



IMPORTANT DATES

JANUARY

Thu 31 F-Yr 12 Photo Day

FEBRUARY

Fri 1 Foundation Day Off
Yr 12 Orientation Day

Mon 4 - Fri 8 Yrs 1-6 Water Safety Program

Mon 4 F-Yr 2 Parent Information Evening @ 7pm

Tue 5 Yr 10 & 11 Parent Information Evening @ 7pm

Wed 6 Foundation Day Off
Yrs 3 & 4 Parent Information Evening @ 7pm
Yrs 5 & 6 Parent Information Evening @ 7.45pm

Sat 9 ACEP Exam

Tue 12 Middle School Parent Information Evening @ 7pm

Wed 13 Foundation Day Off

Fri 15 Yr 10 Orientation Day

Tue 19 Y2 12 Parent Information Evening @ 7pm

Wed 20 Foundation Day Off

From the Principal

Colossians 3:12-14 *"¹²Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. ¹³Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. ¹⁴And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity."*

Dear Families and Friends

I would like to extend to you a warm welcome to the beginning of the 2019 year at Emmaus. As I type my 'weather ap' has just updated to report the current Adelaide temperature being 45.5 degrees (and it is still only early afternoon!) so this certainly gives new meaning to a 'warm welcome!' Not only does today's temperature potentially break records, but Emmaus will be starting 2019 with a record high 743 students! I especially would like to welcome all families new to Emmaus in 2019. It is my prayer that your commencement at Emmaus will see you quickly become embraced as a part of this amazing Christian community.

On Wednesday 23 January the entire Emmaus staff participated in a team building day starting with a time of worship, devotion, and prayer. Our Chaplain Adam Wood led staff through a reflection on the above scripture from Colossians focusing on commencing the year clothed with compassion, kindness, gentleness, and patience for each other and our students. Above all however is the need to 'bind' these together in perfect unity with LOVE. The photos below illustrate staff creatively engaging with this scripture as they put their artistic skills to the test! The photos of the Giant Panda and baby Meerkats are not the work of a particularly creatively gifted member of staff, but from the Zoo where our relationship and team-building day subsequently migrated!



The 2018 school year concluded with some very exciting news in relation to our Year 12 results. Below is a 'snapshot' of the Emmaus Year 12 results:

- 100% of all Year 12 subjects were awarded a C- grade or higher
- Seven 'Merits' (perfect subject scores) were awarded to Emmaus students
- 44% of all Emmaus grades were in the A band - compared to 26% across the State
- 55% achieved an ATAR over 80 (in the top 20% of the State)
- 31% achieved an ATAR over 90 (in the top 10% of the State)
- 15% achieved an ATAR over 95 (in the top 5% of the State)

These results at Year 12 level are consistent with our 2018 NAPLAN results at Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 for Numeracy and Literacy which saw our Emmaus students perform 8.5% above State averages. This represents an average advancement of 16 months ahead compared to their same age average State counterparts. Ultimately we give glory to God for the successes of our students and a special thank you to our teachers and families for supporting all our students across the College to achieve such impressive results. As a College we now turn our attention towards the 2019 academic year ahead with faithfulness and optimism.

Andrew Linke
Principal

Weekly Coffee Connect
Tuesday Morning
8.45am - 9.45am

Weekly Prayer Connect
Thursday Morning
8.45am - 9.15am

Launch News

2019 City of Marion Australia Day Awards

On Australia Day over 200 people attended the Marion Council Australia Day Awards at Marion RSL. Kaitlin, Year 10 was nominated for Young Citizen Award for her diligent service within our school and wider community.

Her efforts were publicly acknowledged and honoured by the mayor of Marion, Kris Hanna.

Well done Kaitlin.

Susanne Milne
Launch Coordinator (F-Year 10)

From the Library

Welcome to another year of reading!

Here are some great reasons to encourage all students from Foundation to Year 12 to maintain a regular reading pattern:

- Reading books enriches and stretches your brain and thinking.
- Books can provide easily accessible information.
- Books provide good conversation topics.
- Books provide good examples of great writing. Books are wonderful portable entertainment.
- Books enrich vocabulary and language use and inspire creativity.
- Books are a window to the world.
- Books provide opportunities to develop empathy and understanding.
- Books pose questions to stimulate thinking.
- Books may create an opportunity to consider "What if..." and introduce readers to fantasy worlds.
- The Library is a place to provide many avenues to explore different books and learning opportunities.

Opening Hours:

The Library is open from 8.35am to 4.30pm every school day (except for Tuesday when closing time is 3.30pm). Middle School and Senior School students are welcome to stay to study after normal school hours, but Junior school students must be accompanied by an adult if they plan to stay beyond 3.30pm. Parents are welcome to visit before and after school for borrowing. Students may also access the Library at lunchtimes (but not recess times). Students are monitored in the library during opening hours and are expected to show respectful behaviour.

Borrowing

Junior School classes will have specific times to borrow. Foundation to Year 2 students will need a protective Library Bag to carry their books home. A bag is available from the Uniform shop for purchase. (Water resistant bags are encouraged). Other Junior school students will need to carefully store Library books and ensure that drink bottles/lunch boxes do not make contact with the Library books.

Middle School and Junior School students may borrow at the direction of teachers or during Lunch times. Parents are welcome to become borrowers.

The Library catalogue can be accessed online at: <http://accessit.emmauscc.sa.edu.au/#!dashboard>

Lunchtime Library use

Students are welcome in the Library at lunchtimes – on their own, with a friend or in small groups. Games that use an electronic device or computer are not allowed, and students are only permitted to use their own computer for assignment-related tasks. Lego and a variety of games are available.

Text book Borrowing

Text books and Class novels are borrowed from the Library. Once the book is issued to a student they are responsible for its care and return. Books that are lost or damaged, or not returned at the end of the year, will have an invoice prepared to cover the replacement cost. Students should record their name in the appropriate place inside the textbook as soon as they have borrowed. (Returning someone else's book, but not your own can be an issue at the end of year.) Books that are no longer needed for a subject should be returned as soon as possible.

Overdue Books from 2018

A few students have not returned books from 2018, or paid the invoice to the Student Services Office or the Library. 2019 borrowing may not be available until this occurs.

Carolyn Hull, Alicia Buxton, Jan Maschmedt

Sport

Welcome or welcome back for the 2019 School Year. As many of you know sport is integral part of the life of the College and as we have seen in previous years the sports program continues to grow with more opportunities for all students with the intent to increase participation and the number of people living a healthy and active lifestyle. With that in mind the school calendar is a place where we can all look upon for event dates, times and locations. Events that we have the opportunity to participate in are our annual House Athletic and Swimming Carnivals, Running Club, After School Sport House Competitions, SAPSASA, SSSA and SACSA sporting competitions and many more. Our fortnightly newsletter will also include relevant upcoming dates, but for those who would like to know in advance please look to the College calendar that can be found on our new College website.

Running Club will recommence Week 3, Tuesday 12 February and will run each week from 7.30am to 8.10am. This club is open to all Emmaus students in Years 3 - 9, parents and staff. Last year we had strong support from the Emmaus community and hope that this will continue again. The purpose of this club is to get more students active before school, build relationships, start the day off on a good note and engage their brains before starting a day of learning. For parents it is an opportunity for them to also work with or compete against their children, feel a part of a small community and develop relationships. All you need to bring is a water bottle and wear clothing that will enable you to be active and comfortable. Any questions please speak to Mr Max Dal Santo or myself.

This Term for Middle and Senior School students we will be intending to offer, for the first time, after school Table Tennis and Tennis competitions. The Table Tennis competition will be held each Tuesday and commence in Week 3, 13 February, 3.20pm - 4.30pm (approx.) and the Tennis competition will follow commencing on Tuesday 12 March Week 7 (after the long weekend). Students will compete as individuals and in doubles over the course of the four weeks. Students will compete against only those who have signed up in a round robin tournament earning points for their respective House. Students will be able to sign up via a Google Form that will be emailed to them directly prior to these competitions. Each week will be supervised by a member of staff and assisted by responsible student leaders. Each sport will run for 4 weeks and those who sign up will need to be present for those four weeks of competition. More specific information will be sent out to registered students.

Those who are new to Emmaus, each fortnight we like to acknowledge student achievements to the wider Emmaus community. Student achievements such as making a development squad, state team, making qualifying for finals, winning a premiership, attending nationals or anything else sport related. Last year we had many student achievements and acknowledging them each fortnight was great enabling staff and other students to congratulate them on their efforts, further enhancing our College community.

Student Achievements for end of 2018

- Fraser (Year 10) won Gold in the Under 17 Boys 4 x 100m relay and 4 x 200m relay, Sienna (Year 8) won Silver in the Under 14 Girls 4 x 100m relay, Praiselyn (Year 5) won gold in the Under 10 Girls 4 x 100 and 4 x 200 relays and Miracle (Year 7) won Gold in the Under 13 Girls 4 x 100m relay at the Athletics State Relay Championships, held at Santos Stadium.
- Scarlett (Year 10) has been recruited to the SANFL Next Generation Academy U16s Female Talent Squad for Port Adelaide Football Club (Port Power).

The ADELAIDE COBRAS would like to welcome any Emmaus soccer players to come and tryout for their club. For anyone that decides that Cobras is their home they are willing to discount the fees for any Emmaus Children by \$100 per child, the fees for 2018/2019 season are as follows: Under 12 - Under 17 \$745 will now be \$645, Under 10 - Under 11 \$645 will now be \$545 and Under 6 – Under 9 \$595 will now be \$495. If you have any queries please contact ACAFC Football Director Nick Georgiou on 0411 181 234.

If you have any other questions or queries about H&PE/Sport matters please do not hesitate to contact myself via [email](#) or at the College on 8292 3888 and I will be happy to assist where possible. I look forward to meeting and working with you and your children over the coming year.

Daryl Porter
H&PE / Sports Coordinator (F-Year 12)

College News

MS/SS Musical

Are you a good seamstress? Can you help?

Please email [Carolyn Adams](#) or [Jess Routley](#) if you are interested and able to help sew costumes during Terms 1 & 2 for the upcoming school musical.

Uniform Shop

2019 Normal Opening Hours

Monday	8.30am - 10.00am 3.00pm - 5.00pm	Thursday	8.30am - 10.00am 1.00pm - 1.30pm 3.00pm - 5.00pm
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Christine Blom-Cursaro
Uniform Shop Manager

Student Wellbeing Coordinator

Welcome to a new school year and a special welcome to any new families who have joined the Emmaus family this year.

My name is Kat Clark and, as you may know, I am following in Sue Chapman's footsteps as the new Student Wellbeing Coordinator. The Emmaus community was extremely blessed by Sue for many years, so I hope and trust that you will also enjoy having me serve you in this role.

Some things you may like to know about me are that I am a trained counsellor with a strong faith in Jesus and a passion for supporting young people and their families. I am excited to be here for this community through both the joyous and the difficult seasons ahead.

To help you get to know me, my favourite things in the world include spending quality time with people, eating great food and patting every dog possible. I would love to get to know you also, so please feel welcome to introduce yourself if you see me.



Both Ben Squire and I are available to speak with students and parents about any concerns you may have. You are invited to contact us via email or phone and we look forward to hearing from you.

Student Wellbeing Coordinator direct line 8292 3828
 Email kclark@emmauscc.sa.edu.au or bsquire@emmauscc.sa.edu.au

Hours for 2019

Kat Clark		Ben Squire	
Monday	8.15am - 4.15pm	Monday	Unavailable
Tuesday	8.15am - 5.00pm	Tuesday	9.00am - 9.40am
Wednesday	8.15am - 4.15pm	Wednesday	Unavailable
Thursday	Off	Thursday	8.00am - 8.30am 9.00am - 10.20am 1.00pm - 4.30pm
Friday	8.15am - 3.30pm	Friday	9.00am - 11.00am

Kat Clark
Student Wellbeing Coordinator

Canteen Roster

Week 1 T1		Week 2 T1	
		Mon 4	No help needed
		Tue 5	No help needed
		Wed 6	Sam Allison
Thu 31 January	No help needed	Thu 7	No help needed
Fri 1 February	Nancy Pantelis	Fri 8	Tam Battersby
Week 3 T1		Week 4 T1	
Mon 11	No help needed	Mon 18	No help needed
Tue 12	No help needed	Tue 19	No help needed
Wed 13	HELP NEEDED	Wed 20	Catherine Chua
Thu 14	No help needed	Thu 21	No help needed
Fri 15	Karen Baker	Fri 22	HELP NEEDED

Thank you for the time you volunteer in the canteen, it is very much appreciated. The hours are from 9.30am to approximately 1.30pm. Due to Occupational Health and Safety, please wear enclosed shoes and ensure long hair is tied back. Please also remember to sign in at the Front Office and collect a visitors badge before you commence in the canteen. This is a legal requirement in case of fire evacuation/lock down. Thank you for your assistance with this important matter.

Sharon Hughes
Canteen Manager



CANTEEN **SUMMER** PRICE LIST 2019

TERM 1

*Indicates items free of certain additives (see over page for list)

GF Indicates Gluten Free Products

V Indicates Vegetarian

<u>SUSHI</u>		<u>WEDNESDAY ONLY</u>		<u>HOT FOOD</u>	
Smoked Salmon GF /Teriyaki Chicken/Cooked Tuna GF /	2.50			Vegetarian spring roll*	1.00
Vegetarian GF /California Rolls GF	2.50			Garlic Bread	2.00
Soy Sauce	.10			Pizza: Ham & Pineapple/Cheese & Bacon	2.00
				Potato wedges	2.00
Chicken "cold roll" Salad	5.00	<u>WEDNESDAY ONLY</u>		Hot dog NO sauce	3.30
Beef "cold roll" Salad	5.00	<u>WEDNESDAY ONLY</u>		Hot dog WITH sauce	3.50
				Light pie	3.50
Butter Chicken with Rice	5.00	<u>WEDNESDAY ONLY GF</u>		Light potato pie	3.50
Malaysian Chicken with Rice	5.00	<u>WEDNESDAY ONLY GF</u>		Light pizza pie	3.50
				Light Sausage roll	3.50
<u>½ VIETNAMESE ROLL</u>		<u>THURSDAY ONLY</u>		Spinach and cheese roll	3.50
Please give an alternative on lunch order bag				Meat Pasty <u>ORDERS ONLY</u>	4.00
Thai chicken / Butter Chicken / Roast Pork / Tofu V	2.50			Wholemeal vegetarian pasty <u>ORDERS ONLY</u>	4.00
				Gluten Free Sausage Roll	4.50
				Tomato sauce*	.20
<u>BAGUETTES - White or Wholemeal</u>					
Meatballs, tomato sauce, lettuce, grated cheese <u>ORDERS ONLY</u>	3.50			<u>BURGERS - ORDERS ONLY</u>	
New Falafel, carrot, lettuce, mayo V	3.50			Vegetarian: Vegetarian patty, carrot, tomato, cucumber, lettuce, mayo	4.00
Chilli chicken strip, carrot, lettuce, mayo	3.50			Beef: Beef patty, lettuce, mayo, tomato sauce*	4.00
Chicken strip, carrot, lettuce, mayo*	3.50			Chicken: Crumbed chicken patty, lettuce, mayo*	4.00
Chicken and salad*	4.50			GF is available in the chicken with GF bread.	
*Salad=lettuce, cucumber, tomato, grated carrot, mayo				MARK clearly on lunch order.	
<u>SANDWICHES - Wholemeal Only - ORDERS ONLY</u>					
Buttered	1.20			<u>SNACKS</u>	
Vegemite	1.60			3 Jatz biscuits*	0.30
Light Cheese*	3.00			Fruit strap* GF	0.50
Salad: lettuce, cucumber, tomato, grated carrot, mayo	3.50			Go cookie*	1.00
Meat: Chicken* or Ham	3.50			Grainwaves	1.00
Light Cheese and salad*	4.00			Chips: plain*, honey soy, veg chips GF	1.00
Meat: Chicken* or Ham and salad	4.00			Fruit in season*	1.20
*Salad=lettuce, cucumber, tomato, grated carrot, mayo				Light choc muffin	1.50
GF bread is available. MARK clearly on lunch order.				Gingerbread kids	1.60
				Banana bread*	2.00
<u>WRAPS - ORDERS ONLY</u>					
Chicken & salad*	4.00			<u>ICEBLOCKS</u> (over the counter ONLY)	
Chilli chicken strips, lettuce, carrot, mayo	4.00			<u>SLUSHIES</u> (over the counter ONLY)	
Chicken strips, carrot, lettuce, mayo*	4.00			Fruit tubes	0.50
New Falafel, carrot, lettuce, mayo V				Moo - Strawberry/Chocolate*	1.00
Salad=lettuce, cucumber, tomato, grated carrot, mayo	4.00			Lifesaver Icy Pole	1.00
<u>SALADS - ORDERS ONLY</u>				Lemonade Icy Pole*	1.00
Ham & salad	4.00			Frosty Fruit*	1.00
Cheese & salad* Gluten Free	4.00			Juicies*	1.00
Chicken & salad* Gluten Free	4.00			Frozen yoghurt - strawberry	2.00
<u>EXTRAS</u>				<u>DRINKS</u>	
Spoon/Fork	.10			500ml Thank You Water*	1.50
Mayo*	.20			250ml Just Juice*	1.50
Tomato Sauce*	.20			250ml Up & Go (Chocolate*/Strawberry*/Vanilla*)	2.00
Light cheese slice*	.50			250ml Oak Strawberry*/Chocolate*	2.00
Salad item* (lettuce or cucumber or tomato or grated carrot)	.50			350ml Golden Circle: Apple/Orange	2.20
				Apple Blackcurrant*	

CANTEEN PROCEDURES & RULES – 2019

ALL STUDENTS please print your name, class and year level CLEARLY on your lunch order bag so we can read it easily.

1. ORDERING

Junior Student Orders

Please place your lunch order in the class Canteen lunch box. The class Canteen box will be taken to the Canteen by the class monitors.

Junior Recess Orders

Junior students must place an order for recess and collect it from the Canteen at recess time. Place the recess order in the Canteen lunch box. Mark items required for recess clearly on your order. The Canteen window is not open for sales at Junior School recess. Junior students are not to come to the Canteen window at recess unless collecting a recess order.

Secondary Student Orders

Please place your orders by 9.30am in the blue Canteen box outside Reception.
Secondary lunches can be collected from the Canteen in the first 10 minutes of lunchtime.

All Students Late For School

Lunch orders can be left at Student Services or Reception before 9.30am. If students arrive after 9.30am, they are required to take their orders direct to the Canteen.

Teachers

Please order lunches before 9.30am and place in the blue Canteen box outside Reception.

NOTE:

- There will be **no** orders taken at recess time unless a student is late to school.
- Please do not order iceblocks. They can be purchased direct at lunchtime.
- Should orders miss the deadline, not all items are available.
- There are some foods that can only be purchased if ordered, e.g. sandwiches, rolls, chicken burgers and spaghetti.

2. CREDIT/FORGOTTEN LUNCHES

Junior Students

The Canteen **does not provide** credit. Junior students forgetting their lunch or money should report this to their teacher as soon as possible. They should go to Student Services or Reception by 9.30am, where arrangements will be made with the Canteen to supply an emergency lunch (a piece of fruit for recess \$1.20 and baguette for lunch \$3.50). Payment will be required the following day.

Secondary Students

Report directly to the Canteen Manager.

Canteen to supply an emergency lunch (a piece of fruit for recess \$1.20 and baguette for lunch \$3.50). Payment will be required the following day.

3. LUNCH BAGS

Please ensure a supply of lunch bags is kept at home. Lunch bags can be collected from the Canteen or at Student Services.

*** Indicates items free of the below additives**

AVOID THESE ADDITIVES

COLOURS	102, 104, 110, 122, 123, 124, 127, 129, 132, 133, 142, 143, 151, 155 natural colour 160b (annatto)
PRESERVATIVES	Sorbates: 200, 201, 202, 203 Benzoates: 210, 211, 212, 213 Sulphites: 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228 Nitrates, nitrites: 249, 250, 251, 252, Propionates: 280, 281, 282, 283
SYNTHETIC ANTIOXIDANTS	Gallates: 310, 311, 312 TBHQ, BHA, BHT: 319, 320, 321
FLAVOUR ENHANCERS	Glutamates incl MSG: 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625 Ribonucleotides: 627, 631, 635 Hydrolysed Vegetable Protein (TVP)
ARTIFICIAL FLAVOURS	No numbers since they are trade secrets

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sharon Hughes
Canteen Manager

Learning Assistance Program

We need your help!

Are you a parent, grandparent, old scholar or community member?

*Do you have **40 minutes a week** to spend with one student?*

*Did you know you can **help a child** to:*

- Develop greater self-esteem and confidence
- Learn more about themselves and others
- Reinforce to them that they are special?

If your answer is YES...

Please come to the LAP information session on Thursday 14th February at 2.00pm or contact Carolyn Adams (LAP Coordinator) on 8292 3849

Enjoy some Afternoon Tea whilst learning more about this valuable program

The children in this program may:

- *Be aged between 5 and 12 years*
- *Need help and encouragement with class work*
- *Have an interest or talent to be developed*
- *Be experiencing difficulties with learning*
- *Need someone to listen and show they care*



Interactive Workshop for Parents 'Siblings of Children with Disability'

Presented by Kate Strohm

*Director, Siblings Australia Inc. & Author of
Siblings: Brothers and Sisters of Children with Disability
(2014 revised edition, Wakefield Press)*

Supported by Autism SA. Staff member, Kate Exner will contribute to the session

Date: Thursday March 14 2019

Time: 9.30am-12noon

Venue: 1/262 Marion Road

Netley SA

Cost: \$35 (or \$50/couple)

The workshop will assist parents to:

- *Understand the concerns of siblings*
- *Identify behaviours that might indicate stress*
- *Explore factors affecting the adjustment of siblings*
- *Identify parent role in supporting siblings*
- *Identify other sources of support for siblings*
- *Meet other parents with similar experiences*

RSVP: March 7 – booking/payment via [TryBooking](#)

All enquiries: **Email** kate@siblingsaustralia.org.au or

Phone 0408720558

Booking is essential - places limited

If you wish to be reimbursed via the NDIS contact Kate via above PH/email