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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Greetings,

It is great to be back at CAC. During the past week I had the pleasure of attending an Adventist Schools Principals conference in New Zealand. We also took time to visit four schools who are seen to be progressing excessively well and learned what we could from these schools.

The main theme that runs through the majority of school professional development is that we need to change in order to survive the future that lies ahead. This true not only for Adventist schools, but indeed all schools.

The problem, though, is that no one is telling us how to change, or indeed what to change into. This leaves us somewhat caught between not knowing what to be heading for, but more importantly, leaves us with a blank canvas on which we all have the opportunity to paint the future. This is the part that really excites me and 'fuels my tank'. This is the part where we have the opportunity to try what hasn't been tried before, to go places we haven't been before, or as one friend of mine explains it '...to see flowers grow where we didn't expect it'.

Please continue to pray for the school as we begin to paint this canvas, and pray that it will be the reflection of what God intends for Carmel Adventist College.

***Blessings,
Nicholas Thomson
Principal***

OPEN DAY - FRID 29TH MAY

Open Day is on this Friday, May 29 from 9.30am – 11am. We trust you received the flyers posted to all our families to be distributed. This is an excellent opportunity to introduce new families to our College so we do encourage you to share the news about this event. As reservations are not necessary, last minute invitations are very welcome.

CALENDAR

YEAR 9 AMAZING RACE
FRIDAY 29TH MAY

OPEN DAY
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PUBLIC HOLIDAY
WESTERN AUSTRALIA DAY
MONDAY 1ST JUNE

CANCER COUNCIL
MORNING TEA
TUESDAY 9TH JUNE

TEAM SPORTS DAY
THURSDAY 4TH JUNE

YEAR 11&12
EXAMINATION
THURS 11TH-19TH JUNE

TEAM SPORTS DAY

The Team Sports Carnival will be held on Thursday the 4th of June at Ray Owen Sports Centre. If you are interested in coming along to cheer on your students, games will be underway by 9:45, with our last games finishing between 2:30 - 2:45. All welcome.

MESSAGE FROM OUR CHAPLAIN

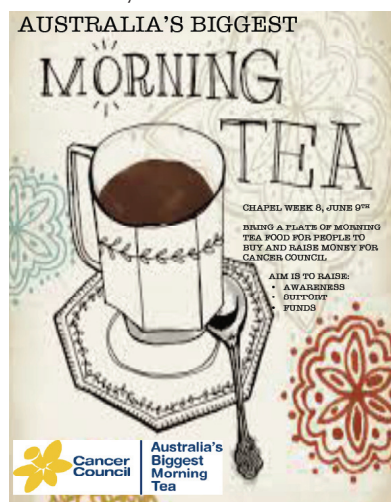
You are invited on June 9 to come and celebrate with us a giant Cancer Council Morning Tea in Chapel.

The event will be hosted in the Assembly Hall from 10am-11 am.

Students and staff are asked to bring a plate of delicious Morning Tea food to donate.

At the end of a special program the whole college will have the opportunity to buy and enjoy the donated food and work together to fundraise to further cancer research.

Thank you for all your support!



HISTORY DAY

From Cleopatra to Marlene Dietrich and Sacagawea, Albert Thurston to Julius Caesar, History Day abounded with an array of creatively dressed students and staff. Prizes were awarded to the best dressed students in each grade and included: Rebekah Thompson, dressed as the Grecian maiden Cassopeia. Lleyton Sewell appeared as American president Abraham Lincoln. Dressed in a traditional Japanese kimono, Alleyne Aviles was an extremely ingenious geisha girl. Rosie Swabey came appropriately garbed as Rosie the Riveter. Marlene Dietrich, 1930s film icon and fan of the tuxedo, was portrayed by Lucinda Maxwell. Katie Perrella, in a flowing mauve gown, looked the part of a Grecian goddess. Mrs Lobegeiger took out the staff prize, dressed in the Carmel uniform of the late 1960s. She even sported a vintage Carmel College blazer from the era. Congratulations also go to the Year Sevens who assembled an interesting and entertaining chapel program, with a selection of historically significant praise songs and a brief history of television in Australia. The program culminated in



a humorous version of "To Tell the Truth", where the audience had to determine which of three students represented the real Tutankhamen.



BUSH RANGERS CAMP

Last weekend saw Bush Rangers head out on their first camp for the year. The camp was held at the Hills Discovery Centre in Mundaring, where students pitched tents, cooked their dinner over a camp fire, and headed out mountain biking on the Kalamunda Circuit. For those who may be interested in joining Bush Rangers, there will be several spots available for second semester intake at the beginning of Term Three. Contact Mrs Lobegeiger or Mrs Hughes if you would like more information.

