

Carrington Chatter

News from Carrington Primary School Knoxfield



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Children are supervised only between the hours of 8.45am and 3.45pm unless attending the Carrington Outside School Hours Care Program. Registration forms for this program are available from the office. Please ensure you update your records at the school office and also with OSHC staff. OSHC Mobile 0419 889 253

Diary Dates

Monday 4th December



Swimming Program commences – remember your bathers towel and underwear very day this week

2024 Individual Book Packs are available from the office – refer to the 2024 Parent Contribution request letter sent home earlier publication is also available on our web site.

Tuesday 5th December

Grade 6 students selling Icy Poles after school every Tuesday and Thursday to raise funds for their Big Day Out Celebration- **Cost: \$1 each**

Wednesday 6th December



Operates every Wednesday and Friday from 8.15am in the staffroom. Join us for breakfast.

2024 Foundation EYE testing

2024 Foundation Parent Information Evening

Friday 8th December

Student Leadership positions (School and Sport Captain) applications due

2024 foundation EYE testing continues



Monday 11th December

F-6 swimming Program continues

Tuesday 12th December

Statewide 6-7 transition day

No swimming Program today

School Council Meeting 7pm

Friday 14th December

Christmas Concert 9am – school hall. All most welcome

Monday 18th December

Whole School Incursion - 9am – Y4-6 10am - F-3

Meet the teacher 2024



Christmas Special Effort drawn at 3.15pm

Year 6 Graduation Ceremony 4pm-4.45pm

Tuesday 19th December

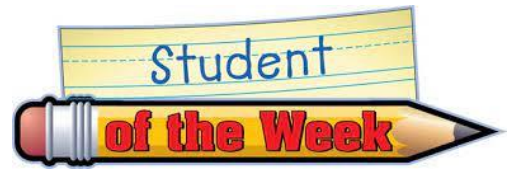
Year 6 Big Day Out

Early dismissal 2.30pm

Wednesday 20th December

Curriculum Day – NO Students in attendance

Do you need **Holiday Program** these coming holidays. **Carrington Primary School Holiday Program** is operating from Monday 15th – Thursday 25th January 2024



Presented at assembly Wednesday

Speak to Kane on 0419 889 253 or pop into OSHC.

LIBRARY NEWS



ALL LIBRARY BOOKS SHOULD BE RETURNED BY FRIDAY THE 15th



EVERY STUDENT SHOULD:

- ✓ **HAVE A REFILLABLE WATER BOTTLE. EVERY DAY**
- ✓ **BE WEARING THEIR SCHOOL HAT WHEN OUTSIDE, AS WE ARE A SUNSMART SCHOOL**



Christmas Special Effort tickets have gone home, today. Tickets \$2 each or 3 for \$5. Please return monies and butts by Monday 18th December. Raffle to be drawn at 3.15pm on this day.



- ☆ Chelsea 23C
- ☆ Connor 56M
- ☆ Ms Jessica Lim on their special day.

F1M	Keeghan <i>For working extremely hard to improve her reading.</i>
23C	Dante <i>For applying himself while doing his assessments.</i>
45C	Nathan <i>For being a kind and caring classmate.</i>
56M	CeLena <i>For working hard and dedication when completing her homework.</i>

Congratulations to Izzy Noble for receiving an Art Award from the Scoresby Secondary College Art and Technology



Showcase held on 16th November.



Words from our Principal on the job – Brett Speed

The end of the year is fast approaching with quite a lot of events to complete to round the year out. A lot of planning and preparation has been done around the swimming program, Christmas Concert and end of year festivities to conclude the school year.

SWIMMING:

A friendly reminder that our two-week intensive swimming program commences next Monday 4th December at Wantirna Kingswim. Please see communication sent out via Sentral to ensure your child is prepared for the sessions.

2024 TRANSITION:

Our final transition session concluded with a Teddy Bear Picnic. Our incoming Foundation students engaged with their buddies for the first time developing a connection that will continue throughout next year. We are very excited to welcome all of our new families into the Carrington community.

STRANGER DANGER:

Just a friendly reminder to all families to discuss the awareness around stranger danger with their children. As a school we will be having some discussions around stranger danger and who we can see at school if something arises. This is a perfect opportunity leading into the Christmas holidays to ensure our students remain safe before, during and after school hours.

CLUBS:

Our clubs are now coming to a close for 2023 with the swimming program commencing in Week 10 and 11. Students have thoroughly enjoyed participating in our clubs with many new ones planned for 2024. The clubs that ran this year included; Minecraft, Gardening, Art, STREAM and Madhouse. Thank you to all the students and staff that engaged with the clubs this year.



Have a great weekend.

A festive poster for 'Carols by Candlelight Behold'. The background is dark with red bokeh lights and a central image of a candle flame. The text is arranged as follows:

- Top left: **FREE** Family activities **6PM**
- Top center: **CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT**
- Top right: **Community Carols 7:45PM**
- Center: **BEHOLD**
- Bottom center: **SUNDAY 17 DEC**
Scoresby Secondary College Oval
Corner of Zervas & Carvell Streets
- Bottom right: **Presented by One Hope Community Church**
- Bottom left: **An all weather event!**