

# Carrington News

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## High '5' Moment

Do you have a 'High 5' moment you would like to share? Just drop a note, article or photo into the office and Sue will place your achievement in the newsletter



## BRING ALONG TO SCHOOL THAT ALL IMPORTANT REFILLABLE DRINK BOTTLE EVERYDAY



In class and at school we need to have a refillable drink bottle.

Bring it to school filled with **water only** for a good reason it keeps us hydrated and healthy.

\*NO sugary or power aid drinks.



Students should be wearing their school hat when outside, as we are a Sunsmart school

## Diary Dates

### Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> October

Breakfast Club will be held in the staffroom whilst the works are underway. every **Wednesday** and **Friday!!!** Doors open for service **8.15**. Come and have a delicious Breakie with your friends! See you there!



Junior School Council Fun Day (weather permitting)

### Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October

Ultimate Frisbee Clinics F-6 (2<sup>nd</sup> session of 4 weekly)

EACH healthy lunchbox initiative (Year 6)

## Dates to note:

- Curriculum Day (No students) F-6  
Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October
- Melbourne Cup Day (No students) F-6  
Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November
- Working Bee 3.30pm – 4.45pm  
Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November
- 2023 Transition session 2  
Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November STREAM
- Rugby League Gala Day 4-6  
Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November
- School Council Meeting 7pm  
Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November
- 2023 Transition session 3 Classroom  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November
- Year 3-6 Mill Valley Ranch Camp 3-6  
Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November
- Swimming F-6  
28<sup>th</sup> November – 9<sup>th</sup> December

- 2023 Transition session 4 Classroom  
Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December
- School Council Meeting 7pm  
12<sup>th</sup> December
- 2023 Teddy Bear's Picnic  
Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December 12:30-2:00pm
- 2023 Parent Information session  
Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December 6:00-7:00pm
- Year 6 Graduation Ceremony 4pm-4.45pm  
15<sup>th</sup> December
- End of Term 4 – 2:30pm finish F-6  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December
- Curriculum Day F-6  
Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December

### Student of the Week

*Presented at assembly  
Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2022*

<b>JNR School</b>	<b>Ava</b> <i>For working extremely hard to improve her reading.</i>
<b>SDM</b>	<b>Zoe Da</b> <i>For pushing herself with her learning and bouncing back when things get hard.</i>
<b>SEP</b>	<b>Kendall</b> <i>For consistently following school routines and trying her personal best.</i>



to

❖ Logan (JJM)

on their special day.



**Words from our Principal on the job** – Brett Speed

Another wonderful week has passed us by so quickly. Plans are well underway for swimming, with numbers now confirmed. Notification on official payment will be sent out early next week. Thank you to Mrs

Phillips for her work organising and arranging the swimming program.

Camp preparations are also being finalised, with activity groupings and camp outlines almost completed. Thank you to Mr Michalowsky for arranging this camp. It is going to be a very exciting time for our Year 3-6 students.

We have continued to have a range of incursions and well-being supports occur in the classrooms at Carrington this week.

### BUILDING WORKS

The hall is almost finalised with handover scheduled for the next few weeks. We will be recarpeting the flooring in the hall in the coming weeks to have a lovely indoor space to use. The current demolition site will be redeveloped into a sensory based garden space bringing the administration and junior buildings together. The school is currently applying for a range of funding grants to assist in the process.

### CURRICULUM DAY

A friendly reminder that there is a curriculum day scheduled for Monday 31st October.

### JSC FUN DAY

Our JSC Fun Day is scheduled for next Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> October, however, poor forecasted weather may result in us postponing it to another time. This will be done at the latest possible moment.

### EXCESS FURNITURE – FREE!

The school is currently clearing out some older furniture including tables, chairs and metal hanging stands. Some items may be good for the garage or cubby house. You may even repurpose, reupholster or upcycle some of the items. If you are interested in looking at what there is available, please see Brett from 3:00pm Tuesday or Wednesday next week. Alternatively, if you know of anyone looking for these items, please have them link in with the school.



Collection arrangements can also be made with Brett.

## GARDENING CLUB

Students have had a wonderful time working on our garden beds with Ms Emily this week. It is so wonderful to enjoy the sunshine. A special thank you to Miss Jane and Mrs Watson who have worked extremely hard to get the garden beds ready for us to use.



## 2023 TRANSITION

It was with great excitement that we hosted our 2023 foundation students in their first transition session at school. A PMP session was held in the Junior building, with Mrs Marsden and Miss Jane leading the activities. Our current foundation students ensured the transitioning students felt welcomed and supported. It was lovely to see some new faces at Carrington and we welcome all our new families into the community.

## ULTIMATE FRISBEE

Ultimate Frisbee clinics were conducted by Gecko Sports coach, Adrian. Students were thoroughly engaged in the activity, as most had not experienced the sport previously. All students across the school had the opportunity to engage in passing and throwing techniques. We look forward to the clinics continuing over the next month.



Have a great weekend everyone.

Regards,

Brett

