 staff in total (including part time staff). We welcome back from maternity leave Mrs Sheri Deboy and Mrs Sarah Wolf.

**Traffic**

Attached to this Newsletter is a detailed Traffic Rules Presentation from the Salisbury Council which includes fine details for infringements. I have also included our car park rules which I encourage parents to follow; this will improve student pick ups after school. We have had a number of critical incidents last year involving cars nearly running over students because rules were not followed. Parents, please walk along the paths skirting the car park, including inside the building fenced walkway, as younger primary students, especially, follow adults across the driveway of the car park with no awareness of cars - especially SUVs, which are so large it makes it difficult for their drivers to see small students.

Parents, also be aware that you will only have twenty seconds standing time at the pickup area for your child to get to your car before you will be asked to move on. This is to avoid a long car queue on Countess Street. Parents, please cover these rules with your children as well.

Thank you for your continued patience and cooperation in this challenging issue, especially during the building process.

A member of Adelaide Christian Schools — A ministry of Adelaide Christian Centre

Mile End Campus – 2 Henley Beach Rd, Mile End Ph: 8405 0900,

Bethany Campus - 17 Countess Street, Paralowie Ph: 8256 9600
School Events

Please take note of all the events and activities in Term 1 starting with the Swimming Carnival.

Parents & Friends

Our first Parents & Friends meeting is in Week 3 and anyone wanting to be involved is welcome. The details are in a separate advertisement in this Newsletter.

Our first Parent Prayer Meeting will be in Week 4 on Tuesday, February 19, at 2.30pm in my office. Come to the Reception desk for directions—all are welcome.

Camps

The Year 12 Camp starts in Week 2, on Monday and finishes Wednesday. All Year 12 students are expected at school on Thursday and Friday for normal lessons.

The Year 10 Camp starts on Tuesday and finishes on Friday. I am looking forward to seeing the camp reports in the next newsletter.

Meet the Care Group Teacher Session & BBQ evening

This is a wonderful opportunity to meet your child’s Care Group teacher and find out what the expectations are. Please reply to the letter sent out regarding whether you will be attending this event. The BBQ is only for families with children who are new to Bethany Campus this year.

Congratulations

Mrs Moore has included an update of University and TAFE offers made to the 2012 Year 12 class in this Newsletter. Most students received offers for their first preferences. The results overall were exceptional, which is a great achievement for our second Year 12 cohort.

Congratulations to Michelle Pham-Nguyen on being Bethany Campus’ Academic Dux and being offered a place in the Bachelor and Masters course in Biomedical Science. Congratulations also to Amelia Burfield for receiving a scholarship to Tabor Christian College where she will be studying a Bachelor of Education (Primary and Middle).

Congratulations to all of our successful Year 12 students who have achieved their goals.

Insights

This weeks Insights Parenting article is titled “Making A Smooth Start To Secondary School”. The four ‘Ps’ shared can help your family make the best start to this year.

The four ‘Ps’ are as follows:

1. Promote Friendship
2. Practice Patience
3. Pursue a positive attitude
4. Process their day

New Building Construction & Oval Development

Stage 1 of the Trade Training Centre and the Centre for Media & Performing Arts are ready for us to occupy with final completion (e.g. laying carpet etc) happening in the first two weeks of term. The commercial kitchen is taking longer to complete due to building challenges, but should be ready by the end of Week 4. Thank you for your continued prayers for the completion of the buildings.

Negotiations continue regarding the oval development, but due to the Salisbury Council elections and need for feasibility studies in our area, the process will take longer. Please continue to pray for a speedy resolution.
**Conclusion**

Here at Bethany Campus we are building a community where the staff, students and parents work together to create an atmosphere of trust and respect. Only by working together can we achieve the best community for our students.

My challenge to the students at our first assembly was to make the most of the opportunities given to them and to focus on excellence from the start of the school year. Having a good attitude is vital to success. God is very happy with every one of His creations and my encouragement to our students is to enjoy who they are, discovering their gifts and talents and using them to fulfil their dreams, goals and destiny.

This is shared in the apostle Paul’s encouragement to a teenage Timothy in 1 Timothy 4:12—14 (The Message)

“Get the word out. Teach all these things. And don’t let anyone put you down because you’re young. Teach believers with your life: by your word, by demeanour, by love, by faith, by integrity. Stay at your post reading Scripture, giving counsel, teaching. And that special gift of ministry you were given when the leaders of the church laid hands on you and prayed—keep that dusted off and in use.”

2 Timothy 2:15 (Message) Concentrate on doing your best for God, work you won’t be ashamed of, laying out the truth plain and simple.

My hope is that we will be able to create an environment at Bethany Campus that allows the goals in these scripture to be fulfilled.

Thank you for choosing to send your children to Temple Christian College.

R J Klimionok, Campus Principal

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**Parent Prayer Group**

Parents and friends are invited to join the Parents Prayer Group, who meet fortnightly in Mr Klimionok’s office at 2.30pm, to pray into the life of the school. We look forward to seeing you.

**Parents Prayer Meeting dates for Term 1:**

**Tuesday Feb 19, March 5 & 19, April 2**

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**Prayer Chain**

If you are unable to attend the bi-weekly prayer meetings, but would like to be able to pray for the specific needs of the school, please give your email address to the School Office. One of the prayer team will keep you informed of our prayer needs.

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**TRAFFIC GUIDELINES**

If you are using the Temple/Bethany Christian School car park there are a few safety rules that we ask you to follow.

1. Please take notice of the No Left Turn between 8 - 9am and 2.30 - 3.30pm. Please enter via the Temple Christian College entrance. Please don’t block the roadway when turning into the Temple/Bethany car park and allow for local traffic to use Countess Street both ways.

2. Do not park or drop off students in the East carpark (behind the East Building). This is for staff cars only.

3. Please do not park on the verge, as you may receive a fine from the council. Also we are trying to grow grass between the footpath and the road.

4. Please walk on the paths, especially at the Temple and Bethany front gates.

5. There is no parking or standing at the drop-off and pick-up area. This means that if your child is not waiting for you at the pick-up area we ask you either to park in a designated car park or find a local street without a yellow line, or drive around the block and drive in again.

6. Through traffic is on the left lane, while Bethany Christian School pick-ups need to stay in the right hand lane. You will only have 20 seconds standing time for your child to get to the car before you will be asked to move on.

We understand that this may cause you a short wait, but this leads to greater safety for our children. At times the Salisbury Council do give tickets to any parents who are parked where yellow lines are painted and to parents who leave their vehicles when parked on broken yellow lines, and also for speeding in a school zone, so please avoid these unnecessary fines by following the rules.

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**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT ONE FULL TERMS WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE PRINCIPAL IS REQUIRED WHEN A STUDENT INTENDS TO LEAVE THE SCHOOL. FAILURE TO GIVE NOTICE MAY INCUR ONE TERM’S FEES IN LIEU OF NOTICE.**
I am greatly blessed with a wonderful team of leaders at Bethany Campus. This will be our seventh year working together as a team and it has been fantastic to see the growth that has occurred over this time.

The primary focus of the Year Level Coordinators is to offer support in the area of Student Development. This includes the organisation of activities to help build positive relationships in their Year Level, the provision of pastoral care, monitoring of student progress and assisting in developing strategies to both encourage positive behaviour and improve negative behaviour. In doing so, they will liaise with the Assistant Principal – Student Development as well as our Student Mentors - Karen Vander Veen and Matthew King. Along with Care Group teachers, the Year Level Coordinator will be an excellent first port of call for parents with questions, comments or concerns about their child’s progress at School, and they would welcome your call or email.

We look forward to the very positive impact our Coordinators will have on the life of the School this year.
Bethany Campus Student Leadership Team 2013

Head Prefects

Rhiannon Wares
Kenny Nguyen

Deputy Head Prefects

Rebecca Appleby
Corey Liu

Prefects/House Captains

Bianca Porter
(South House Leader)
Nathan Young
(East House Leader)
Malina Yin
(West House Leader)
Jessica Hunter
(North House Leader)
House Captains

North

Luke Franceschini

Emma Appleby

T-Jai Liu

Melanie Maguire

South

East

Alex Vansilalom

Souphavane Phanthapannha

Robert Mundangepfupfu

Tina Tran

West

MSP PHOTOGRAPHY

School Photo Day is:
February 19

Photo forms going home soon with your child
Congratulations Year 12 Class of 2012

Congratulations to the 21 Year 12 students who received offers for University or TAFE. Many students were offered their first preference courses.

Amelia Burfield  
Bachelor of Education (Primary and Middle), Tabor Christian College

Ashlea Cobb  
Diploma of Live Production, Theatre and Events (Technical Production), Adelaide College of the Arts

Nathan Do  
Bachelor of Nursing (Pre-Registration), University of South Australia

Tonya Downing  
Bachelor of Arts (Writing and Creative Communications), University of South Australia

Josephine Fungalei  
Certificate III in Music, University of Adelaide

Jessica Gale  
Bachelor of Arts (Writing and Creative Communications), University of South Australia

Kesey Hean  
Bachelor of Psychology (Honours), University of South Australia

Pooja Kapur  
Bachelor of Laws (Double Degree), University of South Australia

Kevin Lan  
Bachelor of Nursing (Pre-Registration), University of South Australia

Erin Maguire  
Bachelor of Commerce, University of South Australia

Fiona Oodomsak  
Bachelor of Science/Bachelor of Education, University of South Australia

Bonnie-Ja’el Pavljuk  
Bachelor of Social Sciences (Human Services), University of South Australia

Michelle Pham-Nguyen  
Bachelor of Engineering (Biomedical)/Master of Engineering (Biomedical), Flinders University

Cheethaphong Phanthapannha  
Bachelor of Engineering (Mechanical), University of South Australia

Shothea Pisith  
Foundation Studies (Education/Arts), University of South Australia

Hayley Schreiber  
Bachelor of Nursing (Pre-Registration), University of South Australia

Ryan Tadu  
Bachelor of Engineering (Biomedical) Combined Degree, Flinders University

Grace Thang  
Bachelor of Arts, Flinders University

Karla Thanos  
Certificate III in Event Management

Vy Tran  
Bachelor of Arts (Communication and Media Management), University of South Australia

Danaë Underwood  
Bachelor of Journalism/Bachelor of Arts (Writing), University of South Australia
Communication Procedure

The following is Temple Christian College’s Communication Procedure. The options available to contact staff are: through your child’s Student Planner, via email (see list below), or a phone call to the School on 8256 9600.

If you have an enquiry regarding a student issue (e.g. challenges with socialising, bullying, health, etc.), please contact your child’s Care Group Teacher. Most issues can be resolved by speaking to your child’s Care Group teacher, who can often liaise on your behalf with other staff members.

If you have an enquiry regarding an issue with a specific Subject (i.e. what your child is learning, your child’s progress, learning challenges, teacher-student concerns, your child’s behaviour in class), please contact the teacher of that subject.

If you have an enquiry regarding a behavioural issue and have already met with the Care Group/Subject teacher concerned, please contact Mr Tony Hudson (Assistant Principal—Student Development).

If you have an enquiry regarding learning or curriculum issues and have already met with the Subject teacher concerned, please contact Mrs Theresa Moore (Assistant Principal—SACE/Curriculum).

If you have followed the communication procedure outlined above and the issue is still unresolved, an appointment can be made with the Campus Principal, Mr Rod Klimionok.

Our goal is to resolve, to the best of our ability, all challenges that your child might be facing at school. This can best be done by following the communication protocol outlined above. Leadership can only proceed with matters if this procedure is followed.

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Temple Christian College is participating in the Premier’s Reading Challenge this year. For all students in Year 7 and 8 this will form part of their English curriculum, for other students, this is an optional activity.

The Challenge is a literacy engagement program to encourage students to read more books and enjoy reading. It requires students to read 12 books between the beginning of the school year and early September. Students who complete the Challenge receive medals and certificates from the State Government. As an added incentive at Temple, Mr Brunt has offered additional prizes to students and classes.

Parents and Caregivers are encouraged to look for the “Reading Record” in their students Planner and sign off any novels they complete.

Mrs Barnes

TERM DATES FOR 2013

TERM 1
Tuesday, January 29—April 12
Easter March 29-April 1

TERM 2
April 29—July 5

TERM 3
Wednesday, July 24—Sept 27
Please note later return due to Staff Conference

TERM 4
October 14—December 8

The Endeavour Language Teacher Fellowships

The ELTF is an initiative of the Australian Government, which provides an opportunity for practising language teachers to improve their language skills and gain valuable cultural knowledge through a 3 week in-country study program in one of ten different countries.

I was very blessed to be one of the 22 Spanish teachers who travelled to Spain in January. The main city we stayed at was Salamanca, located in the province of Castilla y Leon. We also had the opportunity to visit other cities, such as: Segovia, Madrid, Avila, La Alberca y Ciudad Rodrigo. We also got to do different activities while in Spain, some of them included: cultural activities, visiting attractions, meeting local people and experiencing language immersion in everyday life.

This was an invaluable experience and a great opportunity to network with other language teachers from all over Australia. I will enjoy passing on all the new things I learnt to my students in their Spanish lessons.

Mrs Elia Madrid (Support Education Co-Ordinator & Spanish Teacher)
A WORD FROM OUR STUDENT MENTORS

Matt King and Karen Vander Veen

It is an honour and a privilege to be able to serve the Temple College community and its students in our role as Student Mentors. More than that though, it is a great pleasure to work alongside parents and staff to provide support and assistance for our students in facing a range of issues and circumstances.

At the heart of our role as Student Mentors is our love for God and the students. We want to see our young people encouraged and anchored in their faith in Jesus so that they are able to meet every challenge that comes their way with purpose, integrity and conviction. We pray that our students will go on from their studies at Temple as fully committed followers of Jesus who passionately pursue His will for their lives and a future in Him of hope, destiny and purpose.

The What... The Student Mentor’s Office operates five days each week during term time and our level of involvement includes (but is not limited to) scheduled appointments with students, in-class support and involvement with the school assemblies, Breakfast Club, Christian Living classes, camps and excursions.

The biggest (and often most enjoyable) part of our role is building relationships with the students as we meet with them in different ways throughout the week. This gives us the opportunity and privilege of being let into their lives in ways we would not otherwise be able to be and provides for them a safe place to be able to discuss the big stuff that comes up in their lives. Think of us as a big brother or sister to the students!

The How... Students wanting to see us are encouraged to make an appointment where possible but we are available also for emergency support or to speak to students who need to talk more urgently. In addition, referrals are often provided by Teaching Staff and Student Services Staff as they become aware of struggles students may be facing in relation to behaviour, the effects of ongoing illness, or even when students just seem to be not quite their usual selves.

Matt has a particular passion to see young men reach their potential through good decisions. “We live in a world where information is easily accessible but good morals are seldom seen. I believe that by being an example and encouragement I can influence young men positively to be great fathers, husbands and leaders for our future, based on the principles found in 1 Timothy 4:12; “Don’t let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity”.

Karen has a real passion to see young girls reach their God-given potential, to know how valuable they really are. “It is my desire for them to know who they are in Christ. I love to see the word of God changing, healing, restoring, bringing life, and seeing them becoming confident. I love seeing and hearing them becoming the one that then goes on and influences others. I’m so honoured to be called their friend, and walk alongside of them. I am a true believer that if we can get hold of the Word of God and live it out in our everyday life, then we will see a generation changed. I love my job wholeheartedly, and am so blessed to be in Temple where I am loved and supported.”

In short, we love what we do and the people we do it with. Thank you for the opportunity to serve you and your family as part of the Temple community.

TAX DEDUCTABLE DONATIONS
Can now be paid to support orphanages in Cambodia and the Sunrise Bethel Christian School in Papua New Guinea

If you would like to make a tax deductible donation, please contact Tracy Montesi Ph: 8405 0900

Mentor Hours
Karen is available
Monday, Thursday & Friday
Matt is available
Tuesday & Wednesday

To make an appointment with a Mentor, please put your name down at the Student Services Office.

BREAKFAST CLUB
WILL BE AVAILABLE EVERYDAY
STARTS MONDAY FEBRUARY 11
Location TBA

THIS YEAR BREAKFAST CLUB WILL BE AVAILABLE EVERYDAY STARTS MONDAY FEBRUARY 11 Location TBA
**Laptops**

**Look after your laptop!**

As many people know, students in years 8, 9 and 10 are receiving laptops for use at home and school. These laptops will be very useful if used and looked after effectively, so here are some rules and guidelines that the students will be stepped through when they receive their device.

- Laptops must stay in their case at all times – it has been designed to allow full use of the laptop without needing to remove it from the case. The cases are very sturdy and will serve to prolong the life of the laptop.
- Laptops need to be charged at home each night. Charging for hundreds of laptops cannot be provided at school. Laptop chargers need to be left at home.
- Laptops should not be used on or while waiting for the bus or train. If students are seen with expensive devices on public transport, they can become targets for those who might want to steal their laptop. Instead, laptops should stay inside school bags to and from school.
- If something breaks, or anything else goes wrong, inform the school. Spare laptops can be provided while broken ones are fixed.

We see the laptops as an essential tool for these year levels, meaning students without them will be at a disadvantage.

Students should save their work on the D: drive of the laptop, from there they can access their work while at school and at home. Back up is essential. If something happens to a laptop, all work could be lost. Students should make copies of important documents. Don’t rely on a USB stick as they can often fail. Portable/external hard drives are the best way to go.

**Logging on at home**

When students are at home they will need to log on with a different username. If they don’t, they won’t be able to use the Internet.

Their log on for home is ".\student" and their password is the same as their school password.

The Internet at home will still need to be configured yourself, the same as you would for any other computer you might have at home. Similarly, the Internet at home will not be filtered, as it is at school, therefore, student’s browsing will still have to be monitored while at home.

**Installing things**

Students can’t install anything on their laptop unless we provide it as a special file. Unfortunately, this includes printers at home, so printing needs to be completed at school. Things such as the desktop background can be customised, however, these need to be kept appropriate.

**Questions or concerns**

If you have questions regarding the laptops either visit our information page at laptops.templecc.sa.edu.au or email laptops@templecc.sa.edu.au

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**2013 Bethany Campus School Calendar**

There are a few copies of the Parents & Friends 2013 Calendar still available to be purchased from the Front Office or Student Services.

It is packed full of photos of the students, has lots of the schools special events for next year already marked in their dates, and has enough space in the calendar section to write in.

Cost of the calendar has been reduced to $10.00. All funds raised go to Parents and Friends activities such as the Breakfast Club.
Those staffing the Student Services Office have had a busy start to the year and thank parents and students for their patience whilst we settle into daily routines.

**Medical and Emergency Contact Details**

Please contact Miss Candace Vander Veen, Student Services Office, as a matter of urgency if you need to
- update medical information
- advise of medication the student is taking

Where there is an ongoing medical condition, parents are required to submit an updated Medical Management Plan for their child at the commencement of each year. If you have not already done so, please attend to this as soon as possible.

Please be aware, in a medical emergency, ambulance drivers need as much information as possible. This includes information on pre-existing medical conditions and any medication being taken.

**Ambulance Cover**

Subject to the existence of a medical emergency, ambulance transport will be provided to the nearest appropriate place of medical aid. Benefits apply only whilst the student is:-
- in attendance at normal school activities during normal school hours
- participating in a formal school activity either at or away from school during normal school hours (for example Inter-school sports and school excursions) where parents are not required to be in attendance.

The Ambulance Insurance does not cover attendance resulting from non-school related incidents (for example diabetes, asthma, substance abuse), non-emergency or elective transport, travel between home and school.

The school has a duty of care for all students. In a medical situation which is outside the scope of School First Aid Officers and where the School has been unable to establish contact with either parents or emergency persons supplied by parents, the Student Services Office will contact the Principal (or the designated member of School Leadership in his absence) to seek permission to call for an ambulance.

In such a situation, the student is released into the care of the hospital to which the student is transported. Hospital staff will continue to try and contact a family member.

**Student Driver and Passenger Forms**

Student Driver and Passenger Forms are available from the SSO for students in Years 11 and 12. Parents are asked to fill out all information as required and return to Candace Vander Veen, Student Services Office, as a matter of priority. Failure to hand in the required forms will mean a student will be banned from driving to and from school.

Please note the Student Driver and Student Passenger forms only cover driving to and from school.

The School does not permit students to drive to excursions, camps, and other school organised activities except in extenuating circumstances. A written request is to be made by the parent prior to the event. A clear indication is to be given if siblings are to be transported at this time. Students will not be permitted to carry other student passengers. All requests should be made to Mr Tony Hudson, Assistant Principal, Student Development.
School Day
Please report absences and lateness by phoning the SSO direct on 8256 9607 or by SMS on 0427 259 358 before 9.30am. This mobile number is a virtual number and only accepts SMS messages.

Lateness
The morning routine of the school is very important to how quickly staff and students settle into the day.

Students who are late to Care Group may not be marked on the Roll and miss important information distributed in Care Group. Students who are late to class disrupt the teacher and fellow classmates.

The first bell goes at 8.30am. At this time students should have organised all of their materials for lessons up to recess time and be on their way to Care Group.

The bell for start of Care Group goes at 8.35am. Students arriving after the 8.35am bell are LATE.

A good morning routine at home including time for breakfast generally means a student is in a good frame of mind and prepared for the day.

Ongoing lateness due to public transport and traffic is not considered a legitimate reason for lateness. Students are to plan their travel to ensure they are at school in time to prepare for the day ahead.

The consequence for lateness is : 3 x late in one week = a Lunchtime Detention. Ongoing lateness for no good reason may incur automatic After School Detention.

Lateness due to urgent family matters
The school appreciates that, from time to time, urgent family matters arise leading to lateness. In such cases, parents should sms the school ahead of time to advise of lateness and the reason OR a note should be placed in the School Planner to be shown to SSO Staff on arrival. The SSO staff will provide a note to the student to be shown to the teacher upon entry to class.

The result of no communication from a parent may mean a student receives a consequence.

Appointments
Every effort should be made to arrange appointments outside of school time. In the event this is not possible, a note in the Student Planner should support late arrival or early departure. The note is to be shown to the SSO Staff at the time of signing in/out. Early departure should coincide with change of lessons. A note in the School Planner will need to be produced to the subject teacher in order for a student to be released from class.

Please be advised the school does not recognise attending driving lessons or sitting driving tests as a legitimate reason for absenteeism. This is to be done in the students own time.

Locks and Lockers
All students are to use a school issued lock and have been allocated a locker. Students have been advised as to their responsibilities in terms of use and care.

Students are to report damage to lockers and damage or tampering with locks immediately to Mr Hudson.

There is a range of consequences in place for wilful damage and students who fail to follow school procedure resulting in damage. This extends to cost of repairs or replacement.
**Uniform Matters**

It has been noted that there are a number of summer dresses that are not meeting the uniform code in relation to length. Girls summer dresses are required to be **“Floor length when kneeling and no longer than 14cm below the knee”** as per the uniform policy in the front of your child’s planner. Please make sure your daughters summer dress is the correct length, and hems are altered if they need to be.

Students are to wear a cross-trainer or proper sports shoes with the PE Uniform. Vans, casual sneakers, slip on shoes and velcro strap shoes are not suitable for PE.

Please note: incorrect uniform attracts a consequence of a lunchtime detention.

Students who continue to wilfully disobey school rules in regards to Uniform may receive automatic After School Detentions on each occasion they are in breach of the school rules.

**After School Detentions**

An After School detention is given when a student has received three lunchtime detentions or as a result of a more serious behavioural issue.

The After School Detention is scheduled on a Wednesday afternoon between 3.15pm and 4.00pm.

In most cases, students who receive an After School Detention are advised by way of a personal notification given out in Care Group and their name is listed in the Student Notices as a reminder. A copy of the Student Notices is posted each day in the SSO. **It is the student’s responsibility to check Student Notices if they miss Care Group and to take the notification home to parents.**

A further notification will be mailed home as a courtesy to parents prior to the day of the After School Detention. An SMS will be sent to parents where a notification will not arrive by post in sufficient time.

If the student has a medical appointment or a work commitment, parents may write a note in the Planner or telephone the school to so advise. Once parents have contacted the school, their child is to see Mr Hudson to negotiate another afternoon in the same week.

Where no prior arrangement is made, non-attendance will result in a further After School Detention.

Please note: 3 After School Detentions = Saturday Morning Detention

**2013 Immunisation Program Dates**

The immunisation team will visit the school this year as follows

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PARENTS AND FRIENDS
As parents, a vibrant school community is important to us. Being involved in the Parents and Friends group not only gives us the opportunity to be actively engaged in supporting events and initiatives, but provides a wonderful avenue through which to get to know and work alongside other parents. Together we make a difference in the life of the school.

If you would like to join us an invitation is extended to all interested parents and friends to join us at any of the Parents and Friends meetings held through the year.

Bethany Campus,
7.00pm Tuesday February 12

Breakfast club
This year our student mentors will be running breakfast club EVERY DAY starting in week 3, from 8am.

If you would like to volunteer your time to help serve breakfast, or donate bread or juice, please see Karen Vanderveen, Matt King, Jamie Trezise, or Mel Trezise.

The breakfast club program is funded by our Parents and Friends Association.

PARENT PRAYER GROUP
Parents and friends are invited to join the Parents Prayer Group, as they meet fortnightly at 2.30pm to pray into the life of the school. We look forward to seeing you.

Parents Prayer Meeting dates for Term 1, 2013
Tuesday, February 19, March 5, March 19, April 2
Rod’s Office

ENROLMENT INTERVIEWS
Enrolment interviews will commence for the 2014 intake of students in early February 2013.

An Enrolment Form must be received by the school before an interview can be booked.

Please contact Mrs. Linda Hunter on PH: 8256 9600 to obtain a Prospectus Pack

Outstanding Fee Accounts: Please note that an overdue account charge of $10 per month will be charged from Term 2 if fees are not paid by due date (ie the 2nd Friday of each term) and there is no agreed payment arrangement in place. Please contact the School urgently on 8405 0935 if you have an outstanding fee.

ADELAIDE CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS
Sunrise Christian School Whyalla, R-7. Sunrise Bethel Christian School, PNG, R-3, Faith Christian School USA
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