

# Newsletter



CARMEL PRIMARY  
ADVENTIST COLLEGE

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**connection** is why we're here; it is what gives purpose and meaning to our lives.

~ Brené Brown

## Open to Connection...

I decidedly arose from behind my work desk this week, gathered my packed lunch and went down to sit for a while with a small group of elderly men and women who gather in a Centre at my work to eat and talk and sometimes to venture.

I asked one lady in my new group of friends, 'so where were you born?' The question snowballed! One by one, their eyes sparkled and the effortless, joyous stories of birth countries, mothers, fathers and siblings, and for many how they came to live in Australia, captured me – all of us actually.

I don't think it needs a great skill to connect with others – all I did was ask a simple question to create an open space and opportunity to engage with others.

In a time when evidence reports are telling us that one in four Australians feel lonely one day a week - connection seems vital.



As human beings, our need to connect with others is deeply hardwired and goes right back to when we would hang out in groups so we could survive. Times have changed, but not being connected to others. Isolation and loneliness can take a huge toll on our relationships, health and wellbeing.

Let's be brave and be open to connect with others and help others connect with each other.

## Events Calendar

### AUGUST

Cupcake & Muffi Day.....	August 9
School Photo Day.....	August 12
Book Fair.....	August 12 - 14
Book Week Parade.....	August 19
Book Week.....	August 19 – 23
Father's Day Stall.....	August 30
Flanno Friday.....	August 30

# GENERAL

## Cupcake & Muffi Day Friday, August 9

This Friday, August 9, we will be having our annual Cupcake & Muffi Day (free dress).

Students in 'free dress' will need to bring a \$2 donation. Bring a few extra dollars for cupcakes. Cupcakes will cost between 50c - \$3.00.



This day is a fundraiser in support of the Year 5 Market Day at the end of the term.

## Thank you

Thank you to our families who came and supported the Year 4 – 6 students at the Bickley SDA Church program on Saturday.



## After School Sports

As mentioned last week, we have received approval to run Badminton this term for After School Sports.

Please note: there are now no available places left in Badminton.

The first Badminton session will take place this Wednesday, 7<sup>th</sup> August from 3:30pm – 4:30pm.

## SCHOOL PHOTO DAY IS COMING!

**Our school photo day is on Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> August!** Approximately two weeks prior to the photo day every student will receive a Kapture Photography order envelope to bring home. The recommended method of ordering your photos is online through Kapture's website as your payment is secure and can be easily verified at any time. **If you pay online, there is no need to return the order envelope to school.**

Alternatively you can pay by cash and return the provided envelope to the school on the photography day. Please note the photographers cannot open sealed envelopes and cannot provide change.

***SIBLING ORDERS CAN ONLY BE PLACED ONLINE: Late requests cannot be granted.***  
***Log on to [kapture.com.au](http://kapture.com.au) for your sibling photo order cut-off date and time.***

You have the option to order a sibling photo package online, however please note ***sibling orders will close in most instances @midday sharp at least one business day before the first photo date.*** We suggest you place your online sibling order as soon as you receive your order envelope with your order instructions, as places are limited.

**\*IMPORTANT – Sibling photos will only be taken during recess and if necessary lunchtime. If you wish to include your child from the Secondary, it will be your responsibility to make sure they are at the Primary school at the appropriate time.**

Late payment envelopes cannot be accepted by the school office or by Kapture. You can place an order online for class or individual photographs at any time for the remainder of the current school year however a \$15 fee will apply if you order more than 10 days after photography.

If your child is in a sports or special group photo, you can use the same school code on your order envelope to view and order these photos on Kapture's website, around the time that school photos are ready to be delivered. Please note; Class group, individual and sibling portraits are not available to view online.

Kapture offer a money back guarantee for any parent who is not fully satisfied with their photo package. Should you have any queries before or after photo day, please direct them to the Kapture office on 9240 1714 or email [enquiries@kapture.com.au](mailto:enquiries@kapture.com.au).

*All students will be photographed individually on photo day for school administration records AS WELL as included in their class group photo available for purchase to all families. Should there be any reason why your child should **NOT** be included in the photo shoot –please contact the school office.*





## Book Fair

**August 12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>**

The Scholastic Book Fair is coming to Carmel from Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> August!

This is a chance to purchase some great books for home or as gifts. Our library also benefits as we get a percentage of the sales to put towards books for our library.

Any parents able to help with this event would be greatly appreciated. Please come and see Mrs Holly Gunter if you think you would be available to help.



## Book Week Parade

**Monday, August 19**

On Monday, August 19 we encourage students to participate in the Book Week Parade!

The library theme is...

**'Reading Ranch - Lasso a Good Book'**

Students can dress up in a country & western theme or a character from a favourite book.

So, lasso a good book and start having a think now for ideas!



## Cross Country Training

Our annual Cross Country event is at the end of this term. Training will commence this week.

Training days this month are:

**Week 3 - Thursday, Aug 8**

**Week 4 - Thursday, Aug 15**

**Week 5 - Tuesday, Aug 20 and Thursday, Aug 22**

**Week 6 - Tuesday, Aug 27 and Thursday, Aug 29**

Please have your child/ren bring their running shoes in their bag on the above day. Girls should also bring socks, as running in tights can be very hot.



## Trash & Treasure

The Year 5's are looking for donated items such as...stuffed toys, games, crafts, plants, small decorative items, vases etc. for their Trash & Treasure Stall.

If you are doing a clean out and have any of these items, please hold onto them for now. You will be able to start bringing them in very soon!

Thank you!



## Combined Schools Sport Day

The annual Combined Schools Sport Day will be held on **Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>** (not the 15<sup>th</sup> November as mentioned in the last newsletter) at the Gerry Archer Athletic Field, Abernethy Road, Cloverdale.

Please mark this annual event on your calendar.



## School Fees

We hope you all received your fee statement with your child's Semester 1 Report. If not, please feel free to email Narelle and she would be more than happy to email you one.

Options B – Just a gentle reminder that if you are paying your fees each term, your Term 3 payment was due last Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> August. Unfortunately the discount date has now expired.

Thank you for ensuring your fee payments are made accordance with the Fee Payment Commitment Form (blue form) you returned at the beginning of the year.

You are always welcome to call either Narelle Duncan or Janine Taylor if ever you have questions or concerns regarding your school fees.



# Flanno Friday

Circle **Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> August** on your calendars!

We invite our Dad's and Grandad's to come in and enjoy a FREE McCarmel Burger!

To celebrate our Dad's and Grandad's, staff will be wearing their favourite flannel shirt and all students are encouraged to wear a flannel shirt over their uniform too.

**Now is a good time to look for your 'Flanno'!**

## NEW Secondary Uniform Shop Opening Hours

Please see below for the new opening times.

<b>Monday</b>	<b>8:30 - 9:00am</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>3:30 - 4:00pm</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8:30 - 9:00am</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>8:30 - 9:00am</b>



**\*Carmel Primary Uniform Shop is open on Fridays from 8:45 - 9:15am.**

**BICKLEY SDA CHURCH PROGRAM**



## CHURCH NEWS

*Come along and join in any of the various age related programs or small groups between 9:30am-10:30am each Saturday followed by the church service at 11am. Everyone is welcome!*

### **CARMEL COLLEGE SDA CHURCH**

#### **Upcoming Events**

- iCHOOSE – 9 August
- Basket Lunch – 10 August
- Carmel Cares – 11 August
- iCHOOSE – 16 August
- Bonfire Night – 17 August
- Hillbillies Men's Breakfast – 18 August

### **LIVINGSTON SDA CHURCH**

#### **Upcoming Events**

- Craft – 7 August
- Toddler Musical Playtime – 8 August
- Adventurers/Pathfinders – 10 August
- Children's Church – 17 August
- Kids Movie Night – 17 August



### **Chapel**

We have our weekly Chapel program every **FRIDAY** morning from 8:50am to 9:30am in the Multipurpose Room (located next to Library).

This **Friday (August 9)**, the program will be coordinated by the Year 3 class.  
Speaker: Dr Natalie

#### **Next week (August 16)...**

Coordinating: Year 1 class  
Speaker: Pr Brad

**We look forward to seeing you there!**

# COMMUNITY

**We're  
HIRING**

**POSITION VACANT  
Kitchen Hand  
Mamarapha College W.A.**

Mamarapha College is seeking a Kitchen Hand to assist with meal preparations during their study blocks. This is a casual position in an Indigenous post-secondary training institution, which runs courses in Pastoral Indigenous Ministry and Health Promotion.

The Kitchen Hand will be a practicing member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church who is required to have a C class licence and their own vehicle, a food handling certificate, a flexible hour working roster, and be an efficient worker.

If you enjoy catering and would like to be a part of the Mamarapha team, please send a cover letter, your CV and three referees to [MelissaHill@adventist.org.au](mailto:MelissaHill@adventist.org.au).

## After School Arts

Vacancies exist in all classes of Pottery, Painting and drawing and Hooked on Hessian.

Classes commence Thursday, 8th Aug from 4-6pm for 8 weeks. Please phone Norma 9293 4486 with bookings and enquiries. Ages from 6 yrs up.



## Upcoming Excursions or Incursions

Yr 6 Parliament House Excursion.....Monday, 5<sup>th</sup> August

## Happy Birthday

to the following students who celebrate an upcoming birthday!

Alexis (Yr 2)  
Kristian (Yr 6)  
Tayj (PP)  
Noah (Yr 3)

Ashlyn (PP)  
Jonathan (Yr 6)  
Chilli (Yr 2)

*We pray that God will bless you in the year ahead!*



## Pre-Loved School Uniforms

Go to our 'Carmel Adventist College Primary & Secondary – Buy, Sell or Swap'. This page is for both Primary and Secondary Uniforms. Simply click the 'JOIN GROUP' button and Admin will get you off and running.



Like us on Facebook for regular information updates. Search for Carmel Adventist College Primary.

## SCHOOL TERM DATES 2019

Term 2	Tuesday, April 30 – Friday, July 5
Term 3	Tuesday, July 23 – Friday, September 27
Term 4	Tuesday, October 15 – Tuesday, Dec 10



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FRIDAY  
AUGUST, 9



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FUNDRAISER IN SUPPORT OF THE YEAR 5 MARKET DAY