



Thriving, Christ-Centred, Learning Community

FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

On the last day of Term 2, I want to take a moment to reflect on our journey so far. Our theme for this term, "Pulling Together", could not have been more apt as we navigated the challenges and triumphs of the past few months.

Firstly, a heartfelt thank you to Brooke and Jenna for stepping in to cover our staffing gaps this term. Their dedication to the Carlisle community is commendable and we are extremely grateful for their support. We also extend a warm welcome to Esta, the newest member of our Carlisle family. Please note that there will be some reshuffling of classes to accommodate these changes in the upcoming term.

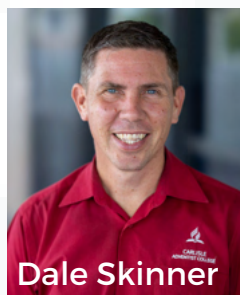
Last week, we had the wonderful opportunity to showcase our secondary school during our open night. It was a delight to see a variety of displays from different departments and to witness firsthand the incredible work our students have been doing in their classes.

Looking ahead to Term 3, our reports are due out early in the term and report night will be held on Tuesday of week 2. We look forward to discussing your child's progress and achievements with you.

Finally, I hope you all enjoy a restful and rejuvenating break. We eagerly await the return of our students on the first day of Term 3, which is the Monday 15th of July.

Remember, we are all in this together, pulling in the same direction for the success of our students.

Stay safe and take care and God Bless.



Dale Skinner

Term 2, Week 10: June 19, 2024

IMPORTANT DATES

LAST DAY TERM 2
Wednesday, 19 June

**SHOW DAY PUBLIC
HOLIDAY**
Thursday, 20 June

VACATION CARE BEGINS
Friday, 21 June

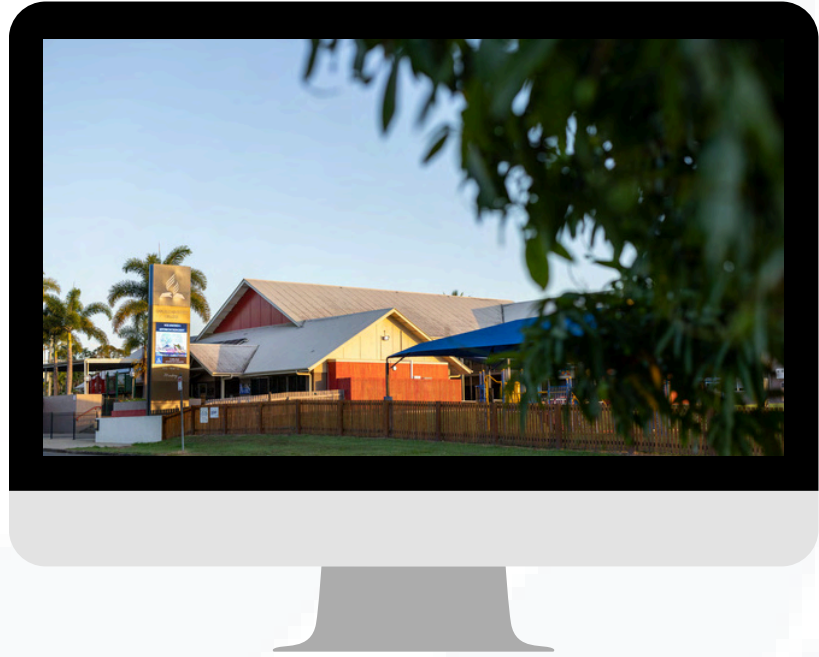
BIG CAMP
Friday, 21 June

TERM 3 BEGINS
Monday, 15 July

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

During the holidays, our office hours will vary as many of our staff will be away. The office will be open from 10 AM to 2 PM daily, except for Monday, July 8th, and Friday, July 12th, when the office will be closed for staff training sessions.



Vacation Care June/July



\$55/DAY
CHILD CARE SUBSIDY AVAILABLE FOR
ELIGIBLE FAMILIES



MON-THUR: 6:30AM-6:00PM
FRI: 6:30AM TO 5:30PM



CARLISLE
ADVENTIST COLLEGE



CARLISLE WAY AWARDS



Every week we celebrate one of our CARE values. Here are the recipients of the Carlisle Way Award for Week 9 and 10



STUDENT WELFARE



Every week, one primary class is awarded for their CARE values.

Here are the recipients for Weeks 9 and 10.

 **CARLISLE
ADVENTIST COLLEGE**

AT CARLISLE WE

CARE

WE SHOW

COMPASSION
ACHIEVEMENT
RESPECT
EFFORT



SPORTS

PRIMARY SPORT



At Cumberland's sports day last week, our students showcased their exceptional talent and sportsmanship. Jillian, Tayla, Hayden, and Jackson all represented our school admirably. We are thrilled to announce that Jackson will be advancing to the Mackay District competition for both the 100m and 200m events, and Jillian will be competing in the high jump. Congratulations to all our athletes!

SPORTS



A group of talented students from Mackay recently travelled to Cairns to represent in various Under 12 basketball teams at the first North Queensland Basketball Competition Carnival of 2024. Three of these competitions will head to Brisbane in September for the Under12 State Championships.

Among the standout performers were Aurelie and Atarangi in Year 6, who played for the Under 12 Mackay Meteors. Their team achieved an impressive 4-4 wins, securing victories against both Townsville and Cairns. A highlight of the competition was a massive block by Cheyenne in Year 10, a student who also competed in an NBL1 game against the Sunshine Coast Phoenix in Mackay last Sunday night.

In other sporting news, the Carlisle Usos's junior girls and boys volleyball teams celebrated grand final victories, showcasing their skills and teamwork. Additionally, the Carlisle Bomber touch football team triumphed, 15-3 winning their final match.

Congratulations to all our students for their dedication and outstanding achievements!



COMMUNITY

YEAR 9/10 MUSIC VISIT ELC



Conan, one of our kindy students, recently sent a heartwarming letter to the school, requesting a visit from the drummers. Inspired by his enthusiasm, the Year 9 and 10 drummers, who have been diligently practicing, eagerly marched over to the Carlisle Adventist Early Learning Centre today, drums in hand.

The visit was a resounding success, filling the ELC with lively beats and rhythms. Joy radiated from the kindy students' faces as they eagerly learned new drumming techniques from the older students. It was a fantastic experience for everyone involved, fostering a shared love for music and rhythm.

We are proud of our drummers for their outstanding performance and grateful to Conan for his initiative in bringing this delightful event to life.



SECONDARY OPEN NIGHT



Thank you to everyone who attended our first Secondary Open Night! The evening was filled with positive energy, showcasing just a glimpse of what Carlisle has to offer.

Highlights of the night included hair-raising science experiments, challenging math brain teasers, an impressive 3D printing display, captivating choir and drama class performances, vibrant cultural dances, and a delicious tapas dinner prepared by our talented hospitality students. We appreciate your support and enthusiasm!



EXCURSION

YEARS 3 - 7



Recently, our students had the incredible opportunity to see Monkey Baa's award-winning production of *The Peasant Prince*.

Adapted from Li Cunxin's autobiography, *Mao's Last Dancer*, *The Peasant Prince* tells the inspiring journey of a 10-year-old peasant boy from rural China to the international dance stage. This extraordinary production captivated our young audience with its powerful themes of courage, resilience, and hope.

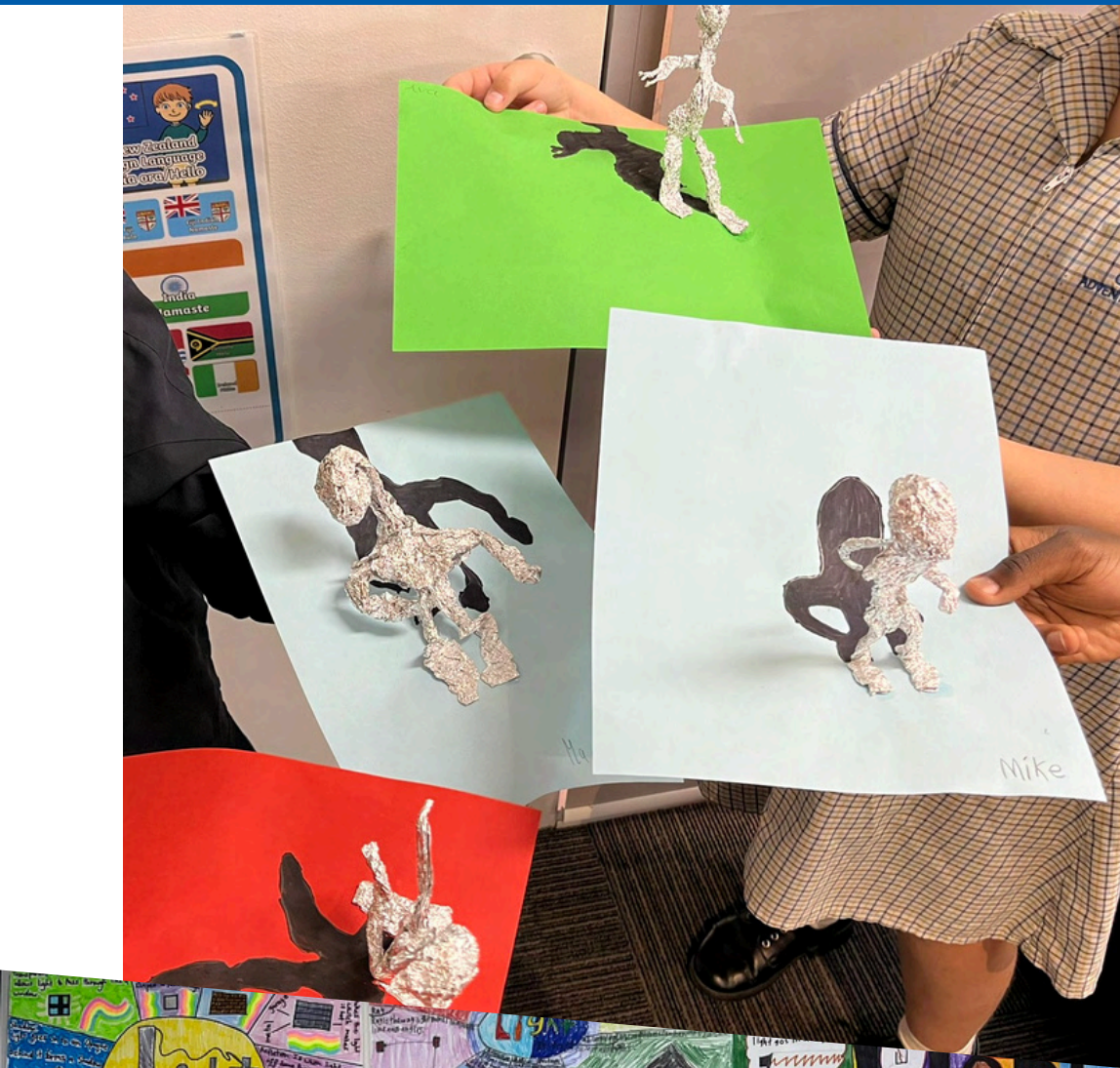
Witnessing Li's transformation from an impoverished child to a celebrated dancer was a truly memorable experience, igniting aspirations and inspiring dreams in all who attended.



IN THE CLASSROOM

YEAR 5

In Year 5, we have been learning about Light and how different types of light behave. We have experimented with different materials, laser pointers, and prisms. We also used torches to create shadows and we made alu foil sculptures to show how opaque objects cast shadows. At the end of our unit, we created posters to show what we learned.



IN THE CLASSROOM

YEAR 8 FRENCH



Our Year 8 students recently enhanced their French speaking skills through a creative and engaging exercise. They wrote their own scripts and brought their stories to life through re-enactments. This activity helped them practice vocabulary related to greetings, family, numbers, and simple questions.

Bonjour, nous vous prions d'avoir une merveilleuse pause de deux trimestres avec vos familles. J'ai hâte de voir tout le monde le 15 Juillet.



IN THE CLASSROOM

YEAR 8 AND 10

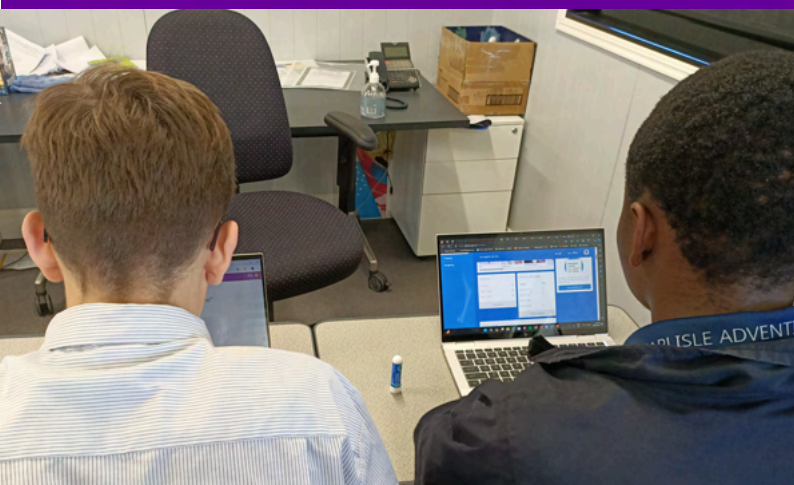
Banquer High Expansion Activation



This term, Year 10 Business students have been using BANQER HIGH, an educational platform which teaches essential financial literacy skills. The interactive program allows students to explore real-world scenarios where students manage virtual bank accounts, make investment decisions, and learn about the financial sector. The program aims to equip young people with the knowledge and confidence to handle their finances responsibly. BANQER HIGH facilitated healthy competition amongst the students as they worked towards building net worth.

Congratulations to the below students for their engagement with BANQUER HIGH:

- First place - Jaydn \$45,031
- Second place - Izabelle \$41,243
- Third place - Darien \$37,983



This term in Year 8, students have been playing the ESSI Money Game, an online learning platform that simulates real-life financial scenarios designed to enhance financial literacy of students. Students learn to manage money, budget, save, and invest wisely. The game emphasises practical decision-making and the consequences of financial choices, promoting a deeper understanding of personal finance. ESSI Money facilitated healthy competition amongst the students as they gamed it out for highest net worth.

Congratulation to our ESSI Money highest net worth winners:

- First place - Thomas \$27,664.83
- Second place - Tinashe \$23,838.50
- Third place Madeleine \$19,504.91



ACHIVEMENTS



Jackson

Jackson, formerly a swimming standout, has successfully transitioned to ninja sports, securing an impressive 3rd place and earning an invitation to the QLD state qualifier. Congratulations, Jackson!

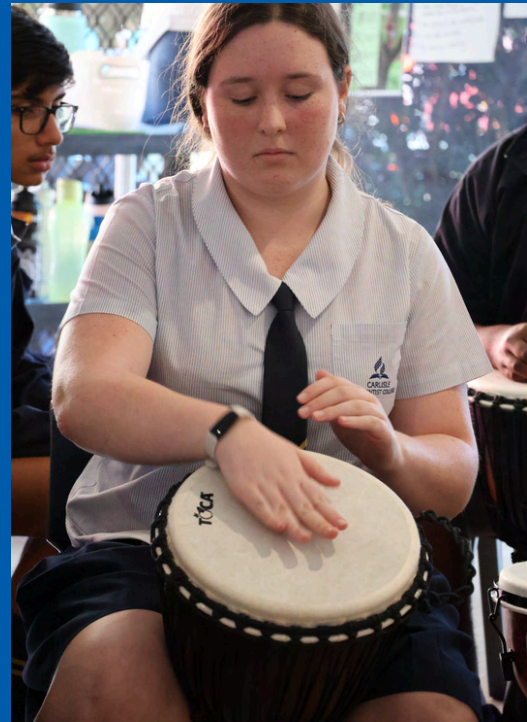
Hudson

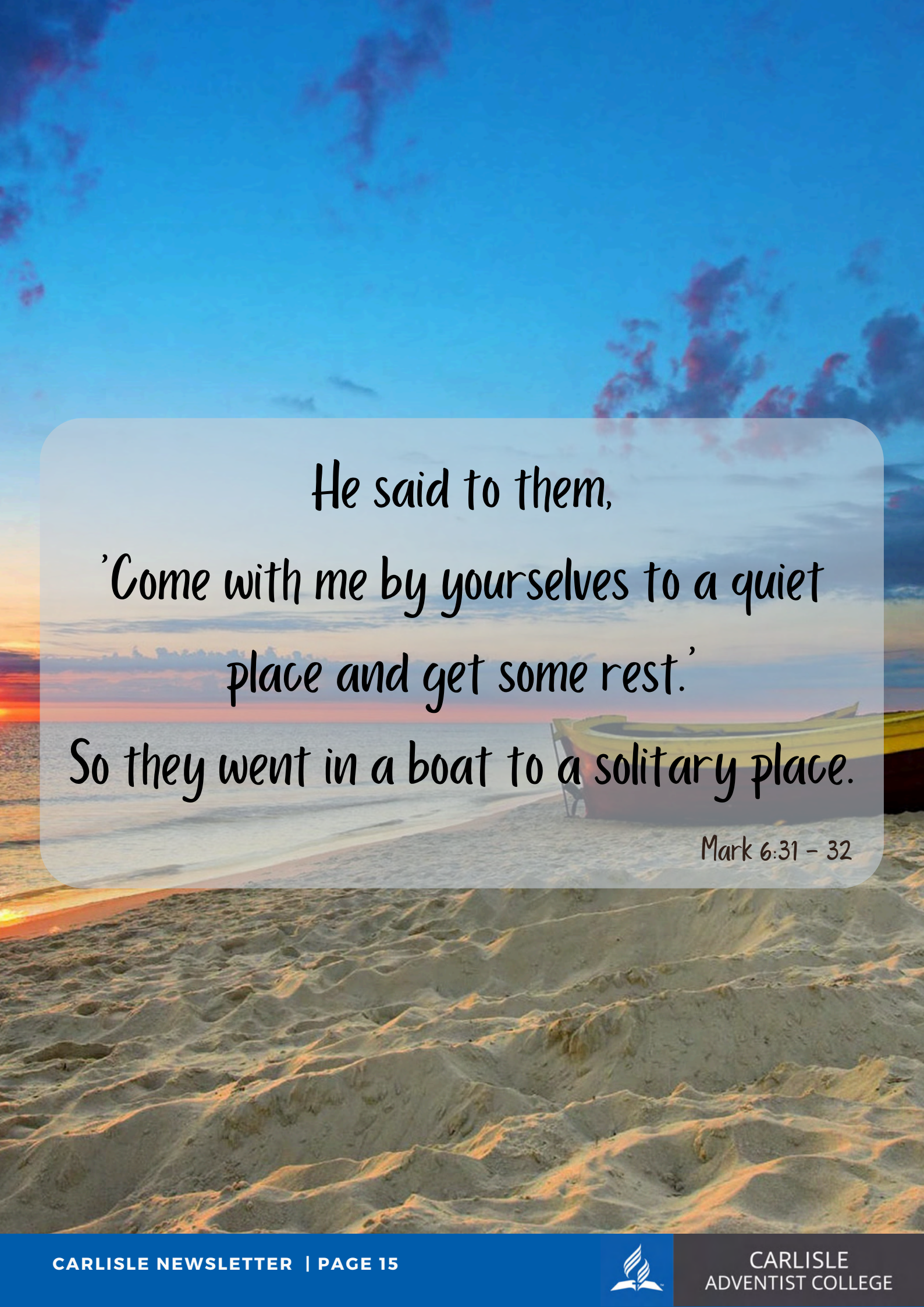
It's been a busy few weeks of competitions for Hudson. Placing 2nd in parallels bars and helping his team win the competition in Townsville, then 2nd on high bars in Mackay and 4th overall in Men's Gymnastics, then making the switch to Ninja where he came 1st and qualified for the QLD State competition, being the only competitor with a clean run getting maximum points.



Isabella, Zoe & Miss Martha

Isabella, Zoe and Miss Martha have been training in Shito-ryu, a traditional form of Karate, for many years. Their hard work and dedication have paid off in a big way. Zoe has earned her 2nd Kyu (Brown Belt), and Isabella has achieved her 2nd Kyu Level 1. Miss Martha has achieved her 3rd Kyu (Blue Belt). All three karate-ka embody the core principles of Karate: Effort, Patience, Moderation, and Respect.



A serene beach scene at sunset. The sky is a mix of deep blue and orange, with scattered clouds. The ocean is calm, and a small boat is beached on the sand. The foreground shows the textured sand of the beach.

He said to them,
'Come with me by yourselves to a quiet
place and get some rest.'
So they went in a boat to a solitary place.

Mark 6:31 - 32