



# 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 One 2025  
Newsletter #3

## Dates to Remember

### Friday April 4th

Last day of term 1  
2.15pm finish

### Saturday April 12th

Carlton Harmony Day

### Wednesday April 23rd

First day of term 2 for students

### Friday April 25th

ANZAC Day—public holiday  
No school

### Friday June 6th

Report writing day -  
No school

### Friday July 4th

Last day of term two



### Lost Property

Please come up to the office if your child has lost any clothing this term. There are lots of hats, school jackets and hoodies.

**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.

### Supervision after school & use of school grounds

Over recent weeks we have unfortunately had a number of incidents where children from our school have been unsupervised after school finishes and into the early hours of the evening. In some cases staff or members of the public, have reported seeing children engaging in unsafe behaviours. We have had to make a number of calls to parents and carers about this.

I want to remind families of the duty of care arrangements that are in place to ensure that your children are safe at the end of the day. Staff are on yard duty at the from dismissal time, 3.15pm, until 3.30pm. Supervision after 3.30pm is the responsibility of families. If you are running late and cannot collect your child by 3.30pm, please contact the office and we will bring your children inside to wait and be supervised until you are able to collect them. Can I suggest that all parents have the school number 9347 6022, in their phones. Also, if families need an adult from another family to collect their child, this must be relayed to the school office before 3.15pm.

At 3.30pm, children can only remain on school grounds if they are actively supervised by parents or carers. People from outside the school community, including older siblings and students from other schools are not permitted on school grounds before 6pm, which is when our after care program finishes. These rules are common in all schools and are in place for everyone's safety.

We are very proud of our fabulous school grounds. Our children, unlike children in many inner city schools, enjoy more than a hectare of sports grounds, bushland and play equipment. Unlike many schools, we don't lock our gates after hours or on weekends. We encourage community use of our oval, basketball court and playgrounds, as long as people are using them safely and respectfully and with children being supervised at all times.

Thank you to those families who always actively supervise their children. Let's continue to work together so that everyone can enjoy the school grounds safely.

### Hot Chocolate Club

Every Friday a small group of students are chosen by their teachers for doing great work in class and they share their learning with me while we enjoy morning tea together.



Congratulations to the following children who joined me at Hot Chocolate Club in recent weeks.

Grade 4-6—Mahir, Safia & Rayan

Grade 2/3—Adballah, Nandu. Osman, Pema, Salma, Ahlam

P/Grade 1—Ari, Sophia, Hakimi, Jacinta, Aisha, Mohamud, Munasar, Abdul, Maymuna

### Federal Election

This morning it was announced that the federal election will take place on Saturday May 3rd. I have had confirmation that Carlton Learning Precinct will be a polling booth for this election.

A reminder that term one ends next Friday at 2.15pm. The new school term resumes for students on Wednesday April 23rd.

Easter falls at the end of the school holiday period and Eid is celebrated this coming weekend. We would like to wish our families that celebrate these upcoming special events all the very best.


Harmony Day will be celebrated by the Carlton community here at the school on April 12th. I have included the "hot off the press" Harmony Day flyer outlining the many fun things that will be happening on the day. I hope all CPS families come along to celebrate this great annual event.

I will be on leave for the first week of term two, and look forward to seeing everyone on my return in late April.

Warm Regards

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