



# NEWSLETTER

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## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

As Term 3 comes to a close, I'd like to take this opportunity to reflect on the many achievements and highlights that have made this term so memorable at Central Midlands Senior High School.

We hosted a rich Orientation Day for Year 6 students intending to enrol in Year 7 next year and we are looking forward to their transition program next term. We held a fantastic Interhouse Athletics carnival and one of our standout moments was our students' outstanding performance at the Interschool Athletics Carnival, where we proudly took home the championship shield. Our athletes demonstrated incredible determination, sportsmanship, and team spirit across all events. Congratulations to our students and staff who represented our school so positively and thank you to the P & C and our sponsors who donated our new interschool uniforms.

Beyond the track, our students have continued to excel in the classroom, with many showing strong academic growth and engagement which we celebrated at our recent assembly. We've seen fantastic progress in literacy and numeracy, and our senior students are working hard as they prepare for final assessments and graduation.



## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

As we begin to prepare for next year, we recently advertised for nominations to join our new Agricultural Advisory Board. We plan to extend our offering into the agricultural space, and need to harness the wisdom and knowledge of our broader community who work across the agricultural sector. Please email me [Bronwyn.wright@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Bronwyn.wright@education.wa.edu.au) if you may be interested.

I'd like to extend my sincere thanks to our dedicated staff, who continue to provide high-quality education and care for our students. Their commitment and passion are the foundation of our school's success.

As we head into the Term 3 break, I encourage all students and staff to rest, recharge, and return ready for a strong finish to the year.

**Bronwyn Wright**  
**Principal**

A graphic featuring a quote by Banksy. The background is a light blue and white abstract design. The quote is written in a bold, black, sans-serif font. Below the quote is a small teal box with the text "— Banksy" in white.

**If you get tired,  
learn to rest,  
not to quit.**

— Banksy



# CENTRAL MIDLANDS Senior High School

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## **Expression of Interest Agricultural Advisory Committee Central Midlands Senior High School**

Central Midlands Senior High School is seeking Expressions of Interest from experienced members of the agricultural industry to join our Agricultural Advisory Committee. Our school is establishing a working farm to deliver high-quality agricultural education that prepares students for future careers. To achieve this, we aim to build strong partnerships with local and regional experts.

### **Purpose of the Committee**

The Advisory Committee will:

- Guide enterprise selection and farm operations.
- Align teaching and learning with industry standards.
- Support production for specific markets, linking education with real practice.
- Strengthen pathways from school to employment, training, and further study.

### **Who We Are Seeking**

We invite individuals with knowledge or experience in areas such as:

- Agronomy, Soil & Crop Science
- Precision Farming
- Farm Management & Cropping
- Livestock Management & Animal Nutrition
- Shearing & Wool Classing
- Irrigation & Machinery Operation
- Biosecurity & Veterinary Services
- Research and General Farm Maintenance

### **Why Get Involved?**

- Help shape the future of agricultural education in the Wheatbelt.
- Share expertise to inspire and prepare the next generation.
- Strengthen school, industry, and community connections.
- Support the growth of a sustainable and modern school farm.

### **How to Apply**

Please submit a short Expression of Interest outlining:

- Your area(s) of expertise
- Relevant experience
- Why you wish to contribute

**Submit to:** Mrs Bronwyn Wright, [Bronwyn.Wright@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Bronwyn.Wright@education.wa.edu.au)

**Closing Date:** 24 October 2025



## DEPUTY DIALOGUE

### **Certificate III, Civil Engineering**

Our Certificate III students returned to school earlier this term after successfully completing the Certificate in Civil Engineering. This course provides students with a lot of skills they can use in many occupations when they leave school, and puts them in a competitive position to get employment and start their careers once they finish Year 12.

### **TAFE Applications**

Last Wednesday Central Regional TAFE did a presentation to our Year 10 students, talking about the different certificate courses they offer and showing students around the TAFE site. It was a valuable session for students and parents alike.

### **Business Presentations**

Over the last week our Senior Students have had presentations from three local business representatives talking about employment options in our local area.

Last week we had representatives from the Shire of Moora, who explained that there are multiple job opportunities working for the Shire, inside and outside the offices. This week we had a representative from the Moora Police talking about what it is like been a young police officer in a small country town, and we also had a representative from McIntosh and Son talking about all the different career and apprenticeship options that are present at this local business as it looks to expand over the coming years.

Thankyou to all our local businesses who invest in our students through speaking at the school or through providing work place positions. These opportunities are an important step in providing our students chances to develop their skills and become job ready.

Also a big thanks to Mr Phillips for organising these presentations.





## DEPUTY DIALOGUE

### OLNA Testing

Well done to our Year 10, 11 and 12 students who once again worked hard to complete their Writing, Reading and Numeracy OLNA assessments.

I was impressed with how many students used all their time allocations to do the best they could, hopefully many of these students will pass their tests and be able to put OLNA behind them.

**Peter Hall**  
**Deputy Principal**

## ASSEMBLY, WEEK 10

Congratulations to the following Award recipients on finishing Term 3 in a strong and positive manner - well done!

### Merit Certificate

#### Year 7

Chloe Almeyda  
Indie Beattie  
Kasey Burnett  
Brianna Coughlin  
Rickaya Ryder

#### Year 8

Layla Baek  
Jaxon Brown  
Shaneiqua Indich

#### Year 9

Liam Harris  
Sophia King  
Violet Reimers

#### Year 10

Kaelynn Burnett

#### Year 11

Summer Begg





## YEAR 6 ORIENTATION

On Monday 25 August, 38 Year 6 students from St Josephs, Moora, Dandaragan, Badgingarra and Eneabba Primary Schools braved the wet and windy weather to attend Orientation Day at Central Midlands.

It was a jam-packed day with lots of fun activities including a high-energy Amazing Race where students needed to head to different checkpoints around the school and answer a variety of questions & complete different activities in the fastest time possible!

We look forward to welcoming these students back in Term 4 as they complete their Transition Day and attend a full day of classes!







## INTERHOUSE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 4 SEPTEMBER 2025

After a week-long delay due to persistent wet weather, students were finally greeted by a sunny, albeit cool, Thursday on 4 September, as they gathered with their houses for an action-packed day of athletics.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to all students who participated with such enthusiasm and spirit. It was fantastic to see everyone involved in some capacity throughout the day. A special shout-out goes to our Champions and Runner-Up Champions in each year group, your outstanding performances and dedication made this a day to remember.

Congratulations to Roberts, our 2025 Interhouse Athletics Carnival Champions!



# ROBERTS



### INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

#### Year 7

Boys Champion

Boys Runner Up Champion

Girls Champion

Girls Runner Up Champion

Lenon Chinyanga

Kailis Kyle

Ruby Panizza

Karu van Wyk

#### Year 8

Boys Champion

Boys Runner Up Champion

Girls Champion

Girls Runner Up Champion

James Nkunkumuye

Ashley Dann

Shaneiqua Indich

Nyanwach Badeng

#### Year 9

Boys Champion

Boys Runner Up Champion

Girls Champion

Girls Runner Up Champion

Riley Douglas

Koha Wilkie

Dolynda Ryder

Talika Indich

#### Year 10

Boys Champion

Boys Runner Up Champion

Girls Champion

Girls Runner Up Champion

Lockie Clarke

James Willmott

Rose Fledderus

Kaelynn Burnett

#### Year 11

Boys Champion

Boys Runner Up Champion

Girls Champion

Girls Runner Up Champion

Mike Fledderus

Kade Ward

Summer Begg

Paige Galbraith

#### Year 12

Boys Champion

Boys Runner Up Champion

Girls Champion

Girls Runner Up Champion

Ashton George

Mason Alone

Haylee Albright-Watson

Kayzli Tauariki





# CENTRAL MIDLANDS

Senior High School







## INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL, TOODYAY

Friday 12 September 2025 saw our Athletics Team compete at the Interschool Athletics Carnival in Toodyay. A big thankyou to the Central Midlands SHS P&C for organising our new Interschool shirts.

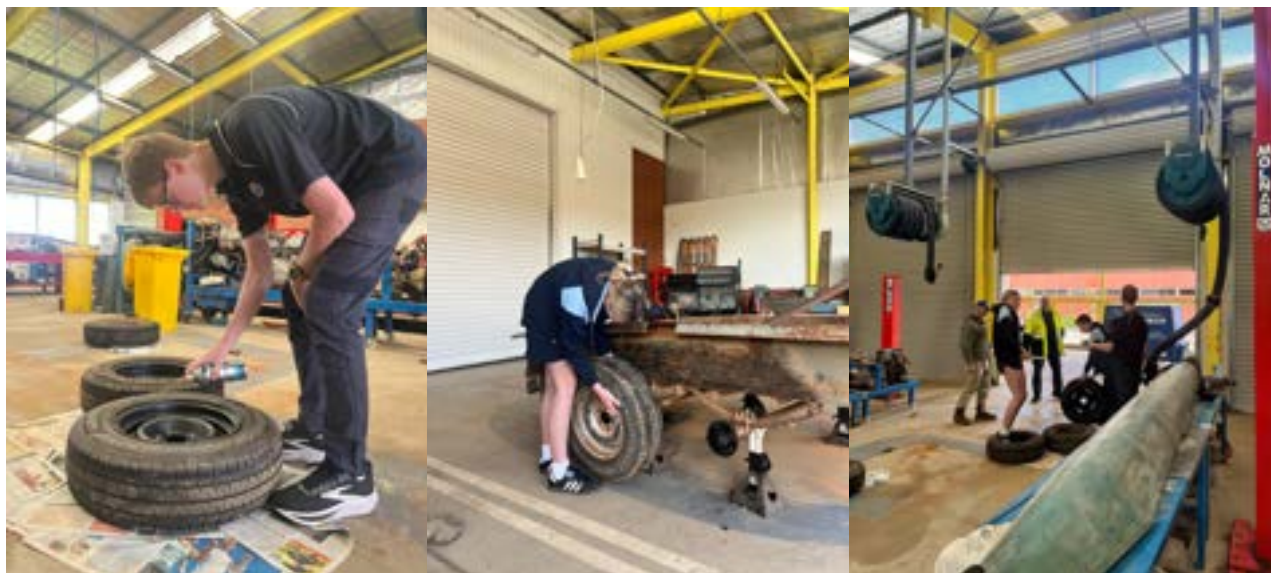
We bought home the shield and many individual champions and runners-up. We are so proud of everyone one of you that competed and helped on the day. We are especially proud of your excellent respectful interactions, manners and superb sportsmanship







## WHAT'S ON AROUND THE SCHOOL



The Year 10 Automotive class, under the guidance of Mr Newman, is currently refurbishing a staff member's trailer. Students are hands-on with the project, removing the tyres and spray-painting the rims to give it a sleek, refreshed appearance.



Year 11 General Physical Education Studies students are sharpening their badminton skills under the guidance of Mr Tate. These sessions blend theory with practice, giving students valuable opportunities to explore performance concepts and apply them in real-time through active gameplay.





Students in Kulbardi Mia (Room 21) have been working diligently on their numeracy skills, exploring angles and mastering the use of protractors under the attentive guidance of our Education Assistants and Mrs Van Beek.

Literacy and numeracy are cornerstone components of the Kulbardi Mia program, with students engaging in dedicated one-hour blocks of each every day.



Year 10 Food Specialisation students are whipping up sweet magic as they perfect their buttercream piping skills—under the watchful eyes (and steady hands) of Mr Mazzini and Mrs Timmins.



## KYLE VICTORIANO, AWARD WINNER

Former student Kyle Victoriano, Class of 2021, recently competed at the Nestle Golden Chef's Hat Award National Competition in Sydney.

The Nestle Golden Chef's Hat Award competition exists to support emerging culinary talent by offering the next generation of chefs a platform to experience new opportunities and advance their careers. This competition offers apprentices and young chefs a unique opportunity to showcase their skills in live cook-offs.

We are pleased to announce that Kyle won 1 silver and 2 bronze medals at the Competition. Well done Kyle!





# KEEPING YOUR CHILD SAFE ONLINE

*A quick guide for parents on how to report online abuse*

Social media and online apps can be fun and positive, but sometimes young people may experience online abuse or harmful content. Here's a simple guide to help you take action and support your child.



## STEP 1: SPOT THE PROBLEM

- Is your child being bullied online?
- Have they received abusive messages?
- Has someone shared (or threatened to share) intimate images?
- Did they come across illegal or harmful content?



## STEP 2: COLLECT EVIDENCE

- Save weblinks (URLs)
- Take screenshots (never of illegal content)
- Note usernames and platforms



## STEP 3: REPORT TO PLATFORM

- Use in-app tools to block, mute or report the harmful account
- This is often the quickest way to have content removed.



## STEP 4: REPORT TO eSAFETY

If the platform doesn't act, or if the issue is very serious:

- Cyberbullying (under 18yrs) > Report to eSafety if platform doesn't remove
- Adult cyber abuse > Report to eSafety if platform doesn't remove
- Image-altered abuse > Report directly to eSafety (unless blackmail is involved)
- Illegal or restricted content > Report to eSafety immediately (anonymous option available)



## STEP 5: SUPPORT YOUR CHILD

- Reassure them it's not their fault
- Encourage them to speak openly about what has happened
- Remind them you will work through it together



## HOW TO REPORT

Go to [www.esafety.gov.au/report](http://www.esafety.gov.au/report)

Choose from the right category (cyberbullying, adult abuse, image-based abuse, illegal content) and complete the online form.



## NEED MORE HELP?

If you or your child are distressed, contact:

- Kids Helpine: 1800 55 1800
- Lifeline: 13 11 14
- Student Services team for support at School





# Free webinars for Parents & Carers

## What is the Teen Mental Health Matters Webinar about?

Parents and carers play a pivotal role in recognising the wellbeing of their teen, yet many struggle to understand how they can support their young person with their mental health.

Co-designed with parents and co-delivered by a clinical psychologist facilitator and youth lived experience advisor, our parent presentation is an opportunity for high-school parents and carers to learn more about adolescent mental health and how to best support and connect with their young person during tough times.



**Black Dog**  
Institute



**BETTER**  
**MENTAL**  
**HEALTH**





## Who is this for?

Parents, Carers, and Guardians of teen-aged youth.

## What will parents learn?

- Understanding mental health in adolescence, including insights from the Future Proofing Study
- What is mental health and when to be concerned
- Key strategies to support adolescents
- Having the conversation – what to say and how to create a supportive environment
- Getting help – health professionals, online and digital support for parents and adolescents
- Promoting healthy habits – including building connections, sleep, and screen use

## Register for the webinar

<https://www.blackdoginstitute.org.au/education-services/schools/parents>

## How long is the webinar?

**90 minutes**, including Q&A.

## Available dates

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> August @ 7PM (AEST)**

[Register here](#)

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September @ 7PM (AEST)**

[Register here](#)

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October @ 7PM (AEDT)**

[Register here](#)

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October @ 7PM (AEDT)**

[Register here](#)

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> October @ 7PM (AEDT)**

[Register here](#)

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> November @ 7PM (AEDT)**

[Register here](#)

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November @ 7PM (AEDT)**

[Register here](#)

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December @ 7PM (AEDT)**

[Register here](#)



# Circle of Security Parenting

## An 8-week Relationship-Based Parenting Program

Circle of Security Parenting (COSP) is a FREE 8-session series that focuses on supporting and strengthening parent-child relationships and teaches new ways to understand and respond to your child's needs. It is based on decades of attachment research, and how secure parent-child relationships can be supported and strengthened.

You will learn to:

- Understand your child's emotional world & emotional needs
- Support your child's ability to successfully manage emotions
- Enhance the development of your child's self-esteem

**ONLINE**

**Starting Weds 22 OCT 2025 | 6pm - 8pm**

**(please note this series of workshops runs for 8 weeks)**

**Free Workshop. Bookings essential.**

**To book: <https://tinyurl.com/3y2syr9u>**

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## WHAT'S ON IN TERM 4, 2025



### WEEK 1

Monday 13 October 2025

*School Development Day (Pupil Free Day)*

Tuesday 14 October 2025

*First Day back of Term 4!*

Friday 17 October 2025

*P&C Principal's Day Out*



### WEEK 2

Tuesday 21 October 2025

*Year 12s Last Day*

*Graduation Assembly*



### WEEK 7

Friday 28 November 2025

*Year 7 Transition Day*

*P.A.R.T.Y Program*



### WEEK 8

Tuesday 2 December – Thursday 4 December 2025

*Try-a-Trade*



### WEEK 10

Tuesday 16 December 2025

*Semester Two Awards Assembly*

Thursday 18 December 2025

*Last Day of Term 4!*

