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# Carcoola Primary School

*Encouraging the best from everyone*

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## **UPCOMING DATES:**

**11th April**

Interschool Swimming Carnival

**13th April**

ANZAC DAY Service 9am

**13th April**

Last day of Term 1

**30th April**

First day of Term 2

**1st June**

Pupil Free Day



## **ASSEMBLIES:**

**Presentation Assembly**

Presentation Assemblies  
start at 1.50pm

General assembly  
every other Monday

## **Principal's Message**

### **Dear Parents, Carers and Students,**

First term is rapidly drawing to a close and our children are looking forward to the school holidays. All students have worked extremely hard this term and have made pleasing progress. Our students are demonstrating very positive SMART attitudes to school and their school work and this is reflected in the high standards being achieved. Overall behaviour and commitment to learning is outstanding across the school. I would like to thank all parents for their exceptional support in preparing the children for school and for their support for the classroom teachers. It has been really pleasing to see the vast majority of children turning up for school on time and in their school uniforms. I would like to pay tribute to the enormous energy and commitment of the school staff who have by far exceeded any normal expectations in their endeavours to provide the best possible learning environment and the explicit teaching programs to meet the educational needs of all our students. They ensure that every child matters every day and believe that all students can be high achievers. Thank you to all students, parents and staff for an outstanding team effort which has ensured a highly successful first term start to the 2018 school year.

The student councillors will be conducting an ANZAC Day commemorative ceremony on Friday morning 13<sup>th</sup> April. It will be attended by Mr Mike Humphreys and Miss Kelly Thompson from the Pinjarra RSL Branch. Both Mr Humphreys and Miss Thompson will spend time talking with the classes after the ceremony.

During week two of the school holidays our Head Girl, Jahzara Thompson, and Head Boy, Josh Langford, will represent Carcoola Primary School on Anzac Day by laying a wreath at the Pinjarra Memorial. Students wearing school uniform are welcome to participate in the ANZAC march in Pinjarra.

Last week's swimming carnival involving students from years 3-6 was a very successful event enjoyed by all the students. Students competed in championship events, short and long distance events, relays and events just designed for fun. The participation of all students who attended was outstanding and those with swimming prowess competed for the championship trophies. A big thank you to all the parent supporters who cheered and encouraged the swimmers during the carnival. Thank you to Miss Cure, Miss Hunt, Miss Moody, Mrs Thompson and Mrs W for their huge contributions to the success of the carnival.

As a result of their efforts in the school swimming carnival some students will be representing Carcoola at the interschool carnival taking place in Waroona next Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> April.

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all students, staff and parents a very enjoyable school holiday break and I look forward to the commencement of term two.

School resumes for term two on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April for both students and teachers. The pupil free day in term two is Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June.

With a sense of caring, there will always be a strong community!

Warmest regards

*Michael*

Michael Day  
Principal

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## CHAPLAIN'S CHAT

Respect is a positive feeling or action shown towards someone or something considered important, or held in high esteem or regard; it conveys a sense of admiration for good or valuable qualities; and it is also the process of honouring someone by exhibiting care, concern, or consideration for their needs or feelings. Have a happy and safe break.



Please remember to  
bring in your vouchers



## WORKER OF THE WEEK!!



**COURTNEY  
WILLIAMS**



## FANCY HAT PARADE



What a turn out we had of students with fancy hats and parents to encourage the students as they paraded around the undercover area. Thank you for your support we appreciate all your school involvement.



## SWIMMING CARNIVAL

We had a great day at the Swimming Carnival, those that competed did an awesome job and the effort each student put in to each race was outstanding.

### CONGATULATIONS to:

#### Champion

Bethany Jones - Yr 6  
 Angus McMullen - Yr 6  
 Azura Epis - Yr 5  
 Travis Johnston - Yr 5  
 Elora Lyle - Yr 4  
 Jack Leveridge - Yr 4  
 Kaila Ladhams - Yr 3

Malachi Jones - Yr 3

#### Runner Up

Lily Robinson - Yr 6  
 Josh Langford - Yr 6  
 Heidi Epis - Yr 5  
 Kallan Frewen - Yr 5  
 Lily Lamb - Yr 4  
 Deakin Thompson - Yr 4  
 Kiyah Anderson - Yr3  
 Ayla Lyle - Yr 3  
 Soren Lyle - Yr 3



### NAIDOC EXCURSION FUNDRAISERS

WOW what a great effort you have all put in to helping us raise money through our Sausage Sizzle Fundraisers this term to contribute to our PP - Year 6 NAIDOC excursion to Bindjareb Park in Term 2. Our last one raised over \$236 towards this excursion.



### **P&C NEWS**

Canteen is open Wednesdays and Fridays, we still need more volunteers for canteen.

**WE NEED YOU FOR 10 MINUTES TO CUT FRUIT FOR YOUR CHILD AND THEIR CLASSMATES. WITHOUT YOU THERE WILL BE NO FRUIT TIME**

**Easter Raffle was an awesome success and we were amazed at the donations we received. We had a total of 10 prizes and raised over \$330. WHAT AN EFFORT**

#### **MOTHERS DAY RAFFLE**

**We are under way for our Mothers Day Raffle and Stall which will be held beginning of Term 2. Donations are being accepted in the front office for the raffle and this year we are also accepting donations of gifts for the Mothers Day Stall.**

**Next P&C Meeting Monday 14th May @ 6.30pm**





Does your child enjoy swimming?

Bring them down to the Murray Leisure Centre, home of the Pinjarra Piranhas, for two free trials!  
(Bookings are essential)

Ensure your child brings along their bathers, a towel, goggles, a water bottle – and the spirit to have some fun in the water while improving their speed and technique.

Training is from 4.00pm Monday to Friday. To book your first free trial, please contact the Head Coach, Trish Dellow on 0407 996 236. Or for further information, please email [admin@pinjarraswimmingclub.com.au](mailto:admin@pinjarraswimmingclub.com.au)

We hope to see you soon!

Please note: training is available only to children aged 7 and up who have completed Royal Life Saving Society Stage 6



Today the year 5/6 class did a Footy Clinic with Ben Howlett from Peel Thunder and former Essendon player. The students learnt the importance of good nutrition and were taught some very important football skills.