



Carlton Primary School Newsletter

Carlton Primary School is a partner in the Carlton Learning Precinct
Supporting children and their families to succeed in life



Term Three 2022
Newsletter #3

Dates to Remember

Aug 23rd—Aug 26th

Grade 5 Camp—Queenscliff

Monday Sept 5th

School Council 3.30pm

Friday Sept 16th

Carlton's Got Talent

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Last day of term 3

2.15pm finish

Monday Oct 3rd

Pupil free day—staff professional learning

Tuesday Oct 4th

First day of term 4 for students

We acknowledge Traditional Owners of Country and recognise their continuing connection to land, waters & community and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

Supervision

Families 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.

Parent Opinion Survey

The Parent opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by The Department of Education. We use the survey results to help plan for the future here at Carlton Primary. All responses to the survey are confidential. The survey is online, takes about 15 minutes and can be accessed on computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones. Survey translations are available in a range of languages other than English. These include: Arabic, Turkish, Vietnamese, Madarin, Hindi, Japanese, Somali and Punjabi. A link to the survey is on Seesaw and I would really encourage all families to do the survey, which will provide us with important feedback.

Our new water tank

We are very proud of our wonderful gardens and grounds here at Carlton PS. Apart from providing expansive play opportunities for children, they also enable wonderful, authentic learning opportunities about plants, birds, insects and caring for our environment. Part of our grounds action plan for sometime now has been to install a water tank that children can access. That tank finally arrived last week! Now at breaktimes children are free to fill their watering cans and water the many plants and trees that we have around the school. It's been a very popular activity!

Leap into Learning

Our prep readiness program, Leap into Learning will start next week for all children enrolled in Prep for 2023. The program gives an opportunity for children to experience school routines and become familiar with our school setting. It will run weekly on Thursdays and Fridays from 9am-10.30 with two different groups of children each day, and will be in our developmental play space on level one. The program will start on August 25th & 26th and will run until October 27th & 28th, eight sessions in total. If you have a child starting school next year but haven't yet enrolled them, please come to the office this week so that they can be part of the program.



We love writing and publishing books in all of our classes here at Carlton PS. Once published, books are shared with classmates, across classes and even read to our kinder buddies downstairs! It's only after all of this sharing that published books make their way home. Once home they can be read again with family members. We have so many great authors and illustrators here!



Brandon Grade 4/5


Health and Safety at Carlton Learning Precinct

On any given day we can have as many as four hundred babies, children and adults onsite here at CLP. Safety is an important priority for all precinct partners and we regularly meet to discuss and improve our OH&S practices. We also have termly whole site lock down and evacuation practices. Last week our evacuation practice went smoothly with everyone (ELC, Family Services, School & playgroups) exiting the building and congregating on the oval calmly and quickly. Well done!

Warm regards,

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Principal





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