Carmel Adventist College Primary Newsletter



Term 3, Issue 13

15th August, 2016

DEREK REDMOND:

It doesn't matter how hard it is, but you must finish what you started.

For over a century, the Olympics have been the pinnacle of success for any athlete in the world. Some of them create history by setting new world records and achieving the impossible; but there are quite a few who lose and yet they win the respect and admiration of millions worldwide. Derek Redmond is one such athlete who took the Olympic Spirit to a Level that will never be surpassed.

Derek Redmond participated at the 1992 Olympic Games in Barcelona, Spain, with the desire to have the gold medal.

After dealing with a series of injuries and illness, he started with a fresh and winning spirit and reached the semi-finals. But the destiny betrayed him once again – in the mid way of the semi-final event, he tore his hamstring. He tried to push himself but the excruciating pain could not let him

Events Calendar

Book Fair – Aug 15–17

P&F Meeting - Aug 16 @ 2:30pm

Secondary Campus Open Night – Aug 17

Cupcake & Mufti Day – Aug 19

Book Week Parade – Aug 26

Father's Day Stall & 'Flanno' Friday – Sept 2

NAIDOC Week – Sept 5-9

move ahead. He sat on the track and started crying; his Olympic dreams came to a crashing end.

Suddenly, his father Jim emerged from the crowd and entered the ground to console his injured son. He assisted his son to stand and said "We will finish the game together."

The audience watched this incredible event with wet eyes and clapped for the fatherson to the finishing line.

Continued on page 3.



Messages for O'Connor Family

If you would like to send your condolences to the O'Connor family following the death of Dylan C's mum, Bernadette, these messages can be handed into the front office.

Thank-you.



'Flanno' Friday



Circle **Friday**, **2nd September** on your calendars, as all our Dad's and Grandad's are invited to come in and enjoy a FREE McCarmel Burger if they wear a flannel shirt!!

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.

We ask those planning to attend to RSVP with Narelle at Reception.

Get hunting now for your 'Flanno'

Market Day

Looking for stuffed toys and travel memorabilia!

Year 5 at Carmel Primary are busy planning for their annual fundraising Market Day.

This year the class have decided to have a multicultural theme.

They are looking for donated stuffed toys to give a new look and resell.

They would also love to sell donated travel memorabilia.



Those snow domes, spoons, postcards that seemed so great at the time, and now are gathering dust, could help the children to buy goats for families in Cambodia.

If you can help, please contact, Karyn Stanton at karynstanton@adventist.org.au.





Save the date! Junior Concert The Junior Concert will be held at Carmel College Gymnasium on Wednesday, 21st September starting at 6:30pm. The Kindy, Pre-Primary and Year 1 students will be performing a play called 'Wise Gerald & Foolish Tide' and the Years 2, 3 and 4 students will be performing a play We encourage you to set aside this date to come along. Invite the whole family!

Father's Day Shop

We are seeking donations of new items suitable for gifts for Dads for our Father's Day 'shop'. Some ideas are aftershaves, torches, chocolates, mugs, tools, garden items (garden gloves, seeds) etc.

We will package up the gifts and set up a 'shop' on Friday, 2nd September so that each child can come and purchase a special gift for their Dad.

Please drop your donations in to the front office.

Thank you in advance.

Continued...

Together, they took the Olympic spirit to a new height and showed the world the real meaning of sportsmanship. The crowd in the auditorium welcomed them with standing ovation and heart-felt respect.

Who is Derek Anthony Redmond?

Derek Anthony Redmond is a retired British athlete who is best known for his well-remembered performance at the 1992 Olympic Games.

Throughout his career he suffered from several injures but continued pursuing his dreams. He won gold medals in the 4×400 meters relay at the World Championships, Commonwealth Games and European Championships and also broke the British record in the 400 meters run in 1985, finishing in 44.82 seconds.

Lesson to learn...

Winning the challenges do not always make you the man of honor but it is the **never-give-up attitude and perseverance** that makes a real example worth respecting and following.

If we can't stop wishing and desiring for something bigger and better, then why do we stop taking actions after a few failed attempts under difficult circumstances? After all, it is not the crown or medal that makes us great but our attempts and never-say-die spirit.

Stephen Kaggwa says it best, "Try and fail, but don't fail to try."



www.brainprick.com



Today the Scholastic Book Fair started.

Students can come and look at the books during recess and lunch or you can join them after school for a look also. Payment for books can be made with cash or Eftpos.

Book Week & Book Day Parade

(22 – 26 August)

Next week is Book Week. We will have lots of fun activities to celebrate, and will end the week with a Book Day Parade on Friday, 26th August.

It would be great to see the kids dressed up as their favourite Australian book character, however if they choose another book character this is fine. We always love to see Bible characters visit us for the book parade.

Remember you need to bring along the book your character is from on the day.

Reading Challenge

Today, a 'Connect' to reading challenge booklet has been sent home!

It has 7 challenges for your child to try and complete by Thursday, 25th August.

Some of the challenges include:

- Connect with your family read a story to a family member.
- Connect with nature read a book about your favorite Australian animal or plant and illustrate it in the booklet.
- Connect from afar read to someone you know living interstate or overseas, using Skype, phone, or record yourself and email
 i+1

Look out for the little booklet in your child's school bag and encourage them to embrace the reading challenge! I look forward to giving out stamps and awards for the challenge. Good luck!



Keep this night free - Saturday, August 27!

Come along to the Carmel Adventist College (Secondary)
Assembly Hall at 6:45pm for a 7pm start. \$10 per person
with 8 per table. There will be hot & cold drinks for sale,
along with plenty of yummy snack food, brought to you
from the delectable cuisine of Mrs Robinson and her
students. All funds raised will go towards the Year 12
Malaysia Service Trip in November.

Bring the younger kids along too, as there will also be a Gold Coin Kid's Movie Night, which will include free nibbles.

If you would like to book a place or book a whole table or have any other queries, please contact Mr Phil Murray (philmurray@adventist.org.au)

Chapel

Our weekly Chapel and Assembly program is every **FRIDAY** morning from 8:50am to 9:30am.

This **Friday (19th August)**, the program will be co-ordinated by the Year 3 class. Speaker: Rick Pekan from Bible Society.

Next week (26th August)

Book Week Parade!

All parents are welcome to attend.



NACSWIM 🚉

Enrol now for VacSwim October school holiday swimming lessons.

It is important for every child to learn to swim properly and develop essential water safety skills. VacSwim October school holiday swimming lessons are run by instructors who teach children the skills to be confident swimmers and safe in the water.

To enrol or find out more visit education.wa.edu.au/swimming.



Choir at Armadale Church

The Carmel Primary choir has been invited to be a part of the Armadale Seventh-Day Adventist Church worship service on Saturday, 27th August, from 10:30am to 12:15pm.

Permission forms have been sent home.

Could you please ensure these are returned by Tuesday, 16th August.

We thank you for your support.

Carmel Kids MTB Sunday Funday... enjoyed a ride at Farrell Grove last Sunday.

If you would like to be a part of the Carmel Kids Mountain Bike group, email Mr Brydon Eaton at <u>BrydonEaton@adventist.org.au</u> and/or request to join the Facebook group 'Carmel Kids MTB Sunday Funday'.





Carmel College Church News

Small Groups & Church Service

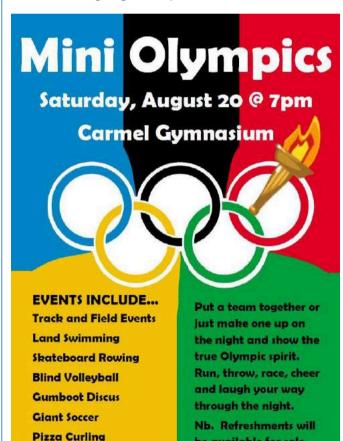
Come along and join in any of the various age related programs or small groups between 9:30am-10:30am each Saturday. Followed by the church service at 11am. Everyone is welcome!

Upcoming Events

and MANY more...

Carmel Olympic Night - August 20 See below for more details.

Rollerskating Night – September 3



Kids Church

Livingston SDA Church

(Nicholson Road, Canning Vale. Opposite Livingston Market Place)

Kids! We have two awesome events coming up just for you on 20th August!

Kids' Church will run from 11.00am – 12.00pm in the Youth Hall and we will have the Everest

team from the Upper Primary Shed at Easter Camp. All primary school aged kids invited.

Then at 6.00pm, come along to the Main Hall ready for a fun-filled Games Night!

An Under 5 Zone will be happening concurrently in the Youth Hall, so all ages from 0 to 12 years are welcome!

See you there!



"Play is the highest form of research."

be available for sale

during the night.

ALBERT EINSTEIN

From our Chaplain...

What a wonderful Saturday afternoon it was this weekend at Lake Leschenaultia. School families, staff and Carmel SDA Church families joined together to celebrate the baptism of two of our own Year 6 students, Nikalya and Sam and also Nikayla's cousin Nate. As we all gathered together on the edge of the lake, and witnessed these young people being baptized, we praised God for their bold decision.

You may be thinking, 'Why is baptism important?' Simply, we follow the example of Jesus. He was baptized even though He had never sinned. He did this to set an example for us. Matthew 3:13-16.

Baptism is a symbol of a new beginning with God. When we are lowered into the water, it symbolizes we have died to our old way of thinking and living and when we are raised up out of the water, we are ready to walk in a new way of life, a Christian life. As these three young people made public their desire to follow Jesus, they were saying to everyone, 'I am choosing to be a follower of Jesus Christ.'

Baptism is open to everyone. Don't think you can't give your life to Jesus and be baptized. Whether you've grown up in the church or want to accept Jesus for the first time, He invites you to make a lifelong commitment to Him. It's a choice I have never regretted making—and neither will you.

God bless, Mrs Nicola Warchol

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.'

John 3:16



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!

Happy Birthday to the following students who celebrate a birthday in August!

Caleb Hughes (1st), Blake Shaw (1st), Hailey Gurr (2nd), Nikayla McMillan (3rd), Taj Walker (4th), Kristian Padula (9th), Jonathan Harrison (17th), Noah Thomson (19th),

Chilli La Cava (19th), Solomon Akai (21st), Lisa Nxumalo (23rd), Holly Frigula (23rd), Dylan Caithness (23rd), Jacob Frigula (25th), Amber Gurr (27th), Tariro Shonga (28th) and Aleksandr Gordon (31st)

We pray that God will bless you in the year ahead.

Upcoming Events

Junior Concert - Sept 21

Cross Country & Market Day – Sept 23

Final Day of Term 3 – Sept 23



Check out the photos from our annual Mud Day on pages 7 and 8!

A massive THANK-YOU to Mr Wallis,

Mr Eaton, Mrs Walker and Les!
This event would not have happened without them!



Greatness through Service







Thank you

The Carmel Adventist College Primary Parents and Friends Committee would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to our amazing community for such astounding support on our first quiz night.

We raised \$2,050 towards our new naturescape playground!!

To all who came supported our night with your attendance and bidding, THANK YOU, what a fabulous and fun evening! We couldn't have done it without you!

To all our AMAZING sponsors, THANK YOU so much for your support on our quiz night! (Sponsors listed below. Most of our sponsors are on Facebook, so if you feel inclined, go ahead and check

A HUGE THANK YOU to Narelle Duncan for receiving all of the payments in the lead up to and on them out). the evening AND all the behind the scenes work on every occasion, you are always there for us! Whatever would we do without you!

And a SPECIAL THANKS to the Year 10's for running the crèche and refreshments stall. The year 10's are raising funds so when they go to Cambodia later this year they can help build much needed buildings and animal pens and the like. What amazing young people we are blessed to have in our community!

\$2,050 was raised!!

A huge THANK-YOU to Clancy Mentiplay for her amazing effort in organizing the quiz night.



Sponsors:

Shelley& Jamie Thompson: SJ Rural Supplies

Bakers Delight Kalamunda

The Bell Tower

Kristy Coultard: The Treat Tent

Sandi Lowe: Mrs Lowe's Piano Studio

Tracy O'Meara-Smith: Silverdale Natural Therapy Andrea Gabriel: Natural Health & Therapy Centre (Raising Vibrations Yoga Studio)

Shani Green: Tupperware (Business Page) Bec van Moorsel: Jamberry (Becvanjams VIP)

Annette Leader: Artist

Linday Rampant: Australian Photograph Ruth Webb: Crocheter Extraordinaire

Brenton Lowe: Living Well Pop-up Book Store



COMBINED PRIMARY & SECONDARY CAMPUS

OPEN NIGHT

Wednesday August 17, 2016 6:00pm - 7:30pm **Secondary Campus**



I would personally like to invite you to attend Carmel Adventist College's Open Night on Wednesday August 17, 2016.

The Open Night is an excellent opportunity for you to find out more about our College and what we can offer your family.

If you are considering primary or secondary schools, I look forward to meeting you and showing you why Carmel is the obvious choice within the Hills.

Mr Nicholas Thomson Secondary Principal

PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS 6.00pm

6:30pm STUDENTS SHARING (Greatness through service)

7:00pm LIGHT SUPPER

FINISH

T: (08) 9293 5333

E: carolynharders@adventist.org.au W: www.carmelcollege.wa.edu.au

Please contact the College Office on

FOR REGISTRATION OR ENQUIRIES



CARMEL ADVENTIST COLLEGE

PRIMARY CAMPUS

18 First Avenue, Bickley WA 6076 Australia T+61 8 9291 6399 primary@carmelcollege.wa.edu.au

SECONDARY CAMPUS

Glenisla Road, Carmel WA 6076 Australia T+61 8 9293 5333 secondary@carmelcollege.wa.edu.au

Year 6 Cake Stall and Mufti Day



The Year 6 school captains would like to start a tradition by supporting the 'Year 5 Market Day' by fundraising for the float that the Year 5's will need for their stalls.

On **Friday**, **19th August 2016** there will be a Mufti 'free dress' day and cup cake stall at recess time.



Cup cakes will cost between 50c - \$3.00

Students in Mufti 'free dress' will need to bring a \$2.00 donation on the day.

If you would like to donate cup cakes on the day please contact Mrs Keating: candicekeating@adventist.org.au



VACSWIM OCTOBER 2016

Enrol your children for swimming lessons during the October school holidays.



9 DAY PROGRAM

40 minute lessons every weekday from Tuesday 27 September to Friday 7 October.

Prices from \$13 per child or \$35 for a family of three or more (plus pool entry).

5 DAY PROGRAM

35 minute lessons every day from Monday 3 to Friday 7 October. Prices from \$7 per child to \$18 for a family of three or more (plus pool entry).

Enrolments close Monday 29 August

Find out more and enrol online at education.wa.edu.au/swimming or telephone 9402 6412.