

Newsletter



Yr 1-4 Junior Concert



CARMEL PRIMARY
ADVENTIST COLLEGE

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Service to others leads to *greatness.*

True Greatness...

Some people feel like a small pebble lost in the immensity of a canyon. But no matter how insignificant we judge ourselves to be, we can be greatly used by God.

In a sermon early in 1968, Martin Luther King Jr. quoted Jesus' words from Mark 10 about servanthood. Then he said, "Everybody can be great, because everybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and your verb agree to serve. You don't have to know about Plato and Aristotle to serve. . . . You only need a heart full of grace, a soul generated by love."

When Jesus' disciples quarrelled about who would get the places of honour in heaven, He told them: "Whoever desires to become great among you shall be your servant. And whoever of you desires to be first shall be slave of all. For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many" (Mark 10:43-45).

I wonder about us. Is that our understanding of greatness? Are we gladly serving, doing tasks that may be unnoticed? Is the purpose of our serving to please our Lord rather than to gain applause? If we are willing to be a servant, our lives will point to the One who is truly great.

*No service in itself is small, None great, though earth it fill;
But that is small that seeks its own, And great that does God's will. —Anon.*

Events Calendar

SEPTEMBER 2017

Cross Country & Market Day.....September 20

Last day of Term 3.....September 21

Teachers PD.....September 22

OCTOBER 2017

Term 4 Commences.....October 9

Carmel SDA Church Program.....October 21

P & F Meeting.....October 25

GENERAL

Reminder!

LAST DAY OF TERM 3 and FIRST DAY OF TERM 4

Carmel Primary Staff will all be involved in a Professional Development Course on the last day of Term 3 – this Friday, 22nd September. This was one of only two dates possible when we booked some months back, and it was by far the least disruptive to the school program. Please note that because this day is being used for Professional Development, we will NOT be running a training day on the first day of Term 4. School for Term 4 will commence on Monday, 9th October.

The Professional Development Course is on the Keeping Safe Curriculum. We are updating our training to ensure we stay up-to-date in this very important area of student well-being and child protection.

Primary Uniform Shop

To help you prepare for Term 4, Mrs Felicity Shipard has kindly offered to open the uniform shop this Wednesday, September 20 (Market Day).

Got some uniforms to sell?

Join the **Carmel Adventist College Primary – Buy, Swap or Sell** page on Facebook and post them there!

Term 4 Uniforms

The Summer Uniform returns in Term 4!

Girls

- Tartan dress (touching the knee in standing position).
- Polishable black lace-up shoes or school shoe with strap with white 'one fold' ankle socks. Alternatively, students can wear regulation school sandals in brown, black or navy with no socks.
- Navy blue v-neck knit pullover with Carmel College logo.
- Uniform blue hat

Boys

- Mid-blue short sleeved shirt with College logo.
- College grey shorts (no cargo shorts or full elastic waist shorts).
- Polishable black lace-up shoes with grey ankle socks – one fold. Alternatively students can wear regulation school sandals in brown, black or navy with no socks.
- Navy blue v-neck knit pullover with Carmel College logo.
- Uniform blue hat.

Sports Uniform

Shorts can now be worn, replacing the microfibre track pants.



MARKET DAY 2017

BOUNCY CASTLE
COFFEE FOR PARENTS
SOUTH AFRICAN BAKED
GOODS
DONUTS
STRAWBERRY ICE-CREAM
BISCUITS
FACE PAINTING
MANGO & GUAVA JUICE

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

11:00AM ~ 2:00PM

GAMES
VEGIE SAUSAGE ROLLS
CORN DOGS
SPRING ROLLS
TRASH N TREASURE
HUNGI FOOD
WAFFLES
BANANA BREAD
NOODLES

AND SO MUCH MORE...

The Year 5's are ready and excited for the annual fundraising Market Day!

We encourage you to come along and support this wonderful event.

Where possible, can you please send small notes, \$5, \$10, \$20 or coins with your child to spend, as each stall will have minimal change available.

However, we don't want this to come in the way of your kids being able to experience and enjoy all the stalls on the day! We are also aware that our friendly ATM's will mostly only give a \$50 note, so it may not be an easy task for some to send in anything smaller, which we totally understand.

RAW
IMPACT

Woolworths Earn & Learn Program

Tomorrow, **Tuesday, September 19** is the last day we are collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers. Place the Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet and when it's complete, the Sticker Sheet can be dropped into the Collection Box here at the school or at your local Woolworths.



Thank-you so much for your support in this program!

Before and After School Care

If you are interested in vacation care for the September/October school holidays, there is some information available at the front office. For those parents who have enquired about after school care this may be an easy solution to your question.

Pachamama are located in Lesmurdie and also offers a before and after school care program and currently collect students from Carmel Primary. If you would like more information please feel free to collect an information pack from the school's front office, visit Pachamama's website <http://www.pachamama.biz/> or call their friendly staff on 9291 3666.

SPORT

Cross Country Event



Join us this Wednesday, 20th September for our annual Cross Country Event.

Students will be participating in the Carmel Adventist College Primary Cross Country run, and in the afternoon, the mountain bike time trial.

Students are to wear the regulation sport polo and sport shorts/track pants and enclosed footwear.

The morning will open with worship with Pr Andrew Olsen as our guest speaker and then the Cross Country run will commence.

We look forward to seeing you there!

School Holiday Opening Hours

Office

Carmel Primary

Sept 25 to Sept 29 – CLOSED

Oct 2 to Oct 6 – OPEN (between 9am – 1pm)

Carmel Secondary

Sept 26, 27 and 29 – OPEN (9am – 4pm)

Oct 3 to Oct 6 – OPEN (9am – 4pm)



Uniform Shop

Carmel Primary (Sports Uniform)

Oct 2 – Oct 6 – OPEN (between 9am – 1pm)

Carmel Secondary (Formal Uniform)

The uniform shop at the Secondary will be open by appointment only. Contact the Secondary on 9293 5333 to make your appointment.



P&F

Thank you

The P & F would like to say a special thank you to Clint Major, Darren McMillan and Daniel Tonkin for kindly offering to install the oven and dishwasher.

These have proved to be very useful and the children and staff are already reaping the benefit of having these ready for use!

Donations needed

We would like to appeal to all Parents and Friends for donations of unwanted items/ homemade items that can be sold at the Garage Sale Trail on **Sunday, October 22.**



If you have green thumb, we would love for you to share some cuttings from your gardens...ready for the garage sale. Thank-you.

****Hold onto the items & we will let you know when to bring them in.**

Class Parents

The committee would like to make it easy for parents to raise P & F related topics with the committee even if they are unable to attend meetings. Class Parents have been appointed to facilitate this.

To raise a matter for discussion send an email to carmel.pnf@gmail.com and mark it for the attention of the relevant Class Parent.

Class Parents are:

Early Childhood: Laura Greenway & Mars Major

Year 1 – 3: Karen Bishop, Di Weckert & Keara Hiscox

Year 4 – 6: Jodee Walker, Laila Pourasady and Fadzai Nhira

Copies of P & F meeting minutes will be available on request from the front office.

Next meeting...October 25

CHURCH NEWS

CARMEL COLLEGE SDA CHURCH

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

Basket Lunch – October 14

iFOLLOW – October 20

Social Evening – October 21



WA "NOT-SO-YOUTH" RALLY REUNION!

7th October, 2017

10.30am at the Youth Shed
Advent Park Maida Vale

**Guest Speaker:
PR TONY KNIGHT**

If you were part of the WA SDA youth scene in the 80's and 90's, can remember "Fresh Bread", Friday night fellowship and you enjoyed the youth rallies and events then come along for a 'not-so-youth' rally complete with music and memories from the era!

**See you at 10.30am
on 7th October,
back in the Youth Shed
at Advent Park.**

BYO PICNIC LUNCH

Reunite .. Reconnect .. Reminisce .. Recommit

SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES...



Get ready for some great gooeey fun as AQWA brings you Slime Time!

From 20 September – 31 October you can discover the secrets of sea creature slime! Slime Time is the perfect activity these school holidays to educate and entertain the kids. They will love exploring AQWA's exhibits through slimy decorations as they uncover the outrageous ways that sea creatures use slime to help them survive.

For up to date AQWA entry prices, see the website: <http://www.aqwa.com.au/entry-prices/>

The City of Perth will be alive and buzzing these spring school holidays with a full calendar of events. With something for the whole family – from the young to the young at heart – there's plenty of free and low-cost activities to keep the kids busy.

Don't miss out on all the excitement that comes with silent discos, laser tag, ninja training, carnival rides, dance workshops, an enormous five-storey tail dinosaur, parks full of pinwheels and so much more.

For more details on each event, see below or head to visitperthcity.com



Cultivating curiosity, imagination and passion for
Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics
stemmates.com.au

STEMmates is a local initiative that supports the Australian government's renewed focus on STEM education.

STEMmates seeks to build, develop and engage kids with fundamental STEM concepts and principles outside the school setting through hands-on activity-based workshops that involve problem-solving, and gathering and evaluating evidence to make decisions.

For more information, visit stemmates.com.au/launch or call 1300 793 465.

SCHOOL HOLIDAY BASH

Learn to play the Scorchers way these school holidays! Register now for a fun filled day full of cricket activities, games and a chance to meet our mascots, Blaze and Amber. This is a great opportunity to develop your skills whilst having lots of fun with your friends.

- Open to boys and girls aged 7-12 years, all abilities
- Please ensure you select one of the locations - North or South
- Please bring a water bottle, hat and sunscreen
- Healthy morning tea will be provided



Northern Clinic

When: Tuesday, 26 September

Where: MacDonald Park, Padbury

Time: 8:30am – 12:30pm

Cost: \$80

Southern Clinic

When: Tuesday, 3 October

Where: Murdoch University Playing Fields

Time: 8:30am – 12:30pm

Cost: \$80

To register go to

<http://www.perthscorchers.com.au/community/school-holiday-bash>

For any enquiries,

email schoolholidayprograms@perthscorchers.com.au



Bring your family to Buckingham House for an afternoon of hands-on heritage fun! Make delicious damper, play old-fashioned games and get crafty with our free activities.

SUMMER CAMP '18

STAND UP : STAND OUT
MAKE YOUR MARK

TEENS: JAN 16TH - 21ST
JUNIORS: JAN 23RD - 28TH



WWW.WASDAYOUTH.COM/SUMMERCAMP



SCHOOL HOLIDAY

ATHLETICS CLINIC

Designed to develop athletics skills and techniques for boys and girls aged 8 to 16 years

Where: WA Athletics Stadium
Stephenson Ave, Floreat WA 6014

When: Tue 3rd & Wed 4th October 2017.

Time: 9:00am to 3:00pm
(Registration commences 8:30am)

Cost: 1 Day \$90
2 Days \$160
Includes Hat or Shoe Bag

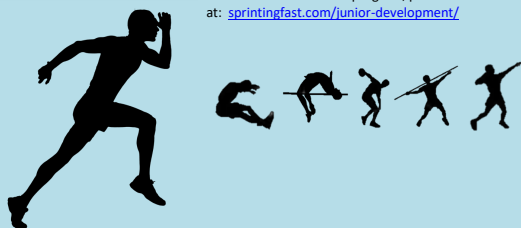
Athletes are able to choose four events to specialize in each day.

For more information or to register please go to:
sprintingfast.com/holiday-clinic/

EVENTS CHOICES

Sprints/Starts
Hurdles
Middle Distance
Long Jump
Triple Jump
High Jump
Discus
Javelin
Shot Put

We also offer an in term program, please see website at: sprintingfast.com/junior-development/



Relationships Australia®

Mums Raising Teen Girls

This workshop will discuss:

- 1 The importance of the mother-daughter relationship:
- 2 How mums can be positive role models for their daughters:
- 3 How to better understand the challenges of their daughter's teenage years:
- 4 How mums can enhance their daughter's self-esteem

Date: Monday 9th October 2017

Time: 6.30pm to 9.00pm

Where: 22 Southport St, West Leederville

Bookings are essential – please phone 61 64 0200 to enrol

Dads Raising Teen Girls

This workshop will discuss:

- 1 Building a positive relationship with your teenage daughter:
- 2 Issues teenage girls face today:
- 3 How to cope with the changes in your teenage daughter:
- 4 What do teenage daughters need from their dads:
- 5 Practical ways you can help her make better choices.

Date: Monday 9th October 2017

Time: 6.30pm to 9.00pm

Where: 22 Southport St, West Leederville

Bookings are essential – please phone 61 64 0200 to enrol

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday to the following students who celebrate an upcoming birthday!

Claire (Yr 5), Myckaella (Yr 6), Grace M (Yr 6), Artina (Yr 5), Tapiwa (Yr 3), Ellie (PP), Jaime (Yr 4), Cameron (Kindy), Byron (Yr 5), Tristan (PP), Cooper (Yr 6), Tyson (Kindy), Sophie (PP) and Tigran (Yr 3).

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



Like us on Facebook for regular information updates.

Search for Carmel Adventist College Primary.

SCHOOL TERM DATES 2017

Term 1	Wednesday, February 1 – Friday, April 7
Term 2	Wednesday, April 26 – Friday, June 30
Term 3	Tuesday, July 18 – Thursday, September 21
Term 4	Monday, October 9 – Friday, December 8



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KIDS CLUB!!!

WHEN

2 - 6 October
9.30am - 12pm

WHERE

Bickley Seventh-day Adventist Church
Cnr Broadway and Lawnbrook Roads
Bickley, WA, 6076

WHAT

Bible stories, Games and Crafts

COST

\$5 per day Discount available for families
of 4 or more children.

AGE

5 - 11 Years Old

Bookings are not essential but preferred.

Please ring or message Jannine Ellis on 0409 542 665 or
msellis@bigpond.com

