

# **Carlton Primary School**

A welcoming, diverse, community focused school

### Term Three 2018

Newsletter #4

# 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

## Dates to Remember

#### Friday August 31st

Carlton's Got Talent 12 o'clock

#### Wednesday September 5th

Curriculum day—no school

#### Thursday September 6th

District athletic sports

#### Friday September 14th

Tabloid Sports day—11.45-1.45

#### Friday September 21st

Last day of Term three

#### **Carlton's Got Talent**

Supervision

A reminder that our the annual *Carlton's Got Talent* performance will be happening tomorrow, *Friday August 31*<sup>st</sup> at La Mamma Courthouse Theatre (349 Drummond Street) at 12:00. Come along and support all of the students who have been working so hard over recent weeks to practice and refine their performances. We hope to see lots of families at the show cheering and supporting the very talented and brave performers!



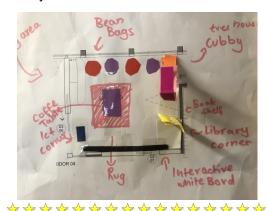
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#### Reading with your child

I saw this poster in a bookshop in New Zealand when I was there recently. It is a reminder of how important sharing books with your child during the early years of their life is. Reading with children is much better for them than allowing them to spend lots of time alone in front of devices (iPads, iPhones and computers). By sitting with your child and reading with them in English or your home language, you are helping to develop a love of literature. Research tells us that children who are exposed to lots of books in their early and primary years are more curious and engaged in the world around them. These children have better educational outcomes than children who are not read to at home.

#### **Curriculum Day September 5th**

There will be no school for students next Wednesday as staff continue their professional learning into working collaboratively in teams and using flexible learning spaces well. All teachers have been on visits to other schools in recent weeks and will be sharing with the whole team what they learnt on these visits. Our architects will also be joining us as we start to consider furniture options for our upstairs spaces. The 4/5/6 students have been inquiring into flexible learning spaces too and their work and ideas, like this design below, will also be shared on the day.



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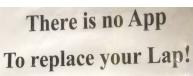
**Grade:** 4/5/6 Rathdowne

**Book Title:** Mummy

Why should other people read this book?

This is a really

interesting non-fiction book. It is all about
mummies. Mummies are people who lived in
Egypt thousands of years ago and when they
died they were wrapped in layers of cotton and
gold and put in a tomb. The most famous
mummy is Tutankhamen. He was a young king
and he had jewels put with him in his tomb.





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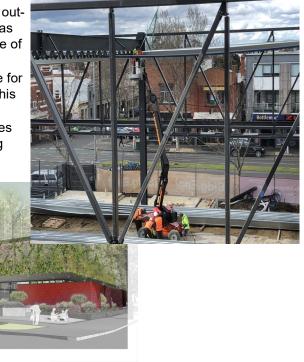
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## What's happening with the learning precinct redevelopment?

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- The huge COLA (covered outdoor learning area) roof was completed over the course of this week
- Level two plastering is due for completion by the end of this week
- Joinery (cupboards, shelves and book cases) are being installed on level two



#### Welcome to Spring this weekend!

It has certainly been a long, cold Winter, but these photos from our garden show that Spring finally is on its way!

