

Carlton Primary School

A welcoming, diverse, community focused school

Parents are reminded that teachers are on duty before school from 8.45-

9.00am and after school from 3.15 until 3.30pm. Children should not be

unattended in the school grounds before or after these times

Supervision

Term Two 2018 Newsletter #1

Dates to Remember

Welcome back

Wednesday April 25th

ANZAC day public holiday—no school

Thursday April 26th

8am Cross country breakfast & afternoon district cross country event at Princes Park

May 15th. 16th & 17th

NAPLAN tests—grades 3 & 5

Friday June 1st

Report writing day-no school

Monday June 11th

Queen's Birthday public holiday—no school

Welcome back everyone to the start of the second school term for 2018. I hope that you all had a relaxing and enjoyable holiday. We have had a terrific start to the term, thank you to all parents and carers for your part in getting your children to school on time every day. Term two is eleven weeks long and will finish on June 29th. We have a busy and exciting term planned and a number of great incursions and excursions. As always, I would remind you that I am available to discuss any issues or to answer any questions that you may have over the course of this term.

Terrific Kids

We have many ways of celebrating and acknowledging the wonderful achievements of our students at Carlton PS. At the end of each term our school is visited by members of the Kiwanis 'Terrific Kids' program. Terrific Kids is an international student recognition program that promotes character development, self-esteem, and perseverance, TERRIFIC is an acronym meaning: Thoughtful, Enthusiastic, Respectful, Responsible, Inclusive, Friendly, Inquisitive & Capable. These character strengths fit well with the learning behaviours and the Three "B"s at Carlton Primary School. The program awards three students each term with the Terrific Kids Award. Staff choose the students who they believe best show these behaviours and the Kiwanis Club provides the students with a certificate, some school supplies and a basket ball. Congratulations to our Term one 2018 recipients Hanin, Yahya and Elyas!



Hot Chocolate Club

Congratulations to the following children who have joined me at Hot Chocolate Club in recent weeks. They came for showing self-regulation, bravery, persistence and the other behaviours that we know support



good learning. Princes learning area - Isra & Yahya, Drummond learning area - Brendan & Yaqub, Rathdowne learning area - Yusra, Azhar, Maria & Lazar

Welcome Masha

I know that the CPS community will join me in welcoming our newest member of staff Himasha (Masha) Jeronimus. Masha is replacing Frankie who left at the end of term one to begin her maternity leave. Masha has worked in schools in the United Kingdom for the past few years and prior to that taught in an English language school in Melbourne.

Masha will join Anne & Lucy in Drummond learning area with students in grades two and three.



- $rac{1}{2}$ I have read this book three times!.



Health Action Plans

If your child has an allergy, anaphylaxis, asthma or any other medical condition, please inform the office and your child's classroom teacher. Your doctor should help fill out a *Health Action Plan* and a copy should then be given to the school to be kept on file.

Princes learning area end of term picnic

On the last day of term one, all of the prep and grade one children from Princes learning area enjoyed a special picnic to celebrate what great readers they are becoming. All children are improving in their reading skills, however what is obvious to teachers, is that those children who read every night at home with family members are making the most progress.

Well done Prep/one's. Keep it up!

