



NEWSLETTER

17 DECEMBER 2025



FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

As we come to the close of another school year, I want to take this opportunity to reflect on the achievements, challenges, and growth we have experienced together at Central Midlands Senior High School.

This year, our students have demonstrated resilience, creativity, and commitment to learning. We are incredibly proud of the academic achievements across all year levels, as well as the outstanding participation in sporting events, trips and incursions.

Some highlights this semester have included our Year 8 HASS and Follow The Dream Camps, the Year 9 Try A Trade Excursion, The Zero to Hero and Teen Mental Health First Aid programs. Our Student Council, PBS team and PBS student team have been amazing and continue to represent and support our student body.

Our staff have gone above and beyond to provide quality education and support for every student. Their dedication to fostering a positive and inclusive learning environment has been evident throughout the semester. We farewell Mrs Keefe, Ms Hanson and Ms Sanders this year. We thank you for your service and wish you all the best on your next journeys. Thank you to all of our staff for their efforts this year.

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A huge thank you to our School Council, P & C Committee, and newly established Agricultural Committee. There are so many people in our community supporting our school and students in different ways and this was especially noticeable at our recent assembly with huge number of representative present for our scholarships and special awards.

As we prepare for 2026, we remain committed to continuous improvement, innovation in teaching and learning, and ensuring that every student feels supported and inspired to achieve their best. We are looking forward to delivering Agriculture and Outdoor Education as we expand our offering and continuing to grow our enrolment into the future.

On behalf of the entire team at Central Midlands Senior High School, I wish you all a safe and joyful holiday season. We look forward to welcoming everyone back in the new year. Stay cool.

Bronwyn Wright
Principal

"Every successful individual knows that his or her achievement depends on a community of persons working together."

-Paul Ryan



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HOSPITALITY EXCURSION

The Certificate II Hospitality students had a fantastic learning experience at Yahava KoffeeWorks in the Swan Valley during Week Four of this Term.

They explored every stage of the coffee-making process — from growing and roasting to blending — and learned how to extract the perfect espresso and texture beautifully silky milk.

A big thank-you to the Wheatbelt Business Network for funding this barista training. We're already looking forward to completing the advanced course early next year!

Even better, the school has recently invested in a new espresso machine and grinder, allowing students to practise their barista skills regularly on state-of-the-art equipment.



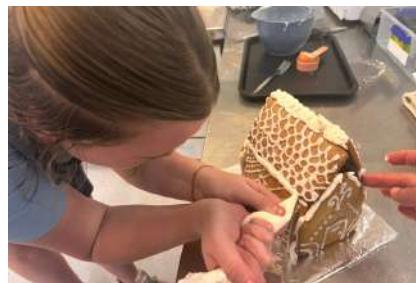


GINGERBREAD FUN IN YEAR 9 AND 10 FOOD SPECIALISATION

The past few weeks have been a flurry of creativity in the Food Specialisations classroom!

Year 9 and 10 students have designed, baked and iced their own gingerbread houses. Students have shown a lot of resilience through ups and downs of the design process - soggy batter, burnt biscuits, ill fitting biscuits and shortage of time have all been challenges. Through it all, the students have been creative and cheerful and have produced some excellent gingerbread houses.

As always, Food Specialisations has been the only classroom where you can eat your learning failures.



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YEAR 6 TRANSITION

On Friday 28 November, Transition Day was held at Central Midlands Senior High School with 40 Year 6 students attending from 5 different primary schools.

It was wonderful to meet and get to know the incoming students, who enjoyed a full day of science, cooking, sport, drama games and maths activities. Their enthusiasm and positive engagement made the day a great success. We can't wait to welcome them officially in 2026!





P.A.R.T.Y PROGRAM

On Friday 28 November, our Year 10 students attended the P.A.R.T.Y. (Prevent Alcohol and Risk-Related Trauma in Youth) Program at St John of God Midland, where they took part in an eye-opening and highly engaging educational experience focused on trauma prevention and safe decision-making.

Students received informative talks on what trauma is, the risks associated with alcohol and drug use, and how these factors contribute to road-related incidents. They toured an ambulance, the Emergency Department, and the ICU to follow the real-life journey of a trauma patient and observe how health professionals respond in critical situations.

During practical activities, students were assigned roles within a trauma team, learning how to assess and support patients while working in confined spaces and relying on teamwork and communication. They also completed rehabilitation-based tasks to understand the long-term challenges faced by people living with permanent injuries and how they learn to manage daily activities.

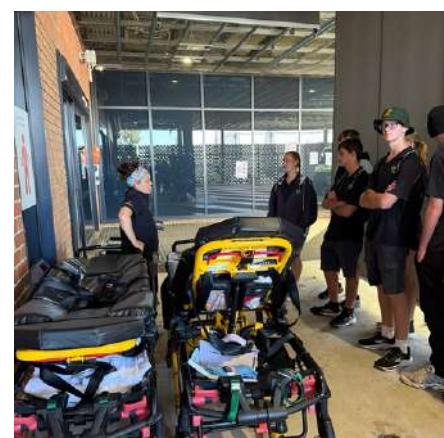
The day concluded with a powerful talk from a trauma survivor, highlighting the lasting impact that risk-related decisions can have on individuals, families, and the wider community.

Our students represented the school with maturity and curiosity, and we thank the P.A.R.T.Y. team for providing such a valuable learning opportunity for our Year 10 cohort.



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School Uniform DONATION DRIVE

Central Midlands Senior High School is initiating a Uniform Donation Drive to build a bank of clean uniforms, ensuring all students have access to the correct attire when needed.

- ✓ Lower School light blue polo shirt
- ✓ Upper School navy blue polo shirt
- ✓ Navy blue School hoodie / jacket
- ✓ House shirts



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END OF YEAR ASSEMBLY

Well done to all students on your monumental efforts this year and congratulations to the award winners for 2025. We encourage you all to continue your hard work for future years.

Year 7 Subject Awards

SUBJECT	TOP STUDENT	MERIT STUDENT
Maths	Lenon Chinyanga	Jordan Machin
English	Lenon Chinyanga	Garth Howe
HASS	Garth Howe	Kasey Burnett
Health Education	Indie Beattie	Karu-Mari van Wyk
Physical Education	Harrison Willmott	Kasey Burnett
Science	Indie Beattie	Lenon Chinyanga
Design & Technology	Brianna Coughlin	Charlie Berridge
Language	Chloe Paige Almeyda	Mason Hart
Visual Arts	Jimaima Ravuyawa	Cody Wilson
Food Specialisation	Indie Beattie	Chayse Dickins

Year 8 Subject Awards

SUBJECT	TOP STUDENT	MERIT STUDENT
Maths	Albert Gardiner	Oliver Workman
English	Alana Watts	Nyanwach Badeng
HASS	Albert Gardiner	Nyrie Kingi
Health Education	Albert Gardiner	Ella Craven
Physical Education	James Nkunkumye	Oliver Glover
Science	Albert Gardiner	Owen Wilkinson
Design & Technology	Oliver Workman	Layla Baek
Language	Benjamin Gardiner	Nyrie Kingi
Visual Arts	Nyrie Kingi	Shaneiqua Indich
Food Specialisation	Mia Ward	Ruby Steele

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Year 9 Subject Awards

SUBJECT	TOP STUDENT	MERIT STUDENT
Maths	Oska Baek	Archer Chapman
English	Grace Burnett	Charli Hall
HASS	Archer Chapman	Cooper Helms
Health Education	Grace Burnett	Sophia King
Physical Education	Koharua Wilkie	Oska Baek
Science	Janaya Ward	Grace Burnett
Design & Technology	Dean Willock	Lachlan Watts
Visual Arts	Sophia King	Violet Reimers
Food Specialisation	Grace Burnett	Sophia King
Automotives	Dean Willock	Grace Burnett

Year 10 Subject Awards

SUBJECT	TOP STUDENT	MERIT STUDENT
Maths	Kaelynn Burnett	James Willmott
English	Kaelynn Burnett	Quinn Cocking
HASS	Kaelynn Burnett	Austin Chapman
Health Education	Rose Fledderus	Kaelynn Burnett
Physical Education	Tui Lockie Clarke	Luke Yates
Science	Kaelynn Burnett	Hera Shelley Almeyda
Design & Technology	Hera Shelly Almeyda	Max Van Voorst
	Dalila Wilkes	
	Aluo Badeng	
Automotives	Hera Shelley Almeyda	Austin Chapman
Visual Arts	Kaelynn Burnett	Rose Fledderus
Food Specialisation	Kaelynn Burnett	Rose Fledderus



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Year 11 Subject Awards

SUBJECT	TOP STUDENT	MERIT STUDENT
English Gen.	Bekah Upton	Latrell Reynolds
English ATAR	Riley Pratt	Rory Smith
Maths Essentials Gen.	Isabella Dugan	Kade Ward
Maths Applications ATAR	Samuel Chatterton	Sofia (Ruolin) Wu
Phys Ed Studies Gen.	Rory Smith	Mike Fledderus
Science in Practice Gen.	Paige Galbraith	N/A
Human Biology ATAR	Moon Cailey Almeyda	Mackenzie Smith
Chemistry ATAR	Samuel Chatterton	Moon Cailey Almeyda
Visual Arts Gen.	Paige Galbraith	N/A
Design & Technology Gen.	Tyler Stephenson	Tyeson Turner
Food Science & Technology	Kean Victoriano	Henry De Jesus
Automotive Engineering	Tyler Stephenson	Latrell Reynolds
Business Management & Enterprise	Summer Begg	Isabella Dugan

SIDE

Certificate of Commendation Tyler Stephenson

Outstanding Academic Achievement Award

Year 7	Lenon Chinyanga, Indie Beattie, Harrison Willmott
Year 8	Albert Gardiner
Year 9	Archer Chapman
Year 10	Kaelynn Burnett
Year 11 General	Rory Smith
Year 11 ATAR	Samuel Chatterton, Riley Pratt
ASDAN Award	Tiambrah Hamlett



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Special Awards

George Norton Memorial Foundation Award

Moora CWA Book Award

Character Engagement Awards

Phill Farley Memorial Award

Moora Volunteer Fire & Rescue Award

McIntosh and Son - Most Industrious Award

Citizenship Award

Principals Award

ADF Future Innovators Award

ADF Long Tan Leadership and Teamwork

Award

Little Mick's Electrics STEM Award (Junior)

Little Mick's Electrics STEM Award (Senior)

Tom Bashford Shining Brightly Award

Rose Fledderus

Charli Hall

Summer Begg

Mike Fledderus

Dalila Wilkes

Archer Chapman

Latrell Reynolds

Albert Gardiner

Riley Pratt

Austin Chapman

Kaelynn Burnett

Lenon Chinyanga

Samuel Chatterton

Justice Hamilton



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2026 Scholarships

Year 7 into 8: Shire of Moora Scholarship

Ruby Panizza

Year 7 into 8: Wheatbelt Timber Scholarship

Harrison Willmott

Year 7 into 8: Maradah Farm Scholarship

Kasey Burnett

Year 8 into 9: Moora Lions Scholarship

Chayse Dickins

Year 9 into 10: St James' Anglican Church

Jaxon Brown

Opportunity Shop Scholarship

Albert Gardiner

Year 10 into 11: St James' Anglican Church

Grace Burnett

Opportunity Shop Scholarship

Sophia King

Year 10 into 11: Mick Rodan Rotary Memorial

Nicholas Willmott

Scholarship

Summer Begg

Ned Mippy Memorial Scholarship Award

Mackenzie Smith

Austin Chapman

Kristopher Begg

Latrell Reynolds

Follow the Dream

Recognition Award

Dalila Wilkes

Recognition Award

Levi Alone



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2026 TERM DATES



TERM 1

Monday 2 February to Thursday 2 April



TERM 2

Monday 20 April to Friday 3 July



TERM 3

Monday 20 July to Friday 25 September



TERM 4

Monday 12 October to Thursday 17 December

SCHOOL OFFICE



OPEN FROM

Tuesday 27 January 2026

Closed Monday 26 January 2026

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