

Carramar Chit Chat

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Attendance Matters Every student. Every day.

Kaya Carramar families



This week we are celebrating **Harmony Week**. Australia is one of the world's most successful multicultural countries and our cultural diversity is at the heart of who we are. Harmony Week is about inclusiveness, respect and belonging for all Australians, from the Traditional Owners of the land to our most recent

arrivals, celebrating that no matter where you come from, we're united by the Australian values of freedom, respect, fairness, democracy and equal opportunity. Students from all year levels have been engaged in a variety of learning activities exploring the various cultures that make up, not only our school community, but our country as a whole.

We look forward to seeing you at our **Harmony Week Assembly** on Friday. Children are asked to **wear orange**, the colour of harmony, or **traditional dress from their country**, or their parent's country of origin

You may have noticed that the school has been a little quieter over the past two days with over 100 of our Year 6 students off site enjoying the challenges of **Kerem Camp Adventures**. I've no doubt some homes may be a little quieter too! Hopefully there has been some sleeping and a lot of fun being had as the students work hard to achieve success in challenges they may have not previously encountered. I look forward to joining them all tomorrow and hearing about all their adventures.

Mr Malatios and Mr Cox have been very pleased with the enthusiasm of our **Cross Country** runners who have participated in training recently. Welcome to our new students. Well done to everyone who has attended and thank you to all parents and carers for your support in assisting children to attend and to those of you who are able to observe and encourage.

A very big congratulations to our Year 3 and Year 5 students for the manner in which they have embraced the annual National Assessment Plan for Literacy and Numeracy (**NAPLAN**) since last Wednesday. The assessments will be finished by the end of this week and to date, all have gone off without a hitch! The data from these assessments will provide valuable local and nationally comparable information about literacy and numeracy achievement and will assist in guiding our teaching and learning programs for the remainder of the year for these cohorts.



Thank you to everyone for your support of our **P & C Easter Raffle**, with both your donations and your ticket purchases, and also our **Carramar Dads Easter Egg Hunt** on Wednesday 29th March at 5:30pm. All funds from both events will go towards various projects that the P & C are supporting. Major projects this year include shade sails for our Year 2 - 6 playground areas and additions to the Year 2 play area to extend creative play opportunities. Tickets for

the raffle will be drawn on **Friday 31st March**.

In closing I would like to welcome Mrs Claire Masterlez and Mrs Simone West to the **School Board**. Due to the tenure of current **Parent Representatives**, the Board decided that both nominations received would be accepted. Sincere thanks to Mrs Sue Block and Mrs Deb Parker for the roles they have had as **Staff Representatives**. Their tenure is now complete. Welcome Mrs Rebecca Atkinson and Mrs Lesley McCarthy to these roles. We look forward to the contributions of all new Board Representatives. Thank you everyone for your ongoing support. Have a wonderful fortnight



Boorda—Maree James, PRINCIPAL

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Merit Certificates

Year 1- Zahlia, Anna-Leia, Mylah, Oliver, Isabella, Labron

Year 2- Kade, Harlow, Tiffany, Ivey, Honor, Zoe

Year 3– Scarlett, Kash, Isla, Ty, Ava, Aoife

Year 4– Jacob, Siena, Lincoln, Mia

Year 5– Riley, Jensen, Amelia, Lewis, Kenny, Shelby, Leigh-Anne, Leah

Year 6– Charlotte, Abby, Charlotte, Indianna, Emily, Dieter, Sophia, Tyla, Aiden



Literacy Cape Winners



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Year 6 Camp 2023



Colour War



Disc Golf



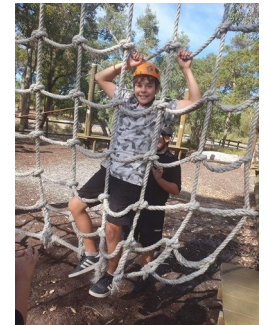
Team Building



LONG ROPES COURSE



Pool Games



Outback Splash

OUTDOOR MOVIE

ROCK CLIMBING

Water Works





Early Childhood Chatter

Message from Deb Parker (Deputy Principal - Early Childhood)

Hello everyone,

Playgroup continues to flourish. Take a look at the most recent photos taken at our school.



If you know of any children who will be attending Kindergarten in 2024, direct them to our school website (see link below), where they can find out all the information about our school playgroup ([Playgroup | Carramar Primary School \(carramarps.wa.edu.au\)](https://www.carramarps.wa.edu.au)). Alternatively they can search Carramar Playgroup on Facebook.

The teachers in Pre-primary and Year 1 have been conducting On-entry assessments with the students so that they can begin to target their teaching to the needs of the groups and individual children in their classes. All children tried their best and parents will be notified of the individual results in the near future.



Supporting Literacy Development – Sharing Books

Sharing books with your child is an enjoyable way to engage your child in the world of 'sounds and letters'. Book sharing is a fantastic way to promote both language and literacy development. Use book sharing to draw your child's attention to the sounds and the letters in words:

- *"This is the letter 's'."*
- *"It shows the ssssss sound."*
- *"S is the sound in Sam."*
- Point to letters and words as you are talking.
- Initially, only focus on one or two sounds. Check which sounds your child is learning with the teacher.
- **IMPORTANT:** Remember to be clear about the difference between '**sounds**' and '**letters**'. We hear and say '**sounds**'. We see and write '**letters**'. Try to keep the focus on sounds. (*"What sound can you hear at the start of the word 'bike'?"*) NOT (*"What letter can you hear at the start of the word 'bike'?"*)

Help your child at home by regular book sharing, practising the sounds in words whilst in the car or shopping and singing nursery rhymes and songs.



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From Our Student Ministers

This terms upcoming fundraiser is for Ronald McDonald House Charities. We would like to see everyone in their crazy hats or hair on Tuesday 4th of April. Please bring a gold coin donation to help the children and parents in need.


On Monday, the Year 6 Leadership Forum was held. We participated in fun team building activities and heard from guest speakers; Roanna Edwards, Sabine Winton and Mr Huggins. We completed a fun activity with tie-dying, with the colours that represent feelings that arise when working with others and our personality traits. We also persevered through a great puzzle making challenge!

In the afternoon, we broke off into our teams to work on individual projects. The Faction Leaders worked with Mr Malatios on their umpiring skills for the organised lunch time sports. The student ministers worked on their upcoming fundraising ventures. The student technicians had a play around on a mock assembly and the COW Project Team had a visit from Tara and Annette from JBSC who shared their knowledge on totems in the Aboriginal culture and how we can incorporate this into Koolungas Mia Kaartijin this year.

Sabine from the COW Project Team said, "It was a great experience and a great time to cooperate in her leadership team."

Archer from the Student Minister team said, "It was a great experience to learn how to be a better leader and I also loved the fun activities."

Zoe and Peyton from the Faction Leader team said "It was a very fun experience. All the games were very well organised and the food was great."

**Sabine Winton MLA** ✓
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As a Minister my Mondays start with a Cabinet meeting.

Today I was able to sneak in a Teams hook up with the student leadership team at [Carramar Primary School](#) before my day began.

They are holding a whole day of training and team building activities today and it was great to be part of kicking off their awesome day.

Carramar Primary School are providing great opportunities for young people, be it as Power Kids, Faction Leaders, Technicians or Student Ministers 💪

I can't wait to meet you all throughout the year and support your work 😊

Thank you so much to Sue Block for making it happen 🙌



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SPORT NEWS



On Thursday the 2nd of March a select group of Carramar's Year Five and Six students attended the **T20 Cricket Carnival** at Kingsway Sporting Complex. The day involved nine schools from the North and Metro area coming together to play a round robin T20 Blast Cricket Tournament. Well done to all the students who attended the day from Carramar, your mornings of training all paid off with a range of cricketing skills and sportsmanship all represented in style. The results are as followed:

Year 5 Girls B Division: 2nd Place

Year 5 Boys B Division: 5th Place

Year 5/6 Boys B Division: 6th Place

Year 6 Boys: 8th place

Year 6 Girls: 5th Place

Special thanks to all the parents who came to help and support our students! Great work Carramar PS students and community!

Mr Malatios and Mr Cox



This week we had Tim from Squash WA visit the school and conduct an introductory lesson to squash using large inflatable courts. He will be coming again in week 8 to run a final session with some year 2, 5 and 6 classes.



Cross Country
Training



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Student Successes



Congratulations to **Johnson, Charlie** and **Hayley** from Year 4, Room 5. They have earned their Silver Certificates in Athletics!

Congratulations to **Lucas** from year 6 for his efforts in the WA State Junior Track & Field Championships. He came 1st in Long Jump— 4.88m and 3rd in High Jump – 1.37m.

Well done Lucas!



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Year 5 Chemical Science

This term, the Year 5s have been learning about the wonderful world of solids, liquids and gases encompassed within the sub-strand of Chemical Science. The students not only learnt many amazing facts about solids, liquids and gases but also investigated some of their own hypotheses to see if their predictions and theories were true. Here are some photos showing how some of the students performed their investigations. These investigations are always a hit. Let's face it, who doesn't like experimenting in science?



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P&C News



P&C Chat

Just Chicken in with all of the P&C activities. Our Easter Raffle is in FULL SWING. We are HOPPING for many more donations to come rolling in. Donations for the Easter Raffle can include baskets, crafts, chocolates, decorations and MORE! We would love to give away even more raffle prizes than we did last year so please keep the donations rolling in.

Our lovely P&C volunteers have been set up at different gates morning and afternoon, so make sure you pop past to pick up your WINNING TICKET for the Easter Raffle. \$2 per ticket and \$10 for 6 tickets.

The raffle will be drawn on 31st of March and all prizes are to be collected by an adult before the end of term.

Dads ... Grab your kiddies and fill them with chocolate! The Dads of Carramar are running an Easter Egg Hunt!

When: Wednesday 29th March

Time: 5.30pm

Where: Carramar Primary School

What: Easter egg hunt, \$4 sausage sizzle and raffle.

Remember to please **RSVP** by the 24th March for catering purposes.



We are always looking for new members to join our P&C. Please consider joining our team of legends in building a strong community and raising money for our wonderful school. Membership forms are kept in the office and the fee is a gold coin.



DADS OF CARRAMAR



**YOU ARE INVITED TO THE
"DADS OF CARRAMAR"
FIRST EVENT FOR 2023**



*Come along for some fun and games searching
for Chocolate Eggs
Then finish the night off with a Sausage Sizzle for
dinner.*

*Remember to bring some coins for your
chance to win some fabulous prizes in the raffle.*

**WHERE: OUTSIDE THE UNDERCOVER AREA
ON: WEDNESDAY 29TH MARCH 2023
AT: 5.30 PM**

PLEASE RSVP BY FRIDAY 24TH MARCH



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NOTICE - ALLERGY - Please ensure all food is nut free

EXCURSION

INCURSION

Monday 10 April

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

SERVICE CLOSED



Monday 17 April

FLAVOURS OF KOORI COOKING

IN-SERVICE

Today we create some delicious dishes native to our Aboriginal people. What will be your favourite bush tucker food?



Tuesday 11 April

WHEELS DAY

IN-SERVICE

Enjoy your bikes, scooters, skates, blades or skateboards for a day of riding fun. Helmets and safety gear must be worn, no equipment can be shared.



Tuesday 18 April

EX + \$37.00

SCIENCE ADVENTURE

EXCURSION - SCITECH

Be amazed by over 150 interactive exhibits at Scitech and see a show at the Science Theatre or the Planetarium during your visit.



Arrive by 8.30am

Wednesday 12 April

AMAZING ASIA

IN-SERVICE

There are so many fun things to see in Asia. Join us as we explore one or more of the 48 countries that make up such unique cultures.



Wednesday 19 April

A WILDLIFE ADVENTURE

IN-SERVICE

A wildlife adventure awaits! Today we will explore what critters, creatures, and crawlers we have in our own "backyard".



Thursday 13 April

EX + \$35.00

GREEN MACHINE

EXCURSION - MINI GOLF AT OASIS SUPA GOLF

Putt-Putt your way around the Oasis Supa golf course today, will you get a hole in one?



Arrive by 8.30am

Thursday 20 April

IN + \$30.00

LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION!

INCURSION - DODGY BROS (3HR SESSION 40 - 50 CHILDREN)

Get your team ready as the arena inflates. Dodgy Bros are here to provide the fun and laughter as you duck and dodge the foam balls. Will you be the last one standing for your team?



Friday 14 April

IN + \$15.00

DISCO DANCER

INCURSION - STREET DANCE

We have a very cool, high energy incursion for you today. We will be participating and learning the art of street dancing.



Friday 21 April

EARTH DAY

IN-SERVICE

Hug a tree, plant a seed and think green as we participate in activities that will help our environment.



Mon - Fri 6:30am - 6:00pm
Carramar Primary School - 0422 256 119
71 Houghton Drive Carramar WA 6031

Daily price: \$76.00 | Excursions and incursions are an additional cost to the daily fee and are charged for each child that attends whether they choose to participate or not.

Book now at oshclub.com.au | be quick as places are limited

Customer Service 1300 395 735



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Junior Adventures Group continues to pioneer the OSHC sector, building stronger communities and brighter futures for more than 70,000 children, 50,000 families and more than 450 schools across Australia.



Our Values

- Considerate - Be there for others
- Passionate - Bring energy and determination
- Courageous - Challenge ourselves

The values we share guide our behaviour as we work towards our vision to **build brighter futures together.**

What we offer

- A healthy, safe, respectful and engaging environment
- Caring, enthusiastic, fun and friendly team
- New and popular excursions, incursions and theme days
- Stimulating experiences tailored to children's interests, abilities and current trends
- OSHClub endeavour to link each fun experience to key learning outcomes



We are a child safe organisation

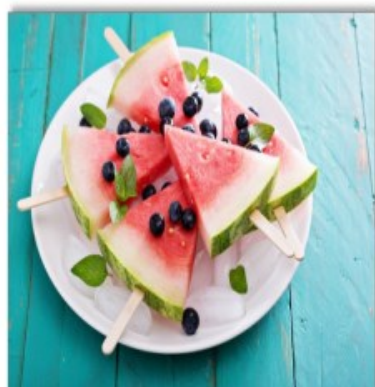


What Does My Child Bring?

Please bring breakfast, morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea and a refillable drink bottle. If bringing food please make sure it's nutritious and doesn't require heating or cooking.

Please be mindful of the planned incursion/excursion and ensure your children are dressed appropriately. Don't forget your sun smart hat, comfortable clothes, closed shoes and a drink bottle.

To avoid loss or disappointment, please leave your valuables, money and electronic toys (including tablets and smartphones) at home.



Healthy Eating

OSHClub follows the Australian dietary guidelines which can be found at <https://www.eatforhealth.gov.au>

Activity Changes

If an excursion or incursion (due to unforeseen circumstances) is cancelled, the activity will either be postponed or an alternative activity of equal value will be provided where possible.



Before making your booking & cancellations

All children must be enrolled with OSHClub prior to booking via oshclub.com.au. Bookings made within 5 days for a Holiday Program session will incur an extra charge of \$4.00 per day per child. 7 days notice from before the session commences is required for cancellation of a Holiday Program booking to ensure you will not incur out of pocket costs. Please note that bookings cannot be made online within 5 days of the session commencing. In order to book within this period, you will need to contact the service directly, the Customer Service and Billing Team on 1300 395 735 or by emailing oshaccounts@junioradventuresgroup.com.au

Child care subsidy

Our services are registered with Centrelink, so you will be able to claim Child Care Subsidy on your fees. For further information please visit www.education.gov.au/childcare-FAQ

Children with additional needs

We support all children including children with additional needs. If you would like to provide additional information about your child and his/her needs or require inclusion support funding, please contact us 6 weeks prior to program commencement on 0422 256 119 for staffing purposes.

Book now at oshclub.com.au | be quick as places are limited

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Why JOSEPH BANKS Secondary College?

Come and see for yourself at our

OPEN DAY

Festival of Learning

Tuesday 4 April 2023

9am - 11am

Every child | Every lesson | Every day



School Holiday Programs



KINGSWAY INDOOR STADIUM / APRIL 2023

Enrol now at leisure.wanneroo.wa.gov.au/Course/Enrol/1

Date	Program	Time	Cost
WEEK 1			
Tuesday 11 April	Basketball Camp 5-9 years	8.45am-12.45pm	\$48
	Acrobatic Fundamentals 4-8 yrs	9am-12pm	\$36
	Soccer Camp 5-9 years	9.15am-12.15pm	\$36
	Jnr Multisport Camp 7-12 years	10am-2pm	\$48
	Cheer Squad 5-10 years	12pm-3pm	\$36
Wednesday 12 April	Multisport Camp 5-10 years	8.45am-11.45am	\$36
	Art & Craft Creations 5-12 yrs	9am-11am	\$24
	Jnr Soccer Camp 8-13 years	9.15am-12.15pm	\$36
	Jnr Basketball Camp 9-14 years	10am-2pm	\$48
	Dance Camp 4-8 years	11.15am-2.15pm	\$36
Thursday 13 April	Tumbling Acrobatics 8-12 years	2.15pm-5.15pm	\$36
	Shooting Stars Netball Camp 5-9 yrs	8.45am-11.45am	\$36
	Soccer Camp 5-9 years	8.45am-11.45am	\$36
	Acrobatic Fundamentals 4-8 yrs	9am-12pm	\$36
	Jnr Multisport Camp 7-12 years	10am-2pm	\$48
Friday 14 April	Jnr Basketball Camp 9-14 years	10am-2pm	\$48
	Jnr Dance Camp 8-12 years	12.30pm-3.30pm	\$36
	Basketball Camp 5-9 years	8.45am-12.45pm	\$48
	Multisport Camp 5-10 years	8.45am-11.45am	\$36
	Art & Craft Creations 5-12 yrs	9am-11am	\$24
	Jnr Soccer Camp 8-13 years	10am-1pm	\$48
	Jnr Netball Camp 8-12 years	10am-1pm	\$48
	Dance Camp 4-8 years	11.15am-2.15pm	\$36

Date	Program	Time	Cost
WEEK 2			
Monday 17 April	Basketball Camp 5-9 years	8.45am-12.45pm	\$48
	Acrobatic Fundamentals 4-8 yrs	9am-12pm	\$36
	Soccer Camp 5-9 years	9.15am-12.15pm	\$36
	Jnr Multisport Camp 7-12 years	10am-2pm	\$48
	Cheer Squad 5-10 years	12pm-3pm	\$36
Tuesday 18 April	Multisport Camp 5-10 years	8.45am-11.45am	\$36
	Jnr Soccer Camp 8-13 years	9.15am-12.15pm	\$36
	Jnr Basketball Camp 9-14 years	10am-2pm	\$48
	Dance Camp 4-8 years	11.15am-2.15pm	\$36
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Wednesday 19 April	Shooting Stars Netball Camp 5-9 yrs	8.45am-11.45am	\$36
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	Jnr Soccer Camp 8-13 years	10am-1pm	\$48
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Programs are subject to change/cancellation. Terms and conditions apply, see website for details.

Kingsway Indoor Stadium also offers programs throughout the school term.
Visit the website to find out more.

This flyer is available in alternative formats, call 9405 5645 or email kingswayindoorstadium@wanneroo.wa.gov.au



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