

YEAR 1 KINGS PARK EXCURSION



**CARMEL PRIMARY**  
ADVENTIST COLLEGE

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**Time** has a wonderful way of showing us what really matters.

~ Unknown ~

## A Very Special Bank Account...

Imagine you had a bank account that deposited \$86,400 each morning. The account carries over no balance from day to day, allows you to keep no cash balance, and every evening cancels whatever part of the amount you had failed to use during the day. What would you do? Draw out every dollar each day!

We all have such a bank. Its name is Time. Every morning, it credits you with 86,400 seconds. Every night it writes off, as lost, whatever time you have failed to use wisely. It carries over no balance from day to day. It allows no overdraft so you can't borrow against yourself or use more time than you have. Each day, the account starts fresh. Each night, it destroys any unused time. If you fail to use the day's deposits, it's your loss and you can't appeal to get it back.



There is never any borrowing time. You can't take a loan out on your time or against someone else's. The time you have is the time you have and that is that. Time management is yours to decide how you spend the time, just as with money you decide how you spend the money. It is never the case of us not having enough time to do things, but the case of whether we want to do them and where they fall in our priorities.

## Events Calendar

### MARCH

Working Bee (THIS Wednesday).....March 20  
Week of Worship.....March 25-29

### APRIL

Constable Care Incursion (Kindy-Yr 6)....April 1  
Parent/Teacher Interviews.....April 10  
(Years 3 - 6 only)  
Term 1 Concludes.....April 12  
Easter (in School Holidays).....April 19-April 22  
Term 2 Commences.....April 30

\*See page 5 for upcoming class  
Excursions/Incursions

# GENERAL



## WORKING BEE – THIS Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> March

To avoid asking parents to give up a valuable Sunday morning to work at school, we thought we would give an after school timeslot a go.

**Time: 3.30pm - 6.00pm**

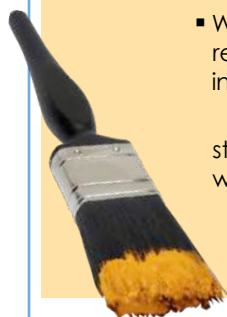
Tasks we would like to accomplish:

- Assembly of stainless steel benches etc for outdoor kitchen. Two teams of approximately 4 or 5 people would be ideal. Leaders for this group - Raeanne Fehlberg and Janine Taylor.
- Firepit framework completion – down in the vegie patch. Much of the hard work has been completed, and so one more session should have the basic framework completed. Norrie Taylor will lead this.
- Install timber for new bag hooks along the verandah.
- Work on the nature play area down past the tractor. Jeff Wallis will lead this group.
- Paint inside of the gazebo. Jonathan Hughes will lead this group.

**\*\*Please let us know if you can attend so that we can ensure we have enough tools and equipment for you to use. If you are able to bring a drill or such, please also let us know.**

Please also note:

- We need you to sign in at the front office before starting work. We need your details so that we can reverse the Semester One Maintenance charge if you come for the 2 and a half hours and also for insurance purposes.
  - Staff will be very busy helping lead groups for the afternoon and so cannot supervise students. Please ensure you have adequate supervision for your children if you plan to keep them with you during this time.
  - No children will be allowed in the areas where there is machinery ( ie. tractor) moving.



## Constable Care Incursion

On Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> April we have a Constable Care Incursion. They will be speaking to our lower primary (Kindy – Year 3) and upper primary (Year 4 – 6) students.

Below is a summary of what each performance will incorporate.

### Fun Scary (Kindy – Year 3)

Through puppetry and song, this performance for children in Kindergarten to Year 3 teaches students the difference between scary things that are fun (like rollercoasters) and those scary secrets that we need to tell a trusted adult about. This performance is an ideal way to present the key concepts of protective behaviours to young students in an engaging and non-threatening way.

### Screen Name (Year 4 – 6)

When does online fun turn into real danger? When the cute boy you meet online turns out to be not who you expected and you've told him where you live. This energetic two-actor performance uses the world of online gaming as the backdrop for this timely reminder for students in Years 4 to 6 about making sure they stay safe on the Internet.



## Parent/Teacher Interviews (Years 3-6)

Parent/Teacher Interviews for parents with children in Years 3 - 6 will be taking place from **3:45pm – 8:00pm** on:

**Wednesday, 10<sup>th</sup> April**

This is an opportunity for you to briefly sit down with the teacher/s of your child/ren and have a chat about their progress so far this year.

Mr Eaton will also be available for Parent Teacher Interviews until 6pm.

We strongly encourage all parents to make the effort to attend.

**Details on how to make your booking will be provided in the NEXT newsletter (Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> April).**



## French Classes for Parents (After school hours)

IT TAKES A VILLAGE TO RAISE A CHILD, SO  
LET'S ALL JOIN TOGETHER TO HELP OUR  
CHILDREN WITH FRENCH.

Hello parents,

My name is Miss Marie Armand and I am the new French teacher at Carmel Primary School. Since French classes are scheduled only once a week at school, I need your help to improve our children's skills and build a culture around French.

I can understand that maybe some of you are not too familiar with the French language and it can be challenging to help our children at home. Therefore, with the approval of Mrs. Taylor, the principal, I will have classes every Tuesday after school hours for parents who are interested. For one hour, I will go through the basics that are being taught at school so that you can assist our children at home and also develop a love of the language in them.

So, if you are available, please, come along and let's have an hour of fun learning for our children. Please, let me know if you are interested, by writing down your name on the list that is available at the reception desk. I can also be contacted on 0413 729 637 until 8.30pm from Tuesday to Thursday.



## A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL...

### Long Service Leave

I thought it would be good to advise the school community that I will be taking Long Service Leave during Term 2 this year. I initially planned to take it the year I started at Carmel Primary – some 11 or 12 years ago. However, now is the time and tickets are booked!

During my absence Mrs Glenys Blagden and Mrs Tanya Hort will be taking over as Acting Principal and Acting Deputy. All other staff have also committed to helping out during this time. To ease the workload on these two ladies during this time, Mrs Blagden will be given 2 days a week to work in various administrative tasks and Mrs Hort, 1 day a week. Negotiations about who will cover this time are currently underway and both ladies will advise their parent groups as to exactly who and how this will work during this time.

The Education Director, Mrs Rhonda Belson and our School Council Chairperson, Dr Natalie Leitao have also committed to supporting the school and these two fine ladies during this time. Both Mrs Hort and Mrs Blagden have previously served as School Principals and so are experienced in this role.

### Personal Leave

Our Chaplain, Mrs Nicola Warchol, is taking 6 months personal leave. We feel very blessed to have been able to employ an incredibly talented and capable person to fill in for Mrs Warchol on a short term contract. Mrs Robyn Olsen, already well known to students, staff and many parents as she has helped out with Storytime and also in the Year 2 classroom last year, will be filling in for Mrs Warchol for Term 2 and 3.

You may see Mrs Olsen around the school over the next few weeks as she spends time with Mrs Warchol learning the ropes. Please make her feel welcome.

Janine Taylor  
Principal



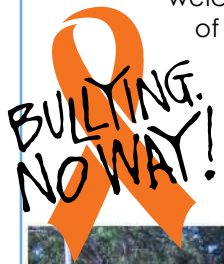
# FROM OUR CHAPLAIN...

Last Friday we supported the National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence. The practical activities saw the whole school on the oval to take a photo to help remind us that we say 'No Way' to unkind behavior here at Carmel Primary. Then through out the day, classes went and placed their painted handprint on the basketball court. Writing our names next to our handprints we pledged to do our part in being kind, and, in saying no to bullying.



Our Chapel story supported this as Pr Robert told us the story of King David and how he looked after the grandson of King Saul, Mephibosheth, who was a cripple. In the story, King David showed extraordinary kindness to Mephibosheth. His life was so important to King David that he extended the invitation to Mephibosheth that he dine at the kings table for the rest of his life (*Explore the whole story in 2 Samuel 9.*)

We have a similar offer. Another King invites us to sit a His table too. Our Heavenly King does not force us and welcomes whatever we bring to His table. Everyone's life is important to God and He can make all of our lives beautiful.



Jesus longs for you to sit at His table every day. Are you hearing His still, small voice inviting you?

God bless  
Mrs Nicola Warchol



## Week of Worship March 25 – 29

This will be a memorable week in the spiritual life of your child/rën. Pr Nick Kross Junior will be our guest speaker for the Week of Worship.

Each morning we will hold a Chapel program in our Multipurpose Room where Pr Nick Kross will share a special talk with us from 8.50 – 9.30am.

We encourage parents to join us.

## 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

Hillbillies Men's Breakfast – 24 March  
Dr Nick Kross (The Stages of Childhood) – 26 March  
Dr Nick Kross (the Adolescent Journey) – 27 March

**Bible Study and Prayer EVERY Tuesday night 7:30-8:30pm at 33 Alpine Rd, Kalamunda.**

### LIVINGSTON SDA CHURCH

#### Upcoming Events

Maggie Dent (Adolescence Unplugged) – 21 March  
Beach Night – 30 March

### 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 (March 22)**, the program will be coordinated by the Year 6 class.  
Speaker: Pr Terry Lambert

Next week is Week of Worship. Students will congregate in the Multipurpose Room each morning to listen to our guest speaker...Mr Nick Kross Junior!

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

### BICKLEY SDA CHURCH

Carmel School mum's if you are interested in a Women's Bible Study group, you are invited to come along to Bickley Church on Monday mornings at 9am.

It will be for an hour followed by morning tea. This group will not be suitable for children.

If you have any questions, please call Ainslie Moloney on 0411 771 936.





## 'Paint a Plate' FUNDRAISER

Carmel Primary are running a 'Paint a Plate' fundraiser. Turn your children's artworks, photos, hand and footprints into something they'll treasure forever.

Cost is \$25 per plate.

All orders will need to be in by Friday, April 5.

A letter will be sent home this week providing more information in regards to this fundraiser.

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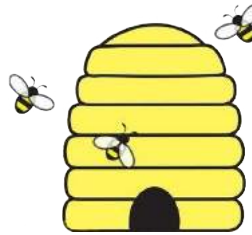
## BIG CAMP 2019

We invite you to come along and join in with the annual Adventist Big Camp Convention held on over the Easter long weekend April 19<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> at Advent Park, Kalamunda Road, Maida Vale.

Applications are available online.

Included in the online application is the ability to book your children's activities and Actipasses. Register yourself and your family as either Campers or Day Visitors at [wa.adventist.org.au/events](http://wa.adventist.org.au/events)

**In the interest of creating a child safe place, please note that ALL campers and day visitors (including Sabbath visitors) must be registered before entry to Advent Park.**



## HONEY FOR Sale!

\$10 for 1kg. Cash only.

Available at the Front Office. All proceeds go to the Early Childhood Centre.

If you have any notices for the newsletter, please email to [joannepearson@adventist.org.au](mailto:joannepearson@adventist.org.au) by

**Thursday, March 28**

## Upcoming Excursions or Incursions

Yr 5 'Living with Fire' Excursion.....Wed, 20<sup>th</sup> March  
Yr 2 Kalamunda History Village.....Mon, 25<sup>th</sup> March  
Constable Care Incursion (Whole School).....Mon, 1<sup>st</sup> April  
Kindy & Pre-Primary AQWA Excursion.....Mon, 8<sup>th</sup> April  
Yr 1 Reptile Education Incursion.....Mon, 8<sup>th</sup> April

## 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.



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

Harvey (Yr 3)  
Tobias (Yr 4)  
Lincoln (Yr 1)  
Zebnisha (Yr 6)  
Micah (Yr 3)

Jackson (Yr 3)  
Daniel (Yr 3)  
Lilly (Kindy)  
April (Kindy)  
James (PP)

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

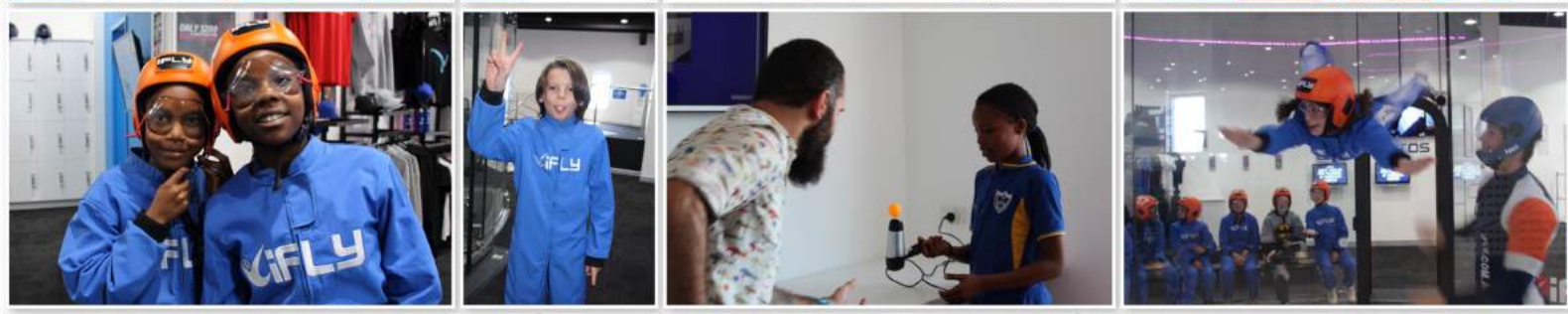
## SCHOOL TERM DATES 2019

Term 1 Monday, February 4 – Friday, April 12  
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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# Fruit salad and Ice cream cups

Enjoy some  
delicious fresh  
fruit salad



with a scoop of  
ice cream

**When: At lunch time -- Tuesday 19th March**

**Cost: \$3**

**Year 10 Cambodia Mission Trip Fundraiser**

CARMEL IS PROUD TO PRESENT DR NICK KROSS WITH...

# 'NAVIGATING THE MESSINESS OF RAISING CHILDREN'



During Dr Kross' presentations he will outline the major transition points in both childhood and adolescence leading in to early adulthood. From his experience and using current research he will teach skills to help guide your child and empower you as you navigate the journey ahead.

## 'THE STAGES OF CHILDHOOD'

**Date:** Tuesday, March 26, 2019  
**6pm:** Refreshments Provided  
**6.30-8.30pm:** Session One  
**Venue:** Carmel College Church  
210 Glenisla Rd, Carmel

## 'THE ADOLESCENT JOURNEY'

**Date:** Wednesday, March 27, 2019  
**6pm:** Refreshments Provided  
**6.30-8.30pm:** Session Two  
**Venue:** Carmel College Church  
210 Glenisla Rd, Carmel

**FREE EVENT**

**BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL FOR CATERING**

RSVP before March 24, 2019

mirandaleijser@adventist.org.au or call 9293 5333



# Adolescence Unplugged

with Maggie Dent

**21st March**  
**7pm**  
**Livingston**  
**\$20**



When: 3rd Sunday  
of every month  
Time: 3-5pm  
Where: Bickley Seventh-day  
Adventist Church  
Cnr Lawnbrook and  
Heidelberg Rds, Bickley

Come along and experience  
the health-boosting benefits of  
a plant-based lifestyle.  
We'll show you how to make  
delicious, simple and healthy  
meals that are economical too!  
Classes include cooking  
demonstrations, tastings, health  
info and copies of all recipes.

MAR 17	MAY 19	JUN 16	JUL 21
AUG 18	SEP 15	OCT 20	NOV 17

For more info contact Jo – M: 0412 400 494

NB: No class in April due to Easter.