

Newsletter



CARMEL PRIMARY
ADVENTIST COLLEGE

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Live less out of habit and more out of intent.

The Choice is Yours

How will you live this day?

Will you notice the sunrise and marvel at the beauty of God's creation? Or will you wake up, check your phone, gulp some coffee, and switch to autopilot again?

Will you dream of new adventures and pray for fresh revelation? Or will you settle into old patterns and complain that nothing ever changes?

Will you brush past that person walking by on the street? Or will you honour their presence with a genuine, heart-warming smile?

Will you look at that person in the mirror and only notice the things you want to change about him/her? Or will you see the one-of-a-kind child of God you are?



It's easy to forget that you're making these choices (and countless others!) every day. Slow down and take your life's journey with intention. You will be amazed at the things you've been missing along the way.

Events Calendar

Trackie Tuesday.....May 26

Science Week.....May 25-29

WA Day Public Holiday.....June 1

Parent/Teacher Interviews.....July 1

Term 2 Concludes.....July 3

General Information

Back to School

This week we welcomed back more of our students. It's been wonderful to see the classrooms looking full again.

We now seem to have majority of students back and they have settled back in really well.

We look forward to when we can have everyone back!



School Fees

Please remember to let either Narelle Duncan or Janine Taylor know if you have been financially impacted by COVID-19.

This support is quick and easy and does not entail a detailed application.

Term-by-Term (Option B) payments – the Term 2 fee payment was due last Friday, 8th May. The discount date for this term has now expired.



Learning at Home Photos Needed

If you had a moment to capture a photo of your children learning at home, we would very much appreciate if you would be able to share this with us.

We are in need of some photos for our Encounter magazine.

Please email your photos by THIS Friday to... primary@carmelcollege.wa.edu.au

Winter Uniform

Winter uniform is required for Term 2.

If you need any sports uniform items for your child, please email

NarelleDuncan@adventist.org.au or phone the office to place your order.

Secondary Uniform Shop (Formal Uniform)

The uniform shop is open...

Monday	8:45am – 9:30am
Wednesday	8:45am – 9:30am
Friday	8:45am – 9:30am

If you know what sizes you need to order, you can place an order via email at uniform@carmelcollege.net. Payment is to be made prior to collection. Please state which campus you wish to collect your order from in your email.

The Secondary are looking for volunteers to work an afternoon a week (3:45pm – 4:00pm) in the uniform shop. Contact the Front Office if you are interested.

Term 2 Excursion Fee

As excursions have not been permitted in Term 2 due to COVID-19, your excursion charge of \$27.50 per student (\$13.75 for 3YO Kindy) will be refunded to your fees. It will be reviewed again in Term 3.

Once the refund has been processed, your fee statement will be sent home with the oldest sibling this week.

Trackie Tuesday (May 26)

Who doesn't love wearing trackies!

Come to school on Tuesday, May 26 in your trackies and warm jumper/top!

Please wear enclosed shoes. There is no charge.

Science Week

Week 5 is Science Week!

Each classroom will have a focus on Science.

Make sure you keep an eye out for news and photos of what each class gets up to!



School Cleaning

We would like to give a special thanks to our cleaning team that have been working throughout the day to ensure all high-use areas are regularly cleaned and disinfected.

Thank you to...Chloe, Steph, Holly, Jen, Laurene, Nicola, Deb, Narelle, Janine, Jo and classroom teachers.

We appreciate all that you are doing to keep staff and students safe.



We hope you had a wonderful day!

Year 6 Volcanoes

The Year 6 students have been learning about Natural Disasters, and they began with volcanoes.

The students made their volcanoes from paper mache and have now completed painting them.

Next week they look forward to exploding them with vinegar, baking soda and detergent!



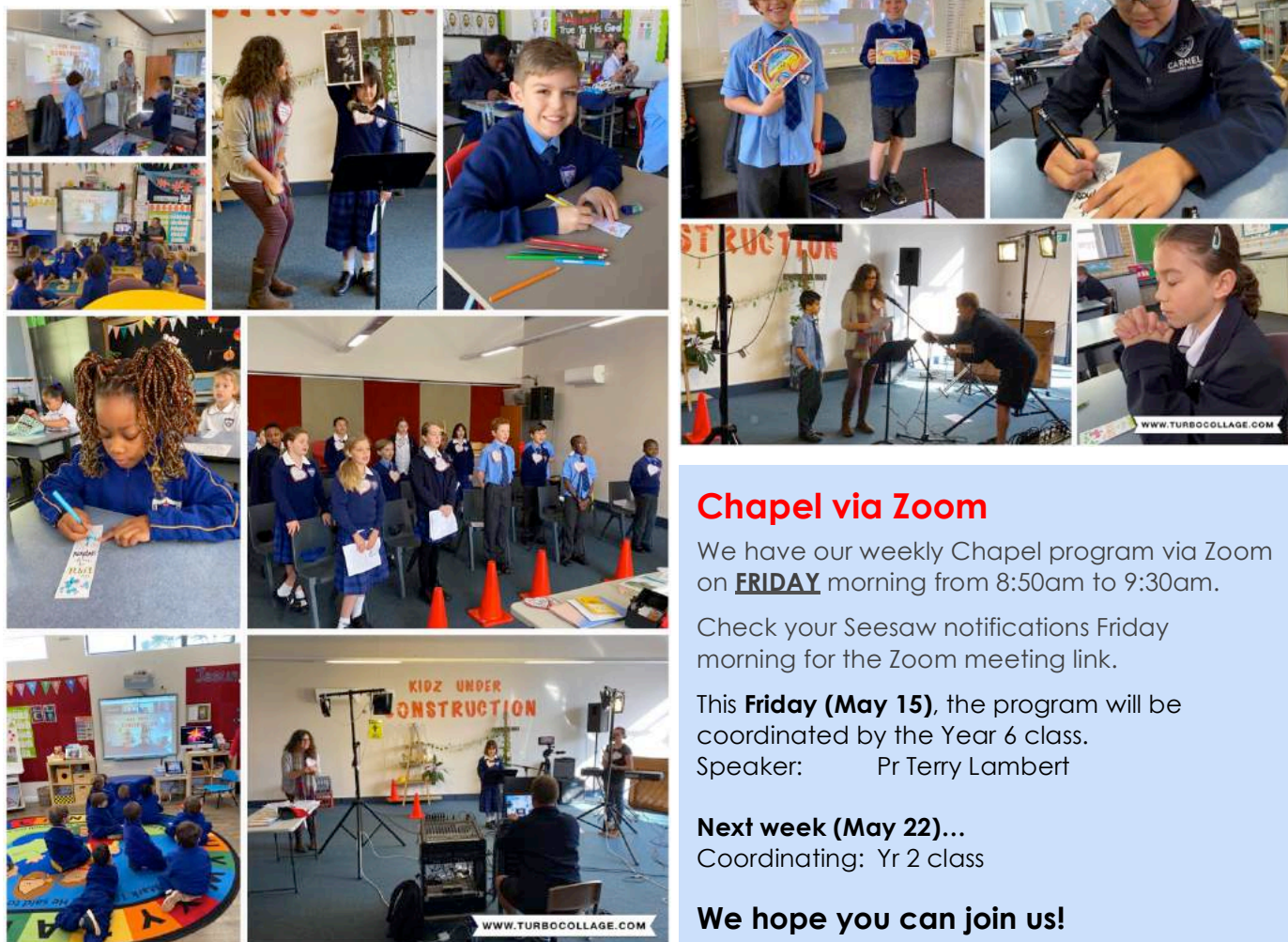
From our Chaplain...

Each new term we're so glad to welcome our students and families back to school but this term it was extra special to see our students return healthy and full of life. While families have to drop off and pick up from the front gates, I am happy to report that classrooms and playgrounds are operating as usual and we are definitely looking forward to when we can welcome you back into our school grounds again!

Chapel has changed slightly but we are still connecting with everyone Friday morning through Zoom. Psalm 23 is our focus this term and our aim is to memorise it together. The words of David reassure us by using the imagery of a shepherd. Just as the shepherd cares for his sheep, God cares for us in a very similar way. What comfort these words are in uncertain times of our life. I learnt this chapter when I was in primary school and these words have bought me comfort and encouragement at different times over the years. *'The Lord is my Shepherd and I do have all that I need...He renews my strength...He guides me...when I walk through the darkest valley I will not be afraid...'* I invite you to look it up and join with us in memorising Psalm 23 this term and allow God to whisper into your life.

Please remember if we can support or help you in anyway at this time, we are just an email or phone call away so please don't hesitate to make contact. It's certainly extraordinary times we are living in and I'm so grateful for those in my community and my friendship with our extraordinary God.

God bless,
Mrs Nicola Warchol



Mother's Day Zoom Chapel

Chapel via Zoom

We have our weekly Chapel program via Zoom on **FRIDAY** morning from 8:50am to 9:30am.

Check your Seesaw notifications Friday morning for the Zoom meeting link.

This **Friday (May 15)**, the program will be coordinated by the Year 6 class.

Speaker: Pr Terry Lambert

Next week (May 22)...

Coordinating: Yr 2 class

We hope you can join us!

Church News



Follow on Facebook 'Adventists Western Australia' (@AdventistsWA) for details on the weekly live stream of praise and worship.

'Who Do you Say I Am?'

Online Retreat with...
Sharon Garlough Brown



Saturday, 23rd May, 2020
9am – 2pm (New Zealand, GMT +4)
\$30 (New Zealand/Australian Dollars)

This online retreat is being hosted in New Zealand, but you are welcome to join us from anywhere in the world. You will be emailed a link a week before the retreat with more details.

For more information, copy the below link.
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1iCwsUa5DtJCb44g_0uiqUm9LxeAdh3pcwLe4WP2Ynk/viewform?edit_requested=true

Happy Birthday

...to the following students who celebrate an upcoming birthday!

Nathan (Yr 1)
Richard (Yr 6)
Ano (Yr 3)
Eden O (Yr 1)
Isla (Yr 1)
Mason (Yr 4)
Alayna (Yr 5)



Have a wonderful day and we pray that
God will bless you in the year ahead!

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There are a lot of questions being asked right now about where this world is headed. Discover solid answers that you can rely on, about where we are today in earth's history. Join with people around the globe in this interactive series as we make sense of the moment and find answers that will give you the hope you are looking for and hope that will last beyond our tomorrow.

For us in Western Australia, tune in from 7:30pm, 15th of May, 2020! Click on the link below for FREE Registration.

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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.

School Term Dates 2020

Term 1	Monday, February 3 – Wednesday, April 8
Term 2	Wednesday, April 29 – Friday, July 3
Term 3	Tuesday, July 21 – Friday, September 25
Term 4	Tuesday, October 13 – Friday, Dec 11



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