

NEWSLETTER

Friday 2 August 2019

Term 3 Week 2

Dates to Remember

Every Monday
Every Friday

Robotics Club
Chess Club

3:30-5:00pm
SC 3:00-4:30pm

AUGUST

Friday 09 August
Tues-Wed 7-8 August
Friday 09 August
Friday 09 August
Tuesday 12 August
Wednesday 14 August
Thursday 15 August
Thursday 15 August
Thursday 15-16 Aug
Friday 16 August
Friday 16 August
Thursday 22 August
Week 5
Friday 23 August
Tuesday 27 August
Wednesday 28 August
Thursday 29 August

Scholastic Book Club
Outdoor Ed: Ice Skating Excursion
SC Year 9/10 National Gallery Excursion
SC 'Filling the Space'
Year 5 Exploring the Moon and Beyond
Year 6 Combined Band
Performance 'The All New Must Have ORANGE 340' K-6 JC Hall 2:00PM
JC Parent NUMERACY Night 6:00-7:00pm
Outdoor Ed: Ski Camp
SC Macbeth Excursion
JC Kurrajong Assembly
Year 5 Combined Band
JC BOOK WEEK
JC Book Week Assembly 2:15pm JC Hall
LIMELIGHT Rehearsal
Tuggeranong 12&U Athletics Carnival
LIMELIGHT Performance
AIS - Book tickets NOW!
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Issue 5 Due Today

Arts Elective
Dance Elective
9:00am-3:00pm CIL

Sydney
2:15pm JC Hall

Week 8
Thursday 19 September
Tuesday 24 September
Thursday 26 September

SEPTEMBER

Year 2 Aqua Safe Program
Rosellas Learning Journey
Pelicans Learning Journey
K-6 Learning Journey

Notes out soon

 JC (Junior Campus)  Senior Campus (SC)  CCS Preschool - Year

Hats ON Again!

Message from the Principal

Welcome

Please join me in welcoming Ms Jennifer Howard as the new principal of Caroline Chisholm School. Ms Howard will be starting on Monday 12 August. Please find some time to introduce yourself to her. I will be moving to Amaroo High School as Principal from that same date. From my perspective, I have loved every minute of being a part of your community. You all made me feel welcome and have supported me in leading our school. As for the students, I hope you as parents feel extremely proud of them. They work hard and are committed to their studies. Additionally, this community is very blessed to have so many hard working and dedicated staff. I am in awe of their professionalism and dedication to our students and their learning. I wish you all the very best in your future endeavours.

PBL update

The outdoor and shared areas signage for our Positive Behaviours for Learning has arrived and is ready to be displayed. The artwork on the signs have been produced by our students and it looks fantastic. I would like to thank Ms Anna Connell who has done an amazing job in leading our school through the PBL journey. Keep an eye out for the signs early next week.

Community expectations

Our school has a proud history of community engagement and each day presents us with an opportunity to contribute to building a positive school culture. Together we have a responsibility to ensure we act in a respectful and responsible manner. This enables us all to focus on achieving great learning outcomes for our students. I would like to remind you that everyone in our school, including parents, are expected to follow basic protocols when interacting as a community on school grounds. Please remember that we are all members of this community and therefore should always be polite and courteous. It is completely inappropriate to act in a way which may make another feel threatened or unsafe.



Canteen upgrades – Senior Campus

At the beginning of the year it was identified that our school canteen was requiring an upgrade. This has been a significant process that our P&C has been engaged in and there will be more detailed information coming out in the coming weeks to both parents and students around the plans. Parents will then have the opportunity to provide feedback with the P&C. The key points are:

- Canteen will be closed Monday's during Term 3 – the *Create a Café* team will be exploring options to provide a lunch for students on that day.
 - Canteen will be completely shut in Term 4 2019 – we are looking at providers to support us with providing basic lunch options during this period.
 - The canteen will be refurbished in Term 4 ready to re-open in Term 1 2020. More information to come.
- Benjamin Hall

Message from the Junior Campus Principal

Congratulations to Samantha U who did very well at the Tuggeranong Rostrum at the end of Term 2. Samantha presented some very strong and entertaining arguments for 'why smoking is a bad choice'.



Congratulations to our Chess Team who have been doing very well this year. We have two teams of four students heading off to the ACT Championships later this term. All participating students represented themselves and the school with pride and gave their best.

I would like to say thank you to **Ben Hall** who has been acting P-10 Principal for Semester 1 and supporting all staff, students and community across both campuses. Please wish him well as he moves on to his next post.



Also leaving us this week is Mrs Tapp, we wish her well as she heads off to begin her maternity leave and we look forward to hearing some joyful news.

Hats on... we are heading back towards high UV. Please find your sun smart hats, pop them in your school bag. August is time to cover up.

Playground update. The old equipment has gone, and we are currently looking at a redesign and upgrade. The house leaders and captains have been putting together some ideas for me to share with the designer, it will take us a little while but once we are up and running, we will put progress pictures in the newsletters.



On the Junior Campus we have experienced several unplanned fire drills – systems are working well, and we evacuated quickly to our meeting areas. Wednesday afternoon families arriving at school for pick up were met with two fire engines in the car park fire. Officers gave us the all clear and we were quickly able to head home.

Just a reminder to all parents and visitors coming to school after 9:00am and before 3:00pm that you **MUST** sign in at the front office, even if you are dropping in a forgotten item you must let the front office know you are on the site.

Congratulations to the students listed below for achieving these milestones. They have proved themselves to be *Responsible, Respectful, Learners*. Well Done!

Looking forward to another wonderful term at Caroline Chisholm School.

Sally Alexander
Reading Is My Secret Power

Term 3 Week 1-2	The following students have achieved the following awards for being Responsible, Respectful, Learners			
Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum	Double Platinum
AMELIA P	COOPER M	EVA N		
ETHAN H	EVA-JADE E	AIVAH A		
KYAH M	LUKE A	JOON VC		
DECLAN P	BAILEY K	HUDSON S		
LEWIS G	ADDISON P	ELLIE B-J		
ASHLEIGH K	HUDSON W	REGAN L		
TYLER S	MADDISON L	HUDSON H		
LACHLAN H	EVIE S-W	MIRI C		
DAKOTA C	MINAIYAH M	CALLUM M		
	JORDAN B	KATELYN B-J		
	AVA B	KIKI S		
	DINA L	CLAIRE L		
	STIRLING B			
	CLAUDIA M			
	LOGAN S			
	MADDIE S			
	TOBIAS L			
	CURTIS B			
	SKYE R			
	JACK D			
	DEXTER J			
	CHARLEE M			
	JHETT V			
	JUDE L			

Acacia Unit



The Acacia Unit has made a great start to Term 3. We have had some changes in our Unit over the holidays with 2 brand new Interactive Boards being installed into our classrooms as well as some renovations to the JLSU learning space. KP and KH have been working on improving their writing skills this term and are looking forward improving our writing stamina. The JLSU have been busy cooking some delicious gumbo and are excited about their new 'Under the Sea' reading area. We are also excited to welcome Miss Hollier back this term. We have missed you!

Kristie Ryan, Sarah Painter, Annette Harasymiv & Charlene Van Zyl

Kurrajong Unit



Year 2 are beginning to look at lifecycles and have taken materials home to grow their own grass head for a Science project. We look forward to the students sharing these with us through our News Program.

In Geography, students are looking at where we are in the world and identifying the 7 continents and 5 oceans of the world.

Year 1 have started their Science Unit, looking at different animals and their habitats. In Health, students are focusing on a healthy eating plan that enables us to focus on our learning in class.

The Kurrajong unit have been enjoying our Dance module every Monday afternoon. Students are creating sequences with locomotor and non-locomotor movements and performing before their peers.

Eliza Birse, Laura Tapp, Emma Gillan & Marjorie Waugh

Melaleuca Unit



This term the Year 4s will be participating in a *Kulture Break* program. *Kulture Break* is a not for profit organisation committed to the wellbeing and social inclusion of young people. Their mission statement is to 'influence a culture and empower a generation'. With this at the heart of their organisation, they use dance and music as a medium to empower the students, grow their confidence and promote positive social behaviours.



Kulture Break will be running an 8 week program for students in Year 4 starting in Week 3. Throughout this program students will learn hip hop skills and foundations, as well as a short choreographed routine. The program will provide a fun, safe and inclusive environment for students to learn, express themselves, build meaningful relationships with their peers while staying active.

Kayla Catling, Jayne McDonald, Anna Connell & Madeleine Barnett

Grevillea Unit



Welcome to Term 3!

This term is the calm before the whirlwind that is term 4, however, that does not mean that we are sitting back relaxing.

In literacy this term we are looking at historical recounts and poetry. We are doing mini "word investigations" to expand our vocabulary. Ask your child what their "words of the week" are and how they can use them in a sentence.

Maths this term sees us learning about financial maths (money, budgeting and plans), angles, number patterns, multiple and factors and some more work involving fractions.

In civics and citizenship and history we are exploring human rights in Australia and migration.

Year 6 Science are doing a unit called "Creators and Destroyers", while Year 5 are looking at "Earth's Place in Space" which ties in nicely to the 50th Anniversary of the Moon Landing a couple of weeks ago.

In Week 3 we are going to be starting our art and technology rotations which will cover music, dance, drama, media art, design technology and digital technology. We expect the teachers will learn just as much as the students during these activities.

Your Year 5/6 team

Justin Hughes, Andrea Irving, Rachel Salter & Julie Freebody.