Dear Temple Family,

Our mission team leave for Cambodia this Sunday. Mark Ryan our Head of Christian Life, Faith and Mission will lead the team supported by Mrs Tracy Montesi, Mr Brad Adams, and Mrs Carmen Cibi from the Bethany Campus. We have 18 students on the team and they will be working in Phnom Penh, Takeo and Siem Reap. This will be our 8th trip to Cambodia and it has been so encouraging to see the difference this experience has had on the lives of our students and the impact it has had on the mission projects that we support. Please pray for the team as they travel for God’s protection and covering and good health. The team return on September 29. The Year 12 Drama, Peter Pan, was excellent and also involved students from Years 9-11. It was very encouraging and lively and it was great to see our very talented Year 12 students performing. It was also very encouraging to see the talents of our younger students and how well the whole group pulled together as a team. Well done to Mrs Faith Cahill, all the staff involved and the students on an excellent performance. Our Year 12 students only have 4 weeks of school remaining until their study leave begins followed by Examinations. It can be a pressured time for them as important work becomes due. Please continue to pray for our Year 12 students.

Thanksgiving Service

We have had a Thanksgiving Service at each of our Campuses in the last fortnight. It is so important to be thankful for God’s amazing provision in the life of the school. Our Year 12 Prefects led the service expressing thanks on behalf of the school for our Government, Associations that support the school and especially the School Council and Board and the significant group of parents who support the school through our prayer group and through the Parents and Friends. It was a great joy to have Brian Hagger, our previous Headmaster join us. Brian retired in 2006 and has had a battle with cancer for the last couple of years. It was encouraging to see how well he looked. Brian and his wife Jenny have continued to be real prayer warriors for the school.

Thanksgiving Service Scriptures

There are two scriptures that form the foundation to our Thanksgiving Service.

“Give Thanks in all circumstances for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.”

And in Psalm 100 we read:

“Enter his gates with Thanksgiving and His courts with praise; give thanks to Him and praise His name. For the Lord is good and His love endures forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations.”

Marcel Rijken, Principal

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PETER PAN

Thursday 28, Friday 29 and Saturday 30 August saw the Star Theatre on Sir Donald Bradman Drive transformed into a world of imagined possibilities –Never Land. This year’s Drama production involved students from across 4 Year levels, with even Year 9 and 10 students joining the talented ensemble of Year 11 and 12 actors, designers and off-stagers. 775 audience members across 3 nights enjoyed the thrilling mélange of strobe lighting, song, dance, physical theatre and gunfight, complete with bikies, the military and an all-out 90s industrial groove! One of the most significant elements of this year’s production was certainly the level of audience involvement and interaction, with the many collisions between the pirates and indians venturing beyond the imaginary fourth wall that ordinarily separates the performers and their onlookers, and into the auditorium itself – many members commenting on how exciting and confronting it was to be so actively part of the story!

I’m sure all who attended will join with me in congratulating the students on a spectacular performance! The general consensus was that their efforts would easily rival that of any amateur theatre production, and their highly professional approach was noticed by all. To say that I am proud of them seems rather an inadequate way to describe how I feel as their director and teacher. Their commitment to my vision, and the passion and enthusiasm they exhibited all the way through the rehearsal and performance season is nothing short of brilliant. My time with these students has left me reflecting on how privileged and blessed I am to be involved in the lives of such exceptional young people.

Faith Cahill, Drama Coordinator

DAUGHTERS OF GRACE

Daughters continue to support our two Destiny Rescue Sponsorship girls from Cambodia. We are still working from the funds we raised from the Destiny Garden Plant Sale and our bake sales. We are also assisted each week by the incredible baking skills of Edwina Bendikov whose fabulous cupcakes sell each Friday in the canteen.

Our latest venture is to sell “Daughters with Destiny” nail polish. Created by the capable Mrs Holly Denton, we have 4 unique colours - Love, Joy, Peace and Hope and these will be on sale at the SSO for $10. Please support this venture as we continue to use our gifts to serve others and God.

Mrs M Smith, Year 11/12 Coordinator

CONGRATULATIONS

Isaac Johnson
Pierre de Coubertin Award
Winner

Isaac Johnson who has successfully been awarded this year’s Pierre de Coubertin Award.

He has shown both team work, commitment, a high level of skill and determination in Sport throughout Secondary school life and should be commended for his efforts.

The Pierre de Coubertin Award recipient is awarded on the following criteria:
Have participated actively in the school physical education program with a consistently positive attitude; and
Demonstrated the attributes consistent with the fundamental aims of the Olympic Movement.

At some stage throughout Years 7-12, the selected student must have represented the school in at least one sport on the current Olympic program.

This award is given by the Australian Olympic Committee under the recommendation of both the Schools Sports Coordinator and Principal.

Well done, Isaac
Year 10 Engineering Workshop with eLabtronics

On the 19 and 21 August 2014 the Year 10 Engineering students took part in an interactive workshop lead by Mr Kostecki from eLabtronics. Students were given an introduction into microchip programming and were shown how widely microchips are used in our everyday lives.

The first session involved a theory part into digital programming and students were then asked to work on a problem solving exercise. The task was to warn miners in a mineshaft, and then rescue them from a pending explosion. Students assembled an electric control unit and programmed a software routine to save the miners.

In the second session students looked at where electric power comes from and the use of non-renewable power, such as from coal and gas were discussed. This led into the topic of global warming and the opportunities this gives for renewable energies. Students then programmed a microchip to measure electricity output from a wind generator.

We are very appreciative of the skills and insight eLabtronics gave us into understanding and using microchip programming. The sessions were valuable and students enjoyed learning more about this area of engineering as well as the hands-on practical experience.

Many thanks also to Mark, Michael and Chris from IT, who helped us to set up the computers and ensured our workshops ran smoothly!

Mr Breitweg

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Year 8 Breakfast -2014

The annual Year 8 Breakfast was held on Wednesday the 27th of August where eighty five people including parents, students, teachers and members of the Parents and Friends Association were in attendance. A big thank you to Suzie Enright and a group of volunteers from the P & F generously prepared, cooked and provided delicious croissants, fresh fruit and pancakes.

Maren Poalses and Mr Rijken provided us with hot and strong cappucino’s and hot chocolates. Every year the breakfast is a warm and friendly experience. It was a wonderful opportunity for teachers, parents and students to meet new people and catch up with old friends. Thank you to all the families who attended and supported this event.

Miss Minicozzi, Year 8 Coordinator
Uniform Shop
The Uniform Shop is open on Tuesday and Thursday during the Term. The Uniform Shop will not be open in the Term 3 holidays. Please ensure summer uniform purchases are made before end of Term 3.

Change of Season
A reminder that winter uniform is worn until the end of Term 3. Summer uniform becomes compulsory from Day 1 of Term 4.
If the weather becomes unseasonably warm toward end of Term, the School will send an sms to advise parents that students may wear summer uniform.

If this situation arises, students must wear either the summer or winter uniform in its entirety. The Uniform cannot be a mix-and-match arrangement.

TIME TO CHECK SUMMER UNIFORM
We would encourage parents to take some time before end of Term to check their child’s summer uniform.
Uniform items should be in state of good repair, with all buttons, hems and seams, and zips intact.

Uniforms that are too tight, too short or where material is thinning should be replaced.

Students should be encouraged to wear their Uniform correctly and with pride so as to be good ambassadors for both home and school.

The girls summer dress is to be mid-knee length when standing straight, head erect with eyes looking forward.

Girls are to wear plain white knee-high socks or plain white anklet socks (not sports or cutaway socks) with their summer uniform.

Hat Policy
In Term 1 and 4 the wearing of the School hat is compulsory whenever students are outdoors during the school day. A lunchtime detention and being sent inside is the consequence for being outdoors without a hat. Students who continue to be non-compliant may receive an automatic After School Detention.

As the days grow warmer students should have their hat at school for the remainder of the term in the event there is a warm, sunny day and the wearing of their hat would be called for.

UNIFORM INFRINGEMENTS
Uniform Infringements incur a lunchtime detention. There is a range of consequences in place for students who persist in being non-compliant ranging from warnings through to working in the Focus Room to being sent home to rectify the problem.

Year 11 and Year 12 students, as senior students, are expected to set a good example for their younger peers.

Students are being advised via the Student Notices to check their uniform and speak with their parent about uniform matters before end of this Term.

Mr Kowald will address students on Monday, Term 4 Week 1 of uniform matters.
Helping Hands for Harold

Raising Funds to bless a sweet boy and his family

Harold is 7 years of age and attends Sunrise Christian School Whyalla. Last year he was diagnosed with a brain tumour that resulted in surgery and months of chemotherapy, physical and speech therapy to regain his mobility and speech. In August this year, it was discovered that the tumour had returned. His parents and the community are hopeful for a miracle. We are raising funds to help his family meet the costs of travelling to Adelaide, his father missing hours at work, and making Harold’s dreams come true.

If you can help please go to


Sunrise Christian School Whyalla
ARE YOU RETURNING IN 2015?

ONE FULL TERM’S WRITTEN NOTICE
to the Principal is required when a student intends to leave the school. This means that if your child will not be returning next year you will need to notify the school immediately.

FAILURE TO GIVE NOTICE will incur
ONE TERM’S FEES in lieu of notice.

FAMILY PHOTOS
Saturday, November 1
$15 gets a framed family photo.
Contact Suzie Enright at suzie.enright@templecc.sa.edu.au or at school Tuesday-Friday.
More details to follow.
SAVE THE DATE

TERM 4
Summer Uniform to be worn
School Returns Monday, October 13

ORIENTATION DAY
Tuesday, November 25, 8.30am

PRESENTATION NIGHT
Thursday, December 11,
7.00pm
Students to be in School Uniform with blazer and all are expected to attend.

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS for 2016

Registration is now open for the 2016 ACER Scholarship. Families can register through a link on our Web Site. The examination will be held on Saturday, 7 February, 2015. Families with students currently in Year 6 are the ones that need to register. Their children sit for the scholarship at the beginning of their Year 7 year, for a possible scholarship for Year 8 in 2016.

Cost is $95 paid direct to ACER when registering.
REGISTRATIONS CLOSE Tuesday, January 20, 2015

If you have any queries please contact Di Ashton on 8405 0900
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 throughout the year.

Mile End Campus, Staff Room,
28 October and 25 November

BREAKFAST FOR STUDENTS
Tuesdays - Fridays from 8.15am - 8.35am
Bacon and egg muffins $3.00
Juice $3.00

PARENT PRAYER GROUP
Parents and friends are invited to join the Parents Prayer Group as they meet fortnightly at 9am, to pray into the life of the school. We look forward to seeing you. Meetings held in the Staff Room.

Parents Prayer Meeting dates for Term 3 and Term 4 2014
September 26, 24 October, 7 November, 21 November, 5 December

ENROLMENT INTERVIEWS
Enrolment interviews will commence for the 2016 intake of students in early February 2015.

An Enrolment Form must be received by the school before an interview can be booked. Please contact Mrs. Di Ashton on PH: 8405 0900 to obtain a Prospectus Pack

HOMEWORK CENTRE
Assistance is available for homework and assignments every Tuesday after school in the Library, starting from Week 2. All students are welcome to attend and there are usually 3 teachers available to assist across a range of subjects. Start time is usually 3.15 and finish is about 4.30. Students can attend all or part of the time.

TERM DATES FOR 2014
TERM 3 July 21—September 26
TERM 4 October 13—December 11
Presentation Night—December 11 7pm, Thebarton Theatre

A PARENT COFFEE MORNING S
All parents of all Year Levels are welcome. It is at BB’s cafe, Mile End at 10am

19 Sep, 17 Oct.

Contact Sue Doveton on 0405 169 218
All Welcome

SPORTS WEBSITE
If you would like information on all of the sporting opportunities at Temple, please visit www.templecc.sa.edu.au and go to the tab labelled Sport.

You will find draws, team names, consent forms, times, dates, venues, what’s coming up etc.

Please do not hesitate to contact Magan Schaefer (Sports Coordinator) on 8405 0900 or email him at magan.schaefer@templecc.sa.edu.au

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