



CARMEL PRIMARY
ADVENTIST COLLEGE

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Never trust your *fears*, they don't know your *strength*.

Story: The Judo Kid

A 10-year-old boy decided to study judo despite the fact that he had lost his left arm in a devastating car accident. The boy began lessons with an old Japanese judo master. The boy was doing well, so he couldn't understand why, after three months of training the master had taught him only one move.

"Sensei," the boy finally said, "Shouldn't I be learning more moves?"

"This is the only move you know, but this is the only move you'll ever need to know," the sensei replied.

Not quite understanding, but believing in his teacher, the boy kept training. Several months later, the sensei took the boy to his first tournament.

Surprising himself, the boy easily won his first two matches.

The third match proved to be more difficult, but after some time, his opponent became impatient and charged; the boy deftly used his only move to win the match.

Still amazed by his success, the boy was now in the finals. This time, his opponent was bigger and stronger. Concerned that the boy might get hurt, the referee called a time-out.

Events Calendar

NOVEMBER 2017

P & F Meeting.....	November 1
Orientation Day.....	November 10
Remembrance Day.....	November 11
P & F Meeting.....	November 22
Yr 6 Adventure World Day.....	November 24

DECEMBER 2017

Kindy & PP Grad Picnic Tea.....	December 1
Concert & Awards Night.....	December 5
Fun Day & Final Day of Term 4.....	December 8
Yr 6 & 12 Grad BBQ Celebration...	December 8
Carmel Secondary Graduation.....	December 9

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GENERAL

Lost Property

There are several items of lost property that have been collected from last term. If you have misplaced anything, please check the lost property cupboard located outside the front office and reclaim your items.

This Friday...

Join us this Friday, 3rd November at 9am for a special chapel program.

The Year 10 students from Carmel Secondary will be visiting to share their Cambodia Trip experience.

Mr Nick Thomson & Mrs Jessica Foster will also be speaking to the Year 6 students and parents about what to expect for Orientation Day. They will also be available after chapel to speak to any parents that may have questions.

We hope you can join us.

P&F at Secondary

Any interested parents with children going to the high school next year are welcome to come along to the next P&F meeting on Wednesday, 1st November at 6pm.

Meet in the staffroom (through the main entrance and to the left down the hallway). Any queries can be emailed to barbarino@iinet.net.au



Remembrance Day

Remembrance Day in Australia is an occasion to commemorate and remember all Australians who have died as a result of war. Remembrance Day falls on the 11th of November each year.

On the 11th hour on the 11th day of the 11th month, a minutes' silence is observed and dedicated to those soldiers who died fighting to protect the nation.

This year on **Sunday, 11th November at 11.00am**, we will commemorate 94 years since the guns on the Western Front fell silent and reflect on the significance of that event. We also pause to remember all of the men and women of the Australian Defence Force who have made the ultimate sacrifice.

We will remember them. Lest we forget.

Orientation Day

Our Orientation Day is on Friday, November 10!

New students will have the opportunity to visit our school for a day, where they can have a look around, participate in their classes and meet their new teacher and classmates. All students in our school will be advanced into the grade that they will be going into next year.

Carmel Primary

New families are invited to stay and join us for our Friday morning chapel program, which commences at 9:00am. Following chapel, we will be holding a short parent interactive information session. Families will also meet our Principal, Mrs Janine Taylor and our Chaplain, Mrs Nicola Warchol. A light morning tea will be provided.

Carmel Secondary

At the secondary, the day is designed for students beginning high school in 2018. The focus is to familiarise students with the high school life and to assist with a smooth transition. Lunch will be provided for these students. Parents are invited to stay for a morning tea.

Bookings are essential.

Please contact Carmel Primary on 9291 6399 or Carmel Secondary on 9293 5333.



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He was about to stop the match when the sensei intervened. "No," the sensei insisted, "Let him continue."

Soon after the match resumed, his opponent made a critical mistake: he dropped his guard. Instantly, the boy used his move to pin him.

The boy had won the match and the tournament. "Sensei, how did I win the tournament with only one move?"

"You won for two reasons," the sensei answered. "First, you've almost mastered one of the most difficult throws in all of judo. And second, the only known defence for that move is for your opponent to grab your left arm."

The boy's biggest weakness had become his biggest strength.

"Sometimes we feel that we have certain weaknesses and we blame the circumstances and ourselves for it but we never know that our weakness can become our strength one day."

www.dailytenminutes.com

Concert, Awards Night & Year 6 Graduation

The end of the year is fast approaching and we're sure your calendar is filling up quickly with various functions.

Don't forget to set aside **Tuesday, December 5** for our end of year Concert, Awards Night (for all grades) and Year 6 Graduation, held at Carmel College Secondary Gymnasium.

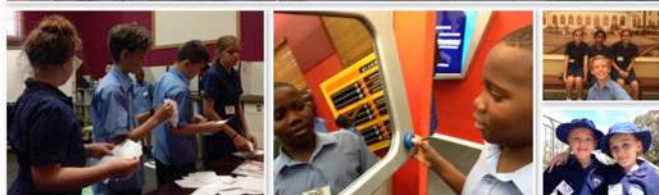
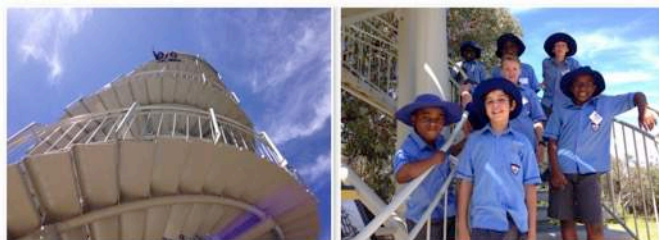
The Concert will begin at 6:30pm. Years 5 & 6 will present 'Promise Primary – Hall of Fame' for your enjoyment.

We encourage ALL children and their families to attend. Plan now to be there!

Christmas in the Bush

Join us on the grounds of the Primary School on Friday, December 1 for an enjoyable evening.

The evening will commence with a picnic tea at 5pm. At 6pm there will be a nativity walk through the bush featuring our 3yr Kindy, 4yr Kindy and Pre-Primary students. The Kindy and Pre-Primary graduation will follow and it will then finish with some Christmas Carols and special items by our school choir.



The 2018 school year will soon be here!

2018 Enrolments

Your child is automatically reenrolled for 2018.

If your child will not be returning next year, a minimum of one school term's notice is required in writing.

Failure to provide this notice will unfortunately result in a terms fees being applied in order for the school to be able to fill the child's spot for next year.

If you are experiencing financial hardship, please talk to Mrs Janine Taylor or Mrs Narelle Duncan.



2018 Bus Application Forms

If you intend on using the school bus next year it is vital that you fill out a Bus Application Form for 2018 (see page 7 & 8 of the newsletter).

All forms MUST be completed and returned to the front office by November 17. Without this we cannot guarantee your child a seat on the bus.

If you have any friends that would like some information or a tour of Carmel Primary, please let us know. Thank-you!

SPORT

Water Bottles

With the weather warming up, just a reminder to parents to please give your child/ren a water bottle to bring to school on the days they have sport.



Hats – IMPORTANT INFORMATION

School hats are to be worn during recess, lunch, sport and any other outside activities.

Please note: Without a hat, play will be restricted to the verandahs.

Wearing the school uniform correctly is reflected on the 'Attitude, Behaviour and Effort' section of your child/ren's report.



Congratulations to our... 2017 Cross Country Medal Recipients



P & F

P & F would like to thank everyone for their generous donations of items to sell at the garage sale. There was such an amazing array of different items to sell and the event would not have been a success without your generosity.

A VERY BIG THANKYOU to all the incredible helpers who sorted all the items, set up and served... What a team!!! It would not have been possible without you generously giving of your time...THANKYOU!!

Finally thanks for the support of those families that came and grabbed themselves a bargain, a cuppa and a slice of cake...

The Garage Sale raised a total of = \$1,544.80 which will be put towards an outdoor kitchen.



**Join us...this Wednesday,
November 1**

Meeting 6:30pm in the school library.





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

Bush Church @ Garvey Park – Nov 11

Teen Social – Nov 11

Youth Café – Nov 24

LIVINGSTON SDA CHURCH

Come along and join **Road to Bethlehem: Sign up now OPEN!**

The Road to Bethlehem is a spectacular walk through drama presenting the true story of Christmas and will be on again this year at Livingston Monday 11th - Wed 13th Dec 2017. We have a job to suit everyone from acting, cooking, children's activities to sound, lighting or even being a camel handler! More information, photos and videos are available on the website www.roadtobethlehem.org.au



Chapel

Please join us for our weekly Chapel program every **FRIDAY** morning from 8:50am to 9:30am in the Year 6 classroom at the end of the Library.

Refreshments will be available before and after the program.

This **Friday (November 3)**, we will hear from the Year 10 students who visited Cambodia. Mr Thomson & Mrs Foster from the Secondary will also be visiting to talk with the Year 6 students and parents of what to expect on Orientation Day.

Next week (**Nov 10**)...is Orientation Day!

Coordinated: Year 5 class

MAMARAPHA COLLEGE GRADUATION CEREMONY

Mamarapha is a post-secondary Christian Bible College owned and operated by the Seventh-day Adventist Church. Over the past 21 years, the College has provided Christian education and skills, for Indigenous people, offering Certificate II up to Advanced Diplomas in Ministry and Health with great success.

The Australian Union and WA Conferences, and church members have supported and contributed to this achievement. The Mamarapha College Graduation Ceremony will also feature keynote speaker, Dr Danijella Schubert, Associate Division Secretary from the South Pacific Division.

Staff and students invite you to join them for this special occasion held at:

**Carmel SDA Church, Glenisla Road, Carmel.
Saturday, November 25th at 2:30pm**

COMMUNITY NEWS

SUMMER CAMP '18

**STAND UP : STAND OUT
MAKE YOUR MARK**

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



WWW.WASDAYOUTH.COM/SUMMERCAMP

VacSwim 2017-18

Enrol your children now in VacSwim swimming lessons during the summer school holidays.

VacSwim is for all children – from beginners through to advanced survival, rescue and resuscitation.

Your children can learn to swim for just:

- \$7.00 per child for a five day short program
- \$13.00 per child for all other programs.

It's even cheaper if you have three or more children:

- \$18.00 a family for a five day short program
- \$35.00 a family for all other programs.

To find out more about VacSwim and to enrol online please visit education.wa.edu.au/swimming.



You have until the end of this week to bring in any items for the shoeboxes. **A shoebox packing day has been scheduled for Monday, 6th November.** If your child would like to be involved, please speak to Felicity Shipard.

The Samaritan Purse "Shoe Box Appeal" is a wonderful project that shares the joy of giving with more than 300 000 children throughout the world. Felicity Shipard is a Collection Point Co-ordinator and would love to share the project with the families of Carmel Primary.

If you wish to take part or have any questions please contact Felicity on 0438 647 061. Alternatively you can pick up a Shoe Box from Reception, fill it up with gifts of love and then leave your Shoe Box at Reception by Friday, 3rd November with your \$9 freight donation.

If your unable to fill a Shoe Box but would like to assist with a small donation of a gift or gold coin donation, every item and every \$1 goes towards helping more children receive the wonderful gift of love and hope!

A simple act of filling a Shoe Box with gifts of love can change a child's life in a tremendous way.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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

**Jenae (Yr 1), Isabella (Yr 2), Suzie (Yr 4), Thomas (Yr 6),
Trinay (Yr 1), Teshi (PP) and Rachel (Kindy).**

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



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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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ADVENTIST CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS (WA)

Application for School Bus Travel for School Year 2018

Mobile: 0488 119 945

E-mail: wa_bus_system@adventist.org.au



Even if you are an existing user of the Adventist Schools bus system, **please complete and return this form to your school by 17 November** so that we have up to date details and student numbers.

Primary Contact:

Mr / Mrs / Ms

First Name

Surname

Address

No./Street

Suburb

P/Code

Telephone

Home

Work

Mobile/s

Email Address

Second Contact:

Mr / Mrs / Ms

First Name

Surname

Telephone

Home

Work

Mobile/s

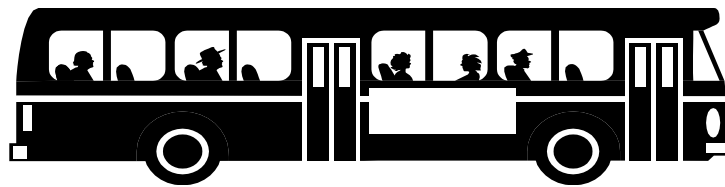
Please Note: your child's Bus stop may be up to 2km from your residence.

Student's Name/s	Age	Year	School	Current User		New User	Part - Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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☐ I confirm that I have discussed the accompanying "Conditions for travel" with the above students.

Parent/Guardians Signature

Date



CONDITIONS FOR BUS TRAVEL

The Golden Rule: Obey the instructions of your Bus Driver

Safety Rules:

- Where seatbelts are fitted, they must be worn.
- Stay in your seat at all times.
- Do not lean against the doors or out the windows.
- Stand away from Bus after getting off and do not cross the road until it is clear.
- Do not cross in front of the Bus.
- Do not throw anything in or out of the Bus.
- Put Bags under seat, between your feet or on your lap. Bags are not permitted in the Aisle.

Behaviour Rules:

- Keep voices at a reasonable level.
- No inappropriate language, verbal teasing, play fighting or other physical contact.
- While the Bus is waiting at the School in the afternoon, you cannot leave the Bus without the Driver's permission.
- Do not call out of the Bus windows.

Property Rules:

- Do not eat on the bus. Only drink water.
- Parents will be financially responsible for any damage to bus exterior or interior including seats and seat covers.

Administrative Rules:

- Casual use of the Bus service is permitted within the following guidelines:
 - Ticket to be purchased at School Reception prior to trip unless another financial arrangement has been approved by the Bus Administrator.
 - The Pick-up or Drop-off is an existing stop on an Established Route.
- Parents must notify the Bus Administrator of changes to times, locations or days in writing, with at least 24 hours notice.
- Last minute changes, notified to the driver by the student will be denied and alternative transport will be required at the parent's cost.

A serious view will continue to be taken if misbehaviour occurs or offences are perpetrated. Repeated breaking of Rules will lead to disciplinary action or loss of Bus privileges.