

URRBRAE

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Principal's Report

elcome to the first newsletter for 2023, and the start of a new academic year. I would like to extend a warm welcome to the more than 200 new families who have joined our Urrbrae community. Our school numbers have grown to around 1170, and we continue to grow accustomed to the wonder and joy the year 7s bring.

Fortunately, the year has started peacefully and predictably, in stark contrast to recent years. The delays in the Cross Road, Fullarton Road intersection widening have provided near daily challenges, but the Urrbrae community has remained resilient and adaptive.

Nowhere have these characteristics been more evident than in the leadership and conduct of our students. On my desk at the moment are four emails from members of the public, acknowledging the community-centred efforts of students from different year levels, travelling on different bus routes.

The Term 1 events that welcome, inform and connect our community have all been marvellously attended, engaging and productive. The year 7 and year 8 Swimming Carnivals were outstanding events that saw students spending most of the day laughing at or with their peers, with some occasional aquatic endeavours taking place nearby. The orientation and information evenings for parents have been undertaken with the primary aim of continuing to build connections between families (new and not-so-new) and school. The year 7 camps were timed perfectly, (apart from the carp washup on the beach) and the students enjoyed the early opportunity to get to know their newest peers.

The entire school community looks forward to a more "normal" year, where Urrbrae students again star at the Royal Adelaide Show, where they complete their studies uninterrupted and to the best of their ability, and they make the most of the wonderful array of options.

Key Contacts for 2023

Your child's Home Group teacher is your go-to contact in the first instance. They can also refer you to the appropriate member of the leadership team should you have a specific question or problem.

Executive Team

Joslyn Fox , Principal is on leave for Term 1 in 2023

Principal	David Price
Deputy Principal	Mark Ward
Assistant Principal: Learning Improvement	lan Reed
Assistant Principal: Wellbeing	Paul Jessen
Assistant Principal: Agriculture	Vince Fleming
Business Leader	Karen Overall

Wellbeing Team

Senior School Leader	Michelle Rowe	Middle School Leader	Stephanie Johnston
Year 12 Manager	Michelle Rowe	Year 9 Manager	Stephanie Johnston
Year 11 Manager	Ben Wallis	Year 8 Manager	Mark Zivkovic
Year 10 Manager	Sam Furniss	Year 7 Manager	Amy Klitscher
Student Wellbeing Leader (Counsellor)	Kate Munro	Student Wellbeing Leader (Counsellor)	Matt Krieg

Curriculum Team

Arts Coordinator	Rosetta Mastrantone	Learning Support Coordinator	Sally Wilson
Agriculture Coordinator	Damien Brookes	Library Coordinator	Anne Fry
Design & Technology Coordinator	Tim Magnusson	Maths Coordinator	Helen Douvartzidis
English Coordinator	Jennifer Jones	Science Coordinator	Anthea Pakos
Health & PE Coordinator	Neil Muggleton	VET Coordinator	Annasofia Hamilton
Humanities Coordinator	Kellie Woolford	Wetlands Coordinator	Vanessa Greenslade

School Captains 2023

I would like to welcome our 2023 School Captains, Evie Beven and Seth Hill, to their new roles this year, representing the student body. I look forward to working closely with them over the course of this year.



Urrbrae Class of 2022 SACE Results

We were delighted with our Year 12 results last year, with excellent achievements recorded across the entire year level. Congratulations to the following four students who achieved an A+ Grade with Merit:

Charlotte Luke	English	Mr Will Worthington
Ashlee Gunn	Research Project B	Mr Ben Wallis
Mimi Johnson	Research Project B	Ms Miranda Bishop
Sarah Crees	Research Project B	Mrs Michelle Rowe

- Congratulations to Ashlea Naglis who was the 2022 Urrbrae SACE Dux with an ATAR of 98.15, with a further 17 students achieving an ATAR in the 90s.
- The number of students who achieved A's and B's remained high, with 26.5% in the A Grade Band and 72.4% at a B Grade or higher.
- 96.5% of Year 12 students successfully completed their subjects in the C Band or higher
- 100% of our students successfully completed their Research Project in Year 11. Urrbrae was a pilot school for the revitalised research project- AIF (Activating Identities and Futures) with excellent results. All students who completed this subject received a C- or better with the majority of students recording grades in the A and B bands. This year the school is in the second stage of the pilot with the 2023 Year 11 Students.
- Of 92 students who applied to SATAC, 81 received an offer in the first round.
- Of these university offers, 67 were in STEM/Agricultural/Environmental related fields, linking beautifully with the specialist nature of Urrbrae Agricultural High School (as stipulated by the Waite Trust).

Congratulations also to those students who did not choose a tertiary pathway and instead have successfully completed their SACE, many who have walked straight into apprenticeships and job opportunities. No matter what pathway you choose for the future, Urrbrae is proud to have been a part of your journey.

School Council AGM 2022

The Governing Council AGM was on Tuesday 21st March in the Library at 7pm and was well attended by parents. We welcome seven parent representatives

for a two year term (to add to the five who are currently finishing their first year).

Student Timetables

I would like to thank parents/carers and students for their patience over the past few weeks as we finalise timetables for our senior students. Urrbrae is fortunate to have a huge number of VET students, but one of the challenges is confirming courses and times (which are only available when school returns) so that the needs of all stakeholders are met. By the end of week 5 we expect to have this process completed.

Reporting to Parents

At Urrbrae we will continue to report to parents/carers via three main channels of communication — official reports generated at the end of each term (available via Daymap), a parent-teacher night on Wednesday May 10th (Term 2 Week 2), and the Daymap Parent Portal. Of course you are very welcome to contact individual subject teachers at any time.

Flexible Apprenticeship Programme

Urrbrae continues the fourth year of our successful involvement with Year 12 Flexible Apprenticeships programme for which we won the SA Training Awards for Innovation in Schools in 2021. Students are supported in transitioning from school into the workforce via a unique personalised learning opportunity that will also enable them to gain their SACE. In order to qualify for the Urrbrae programme students must have successfully completed all of their compulsory SACE units by the end of Year 11. Ms Annasofia Hamilton, our VET Coordinator, will be mentoring the 20 students undertaking this pathway in 2023.

Urrbrae Barn Market

Our first Urrbrae Barn Market was held on Saturday 4th May, once again attracting a wide variety of stall holders. We continue to grow in numbers from market to market and it would be great to see the school community support us by attending one or two markets this year. We also encourage you to book your own site (@ \$20) for your own stall or car boot sale. School produce (including plants, wine, bread, honey, fresh fruit in season, olives & olive oil, meat, chickens and eggs) is popular every month. The addition of craft and artisan stalls has only added to the diversity of offerings. Many thanks to our School Council members, Craig Baulderstone and Christine Blunsden, for their coordination of this event for 2021, 2022 and into 2023.

David Price Principal

Senior School News

Ithough it is Week 6 I would like to welcome back all of our Senior School families. I am very optimistic that this year is going to be a good year for our Year 12s with a variety of events planned. As in the past, our CAB (Connectedness and Belonging) Program is focussed on: successfully completing Year 12 with Study Skills sessions; Future Career Pathways with a variety of university, TAFE and other providers attending to assist students in choosing a post school pathway, and general Wellbeing sessions provided by Encounter Youth, SAPOL and other organisations.

Home Study

Students seem to be generally quite settled into the Senior School area here in C Block. Home Study has been granted, however it is extremely important that both students and parents understand that approval for Home Study is a privilege and students will continue to have Home Study on the proviso that they meet the expectations of Urrbrae Senior Students, which includes signing in and out when arriving or leaving school. Signing in and out is more than just a school expectation, it is for the safety of our students as well, in the event of a fire or other emergency situation.

"Work smarter not harder"

So far this term in the CAB Program we have had guest speakers from Elevate who presented an interactive program around study skills and strategies to help students "work smarter not harder". Hopefully, this will help our students as they move forward with the year. Many students have already completed their first summative assignments while others are continuing to work towards these. Please encourage your child to communicate with their teachers, as their teachers are their best resource and are only too happy to assist your child to be successful.

2022 SACE Results

It would be remiss of me if I did not mention our 2022 SACE results. Our students are to be commended for their fine achievement. Our 2022 School Dux was Ashlea Naglis who achieved an enviable ATAR of 98.15. The students went off to a wide variety of different career pathways with many students receiving

university offers in the first round. As these students are about to embark on their university studies, we wish them all the very best for whatever the future has in store. Many other students continued with apprenticeships and others went straight into the work force, with many relaying to us their excitement to be doing something they have always wanted, but many missing school ... who would have thought it!

Year 12 Formal

Our Year 12 Formal is fast approaching and will be held at the Hotel InterContinental on Friday May 26th. We have a wonderful committee of students working hard to ensure that the night is a wonderful celebration of our young people's final year of schooling.

And finally...

On Wednesday 15th February we held our Year 12 Parent Information Evening with many parents attending. I have sent home an email with a survey about the evening, so please take a few moments to fill this out – your feedback is valued. This week we will be doing some interim checks on student attendance, effort and achievement in all Year 12 classes, just to ensure that we can support students who may need a little extra help or direction. I strongly encourage all parents to communicate with their child's subject teachers and with me about any issues the student may be having. We are here to help your child to have a successful year and we will do our very best to facilitate that end. Having said this, students do bear responsibility for their learning – they are the masters of their own destinies.

I look forward to working with you all in 2023 to help our students achieve success.

Michelle Rowe Senior School/SACE Coordinator

Middle School News



his year's year 7 students have had a busy start to high school. First we had 'Welcome Week', which saw the year 7s taking part in a range of activities based around developing friendships and confidence around high school. There were wetland visits, orienteering around the school and learning about the school values.

Week 2 saw the year 7s head off for an overnight camp at Victor Harbor. Luckily, we had weather on our side, which meant the students still got to enjoy kayaking and body boarding. It was great to see so many students attend the camp, which is an important part of establishing connections with their peers. We were also lucky enough to have Headspace visit the year 7 students, to run a session on how to look after their mental health as they transition to high school.

Then onto our Year 7 swimming carnival in week 3. It was awesome to see so many students participate in the swimming events. The Peer Leaders and homegroup teachers did a fantastic job in organising the students into races on the day.

Last week we held our 'Acquaintance Night' which was well supported. It was lovely to see parents and carers being able to come back on site for this night, the first since COVID.

A big shout out to all the UAHS staff who have supported all the year 7 events this term. Especially the homegroup teachers, Mr Muggleton for running the swimming carnival, and the Peer Leaders.

Amy Klitscher Year 7 Coordinator





Agriculture Matters

Vincent Fleming
Assistant Principal
- Agriculture

AgXtra Crop Competition 2022 results outstanding in their Field

Urrbrae entered two teams into the 2022 AgXtra Crop Competition. This competition involved schools across three trial sites in South Australia. The participating students selected the wheat variety, sowing rate, fertiliser rates and timing of fertiliser application. Results of the competition are based on which teams achieve the highest gross margin from their trial.

Our two teams were: Macy Main and Seth Hill, and also Chris Newgrain and Carl Hentschke. Chris and Carl's team was awarded 2nd place of the schools at the Roseworthy trial site. Their wheat crop yielded 7.95t/ha and achieved a gross margin of \$2,766/ha. The winning team achieved a gross margin of \$2,770/ha, so it was a close competition!

On a state-wide basis, Chris and Carl's team was awarded third place. The winner came from the Jamestown trial site with an impressive yield of 8.18t/ha, and a gross margin of \$2,941/ha.

This competition is a fantastic way for Agriculture students to be involved in making management decisions for a cropping enterprise. They get to observe the importance of variety selection, crop nutrition management, and weed and disease control.

Well done to both Urrbrae teams for your great work

Brenton Borchardt Teacher Year 11 Crop Science



AgXtra Crop Competition participants Seth Hill, Carl Henschke, Chris Newgrain and Macy Main (absent).



Pekin ducks a real hit

Year 9 students study duck production as part of the Agriculture program. The ducklings are purchased from a hatchery and then raised by class groups each term. Students monitor growth rates and calculate gross margins as part of the duck production program.



EVOKE Agrifutures State Conference a Real Success

n Tuesday 21 February, a group of our Year 12 Agriculture students with Mrs Warren and Ms Duffy, attended the Agrifutures Evoke Ag 'Down to Earth' conference at the Adelaide Convention Centre. Students spent time in 'Start-up Alley' listening to local and global businesses who were showcasing their technologies and innovations across all fields of Agriculture. The students left feeling inspired by the numerous opportunities and industry connections. Many thanks to Belinda Cay from Ag Communicators and to the team at Agrifutures for having us, it was a wonderful experience.

Kym Warren Teacher Year 12 Agriculture Systems



L-R: Soraya Thompson, Emily Lewis, Mia Young, Zahlee Robinson, Shayla Lepse, Seth Hill, Belinda Cay (Ag Communicators) and Maddie Donnelly



L-R: Zahlee Robinson, Soraya Thompson, Emily Lewis, Maddie Donnelly, Mia Young, Shayla Lepse and Seth Hill

Irrigation Improvements of Paddocks now Complete

ver January we have successfully completed the extension of irrigation of four farm paddocks. This work allows for additional cropping of pastures such as lucerne and chicory blends for quality hay production. Students will also benefit from the access to improved irrigation technology as part of this ongoing pasture renovation project.





Vegetable production area revitalised

his highly utilised area has been expanded and fully revamped including new irrigation, concrete pathways, topsoil, and netting for bird control.

The Year 7 classes will be preparing the vegetable plot areas and planting out seedlings and seeds over the coming weeks. The produce can then be taken home for use by families and friends. The road redevelopment has provided the funds for this project which is much appreciated.



BIGGER AND BETTER: The Year 7 garden receiving a much needed makeover.



Piglets arrive at Urrbrae

The newly renovated Urrbrae piggery provided the perfect environment for two litters of piglets to be farrowed (born) early this term. A total of 21 very healthy piglets have continued to thrive over the last three weeks and have recently been weaned to two new growing areas. Year 11 Animal Science students are comparing growth rates between the two litters and will also determine the costs and calculate potential profit margins.



Class of 1971 Reunion Brings Back Many Memories



Id scholars who graduated in 1971 had their belated 50 year reunion at Urrbrae recently. This was postponed twice due to COVID restrictions.

The group enjoyed a tour of the Urrbrae Farm and other key areas of the school such as the original school building (now the Arts Centre), the Barn and the Morton Bay Fig tree! This was finished by a catered lunch in the staff room.

Many of the old scholars who attended the day travelled from interstate and have achieved many great things in the agriculture and allied industries. They shared many stories and fond memories of their days at Urrbrae over 50 years ago.

Health and PE News

Neil Muggleton

Health and Physical Education Coordinator

Swimming Carnivals 2023

his year saw students in years 7 and 8 compete for home group bragging rights in the pool. The swimming carnivals held in week 3 had perfect pool weather. Home groups chose a theme and dressed the part while working as a team to win points for their home group. We had tradies, sports stars, rubber ducks and even senior citizens all show up to hit the water in the variety of events. There was peg searches, noodle relays, tunnel ball and the traditional stroke events. Most students got in the water to help their team. 7F3 won the year 7 day with 387 points and 8K4 won the year 8 day with 146 points. 25m and 50m stroke winners have been awarded ribbons for each race with the home group class parties for 7F3 and 8K4 happening at the end of term. Big shout out to the HG teachers for helping their students get organised for the days and thank you to the peer leaders for supporting our year 7 students in the pool and helping them settle into Urrbrae.

Event	1st	2nd	3rd
Boy 50m Breaststroke	Angus Fairgrieve - 7F4	Jake Turner - 7F1	Sydney Tunney - 7F5
Girls 50m Breaststroke	Ava Hartwig- 7F2	Rosie - 7F3	Ava Richards - 7F3
Boy 50m Backstroke	Tobi Kaempf - 7F3	Alexander Mackness - 7F1	Angus Fairgrieve - 7F4
Girls 50m Backstroke	Ava Hartwig - 7F2	Ava Richards - 7F3	Sophie Viney - 7F3
Boys 50m Freestyle	Tobi Kaempf - 7F3	Orlando Usher - 7F7	Patrick Berry- 7F6
Girls 50m Freestyle	Ava Hartwig - 7F2	Ava Richards - 7F3	Cacey Brink - 7F3

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Event	1st	2nd	3rd
Boy 25m Breaststroke	Max Borda - 7F8	Nikita Mathews - 7F4	Wallace Brown - 7F5
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Girls 25m Breaststroke	Jasmine Ambagtsheer - 7F6	Sara Day - 7F8	Olivia Storey - 7F5
Boy 25m Backstroke	Max Borda - 7F8	Noah Kennedy - 7F6	Ollie Pettman -7F4
Girls 25m Backstroke	Cacey Brink - 7F3	Aliyah Mohor - 7F2	Lilah Cobby - 7F7
Boys 25m Butterfly	Tobi Kaempf - 7F3	Orlando Usher -7F7	Patrick Berry - 7F6
Girls 25m Butterfly	Ava Hartwig - 7F2	Cacey Brink - 7F3	Ava Richards - 7F3
Boys 25m Freestyle	Max Borda - 7F8	Kade Hatton - 7F2	Ollie Pettman -7F4
Girls 25m Freestyle	Imigen Ford- Davidson - 7F1	Izabella Percy - 7F7	Matilda Booij - 7F5
Event	1st	2nd	3rd
Boy 50m Breaststroke	Atticus Hanisch - 8E4	Zak -8E6	Tory Martin - 8K5
Girls 50m Breaststroke	Matilda Muggleton - 8K6	Sophie Bairstow - 8E4	Katiya Hand - 8K4
Boy 50m Backstroke	Atticus Hanisch - 8E4	Angus Schiller - 8K3	Jay Ankers - 8E5
Girls 50m Backstroke	Matilda Muggleton - 8K6	Katiya Hand - 8K4	Lylah-Jean Rennie - 8E5
Boys 50m Freestyle	Atticus Hanisch - 8E4	Connor Molloy - 8E1	Alby Spiers - 8K5
Girls 50m Freestyle	Matilda Muggleton - 8K6	Lani Chapman- 8E4	Amelia Reid - 8K4
Event	1st	2nd	3rd
Boy 25m Breaststroke	Alby Spiers - 8K5	Ethan Bell - 8E4	Johan Louw - 8E4
Girls 25m Breaststroke	Nikki Veldstra-Finlay - 8E1	Grace Breen - 8E5	Nikita Harris - 8E4
Boy 25m Backstroke	Zak - 8E6	Alby Spiers - 8K5	Finn Donnelly - 8K3
Girls 25m Backstroke	Nikita Harris - 8E4	Julia Littlejohn - 8K5	Matilda Wyatt -8K5
Boys 25m Butterfly	Alby Spiers - 8K5	Vin Powell - 8K6	Tory Martin - 8K5
Girls 25m Butterfly	Katiya Hand - 8K4	Matilda Muggleton - 8K6	Paige Butler - 8K4
Boys 25m Freestyle	Ethan Bell - 8E4	Tory Martin - 8K5	Bradley Ayles - 8D7
Girls 25m Freestyle	Jess Pitt -8E1	Eloise O'Hara -8E4	Matilda Wyatt -8K5

Native Animal News

Native Animal Club Summer Developments

rrbrae is indeed a unique place, and there is no rest to be had over the summer. This is certainly true in the Native Animal Sanctuary, with the farm staff and teachers continuing to make improvements and additions during the summer down time. Plus, this year, there are some new faces to greet our new group of Year 8 student club members who started their work with us in Week 3.

Yali, an orphaned female red kangaroo, has come to live with us, keeping our other female red kangaroo (Winnie) company. Just like Winne, she is a pouch



rescue, and also like Winnie has become quite accustomed to being with people. Yali is just about at the point of being weaned from milk formula and spends most of her time hanging close to Winnie as a surrogate "big sister". Thank you to Harold Ehmann for rescuing Yali and adding her to our mob.

Also joining us new in 2023 is Lobo a little pouch-rescue Southern Hairy-Nosed wombat. He is spending his time separated from Missy, our existing female, and is keeping everyone entertained with his antics. A favourite trick of his is to bury his food bowls in the straw of his enclosure meaning each day the student club members must dig around in the straw to find it. Thank you to Manfred Heide for rescuing Lobo and helping to add her to our collection. Manfred had rescued and reared over 500 wombats over many many years and is a legend in wombat circles. Lobo has come to replace Wattle who sadly died last year after living with us for 26 years, an extraordinary age for a wombat. Once Lobo is a little older she will be free to mix with Missy in the larger enclosure.

A very large group of Year 8 students had a meeting to organise the Native Animal Club for 2023, and by the time you are reading this they will have started their daily tasks of feeding, cleaning and improving the sanctuary. A number of older students have also signed up again to be club leaders, supporting the younger students in their duties. Helping Mr. Reed with the club in 2023 we have Ms. Neller and Ms. Ey who are new to the club and are equally enthusiastic about the year ahead.



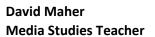
The Arts News

Monsters and Aliens Invade Urrbrae

REAKING NEWS: After researching the topic of 'Monsters in the Movies' the Year 9 Media Students formed small groups to create their own monster themed movies.

Students shot scenes using a Green Screen, problem solved as they incorporated digitally animated characters into their own live action sequences featuring themselves, and then edited their films with 'Adobe Premiere Pro', using 'Adobe After Effects' to apply extra special effects.

They also created a series of individual film posters to advertise their films. A wonderful class that produced some wonderful results.















Urrbrae Community Art Project

Ms Grist's year 9 Art students were involved in the community printmaking Steamroller event with the Union Street Printmakers. Students produced linoprint artworks based on the theme cornocopia which were combined to create a beautiful banner and tote bags. The event was a wonderful way to connect with the wider art community.

Suzanne Grist, Art and Design Teacher







ENGAGED WITH THE ART COMMUNITY: Peter and Hannah with their tote bags.

Aspiring Musos... Join the Urrbrae Music Ensembles

Don't play an instrument? No worries! Here is your chance to learn!

We are excited to offer all middle school students the opportunity to participate in Music at UAHS. We encourage all students, including those that have no formal instrumental experience to join these lunchtime music programs. The ensembles are a great way for students to build friendships and community.

Join the Lunchtime Programs

The UAHS Middle School Concert Band:

 This ensemble is comprised of woodwind, brass and classical string instruments. Students with experience on classical guitar are also encouraged to participate if their notation reading allows.

The UAHS Year 7/8 Choir:

 The Year 7/8 choir is aimed at developing students' vocal abilities and building on foundational skills developed through the Festival of Music program.
 Everyone is encouraged to participate.



Discounted Instrument Hire

To encourage participation, UAHS is offering a large number of instruments for hire at heavily discounted prices. Please contact us, and we will do our best to accommodate student choices.

Receive Free Music Lessons

Participating students will also be eligible to receive free instrumental tuition through the Department Instrumental Music program.

Join Us for Music, Friendship & Fun!

Direct message us on Daymap to register your interest. We look forward to you joining us!

Vinnie Symes and Scott Gunn, Music Teachers Rosetta Mastrantone, Arts Coordinator





ON SONG: Urrbrae has a long tradition of music excellence and encourages all students to learn music.

Year 9 Art

Pear 9 Art students took on the challenge of drawing their pets and favourite animals. Students persevered to create realistic studies and their work is exceptional. Artwork can be viewed in the hallway exhibition space near Student Services.

Ms Grist and Ms Mastrantone Art and Design Teachers



Tavlah H



William M



Olivia M



Avah A



Chelsea L



Bella W



Esther J



Kyhanna M



AJ D



Mia P



Imogen H



Jordie P



Lola K



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Motivational Discussion with Ebony Marinoff AFLW Premiership Player

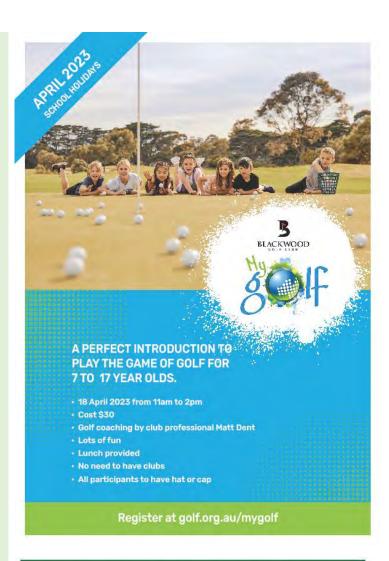
ast week, we had the privilege of meeting Ebony Marinoff, an elite sportswoman and Adelaide Crows AFLW player. A number of girls across many year levels had a chat about empowerment of women. She talked us through her journey including all the highs and lows. She talked to us about embracing opportunities, finding resilience in ourselves, being an inspiration to others, working as a team, using our time well, goal setting, measuring our success and the sacrifices we have to make if we want to be successful.

It was an amazing opportunity to have these discussions with Ebony, she gave us lots of advice. The main points most of us took away from her were "win the morning win the day" and "control what you can control" and "to get where you want to go in life you have to be disciplined and make sacrifices but the result of reaching your goals will make it all worth it".

Thank you to Ebony and thanks to Mrs Wilson for organising this awesome opportunity.

Skout Young 9L2 and Jessie Rosser 9L2









Urrbrae Agricultural High School Uniform Policy

It is an expectation that all students comply with this policy and are in full school uniform every day. The described Urrbrae Agricultural High School Uniform is the only acceptable dress code for students.



Special offer for Urrbrae Agricultural High School Students!

JEANSWEST

Find your perfect fit.

Jeanswest are offering the students of Urrbrae
Agricultural High School
20% off their first pair of uniform blue jeans from the Jeanswest Unley
Store.

Show this message and your student identification card in store to access this offer.

PARKING RESTRICTIONS AT SCHOOLS ARE FOR THE SAFETY OF YOUR CHILDREN

Local Councils impose a variety of parking restrictions at and near schools to achieve a safer environment for your children. These restrictions are also to optimise traffic movement and safety.

NO STOPPING ZONES -

These zones are usually adjacent to school entrances and the approach and departure sides of school crossings.

You must not stop your vehicle in a no stopping zone or on a solid yellow line, not even for a few seconds.



NO PARKING ZONES -

You may stop in a No Parking zone to immediately pick up or set down your child, and drive off as soon as possible.

No Parking zones are to ensure a quick and smooth turnover of vehicles.

You must not leave your vehicle parked or unattended. If you are going to collect your child from this zone, have your child wait nearby in the school grounds so they can see you arrive. On your arrival they can then leave the school ground, enter your vehicle and you can then drive off.

CONTINUOUS WHITE CENTRE LINE -

If a road has a continuous white centre line, there must be 3 metres between the vehicle and the white line.

SCHOOL CROSSINGS -

You cannot stop within 20m of the approach side or 10m of the departure side of a school crossing.

SPEED LIMITS -

Speeding vehicles in a school zone are highly dangerous for children. There is a **speed limit of 25 kph**, designated by the signs and a zigzag line below, any time when children are present or when the lights are flashing (depending on the type of crossing).



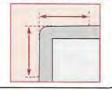




INTERSECTION OR T-INTERSECTION

(Restricted Area)

You cannot park within 10m of the intersection.



CROSSING PLACES (driveways)

You may park so that the front of your vehicle is level with the approach or the back is level with the departure side of a driveway to any private or public property so that vehicles can enter and depart safely.

FOOTPATHS / NATURE STRIPS -

Parking is prohibited at all times, it creates dangerous situations for both pedestrians and other vehicles in the vicinity.

DOUBLE PARKING -

Creates dangerous situations anytime, however the danger is increased near schools, especially when children are entering or leaving school.

AUSTRALIAN ROAD RULES

CHILDREN SCHOOLS & TRAFFIC

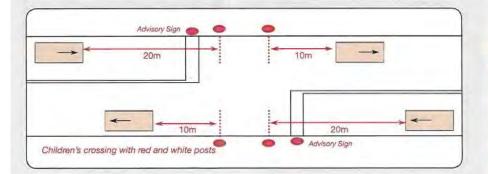
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WHY ARE CHILDREN AT RISK

- . Their size means that sometimes they cannot easily see or be seen in traffic.
- Parked vehicles, light poles and other street furniture all block a child's view of the road and also make it difficult for drivers to see them.
- · Their concentration is limited and they are easily distracted.
- Their actions are often spontaneous and unthinking (that's why the will dart out on to the
 road to fetch a ball or weave about when riding their bikes) without checking to see if
 vehicles or pedestrians are coming.
- . Their sight is not fully developed, especially their ability to "scan" for things.
- They are lacking the ability to estimate the speed of vehicles, the gap between vehicles, where a vehicle is coming from or how far way it is.



HOW YOU CAN HELP YOUR CHILDREN

FOR UNDER 5 YEARS

Make sure your children have reliable supervision at all times when in or near traffic, especially when crossing roads.

FOR 5 TO 8 YEARS

Help your children to become familiar with all aspects of the road environment – signs, traffic lights and crossing places.

Teach them cycling skills in a safe area – in a park or playground etc.

If they are riding a bike to school, plan a safe route for them to take

FOR 9 TO 12 YEARS

Take the time to explain the road rules in simple terms e.g.: Right of way, what to do at intersections

Go for bike rides with your children to make sure they have safe cycling behaviour

ABOVE ALL, BE CAREFUL
WHEN YOU ARE DRIVING
NEAR SCHOOLS, THE SAFETY
OF ALL CHILDREN
DEPENDS ON YOU

Diary Dates	
Tuesday, 28 th March	Governing Council Meeting
Friday 31 st March	Sports Day
Saturday 1 st April	Barn Market
Tuesday 4 th April	Principal's Tour 9.30am & 4.00pm – Book online
Friday 7 th April to Monday 10 th April	Public Holidays – Easter Long Weekend
Wednesday 12 th April	Year 7 Immunisation
Friday 14 th April	End of Term 1
Monday 1 st May	Pupil Free Day
Tuesday 2 nd May	Start of Term 2
Wednesday 3 rd May	Principal's Tours 9.30am & 4.00pm – Book online
Saturday 6 May	Barn Market
Wednesday 10 th May	Years 7–10 Parent/Teacher Interviews
Friday 12 th May	Year 8 Immunisation
Monday 15 th May	Principal's Tours 9.30am & 4.00pm – Book online
Wednesday 17 th May	Years 11–12 Parent/Teacher Interviews
Tuesday, 23 rd May	Governing Council Meeting
Friday 26 th May	Year 12 Formal







