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Clare High Catch-up

VISION: Clare High School is a learning community that inspires, supports and challenges every young person to engage in achieving success, fostering education, social development and wellbeing.

To Seek A Worthy Goal

Welcome to the new 2017 School Year! I especially welcome all of the new families to Clare High School and I encourage you all to participate in the many school activities that occur throughout the year.

Our first two weeks have been very busy with the CHS Swimming Carnival and the Student Representative Council (SRC) Induction Assembly. We held a Parent Information Evening for all Middle School Parents this week where there was the opportunity to meet and speak with teachers and members of the leadership team. There will be a Senior School Parent Night on Thursday 23 February 2017 in the Resource Centre, starting at 7pm. Please contact the school for more details.

It has been quite some time since Clare High School has had a number of new teachers come into the school and this year we formally welcome the following beginning and returning staff and wish them all the best in their new roles:

Nina Thomas – Deputy Principal, Middle School
 Luke Mensforth – ICT Coordinator
 Naomi Betts – English

Lauren Honan – Science
 Brionie Mensforth – English
 Aleksandra Antic – Special Education
 Lisa Ah Chee – Secretary
 Matt Linn – Senior School Assistant Principal
 Jodie Allen – Home Ec / Child Studies
 Danielle Glasson – Art / Design
 Lisa Joseph – German
 Scott Watson – Business / Humanities / English
 Annette Downs – Disability Unit



Pictured: Lisa Joseph, Scott Watson, Brionie Mensforth

I am confident the Clare Community will welcome them and value their commitment to delivering the highest Educational and Wellbeing opportunities for our children and young people.

Sharryn Daly Principal
 Clare High School

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Creating a community of powerful young learners

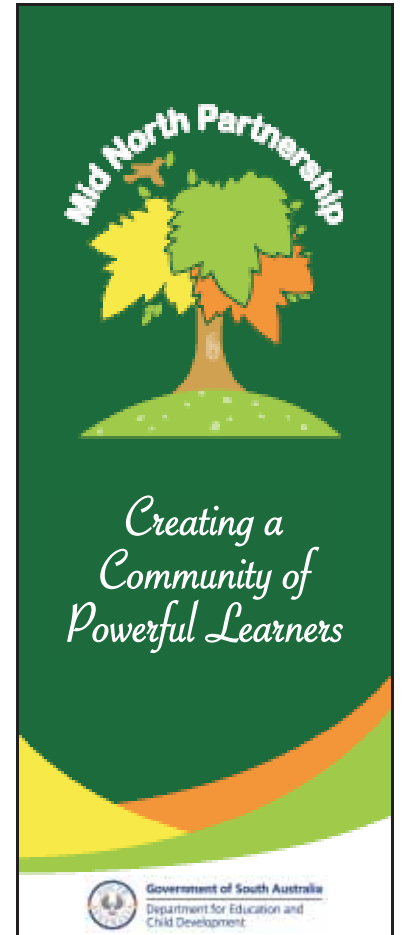
THE Mid North Partnership comprises the following school sites: Clare High, Clare Primary, Snowtown Primary, Brinkworth Primary, Auburn Primary, Watervale Primary, Blyth Primary, Spalding Primary, Koolunga Primary, Clare Valley Children's Centre, Brinkworth Preschool Centre, and Snowtown Kindergarten.

Together the sites are working towards 'creating a community of powerful learners' across the Mid North Partnership (MNP) of schools.

In 2017, MNP has three focus areas:

- Numeracy and Literacy Growth: ensuring all learners growth through targeted training and development for educators and purposeful data analysis of student results;
- A commitment to Continuity of Learning through strong transition processes from preschools to primary and primary to secondary. MNP will also be working with the community to further develop resilience in children and young people through a series of Parent and Community Education Workshops about resilience in Term 2; and
- Building Capacity through Network Learning for educators to share ideas of classroom practice and to encourage educators to further their own professional learning.

The first Mid North Partnership Open Day will be held on June 7 as an opportunity for the community to visit the schools and to see learning in action. More information will be published nearer to this time.



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 PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Our purpose is to engage every student so that they achieve at the highest possible level of their learning and wellbeing.

Enrolments welcome.

Ring to organise a tour or meeting

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New faces at Balaklava Primary School – (back from left) Nate, Preston, Dean, Chase, Lachlan, Miranda, Jess, Brady, Zak, (front) Kate Rix, Judi Antoniou, Ryan Bernhardt, principal Dianna Jarman, Jess Monck, Marlene Cott and Ashleigh Leonello.

Leadership opportunities for aspiring BPS students

Balaklava Primary has a strong focus on developing the whole child.

In addition to sound literacy and numeracy programs, our LOTE subject French and integration of digital technologies, we offer an exceptional music program.

Our school values mutual respect, tolerance, success, fair treatment, co-operation, responsibility and honesty.

These are reflected in all areas of our school community and our motto Believe, Participate, Succeed encapsulates our attitude to learning and life.

Our success as learners at BPS is supported by ensuring we are having fun, are actively engaged, understand the purpose of what we are learning and how our learning will be assessed. At lunch time, students can choose from a range of programs.

In the Library we offer Play at Lunch time (PAL program), beading and lego activities. Our outdoor Nature Play space and

Adventure Playground areas are popular locations to explore, create and exercise imagination.

Sports equipment is available for use on the oval, four square and basketball courts.

Engaging our students in leadership opportunities is highly valued at BPS and we are proud of the aspiring leaders that we have amongst us. Students in the Upper Primary have the opportunity to nominate for School and House Captains.

The Youth Environmental Leaders project is offered with support of the Natural Resources Northern and Yorke and is coordinated by our Pastoral Care Worker.

In 2017, we welcomed 43 Reception students, new students and their families and new Principal, Dianna Jarman. If you are interested in learning more about how Balaklava Primary School can cater for your child's needs, please phone to organise a meeting and a tour.