We had a ‘God moment’ yesterday – one of those moments that reassures you that God is present and in control, even during the sad or difficult times. The Office staff have set a goal this term of going through our mountain of archived paperwork, re-organising it and shredding what is no longer needed.

Yesterday, as we were mourning the loss of our school communities’ much loved parent, Nick Arnold, we just happened to unpack a box that contained a series of poems that had been saved from a community poetry competition many years ago. It was open to all ages, and to our surprise we came across about 6 poems written by Nick and entered into the competition. The poems were on a range of topics, but in two of the poems, Nick shared his faith in his Lord.

With Felicity’s permission, we would like to share 4 of the verses Nick wrote with you.

May you too have the assurance that Nick had in his life, and may we be a blessing to one another this week.

Kathryn

I cannot find the words to show the peace that God has given
I cannot quite explain the joy of life that I’m now living
I cannot tell just how he made my darkened heart to shine
I cannot fully know God imparts such hope as mine

But I can tell you Jesus is the surest hope around
And I can say how darkness fled when Jesus’ light I found
I can also tell you Jesus is my joy and strength
And Jesus’ peace is growing in its height and breadth and length

So as I stand and testify how Jesus is the way
And how He changed despair into the hope I know each day
I want to thank Him publically and tell all that He’s worth
Though sins of flesh had brought me death in Him I have new birth

So worship Him our risen Lord and let not death be King
For Jesus triumphed over the Grave and death has lost its sting
We’ll reign forever as heirs of Christ as He dealt with all of our sin.

Today rejoice as you make that choice to journey forever with Him.

Written by
Nick Arnold
THOUGHTS/ PRAYERS & THANK YOUS

- We pray for the Arnold family. Lord please give them strength through this difficult time and give them peace that Nick is now with his heavenly father.

PRAYER FAMILIES

All students
Nelson
Nolan
Obst
Parker
Pederick
Phillips
Pitts
Price
Pringle
Rice

SECOND HAND UNIFORM SHOP

Opening Times
Tuesday 3:15pm to 3:45pm
Friday 8:30am to 9am

LILY STUDENT BANKING

Every Tuesday

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Principals Report

Campus News
In the past week we have been looking at the ways in which we might begin to develop as a Campus. It has been exciting to hear the ideas of the staff of both sites, and to begin to develop some ways and special events with which both sites can begin the process of working together. Hot on the list of ways are buddies, professional development opportunities and using the school facilities. We are also beginning to work on scheduling Semester 2 special events, such as Grandfriends Day and Open Day, at the same time so that both sites can be visited.

Another important aspect has been taking SBCCC staff to look at other long day care centres. It is always exciting to see other ideas and ways of doing things in action, and it has the benefit of really opening the inquiry process into thinking, “What do we want to see in our Centre?” and even more importantly, “How can we most optimise the benefit to the children?”

RADII School Survey
The survey has now closed. May I thank all those who took part in the survey for your participation and your much valued feedback. The results will be released to the Campus Council, and they in turn will report back to the school community, including both those areas in which we can celebrate parent satisfaction, backed up by an action plan to address areas for continued growth and improvement.

Cross Country Results
Huge congratulations to all those who participated in cross country, along with Mr Adler. Whilst we at times have children who struggle with our fitness program, events like this highlight the fact that our students’ fitness is definitely increased, and research makes clear the long term benefits this has for the children. An amazing effort for our school!

Enrolments for 2017 and beyond
As we begin the exciting process of securing foundation students for 2017, I encourage you to invite your friends and family to please consider St Jakobi and see the front office for formal paperwork.

There are currently a limited number of places classrooms and am excited to see some new faces within our community.
On Wednesday the 18th of May, 44 fit and healthy St Jakobi students, Mrs Rice, Mrs Ahrens and several parents went to Angaston to participate in the local Cross Country Day. The students were very enthusiastic and ran well on the day.

Thank you to the parents who came on the bus with us (Mr Sibbick & Mrs Gladigau), who did marshalling and timing duties (Mrs Zerk, Mrs Ashby, Mrs Menadue, Mrs Gladigau & Mrs Saunders), for those who took our tents over and set up for us (Mrs Wilton & Mrs Ashby), and for the many parents who helped pack up for us. Thankfully it was a lovely sunny day.

We had a very successful day with many place getters including the following.

2008 Boys – 3rd Place - Ollie Sibbick
2007 Boys – 3rd Place – Henry McLachlan
2006 Boys – 3rd Place – Riley McDonald
2005 Boys – 1st Place – Sam Sibbick & 2nd Place – Josh Davey
2004 Boys – 1st Place – Ryan Sibbick
2004 Girls – 2nd Place – Maddie Saunders & 3rd Place – Olivia Thiele

We also had a visit from our illustrious fitness leader Mr Adler who came along to give his support for the entire day!
On Thursday May 26th our school was treated to a performance by Music Is Fun. We found out just how much FUN music can be through seeing a live band, colourful costumes and a range of instruments playing a variety of musical styles. The vocalists were entertaining and educational.

Some students had the chance to dress up and be part of the show. We had green peas, hungry sheep (looking for juicy, juicy green grass), karate kids, body surfers, astronauts, stars and lazy pirates.

After practising the songs in Music/Drama lessons, it was a delight to hear students singing along at high volume. Favourites included 'Brave', 'Welcome to New York', 'The Hairbrush Song' and 'The Final Countdown'.

A group of Year 2/3 students who had committed to lunchtime practises confidently joined the band to sing 'If You're Out There' for the whole school to enjoy.

We can't wait for Music Is Fun to come back in 2018!
The Garden of Hope Produces Giant Carrots!

Last week the Year 4/5L class spent some time in the school garden doing some general maintenance. This included composting, weeding and harvesting. Students were very excited about the giant carrots that we harvested, some over 40cm in length in over 10cm in diameter!

Excursion to the Old Adelaide Gaol

On Monday, students from the Year 4/5 module visited the Old Adelaide Gaol as a part of their inquiry unit ‘Heroes and Villains’. They got to experience first-hand what it may have been like for those unfortunate people living inside the gaol. Students enjoyed hearing about stories of the prisoners and seeing inside the cells.

A highlight was hearing Thomas Ancell’s stories about his great-great-great-grandfather who was one of prisoners executed inside the Adelaide Gaol and seeing where he was hung and laid to rest.
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MUSIC TEACHER - Kathryn Trevilyan, 0466 633 565 (teaching flute, piano, clarinet, saxophone and recorder)
Barossa Valley Little Athletics
CROSS COUNTRY EVENT

When: Sunday, June 26
Where: Bethany Reserve, Bethany.
Cost: Gold Coin (plus $5 Come & Try fee applies for none Little Athletics Members)
Time: from 11:00 – 2:30
Events: Tiny Tots 40m, Under 6 (500m) to Under 17 (3000m)

This is a fun day for the whole family. All athletes welcome, you do not have to be a registered Little Athletics Member – come and try fee applies here.
There will be a canteen operating. For more information check the BVLAC website www.barossavalleylac.org.au or call Nicole Garrett, Secretary on 0413 527 269.

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**YOUNG WRITERS COMPETITION**

**FRIENDS OF THE BAROSSA LIBRARY**

**YOUNG WRITERS’ COMPETITION 2016**

Open to writers in four age groups:
- up to 8 years (up to 200 words)
- 9 to 12 years (up to 500 words)
- 13 to 15 years (up to 700 words)
- 16 to 20 years (up to 1,000 words)

$200 School Library Prize
Entry forms available at Barossa Schools or Barossa Libraries
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**ENTRIES CLOSE 5.00pm FRIDAY 16th SEPTEMBER**

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**Community CHRISTMAS IN JULY LUNCH**

Sunday 31 July, 12.30pm, Lyndoch Institute
Come along and join us for Christmas lunch, sing some carols, relax and have a good time.

**INTERESTED IN A HIT OF TENNIS OVER WINTER??**

**LYNDOCH TENNIS CLUB IS HOLDING JUNIOR WINTER TENNIS SESSIONS**

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN TIME:
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OR JILL EVANS – 0413 527 269
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- & Concession
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  (2 adults, 3 children)

Tickets on Sale 1 April 2016 at www.brickbarossa.com.au/tickets

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