Statement of Purpose

In our unique, innovative and growing community we develop a passion for lifelong learning so that students achieve individual excellence and are confident, capable, respected citizens of our local and global communities.

2015 Calendar of Events

Thursday 30 July  Australian Maths Competition
Monday 3 August  E.A.L, SLC Jamieson Way School
Wednesday 4 August  Year 5/6 BW Life Skills & Graffiti Program
Wednesday 5 August  Year 3-6 Athletics Carnival
   Friday 7 August  Disco Night—Jamieson Way School
   Monday 10 August  Year 8 Kryal Castle Excursion
   Friday 14 August  Year 5/6 JW Wakakirri Excursion
   Monday 17 August  Year 7 BW Werribee Zoo Excursion
   Wednesday 19 August  Year 7 JW Werribee Zoo Excursion

Parent Contact Details

If you have recently changed your contact details e.g. Mobile, Home Phone, Work Phone or address please remember to contact the office to advise your updated details for emergency purposes.

It’s not OK to be away.

Student Absence: Please SMS student absences by 10.00 am to 0429 305 552

Foundation 2016 Enrolments are now being taken!

Every minute counts!

Please contact our Registrar Margaret Porter on 9395 3533 for enrolment information.
Dear Carranballac Community,

The weeks do fly at Carranballac and they are always filled with much excitement.

In the space of just over a week the College has celebrated 100 days of school for Foundation and year One students in style, the Science Fair at Jamieson Way; with incredibly high levels of student engagement, and Student Learning Conferences across the College.

The behind the scenes professional growth and planning by staff has continued and our parent community has been active through both Parent's & Friends as well as School Council meetings. The commitment by staff and these two teams of parents in working together to better the learning opportunities for YOUR children is amazing and to be appreciated. Don't forget to pass on your thanks to staff and key parent volunteers in our community if you bump into them please.

Yesterday was exciting in yet another way. Our new College Web Page went live. I must thank our Web Page team for their dedication and professionalism in undertaking this task so effectively and smoothly - well done. Already parents have registered for the online newsletter and feedback has been incredibly positive. The page will go through a two week period of minor adjustments; where required, so please understand there may be a need to tweak aspects of it's functionality in this time frame. We are keen to hear about 'possible improvements' so keep the ideas rolling in.

Have an excellent week

Brendan O’Brien
College Director

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Jamieson Way School Report— Principal Sandy Naughton

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STUDENT AWARDS PRESENTED AT THIS WEEK’S ASSEMBLY

Jessica Lam
Hillary Nguyen
Tremaine Dawson
Callum Farmer
Tony Nguyen
Ewan Burgess
Eden MacDonald
Zainah Mertakusuma
Michael Tripodi
Flynn Turner
Campbell Wadell
Aparna Natarajan
Sophia Tripodi
Emily Geitenbeek
Alexia Blazevska
Conner Street
Jamie Azar
Mateja Stojkovic
Brooklyn McDonald
Christian Razmovski
Solomon Pollard
Amelia Kochansky
Harry Tambourine
Milan Belic
Riley Parks
Shanah Moffitt
Gemma Hatton
Sofia Cogliolo
Jessica Kennedy
Ashita Shetty
Spencer Zarb
Abbey Mumberson
Abby Holmes
Charlotte Pickersgill
Celia Kemp
Amber Saywell
Louana Ghates
Loughie Martin
Sarah Cotter
Olivia Caridakis
Nilax Shah
Kevin Vo
Hanna Muller
Linn Goh Zi
Caitlyn Farrugia
Zach Tabone
Gazel Harabati
Abbey Piggot
Riley Orange
Joshua Strong
Corinne Munro-
Liam Farrell
Maddi Moore

Boardwalk School
Jamieson Way School

Early Years: Jett Temper Collins 5/6 Brown
Middle Years: Sienna Cooper 2 Crimson
Early Years: Mia Jackson 3/4 Quartz
Middle Years: Stephanie Bain 8 Quartz
CANTEEN NEWS
This week we are celebrating canteen week. We would like to thank everyone who supports the school canteen service especially our volunteers. We will be holding a hotdog day this week on Friday. All orders should be in by now. If you have forgotten your order please see the ladies in the canteen to see if we have the stock available.

Ros Grylls, June Mayne and Sue Pattison

REPORTS
Thank you to all the parents who provided feedback to us about the changes to our first semester reports. We are currently collating the information and will present the results at the next Parent Forum.

EARN & LEARN
The College is once again participating in the EARN and LEARN program run by Woolworths. The college uses the rewards to purchase Maths and Science equipment for student use. For every $10 you spend at Woolworths you can collect a sticker. If you are a regular shopper please add them to a sheet and return the completed sheet to the box located in the school foyer. If you only shop at Woolworths occasionally please place stickers in the box – we can then use them to fill incomplete sheets. Due to the generosity of families and friends the college was able to redeem approximately $700 worth of equipment last year. With your help we hope to do as well if not better in 2015.

Thanks for your support
Lesley Hall
Assistant Principal
Curriculum Implementation

BOARDWALK SCHOOL YEAR 5/6 CAMP
The closing date for the Year 5/6 camp is this Wednesday, July 29th. The camp is in Port Fairy and focuses on the history of the Shipwreck Coast. The camp is 3 days in duration with students undertaking the activities designed to enhance their classroom learning and visiting Flagstaff Hill, Port Fairy, Tower Hill among some of the attractions.

NO late payments can be accepted or students added after the 29th July as we have to notify providers for the camp of numbers and requirements.

COMPASS & DUKE OF EDINBURGH AWARDS
The Compass and Duke of Edinburgh enrolments have opened and students have begun selecting their activities and writing their goals. I do require students to submit their activities and goals prior to commencing their awards.

Duke of Edinburgh Award students are reminded that their award criteria looks for regular participation over 3 months (with 1 of 6 months duration) as opposed to a set numbers of hours for Compass students.

Kate Bytheway
Student Leadership Development

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Excitement is building for our big day on August 14. Students are working hard to refine their performance and this year’s entry will be a very memorable and moving event.

There will be another Wakakirri costume working bee this Thursday 23rd July from 1-3pm in room 18A at Boardwalk School. We will hold a final working bee on Saturday 8th August at 10am. This will be held in room 18A at the Boardwalk School. All help will be gratefully received.

On the day, students arrive at school at the usual time where we begin to change children into costumes and begin applying theatre make-up.

After an early lunch, students are bussed to the Clocktower Theatre in Moonee Ponds where we have a full dress rehearsal at 3.30pm.

Our performers will be provided with an early pizza tea at 5pm. A permission note for this excursion will be sent home soon.

At the conclusion of the show, parents will be directed to a place in the theatre to collect their children. Any children not going home with parents will return to Jamieson Way School by bus with me. I will phone all parents as we leave the theatre to give them an approximate return time.

Gaye Edmonds
Performing Arts

Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability
‘Collection Notice’

All schools in Australia, including Independent and Catholic schools, will participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability this year.

The Data Collection is an annual count of the number of students with disability receiving educational adjustments to support their participation in education on the same basis as students without disability.

All education agencies are now required under the Australian Education Regulation 2013 to provide information on a student’s level of education, disability and level of adjustment to the Australian Government Department of Education and Training.* Data will continue to be de-identified prior to its transfer to the Australian Government Department of Education and Training. No student’s identity will be provided to the Australian Government Department of Education and Training.

The collection of this information from states and territories will inform future policy and program planning in relation to students with disability.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Brendan O’Brien or Christine Billing on 9395 3533 or the Victorian Department of Education and Training Data Collection Hotline on (03) 9651 3621. For questions after 7 August 2015, please call the Australian Government Department of Education and Training on 1300 566 046.

* For more information on Schedule 3—Amendments for the collection of data on students who are persons with a disability Australian Education Regulation 2013 see: http://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01723/Html/Text#_Toc404934419
Year 34 students at Jamieson Way carried out their third year of NTD plantings on Cheetham Creek on Friday 24 July, to celebrate NTD 2015. The students and Holcim put 1000 indigenous wetland plants into the ground.

The planting was aimed at providing habitat and cover for birds and rakali (native water rat) in that area, to avoid loss of life from foxes, dogs and cats. Mr Forester gave each class a nature walk and talk, explaining why the project was being done. The planted areas can be seen in the centre of the wetlands, in three spots on the narrow isthmus across the wetlands behind the school. Beautifully cooked and decorated morning tea muffins were supplied to the Holcim workers by volunteer Year 9 Food Technology students, thanks to Mr Sullivan. Plants supplied by Newport Lakes Nursery. Funding by a Melbourne Water grant, facilitated by the Werribee River Association. Thanks to all for helping to make the planting project a success.

**Left:** A student group nature walk. **Centre:** Holcim at work. **Right:** Workers enjoying Year 9 muffins!

**RED (Recycling + Education makes a Difference) Plastic Recycling**

Boardwalk campus RED program will now be managed by Year 7 students. That will include weekly checking and record keeping of the quantity recycled, with reporting and promotion as required. Thanks to students from 7A Mr Williams and 7B Ms Kompa. That student managed initiative is in addition to the Year 34 student led and managed paper recycling program at the campus.

**Chicken Coop Jamieson Way Campus**

A grape vine was recently planted inside the coop in preparation for the hot summer days to come. The next gardening to be done is to install a small lawn under a cover of chicken wire so the birds can peck at and eat some of the grass but not pull it all out.

**5/6 Science Fair – Thursday 23rd July 2015**

Whiz Bang Pop was heard throughout the Jamieson Way 5/6 Gallery Thursday last week. The 5/6 students demonstrated their science knowledge and skills during our Science Fair. They were particularly keen to share their experiments with the 3/4 students who came to visit.

A big thank you to all the students, staff and parents who came along to see the wonderful and exciting experiments the 5/6s created.
CUA Community Care
School Grants Program 2015

Carranballac P-9 College

PROJECT:
Our Kitchen Rules

- Provide audio visual equipment in our food technology rooms so students do not need to crowd to see their teacher
- Give students a bird’s eye view to teach correct techniques and food preparation
- Better class time management being able to show the class the lesson rather than completing this individually
- Modernise the college facilities
- Promote healthy food choices and preparation

We have a purpose built food technology room at both our schools. However, students are forced to crowd the teacher’s bench to view the lesson. We would like to install a camera in the ceiling above the teachers bench and a monitor which would enable the students to see from anywhere in the classroom, allowing them to view clearly all the techniques used by their teachers. The teacher, knowing that everyone has seen the lesson plan will be able to focus on the group. They can then better assess each student and be able provide assistance if or when it is required. We believe this will provide our students with the necessary personal skills to enable them to choose a healthy and nutritious diet.
disco night

Foundation to Year 6

For Only

FRIDAY 7TH AUGUST

On Way School Gym

All Entry only $2

Carnival for Parents & Friends
regular savers with amazing prizes.

We're bringing the exciting news that an intergalactic Prize Portal has appeared on Planet Savings, giving students who demonstrate good savings behaviour the chance to win amazing prizes.

- 75 x iPad minis Wi-Fi 16GB
- 125 x Beats by Dr. Dre Solo² Headphones
- 200 x $30 Booktopia Gift Certificates

Help the Dotlarmites activate the Prize Portal for a chance to win
To activate the Prize Portal, students must simply make three or more School Banking deposits during Term 3 and they will automatically be entered into the competition for a chance to win one of hundreds of prizes. Students can also complete a Money Mission at commmbank.com.au/prizeportal to double their chance of winning a prize. (Please note, students can start the Money Mission at any time, but are required to make three deposits by the end of Term 3 to double their chance of winning).

Win books for your school library
We're also giving schools participating in the School Banking program a chance to win one of 75 sets of children's books for their school library, valued at $200.

For more information, visit commmbank.com.au/prizeportal

Things to know before you Care: Conditions apply, see commmbank.com.au/prizeportal. Promotion starts 000am AEST 13/7/16 and ends 11.59pm AEST 25/9/16. Student Element Entry is open to all Youthzone customers aged 4-13 years. 1 entry received when 3 deposits are made through the School Banking Program. 1 bonus entry received when completing a Money Mission activity of for each customer, and submitted by 25/9/16. Prizes provided by CommBank and are subject to availability. Prizes will be fulfilled by the following State Bank of South Australia or a representative supplier.
About the 2015 Reading Challenge

Who is eligible? All Victorian Students in Foundation to Year 10.

Why? The Challenge aims to promote a love of reading. It is not a competition but a challenge to each student.

When? The 2015 challenge started during Term 1 2015 and will officially end on the 14 September 2015.

How? Students in Foundation to Year 2 are challenged to read or ‘experience’ 30 books and students in Years 3 to 9 are challenged to read 15 books by 14 September 2015. If children are learning to read you can help them to experience books by reading to / or with them and talking about the text, story and pictures.

Getting started. Complete the consent form on the reverse of this page. Hand in the consent form to Library Staff. You will receive a record sheet to list books read. You are ready to begin.

Good luck and happy reading!

Some Helpful tips!

Our College Libraries at Boardwalk School and Jamieson Way School have a large selection of Reading Challenge Book List Books Available. They are colour coded to make your choice very easy. Just see your Library Staff they will be happy to assist.

Remember to bring in your record sheets to your Library regularly. Library staff will enter books read onto the Reading Challenge website on behalf of Students.
Welcome to the annual Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge. Reading is an essential life skill for everyone and the Challenge encourages families to be actively involved in supporting children to read. The Challenge invites children and young people to read a set number of books and record their efforts online. It's a great way to get them talking about reading with friends and family and to push them to read as many books as they can. Join the Challenge today and discover new authors, get expert tips, book recommendations and more. Participation is free. To find out more about the Challenge and access the booklist visit: www.education.vic.gov.au/prc

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2015 Privacy and Consent Form (Schools and Early Childhood Settings)

By signing this document, you agree to the TERMS and CONDITIONS outlined below. These include consent for your child to participate in the Victorian Premiers’ Reading Challenge and for their name to appear on a certificate of completion and for their name to appear in the online honour roll. Please note that the child’s name only will appear on the certificate and online Honour Roll with no other identifying factors. Participating schools appear as a separate list.

Child’s name: _______________________________________________________________________________________________________

Year level/class: ________________  ○ Yes  I consent to my child’s name appearing on the online Honour Roll

                                       ○ No  I do not consent to my child’s name appearing on the online Honour Roll  (Please tick)

Certificate name (only if different from name above): _______________________________________________________________________

Parent/guardian name (please print): ____________________________________________________________________________________

Parent/guardian signature: ___________________________________________________________  Date: __________________________

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Definitions: Department refers to the Victorian Department of Education and Training, Person refers to the child/adult listed below in the consent declaration.

Privacy Protection

The Department takes its privacy obligations seriously and any personal information collected or used by the Department will be handled in accordance with the Privacy and Data Protection Act 2014 (Vic). This law sets out what we must do when the Department collects, uses, handles and destroys personal information. Personal information includes personal details such as an individual’s name and school that could be used to identify an individual.

Collection, use, disclosure and storage of personal information

If you provide your consent your school or early childhood setting will collect and disclose your child’s first and last name, and the name of the early childhood setting or school to the Department. The Department will then:

Use the information to register your child and to generate an online account (through which school age children can record the books that they read);

Publish your child’s name and year level on its online Honour Roll located at: www.education.vic.gov.au/prc at the completion of the Challenge with no other identifying factors such as school name.

Give the name of your child to Finsbury Green Pty Ltd ABN 52 007 743 151 who will then disclose to a 3rd party for the purpose of printing Certificates of Achievement.

Accuracy, access to information and withdrawal of consent

The Department will endeavour to ensure that any personal information held about your child is up to date and accurate. You can access, correct and withdraw personal information held by the Department by written request in accordance with the Department’s Information Privacy Policy located at: http://www.education.vic.gov.au/Pages/privacypolicy.aspx
Welcome to the Carranballac Corker. This is the weekly Numeracy challenge for you and your family to solve together. Discuss the challenge and place your answer in the box near the office. The correct winning entries will be drawn at the whole school assembly on Monday mornings.

Numeracy Word of the Week: Doubling
DOZEN – A group or set of 12

Early Years
Maths Joke
What do you think the answer is?
Why is the number 6 scared of 7?

Middle Years
Maths Joke
What do you think the answer is?
How can you make seven even?

Take a Family Nature Walk
Getting out into nature offers a special kind of space for enjoying each other's company. Although research hasn't yet pinned down the science behind the benefits of fresh air, natural settings seem to have a calming affect. So grab jackets, gloves and beanies and stroll down a wooded trail, along a shoreline or creek, and through a local park. Breathe in, let your shoulders relax, and look around at the trees, the birds, the sky, and you will be amazed at what you find.