



# CARMEL NEWS



## JUST A THOUGHT...

A popular speaker started off a seminar by holding up a \$20 bill. A crowd of 200 had gathered to hear him speak. He asked, "Who would like this \$20 bill?"

200 hands went up.

He said, "I am going to give this \$20 to one of you, but first, let me do this." He crumpled the bill up. He then asked, "Who still wants it?"

All 200 hands were still raised.

"Well," he replied, "What if I do this?" Then he dropped the bill on the ground and stomped on it with his shoes.

He picked it up, and showed it to the crowd. The bill was all crumpled and dirty.

"Now who still wants it?"

All the hands still went up.

"My friends, I have just showed you a very important lesson. No matter what I did to the money, you still wanted it because it did not decrease in value. It was still worth \$20. Many times in our lives, life crumples us and grinds us into the dirt. We make bad decisions or deal with poor circumstances. We feel worthless. But no matter what has happened or what will happen, you will never lose your value. You are special – Don't ever forget it!"

## CALENDAR

### YR 8 CAMP

Mon 18th Sept - Thurs 21st Sept

### YR 10 CAMBODIA TRIP

Mon 18th Sept - Fri 29th Sept

### YR 12 EXAMS

Thurs 21st Sept - Fri 29th Sept

### END OF TERM 3

Thurs 21st Sept

**PLEASE SEE HOLIDAY OFFICE & UNIFORM SHOP HOURS BELOW**

### START OF TERM 4

Mon 9th Oct

### MUFTI DAY

Tues 17th Oct

### YR 12 GRADUATION DINNER

Thurs 19th Oct

### INTERSCHOOL TRACK & FIELD

Thurs 19th Oct

### YR 9 URBAN DAY

Fri 20th Oct

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Skoolbag Carmel Adventist College

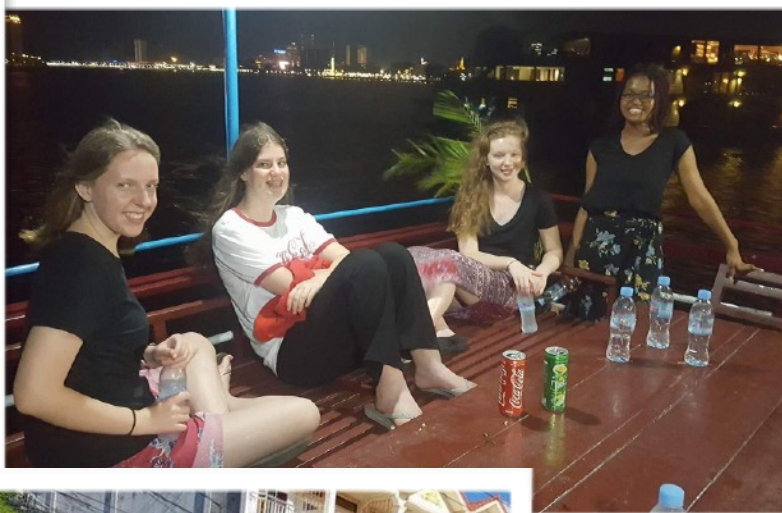
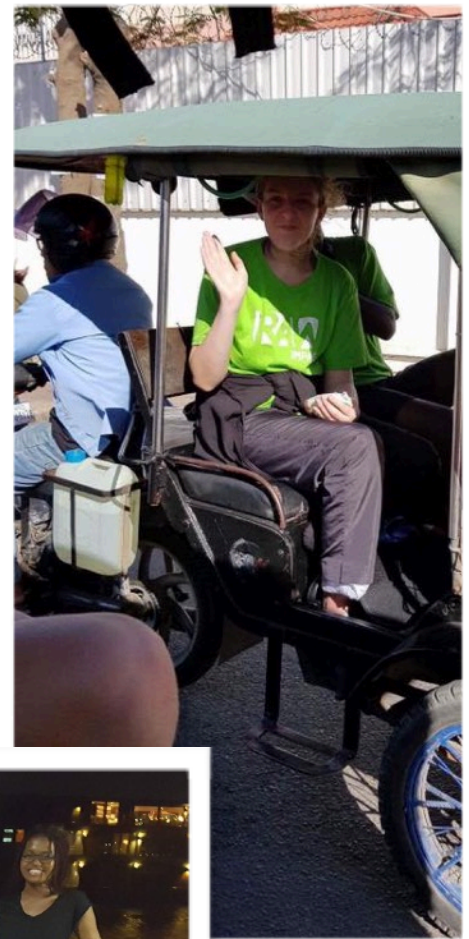




## CAMBODIA SERVICE TRIP

The Yr10's have arrived safely and are learning about the people and country as they travel by tuk tuk to various historic sites before starting work on day three. Each night, after work and showers, they head out for a delicious meal at one of the restaurants.

Visit the Camel Adventist College Secondary Facebook page for more photos.





## WE'RE PRAYING FOR YOU!

Over the last two weeks our CAC staff prayed for the following students to be filled with wisdom, confidence, grace and courage.

Aash	Clarissa
Awesome	Nathan
Chelsea	Rita
Trevor	Robert
Charlize	Sylvia
Daniel O	Anita
Tatiana	Tahlia R
Rachel O	Tyler
Ben	Kelvin
Katie	

If at any point you would like CAC Staff to pray specifically for you or your family, please contact our Chaplain Pr Miranda [mirandaleijser@adventist.org.au](mailto:mirandaleijser@adventist.org.au).

**Pr Miranda**  
**Chaplain**

## NAPLAN RESULTS 2017

Congratulations to our Year 7 and Year 9 students for their efforts in the 2017 NAPLAN. Parents of students involved should have received their results in the mail. If you haven't please contact the school.

Teachers use the NAPLAN results to help design and prepare programs to improve students' literacy and numeracy skills.

Students and teachers are to be commended for the growth that is happening from Year 7 to Year 9.

Some of the highlights include:

- Year 7 students' Spelling, Grammar and Punctuation averages were higher than State and National averages and their Numeracy average was higher than Similar schools.
- Year 9 students' averages were higher than State, National and Similar school averages in ALL components of NAPLAN (Numeracy, Reading, Writing, Spelling and Grammar & Punctuation).

**Mr Brad Flynn**  
**Director of Studies**

## IPAD LEASE REFUND

We would like to apologise that the iPad programme has not been available this year. As such the iPad Lease charge for 2017 has been reversed for all Year 7- Year 10 students. This will impact fee accounts for a number of families and the following action should be taken based on the Option you have selected.

**Option A:** If you have not already done so, please advise re fees in credit. It would be appreciated if you could reference your family code in any correspondence for accounting purposes.

**Option B:** Please adjust your final payment amount by the amount reversed (\$289.66 for one child, \$579.32 for two children), not forgetting your entitlement to prompt payment discount if paid by 20/10/2017.

**Option C and D:** Please adjust your final payment amount by the amount reversed (\$289.66 for one child, \$579.32 for two children). This may mean that fees are finalised prior to 28/11/2017, or that the final payment is significantly less than originally anticipated.

Families with automatic payments arranged through the school will have the necessary adjustments made to their final payment amount.

**Mrs Naomi Thomas**  
**Bursar**

## HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

### OPEN 9am Limited Hours

Fri 22nd Sept  
Tues 26th, Wed 27th & Friday 29th Sept  
Tues 3rd - Fri 6th Oct

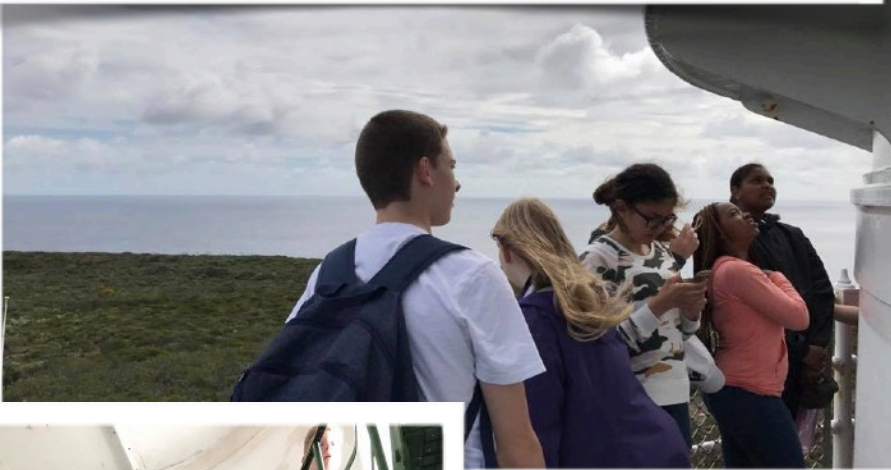
### Uniform Shop

The uniform shop is open by appointment only due to limited holiday staff.

To avoid disappointment, please make an appointment



# YR 8 CAMP



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## SCHOOL UNIFORM FOR TERM 4

We'd like to remind everyone that in Term 4 all students should be wearing their SUMMER UNIFORM.

Snr Boys	Jnr Boys	Snr Girls	Jnr Girls
White Shirts Grey Shorts	Blue Shirts Grey Shorts	Summer Dress or Blouse Skirt	Summer Dress



## CITY OF KALAMUNDA SCHOOL HOLIDAYS PROGRAM

Check out their website or contact the Youth Team

Phone - 9257 9968

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Many programs are free and there's a colouring competition