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At Abbotsleigh, we like to think of World Teachers' Day as 'World Abbotsleigh Staff Day' as we honour every member of our staff for the superb job that they do to enable the education and empowerment of our girls.

Our girls, parents and I are immensely grateful to our teachers and to all our Abbotsleigh staff: Thank you.



**Let's celebrate our teachers
and thank them for all the
work they do to educate,
inspire and empower learners.**

- From: AITSL

*If you did not have a chance to read Caitlin's speech last week, I urge you to read it now. It is very inspiring indeed.

Chaplain

A heart of generosity

Rev Sarah Hobba

Senior Chaplain and Head of Christian Studies

Generosity is contagious. When someone is generous to us, we are (mostly) generous to others. We also experience God's generosity in sending Jesus to save us, as well as enriching our lives in so many different ways. Having a heart of generosity and doing generous acts is often a way we respond to God's love. Some examples include gifts of time, encouraging words, acts of service and acts of financial giving.


One way the Junior School continually fosters a heart of generosity is through the regular sponsorship of World Vision children. This week's chapel had guest speakers from World Vision. An invitation to chapel was extended to parents, so that our community could hear more about how their generosity influences the lives of sponsored children. Further to this, Anglicare's Toys 'n' Tucker drive has started in the

Junior School, and the Senior School donation website links have been emailed to parents. Some Year 10 students will be packing these hampers as part of the Week 6 Immersion Week time.

We are thankful to God for his generosity, and although there are cost of living pressures, my prayer is that as a community, we may still continue to have hearts of generosity in whatever ways we can.

1 John 3:16-18

We know what love is because Jesus gave his life for us. This is why we must give our lives for each other. If we have all we need and see one of our own people in need, we must have pity on that person, or else we cannot say we love God. Children, you show love for others by truly helping them, and not merely by talking about it.



Upcoming events

A Sense of Colour exhibition	Saturday 5 October to 2 November	Grace Cossington Smith Gallery
APR meeting	Thursday 31 October 8.30-10 am	Auditorium, Junior School
APA meeting	Monday 4 November 7-9 pm	GLC, Senior School
Spring Instrumental Festival	Wednesday 6 November 3.45-8 pm	Various Senior School venues
Abbotsleigh Giving Day	Thursday 7 November	Online
Encounter exhibition	Friday 8 November to Saturday 7 December	Grace Cossington Smith Gallery

	Saturday 26 October 8-9.30 am	Junior School
	Saturday 26 October 8 am-12 noon	See _____ for team sheets and venues
	Saturday 26 October 1-5 pm	Senior School Gymnasium
	Monday 28 October 9-10.30 am	6O Classroom
	Monday 28 October 9.30-12.30 pm	Kindergarten Classrooms
	Monday 28 October 10 am-12 noon	Transition Classroom
	Monday 28 October 10.50 am-12.20 pm	6L Classroom
	Monday 28 October 3.20-4.30 pm	Junior School
	Tuesday 29 October 9-9.30 am	Auditorium, Junior School
	Tuesday 29 October 9.30-12.30 pm	Kindergarten Classrooms
	Tuesday 29 October 10 am-12 noon	Transition Classroom
	Tuesday 29 October 3.20-4.30 pm	Junior School Tennis Courts

Tuesday 29 October
7-8 pm

Online

Wednesday 30 October
8.30 am-3 pm

Annexe West Room

Wednesday 30 October
9-10.30 am

6D Classroom

Wednesday 30 October
9.30-12.30 pm

Saturday 2 November 8 am-12 noon	See _____ for team sheets and venues
Monday 4 November 9-10.30 am	Classroom
Monday 4 November 9.30 am-2.30 pm	Auditorium and Annexe Rooms
Monday 4 November 10.50 am-12.20 pm	Classroom
Monday 4 November 3.20-4.30 pm	Junior School
Tuesday 5 November 8.30-9 am	Upper Music Room
Tuesday 5 November 9.30-10.30 am	Classrooms
Tuesday 5 November 11 am-12 noon	Upper Music Room
Tuesday 5 November 3.20-4.30 pm	Junior School Tennis Courts
Wednesday 6 November 8.30 am-3 pm	AbbSchool East Room
Wednesday 6 November 10.50-11.35 am	JS Swimming Pool
Wednesday 6 November 11.35 am-12.20 pm	JS Swimming Pool
Wednesday 6 November 3.20-4.30 pm	Junior School
Wednesday 6 November 3.45-4.45 pm	Senior School Tennis Courts
Thursday 7 November 8.30-10.30 am	Everett Hall
Thursday 7 November 3.20-4.30 pm	Junior School
Friday 8 November 9 am-3 pm	William Clarke College
Friday 8 November 9-10.30 am	Classroom
Friday 8 November 10.50 am-12.20 pm	Classroom
Friday 8 November 11 am-2.30 pm	Knox Grammar School
Friday 8 November 1.40-2 pm	Year 6 Classrooms
Friday 8 November 3-4 pm	Junior School
Friday 8 November 3.30-4.45 pm	Senior School Tennis Courts
Saturday 9 November 8-9.30 am	Junior School
Saturday 9 November 8-9.30 am	See _____

Saturday 26 October
4-9 pm

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