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ALDRIDGE NEWSLETTER 2024 Term 2 - Week 2

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Monday 29th April

• Year 10 Parade - 8:45am - K Block Theatre

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- Year 8 Parade 8:45am Hall
- Breakfast Club 8:00am T Block
- LEC Endeavour Industries Excursion
- Music Album Day

Tuesday 30th April

- Year 12 Parade 8:45am K Block Theatre
- Year 9 Parade 8:45am Hall
- Ridge Cafe Open 7:45am to 8:30am I Block-Hot Beverage Menu- EFTPOS Available
- Breakfast Club 8:00am T Block
- Dance Eisteddfod Practice Senior Jazz Group - Recess 1 - K Block Theatre
- Music Album Day
- Parent Teacher Interviews Aldridge SHS Hall
- 3:30pm till 6:00pm

Wednesday 1st May

- Year 7 Parade 8:45am- K Block Theatre
- Breakfast Club 8:00am T Block

Thursday 2nd May

- Year 11 Parade 8:45am- K Block Theatre
- Breakfast Club 8:00am T Block
- Golf Program 7:45am to 10:45am
- Dance Eisteddfod Practice Hip Hop Recess
- 1- K Block Theatre
- Futsal Bundaberg

Friday 3rd May

- Ridge Cafe Open 7:45am to 8:30am I Block -Hot Beverage Menu - EFTPOS Available
- Breakfast Club 8:00am T Block

Future Events & Information

- Labour Day Public Holiday Monday 6th May
- Cattle Team Beef Week Rockhampton -
- Instrumental Music Strings Visit Tinana Kindy - Thursday 9th May
- Year 11 Exam Block Week 5
- Awesome Women in Construction Roadshow
- Monday 13th May
- Year 11 Outdoor Rec Year 10 Silver Duke of Edinburgh Cooloola Hike - Tuesday 21st to Thursday 23rd May

P&C Meeting

The next Aldridge SHS P&C meeting will be held on Monday, 20th May at 4:30pm in the Aldridge Admin Building. All are welcome to attend.

Student Study Hub:

Every Monday to Friday - Recess 1 & 2 in P2. After School Tutorials - Homework Centre: Every Tuesday to Thursday from 3:00pm-4:00pm in the Library (Radio Room).

Fortnightly Focus Weeks 2 & 3:

Appropriate ways to resolve conflict.

2024 ANZAC DAY AND MEMORIAL EVENTS

This week has been filled with events commemorating ANZAC Day, a day to remember and honour those who served and sacrificed for our country.

On Wednesday, our entire school gathered in the Aldridge Hall for a special ANZAC Day ceremony. It was a poignant and respectful event, with senior student, Chloe Hodges, playing the Last Post, creating a deeply moving atmosphere.

On Thursday, both students and staff from Aldridge SHS attended the Maryborough ANZAC Day march through the CBD, leading to the ceremony at the cenotaph. Our Senior School Captains laid a wreath on behalf of the Aldridge community, demonstrating our school's commitment to honouring those who served. It was great to see our students representing Aldridge at both this march and other community events throughout the

Another significant event took place on Monday, marking the anniversary of the unveiling of the Butchulla Warriors Memorial. Our student leaders, along with other school members, were proud to be part of the ceremony. We are grateful to Uncle Glen Miller and the Butchulla Men's Business team for inviting us to join in this important occasion.

A highlight of the memorial ceremony was hearing from Lachlan Hansen and Calen Simpson, who spoke about their collaboration with Uncle Glen to craft the lifelike bronze shields and footprints, a significant tribute to the Butchulla warriors. This memorial is a powerful reminder of the contributions and sacrifices made by Aboriginal people in defending our country.

We want to thank everyone who attended and contributed to these very important events. Please see our school's Facebook page for more photos.



Our 2024 QIGA season continued this week with three of our tournament squad players competing at Coolangatta Tweed Heads Golf Course. This event brings together the top Queensland School Golf Academies for four rounds of team and individual competition. It's great to celebrate individual scores, but it's also fantastic to see teams compete with great sportsmanship and build new networks. Our players faced tough conditions with wind, rain, and extremely fast greens. Golf Program Manager Mr. Hodgo made the last-minute decision to enter two junior players into the senior competition, and after two weeks of mental preparation, the risk paid off. Mr. Hodgo encouraged them to challenge themselves and learn from the experience, whether they failed or succeeded.

Out of 82 players, our results were; Cody Anderson (Year 9)

1st place nett, Taj Peek (Year 10) 4th place gross and Zane Stowers (Year 8) 12th place nett. We are incredibly proud of our players, both in the tournament and training squads, and look forward to our next event in late May!



