

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Carranballac P-9 College

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College Director

Brendan O'Brien

School Council President

Penny Heron

Dates to remember

Saturday 24 October

Parents & Friends Social Event

Rocktober @ The Brook—7.30 pm

Monday 26 October

Year 8 Jamieson Way Kryal Castle Excursion

Thursday 28 October

Year 7 Boardwalk Immunisations 9am

Thursday 29 October

Year 5/6 Jamieson Way Life Skills and Graffiti Education Program

Monday 2 November**Curriculum Day—Students do not attend school****Tuesday 3 November****Cup Day Holiday**

Monday 9 to Wednesday 18 November

F/1 Boardwalk Swimming Program

Tuesday 1 December

Year 5 Canoeing & Coastal Walk

Wednesday 2 December

Year 6 Canoeing & Coastal Walk

Monday 9 to Thursday 12 November

Year 7 Beach Program

Monday 23 to Thurs 26 November

Year 8 Beach Program

Monday 23 to Wednesday 2 December

Year 3/4 Boardwalk Swimming Program

Wednesday 9 to Friday 11 December

Year 9 Surf Camp

Thursday 17 December

Year 9 Graduation

Friday 18 December

Last Day Term 4

**Every minute counts!**

**It's not OK to
be away**

Statement of Purpose

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

Student Absence: Please SMS student absences by 9.00 am to

0429 305 552

D irector's Report

Have you got your tickets to the *College ROCKTOBER event* for this Saturday night? If not then why not, it will be a great opportunity for families to kick back and relax and possibly get to know each other. I am certainly looking forward to speaking to families socially. Tickets available at each office. *Once again thank you to our magnificent band of Parents and Friends helpers who capably organise these occasions.*

I would like to pass on my personal thanks to *Kay Kearney, Sandy Naughton, Ros Myers, Gaye Edmonds and Henric Beiers* for so capably undertaking additional leadership duties during my two weeks overseas. Most appreciated.

The feedback I have received on the recent *Student Learning Conferences* combined with the *Specialist EX-PO* has been incredibly positive. I would like to congratulate all staff involved in any aspect of this important College communication opportunity. Well done.

This is certainly the week of **SOUNDHOUSE** at Carranballac. There are so many opportunities for students and families to participate and see the wonderful outcomes of the dedication of students and Soundhouse staff. Please avail yourself this chance and spend some time enjoying the talents of both staff and students.

Swimming and sport continue to be a strong extra curricula foci this week as well with a range of programs on offer to students. Thanks goes to families and students who make the effort to allow themselves to participate in these programs which will have extremely beneficial long term positive outcomes. To be engaged in health based activities will stand you in good stead later in life as well as teach you a range of skills that will open up doors for your future employment and socialisation. *Special thanks to our organising staff who work tirelessly behind the scenes* to make these activities available.

FMD EXTREME visited the College today and put on a performance for all to remember. This team is Internationally recognised for their skill and teamwork and do provide our student population with hope that if you persist with something you really enjoy then success will follow. The FMD team train on the streets (no studio – no roof over their heads) and are now International Champions. What an incredibly motivating story.

I do hope everyone has a great week!

Brendan O'Brien



Boardwalk School Report

Thank you to the parents and students who came along to the Student Learning Conferences last week, in spite of the traffic issues! If you missed out you are more than welcome to contact your child's teacher and make a suitable time for the conference.

Quite a number of you visited the Specialist Display in the Gym, which was a showcase of some terrific student work.

I would like to extend a BIG thank you to those of you who purchased books from the Book Fair throughout last week. I believe our library will benefit by choosing new books to the value of \$1 000.

Our SoundHouse concerts have/will provide us all with moments to remember with some delightful performances from our students. Please prepare yourselves for more memorable moments in December when we have our end of year concerts which reminds me: the deposit for the Year 9 Graduation is due by 19 November.

Have a great week!

Kay Kearney



Jamieson Way School Report

Jake from Year 2 Ruby was the very first student to donate old mobile phones to the initiative our Year 7 students are organising to support the Werribee Zoo. Old phones may contain coltan, a mineral mined in Africa. Illegal mining of coltan has contributed to the loss of 50% of Eastern Lowland Gorillas. Our students learnt that recycling old phones reduces the need to mine coltan and helps raise funds to support gorillas in the wild. The collection box is in our foyer. Please send any old mobile phones to school.

Thank you to our families for the support shown to our teachers last week at Student Learning Conferences, and in particular the support shown to our sensational specialist teachers. Their expo in the gym was shared by so many families - thank you!

Remember to vote each day for our Wakakirri performance to build our votes for the People's Choice Award. www.wakakirri.com/mainsite/vic-primary-peoples-choice-award-carranballac-college/

Good luck to our students representing Carranballac P-9 College at the Kids Teaching Kids Conference at Etihad Stadium this Thursday and Friday. Thank you to Mr John Forrester and Ms Colleen Little for their enthusiasm and support for this amazing science learning experience.

Well done to our SoundHouse stars for their fabulous performances at concerts this week. Our Performing Arts Centre is an ideal venue to see your child shine on the stage. Thank you to Ms Gaye Edmonds and all SoundHouse staff for developing the confidence and self esteem of our students. We are very proud of all our Stars.

Enjoy your Child this week!

Sandy Naughton



S tudent Awards



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| Lauren Rowarth | Logan Cameron | Dominik Morrison | Milena Volkov |
| Brayden Vickery | Hayley Tran | Saket Samala | Nikola Vidakovic |
| Eren Sahinbas | Sarah Zalzly | Dylyn Fletcher | Sumayo Elmi |
| Kaylin Acklin | Isabella Comito | Tahana Aitu | Sienna Fowler |
| Moana Benjamin | Natalie Stanic | Azaria Pula | Dean Vickery |
| Jonathan Landriel | Aryan Kalra | Selina Jong | Karem Dadoush. |
| Luigi Parragallo | Destiny Ferrari | Tex Barker | Tala Dadoush |
| Jonathon Shapter | Maria Moustaklis | Michelle Nguyen | Kyle Douglass |
| Rubije Shomshe | Drin Dzeladini | Emily Geitenbeek | Meghana Janumpally |
| William Schlemitz | | | |

O SHC News

Dear OSHC families

Please be advised that there will be no care available on Monday 2 November preceding Melbourne Cup Day. Care will resume as normal on Wednesday 4 November.

Chris Barker
OSHC Manager

S chool Banking News

School Banking at Jamieson Way School is done on a Tuesday afternoon during school. This normally takes approximately 2 hours on a rotating roster. Therefore we are asking for volunteers to assist every 3 to 4 weeks, generally twice a Term. No qualifications required. If you are able to help out, please contact the School Banking Coordinator, Karen on 0439 961 073.

Following the decision last month to recall the Cosmic Beam Torch due to a potential safety issue, a decision has been made to also withdraw the upcoming **Lunar Light Band** reward from the School Banking Rewards Program.

To avoid disappointment there is a new reward item available for redemption in Term 4, while stocks last. Students can now test their skills with a game of Frisbee with the new **Galaxy Glider**.

Once 10 tokens have been collected, please include a note in your banking wallet to advise that a Galaxy Glider would like to be redeemed.

Don't forget the Outer Space Savers Money Box is also available in Term 4.

Sports Update



Western Metro Region Athletics Competition

Congratulations to the following students who participated in the Western Metro Region Athletics Competition on Tuesday 13th of October. Well done to all of the students for reaching this round of Athletics and for your exceptional efforts on the day. Well done to the following students—

- *Kayne Razmovski* 9/10 Boys 100m—4th Place in the Final
9/10 Boys 200m—4th Place in the Final
- *Divad Palu* 11 Boys Discus - 1st Place (33.40m)
- *Josh Taykolobak* 9/10 Boys Shot Put— 14th place (7.33m)

Congratulations to Divad Palu who has qualified to represent Carranballac P-9 College in the SSV Primary Track and Field Championships. We wish Divad all the best for the State Championships.

Sport Clinics at Carranballac P-9 College

The students at Carranballac P-9 College have been enjoying having some free clinics from the following organisations this week which helps support the delivery of our sport and physical education curriculum programs. We are fortunate to have these partnerships with such professional sporting groups.



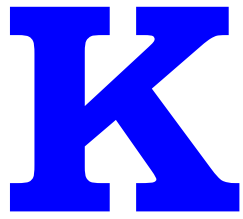
Melbourne Victory SEDA Soccer

Cricket Victoria



(T20 Blast Cricket Competition)

National Rugby League (Tackle and Tag clinics for Robbie Kearns Shield Competition)



Korean Student Exchange 2016

Dear Parents and Guardians

Carranballac P-9 College has been asked to host students participating in a student exchange program run through the YMCA, Busan, South Korea. The college recognizes the value of these programs in providing cross cultural experiences for our students, we are currently exploring a cultural exchange for our students in the future. This program has been approved by both the Department of Education and Training and the College Council as being valuable in meeting the objectives of developing global citizens.

We are expecting approximately 30 students and 3 teachers who will visit our school for a period of 3 weeks in early February. In order to facilitate this program, we are seeking the support of our school community by asking families to homestay 2 students for that period. It is preferred that the 2 students share their own room. Evidence of Working with Children's checks will need to be provided. Volunteer checks are free of charge and available through the Post Office.

An activities program will be provided for the students on either Saturday or Sunday of each weekend for the duration of their stay. Families are not expected to participate in these activities. You will be expected to provide 3 meals per day. A small stipend will be provided to help cover the costs associated with the homestay.

The students will be engaged in programs across the college and families from both Boardwalk School and Jamieson Way School are welcome to participate.

If you are willing to host students could you please provide your details to the office of your school by completing the slip below. A briefing session will be held later on this year for families who have offered their support.

Thank you for your ongoing support to the children and programs offered at Carranballac P-9 College. If you are interested please fill in the below form and return to the office..

Lesley Hall
Assistant Principal
Curriculum Implementation

Korean Student Exchange 2016

I am interested in hosting a Korean Student

Parent Name: _____

Contact Number: _____

Eldest Child's Name: _____

Class: _____



Advice of Student Transfer

Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Reason for Transfer: _____

New School Student Attending: _____

Last Date of Attendance: _____

Parent's Name: _____

New Contact Details: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Please complete the following questions:

- Are you a Defence Family? Yes No
- Does any student listed above receive PSDMS Funding? Yes No
- Are you leasing a MacBook computer? Yes No
- Has your child/children attended OSHC? Yes No

Name of Parent: _____

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

P arents & Friends News

We are running a competition, open to all students of the College, to design a logo for our Parents and Friends Group.

The new logo will be used on all our correspondence, including flyers and advertising.

The design must follow these guidelines:

- ◆ Completed in Black and White
- ◆ Must not be larger than A5 in size

And must include the words

- ◆ Carranballac P-9 College
- ◆ Parents and Friends

The winner will receive a \$100 Rebel Gift Voucher. There are also 2 other prizes for notable entries.

Simply complete your details below and submit with your design, preferably in the space provided, by Friday the 6th of November. There will be a collection box at each of the Schools offices.

The winner will be announced at the College Carols night.

Student Name: _____

Class: _____

School: _____

CARRANBALLAC P-9 COLLEGE PARENTS & FRIENDS PRESENT

24th OCTOBER from 7.30pm

A SPECIAL NIGHT FEATURING THE MUSIC OF

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MINOR
SENSATION

POOR FOUR

AT THE BROOK - POINT COOK

EARLY BIRD TICKETS \$25 UNTIL 9TH OCTOBER / REGULAR PRICE \$30

BEER WINE SPARKING AVAILABLE AT THE BAR - SUPPER PROVIDED

HAPPY HOUR 7.30 - 8.30pm

BOOK YOUR TICKETS NOW from the **School Office**

THIS IS AN 18+ EVENT. ID REQUIRED. SORRY, NO STUDENTS PERMITTED



215 SNEYDES RD, POINT COOK

Tickets for this event are limited so please order your tickets today through the school office.

I would like to order _____ tickets @ \$30 each

Name _____

Student Name _____

Class _____

Amount Enclosed _____

Phone Number _____

Signature _____

Can you please indicate whether you would like your tickets given to the student named above or whether you will pick them up directly from the office?

Student

Pickup from office

Thank you for your ongoing support

Carranballac Corker



Welcome to the Carranballac Corker. This weekly Numeracy challenge is 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

GRAM

Hexagon – a polygon with 6 sides

Early Years

E

What number am I ?

I am two digits.

The sum of my digits is eight.

The difference between my digits is 4.

Middle Years

M

What number am I ?

I am two digits.

The sum of my digits is twelve.

The difference between my digits is 4.

Family Fun Time

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Organise a family bike ride.

Make sure you all have helmets, and remember to take a backpack with water and healthy snacks when you stop to take a break. There are many designated cycle tracks, so why not explore your local route today?

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Weekly Corker Winners

Boardwalk School

Early Years

Stephanie Tan 3/4 Crimson

Middle Years

Nick Parnis 9 Aqua

Jamieson Way School

Early Years

Hiam Ali 3/4 Turquoise

Middle Years

Samiyah Ali 7 Purple

H

ouse Points

Boardwalk School

Golden Wattle 46

Sea Eagles 41

RAAF 36

Cheetham 28

Jamieson Way School

Golden Wattle 160

RAAF 147

Sea Eagles 144

Cheetham 136

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