Dear School Family

It is amazing how quickly the term has come to an end.

It has been a very busy term with lots of students involved in many different activities. I am really excited about our school musical ‘Bye Bye Birdie’. It will be at the Goodwood Institute from Thursday, May 7, until Saturday, May 9. It really will be a fantastic and very entertaining show. The students and staff have been very busy rehearsing throughout this term and the pace really picks up as holiday rehearsals begin. I look forward to seeing you at the Musical. Invite lots of friends and family as it really will be a great show.

Easter was a special time and it was great to be led by our student leadership team at our Easter Assembly. Although it is a story we are very familiar with it is important that we continue to tell the story of what Christ has done for us and how it completely shapes our lives. We are constantly flooded by lots of stories through the movies we watch, books we read and the media. Some of these stories are true and some are fictional. The stories that we immerse ourselves in can shape and direct our lives. God’s story of creation, fall and redemption through Christ is the real true story. It is a story that brings life and purpose to our own lives and enables us to bring life to others. As a whole school the students and staff shared communion, reflected and prayed giving thanks to God for what He has done for us through Christ.

It was exciting to be able to bring the Easter message into Rundle Mall this year. We had students from both campuses performing items in music. It was so encouraging to be able declare the true message of Easter. Well done to all the team and to Mr Brad Adams and Mrs Eliza Buckoke on their organisation of the day. Christian Schools Australia organised the day and it will expand to 3 days next year.

The Athletics team did well at the SACSA Athletics Carnival recently, again, coming second. It was a really great effort by all the team. Well done to Mr. Schaefer and Mr Lloyd on their organising and leading the team. At the SSSSA Athletics Championships we are competing in the A2 Division this year. The competition will be tough but I am confident the team will give their very best.

I trust the holiday break will be a restful time. I pray for God’s covering and protection over your families especially if you are travelling.

Marcel Rijken,
Principal, Temple Christian College

TUTORS AVAILABLE

Tutoring is available in the following subjects:

**MATHS & SCIENCE**
Experienced in Mathematical Studies, Specialist Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics for Years 11 and 12.
Contact: Sarah Rijken (Old Scholar) 0403 823 764

**ENGLISH, HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY**
for Years 7-12 &
RESEARCH PROJECT Year 12
Contact: Shannalee Mulder (Old Scholar) 0406 191 788

**WINTER UNIFORM**
to be worn

Pursuing excellence for the glory of God
Thank you for your wonderful support last year in raising $1,716 through Entertainment Books which enabled us to purchase a new fridge for both school and canteen use.

They're coming again, 2015/2016 Entertainment Books will be sent home with your child on May 14th. If you DO NOT want a book sent home please contact the school or us on: parentsandfriends-me@templecc.sa.edu.au or 8405 0900. Thank you.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS
2015/2016

Easter in the Mall
On April 1, music students from Temple Christian College, Mile End and Bethany Campuses performed in Rundle Mall as part of the "Christian School's Australia Easter in the Mall celebration".

The Senior Vocal Group, Stage Band, Year 12 Ensemble Jazz Band and the Worship Band performed a wide variety of music to celebrate this most important part of the Christian Calendar. It was wonderful to hear the name of Jesus being sung, worshiped and spoken of in the heart of the city, as the true meaning of Easter. The students and all staff involved are to be congratulated for their part in this excellent event.

Brad Adams, Music Coordinator

Rising Sun Pictures
Last Wednesday I had the privilege to take the first ever school group through the studios of Rising Sun Pictures, a company well known for visual effects in movies such as X-man: Days of Future past, Lord of the Rings, The Hunger Games, Batman Begins and Pirates of the Caribbean, just to name a few.

The Year 12 AV students along with Brad Adams and myself were able to see what a regular day looks like in this big part of the film industry. We got to see each department and their specific roles in the company. The boys not only saw how they created some of their completed clips but also saw the working progress of 3 Hollywood blockbuster movies: Pan, Gods of Egypt and Tarzan. Pan is released July this year where the other two movies will not be at the cinema until next year. Rising Sun have won many visual effects awards for their work and were nominated for an Oscar this year for their work in X-man: Days of Future Past – arguably one of the hardest visual effects scenes so far. Rising Sun Pictures aims to create realistic visual effects to be used in conjunction with real footage, making a seamless transition between real footage to visual effects. This involves a lot of Physics and Mathematics to be able to replicate digitally real life situations.

We all really enjoyed our time there and we look forward to working closer with them in the near future. If you would like to view some of the work they have done have a look at their video reel at rsp.com.au.

Todd Purdy, Multimedia and AV Coordinator.
There were mixed results throughout the day but a consistent effort by all students.

There were four teams that made the finals as a result of winning consistently throughout their draw:

**Temple team 2** (Year 11 boys) consisting of Michael Yen, Ben Jarman, Jason Fast, Jayden Hatswell, Sam Double and Mackenie Dunn.

**Temple team 5** (Year 12 boys) consisting Ethan Hamdorf, Mason Pickard, Rahni Portridge and Peter Mitchell.

**Temple team 6** (Year 12 boys) Jakob Brand, Isaac Peplow, Henao Idihu and Sam Adie.

**Temple team 8** (Year 12 girls) Deirdre Boshoff, Mel Elsegood, Elizha Boshoff, Chandi Poalses, Nicola Crisa and Ally Papa.

Congratulations to the girls who won their division. It was an excellent day spent down at Glenelg beach in great company and fantastic competition. Well done to all teams.

**SACSA**

**After the Temple Inter School Athletics Carnival, a team of 85 students were picked to further represent the school in the South Australian Christian Schools (SACSA) Carnival.**

The SACSA Carnival was held on Thursday 26th March, 2013 (Week 9, Term 1) at SANTOS Stadium. This year we presented a very strong team with representatives from both campuses collectively putting their best foot forward on the day. Throughout the day we battled against Kings for 1st place in the overall Division 1 points tally. Unfortunately, Kings proved to be too strong in the relays and we gained 2nd place overall. Our athletes achieved consistently high results in many events demonstrating a high level of natural talent and the commitment of our Athletics team. There were many excellent results throughout the day however the following Mile End students achieved first place in their events which is an outstanding achievement:

Jaime Thompson, Matthew Thompson, Juliana Marcus, Sam Adie and Godwin Peters.

We look forward to competing in the upcoming SSSSA Athletics Carnival in Week 11.

Emily Hyde, Sports Coordinator

In early March Ryan Matulick visited Sydney for the purpose of competing in the FIRST® Regional Robotics Competition. Teams that compete are usually school based/sponsored teams, however the team that Ryan is involved in (Robo Roos) is a community based team with high school aged members from several schools. This was the first time a regional event of this international competition was held in Australia with 33 teams competing including teams from USA, China, Singapore and Taiwan with the winning team alliance qualifying to compete for the world title in USA.

The competition this year was called “Recycle Rush” and the task was for each team build a robot that could stacking totes on scoring platforms, capping those stacks with recycling containers.

The competition was held over 3 days and after the qualifying rounds the team was 10th and was selected for the finals with the team alliance finishing 5th. The team took out the creativity award for creativity in design, use of components, or strategy of play.

The design and build of the robot had to occur over a 6 week period which happened in Jan/ Feb and then the robot was shipped to Sydney for the competition.

FRC combines the excitement of sport with the rigors of science, technology, engineering and mathematics. Under strict rules, limited resources, and time, teams build and program robots to perform prescribed tasks against a field of competitors. It’s as close to “real-world engineering” as a student can get.
Coastal Excursion

In Week 9, Year 10 Geography students participated in the annual coastal excursion to admire the glorious cliffs and beaches that make up the coastal stretch from Marino to Brighton.

Students were envious of the views afforded by the coastal real estate, but couldn’t help but wonder how long until coastal retreat (erosion at work) gives the residents a true beach front allotment – who needs a pool anyways? That’s something students can take with them when they arrive at their own choice of real estate in years to come. Who would've thought that learning about the coastal processes could be so practical?!

As a parent with young children, I couldn't help but think of my own as I watched the students fossick across the wave-cut platform, finding crabs and observing the rock pools. Ah, the outdoor classroom… not even teenagers are too cool to be big kids when the opportunity allows! I think even a few students fleetingly imagined they were Bear Grylls in an exotic wilderness when they attempted to pick up a crab without receiving a good nip.

As we walked along the beautiful wide beaches, the weather turned, providing a chilling Sou'-Wester that kept the pace brisk. Despite this, students engaged well in the learning experience. And when it got too much, it was nothing that a hot-chocolate over lunch at a Brighton café couldn’t fix.

Thanks for the day out Year 10s!

Mr Andrew Lang, Geography Coordinator

Year 9 Lynton Conservation Park Bushwalk

On Wednesday 8th April, the whole of year 9 went on a bushwalk around Lynton Conservation Park.

After splitting into two groups the two halves went separate ways and discovered different sights and trails. The students were able to use their own initiative in directing the group through the trails and bush, and occasionally getting lost. We stopped at various lookouts along the way and learnt a new game called ‘boulder dash’ which was a favourite with the students. Most learnt by the end of the day some important hiking skills, including bringing lots of water and having sturdy shoes. This hike is one of three that the year 9 students will embark on this year and judging from the enthusiasm from most of the students on the hike it was well enjoyed by all.

Rebekah Jones,
Sports and Music Admin Assistant
TERM 2 CALENDAR

April 23—26  
Monday, April 27  
Tuesday, April 28  
Friday, May 1—2  
Tuesday, May 5  
Thursday, May 7—9  
Tuesday, May 12—14  
Tuesday, May 12  
Wednesday, May 13  
Thursday, May 14  
Sunday, May 17—23  
Thursday, May 28  
Wednesday, June 3  
Monday, June 8  
Thursday, June 11  
Thursday, June 11  
Saturday, June 13  
Wednesday, June 17  
Friday, June 19  
Thursday, June 25  
Friday, June 26  
Friday, June 26—July 3  
Monday, June 29—July 3  
Wednesday, July 1  
Thursday, July 2  
Friday, July 3  
Friday, July 3

First Day of Term 2  
Inter House Cross Country 7 & 8  
MUSIC: Generations of Jazz  
ENGLISH: Performance 7/8 9am, 9.10 10:20am  
School Musical ‘Bye, Bye, Birdie’ (see advertisement)  
Naplan  
Year 11 & 12 Cheap Thrills Presentation 9-10am  
Year 8 & 9 Immunisations  
Year 11 Street Smart Programme (Ent. Centre)  
National Christian School Games, Gold Coast  
OPEN EVENING 5–8.30pm  
Year 9 yLead Conference  
Casual Day for Cambodia—BBQ Lunch, Casual clothes  
Drama Showcase 7:30pm  
Year 11 Retro Ball  
Last Day Year 11 & 12 Students study leave  
Year 11 & 12 Exams commence  
Year 12 Exams conclude  
Year 11 Exams conclude  
Year 12 Line Days  
Year 11 Work Experience  
Year 10 Exams  
Year 8, 9, 10 Exams  
Year 8, 9, 10 Exams  
Last day of school

School Returns—Wednesday, July 22, Winter Uniform to be worn

OPEN EVENING

5:00pm to 8:30pm  
Thursday, 28 May, 2015

Pursuing excellence for the glory of God
Thank you for your support as the Student Services Office staff settle into their new roles. Please note the following:

FIRST AID

With winter weather upon us please be mindful of the following:

- If your child is sick and they are kept at home we require a Dr’s certificate for 3 days or more.
- If your child says that they are unwell please check them thoroughly as one of the questions that we ask is “what your parent have advised” and if they are at school then we assume that they are fit for school work.
- If your child gets sick during the day please have a “plan B” especially if you are a working parent.
- If your child either phones or sms’ stating that they are unwell please direct them to report to the SSO so that we can maintain a Duty of Care and make contact with you if your child requires collecting.

LOST PROPERTY

A reminder for all items of clothing to be named clearly so that the SSO are able to return clothing to the rightful owner. It is very difficult to prove ownership otherwise and release items.

STUDENT ABSENTEEISM

Entry of absenteeism onto the School Database is by code.

When reporting absenteeism please include a reason for absence. An ‘unauthorised absence’ code is entered where no reason is given.

There is no code for ‘family reason’. Please give a brief explanation so the correct code can be determined.

All unexplained absences should be resolved as quickly as possible. Students may be subject to the School Behaviour Management line of action for truancy where unexplained absences remain unresolved.

Parents organising holidays during Term time are to advise the School in writing prior to the event. It is up to students to see their teachers in regards to school work and/or deadlines/extensions.

- Up to 5 school days - written Student Planner (to be brought to the SSO for copying)
- Up to 20 school days – permission for exemption from school is to be directed in writing/email to the Principal allowing time for the Principal to respond.
- More than 20 school days – a Government Exemption from School Form must be obtained from the Front Office and returned to the School allowing time for the Principal to respond.

As a legal document which is audited by Government Departments, it is very important the Roll is maintained accurately and truthfully.

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Temple Christian College

Marcel Rijken, Principal, invites you to our

Parents Prayer Breakfast

Thursday, June 19, 2015
6.30am—7.30am

at
Temple Christian College
2 Henley Reach Road
Mile End

Parking is available across the road in the school carpark opposite the school entrance.
Please RSVP: Di Ashton PH: 8405 0900

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Term 2
MISSION POSSIBLE
CAMBODIA
Casual Day
Thursday, June 11

$2 Gold coin donation for no uniform
BBQ Lunch $2
Can of Drink $2
Chocolate Mousse $1.50

All funds raised help Cambodia
Temple Christian College Presents

Bye Bye Birdie

“Oh, give me one last kiss!”

A MUSICAL COMEDY
Book by MICHAEL STEWART
Music by CHARLES STROUSE
Lyrics by LEE AAMS
Originally produced by EDWARD BOLULA
by arrangement with Hal Leonard Australia Pty Ltd

The Goodwood Institute
166 Goodwood Rd, Goodwood
Thursday 7th May 7pm  Friday 8th May 7pm  Saturday 9th May 1pm • 7pm
Bookings at www.trybooking.com/HGCZ or Phone 8405 0900
Adults $18  Concession $14

#ByeByeBirdieTCC2015

@ByeByeBirdieTCC2015
**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 along side 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.

Mile End Campus, Staff Room, Tuesday, May 12 and June 9, at 7.30pm

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**HOMEWORK CENTRE**

Assistance is available for homework and assignments every Monday and Tuesday’s 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.

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**ENROLMENT INTERVIEWS**

Enrolment interviews have commenced for the 2016 intake of students.

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**

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**PARENT COFFEE MORNINGS**

May 13 & June 24 @9.30am

All parents of all Year Levels are welcome. It is at Michel’s Patisserie (formerly BB’s café), Mile End

**Please contact Antoinette Rotolo, 0422 665 097 for details**

**All Welcome**

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**PARENTS PRAYER GROUP**

Parents and friends are invited to join the Parents Prayer Group as they meet fortnightly at 8.30am, 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 2, 2015, 8.30—9.30am**

Friday, May 8, 22, June 5, 19, July 3

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**Online payments**

You can now pay your tuition fees and other school related payments securely on our school’s website. Go to http://www.templecc.sa.edu.au/, select your campus, then select the Online Payment Icon and follow the prompts. Please note that you will need your family code (located on your fee statement) to use this service.

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**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 magan.schaefer@templecc.sa.edu.au

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Presentation Night, December 10

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