

Thriving, Christ-Centred, Learning Community

FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

Dear Carlisle Community,

At Carlisle, we understand the importance of emotional well-being in the holistic development of our students. This year one of our focus areas is looking at developing more understanding in emotional and differentiated support to cater to the diverse needs of our students. Developing emotional well-being is crucial because it fosters resilience, empathy, and self-awareness, which are essential for students' overall growth and success in life.

Parents and students can get involved by participating in workshops on emotional well-being, providing feedback on support strategies, and encouraging open communication about emotions at home. By focusing on the emotional well-being and individual needs of each student, we can help them flourish in all aspects of their lives.

In the Bible we can be encouraged by Philippians 4:6-7: "Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." This verse reminds us to trust in God and find peace in Him.

Blessings, Dale



Term 1, Week 6 7 March , 2025

IMPORTANT DATES

WOW SERVICE Saturday, 8 March

NAPLAN BEGINS Wednesday, 12 March

HARMONY DAY Wednesday, 19 March

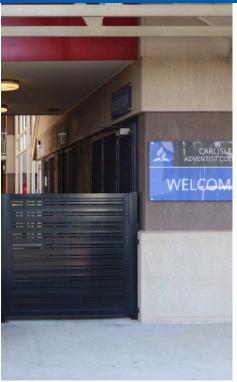
YEAR 11 CAMP Thursday, 20 - 27 March

Week Of Worship Just Jesus

> 4PM - WORSHIP 5:30PM - DINNER 6:30PM - GAMES

Church At Carlisle 17 Holts Rd, Beaconsfield 4740

NOTICES



EARLY COLLECTION

To ensure a smooth and efficient process when collecting your child early from school, please adhere to the following guidelines:

- Advance Notice: Notify the school in advance of your arrival time. This allows staff to prepare your child for departure, minimising disruptions to their learning and ensuring a smooth process.
- Sign-Out Procedure: Upon arrival, proceed to the front office gate. All students must be signed out via the kiosk located at the Student Services window.

By following these procedures, we can maintain a secure and orderly environment for all students.

MEDICATION

If your child has a medical condition, please ensure the office staff have a current action plan and any required medication. Without these, your child may be unable to participate in some school activities. Your cooperation helps us provide the best care and support for all students.



ABSENCES

If your child will be away for any reason, please inform our office. You can send an email to <u>Absences@carlisle.qld.edu.au</u> or leave a message on the absences phone mailbox. (07 4942 7455) For absences longer than three days, an exemption form or medical certificate is required. Your cooperation helps us ensure the safety and wellbeing of all our students.

MOBILE PHONES

To support a focused and distraction-free learning environment, all mobile phones must be handed in at the Student Services Desk upon arrival at school. This ensures phones are kept safe, away from temptation, and helps protect the privacy of all students. As per our school policy, phones are only to be used to contact parents or guardians before or after school. Thank you for your cooperation.



UPCOMING EVENT

HARMONY DAY

Come dressed in your traditional or orange attire and celebrate the diversity that makes our community so special!

5 - 7 P.M. WEDNESDAY, 19 MARCH CARLISLE ADVENTIST COLLEGE (SHED)

POTLUCK DINNER - PLEASE BRING A TRADITIONAL FAMILY DISH TO SHARE! ONLY VEGETARIAN, CHICKEN OR FISH MEALS PERMITTED.

> Relaxed & Family-Friendly Atmosphere A time to connect, celebrate, and embrace the spirit of harmony.

CARLISLE WAY



Every week we celebrate one of our CARE values. Here are the recipients of the Carlisle Way Award for Week 5 & 6



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CARE CLASS



At Carlisle, we encourage our students to live by our CARE values—Compassion, Achievement, Respect, and Effort. Each week, students strive to embody these qualities, and the primary class that demonstrates the most care is rewarded with a delicious fruit platter and the honor of hosting our special care creatures: **Carlisle Care Bear, Effort Elephant, Respect Rabbit**, and **Achievement Alligator**. This initiative fosters a positive and supportive school environment where kindness, dedication, and respect are recognized and celebrated. Keep up the great work, everyone!











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This week, we have been blessed with an incredible Week of Worship (WOW), where our students had the opportunity to connect deeply with the theme Just Jesus. We were privileged to welcome two guest speakers, Pastor David Gilmore and Pastor Ben Ah Sam, who shared their personal journeys and reflected on who Jesus is to them. Their inspiring messages left a lasting impact on our students and staff.

Throughout the week, students actively participated in a variety of engaging activities. They enjoyed uplifting singing sessions, exciting games, and hands-on community service initiatives. Students worked together to make and serve pancakes, which were lovingly wrapped and shared with staff. They also created gift bags and heartfelt cards for our local elderly residents at Breezes Retirement Village and for those who are sick in the hospital.

A special fruit platter, accompanied by thank-you cards, was delivered to our emergency services officers to show appreciation for their dedication and service.

WOW has truly been a week of connection, reflection, and action, and we are grateful for the opportunity to serve and grow together in faith. "For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them." - Matthew 18:20



CHAPLAINCY



"You Are Appreciated"

Students showed gratitude to our Carlisle staff, while our seniors lent a helping hand at the ELC. Celebrating respect and appreciation!





"You Are A Brave"

Students prepared care packages that were delivered to Base Hospital, bringing encouragement and support to patients and healthcare workers.

"You Are The Best" Students created cards and gift bags to show appreciation for their parents, recognising their love, support, and dedication.

Celebration Day To wrap up our WOW, we celebrated our students with a primary breakfast and a secondary lunch, recognising their hard work, kindness, and participation.

"You Are Loved"

Our Year 9 students prepared flowers and care packages for local seniors, spreading love and kindness.

"You Are A Hero" Students prepared fruit platters as a token of appreciation, which were then delivered to our emergency service officers.





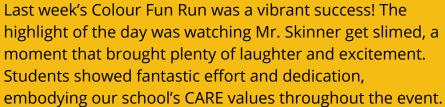




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SPORTS







A big thank you to Miss Mohr and Mr. McDonald for their hard work in organising the day. We also extend our gratitude to everyone who attended, donated, participated, and volunteered, your support made the event truly memorable!

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PRIMARY





'One Sunday morning, the warm sun came up and - POP! - out of the egg came a tiny and vey hungry caterpillar.' Eric Carle

This iconic line from The Very Hungry Caterpillar captures the sense of wonder and curiosity that the preps experienced.



Our Prep students had an exciting excursion to the Mackay Entertainment and Convention Centre (MECC) to watch the stage performance of The Very Hungry Caterpillar. The beloved children's story came to life with vibrant puppetry and colourful set designs, captivating our preppies from start to finish.

The performance not only entertained but also reinforced literacy and storytelling concepts, sparking the children's imaginations. It was a wonderful opportunity for our young learners to experience the joy of live theatre.







SECONDARY



Our Year 7 students have been designing and crafting paper-mache masks, inspired by the days of creation. With their designs complete and masks formed, they are now preparing to decorate their unique pieces.

Our Year 9/10 students are diving into wearable art, transforming recycled materials and old clothes into artistic fashion pieces. From shirts to dresses and hats, they're bringing new life to pre-loved items in creative and sustainable ways.

We can't wait to see their innovative designs come to life!









WELLBEING MATTERS

THEREFORE ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER AND BUILD EACH OTHER UP, JUST AS IN FACT YOU ARE DOING.

In our journey to flourish this year, one of the most powerful tools we have is connection, with ourselves, each other, and our community. Research shows that strong relationships contribute significantly to overall wellbeing, fostering a sense of belonging, support, and happiness.

At Carlisle, our CARE values remind us of the importance of compassion and respect in building meaningful connections. Whether it's through small acts of kindness, sharing a smile, or lending a listening ear, these moments strengthen the bonds within our school community.

Prioritising connection can benefit our wellbeing in simple but profound ways:

- Emotional Support: Talking with a trusted friend or teacher can help lighten the load.
- Sense of Belonging: Joining a group or participating in school activities can help students feel part of something bigger.
- Boosted Confidence: Encouraging words from others can help us see our strengths more clearly.

As we continue the year, lets be intentional about reaching out, including others, and building relationships that help us all flourish.

Together, we are stronger. Together, we thrive.

If you or your child need extra support, remember our team is always here to lend a listening ear.



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WELLBEING MATTERS

Get Epilepsy Smart

Create a safe and supportive school environment

Community Connection Event

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LEARN

10:00am - 12:15pm

- Understanding seizure presentations
- / Managing epilepsy
- Seizure first aid & emergency management
- Emergency medication

\$149 (+ GST) for professionals. FREE for people who live with epilepsy and their families.

CONNECT

12:15pm - 1:30pm

 Hear from speakers with lived experience

Mackay 📰 Tues, 6 May

- Connect with your local epilepsy community
- Learn more about Epilepsy Smart Australia
- Discover the services & supports available
- FREE and open to anyone with an interest in epilepsy.



Places are limited so register NOW

Scan the QR code or visit bit.ly/EQ_Mack0525

Location: Andergrove Community Hall 78 Celeber Drive, Andergrove 4740

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OSHC

This past week in OSHC (Outside School Hours Care) has been quite busy as we focused on the stories of Esau, Jacob, and Joseph.

The children enjoyed following a recipe guided by Miss Katie to make the bowl Jacob used to bring the stew to his father. After making the bowls, we let them dry so the children could decorate them with paint pens. Although the salt clay did not dry very well, the children remained very engaged in the activity throughout the week. The children also enjoyed playing soccer on the oval and enjoying the playground, Lego, Uno, iron beads inside, and the other toys and craft table.

During before-school care, one of our little girls taught her new friend to play a beloved card game filled with action, noise, and laughter. We welcomed Miss Sky, one of the school's Learning Support Officers (LSOs), who helped out on Thursday while some other educators were sick.











OSHC



Parent Portal



CARLISLE ADVENTIST COLLEGE

Cost \$60.00 per day Excursion/ Incursions \$80.00 per day

Child care Subsidy available for Eligible families

Monday, 7th

Clay Creations The children will work with clay outdoors. Once their creations are dry, they will have the opportunity to paint them.



Monday, 14th

Excursion Join us for an exciting outing to Kids Life! We'll have a great time playing and enjoying a snack of hot chips before returning to the service.



Tuesday, 8th

Excursion Let's go to the movies to watch Dog Man and have popcorn with our friends.



Tuesday, 15th

Incursion Tie Dye Join us for a day where you can create a new tie dye shirt and tote bag alongside your friends!



Wednesday, 9th

Incursion Join us for a fun day filled with waterslides and wonderful company! Don't forget to bring your towels and swimwear.



Wednesday, 16th

"Wet and Messy Day"! Wear swimwear and bring a change of clothes, a towel for sprinklers, a shaving cream sensory area, and bubbles.



Vacation Care April 2025

Hours: Monday- Friday: 6.30 am - 6.00 pm

Thursday, 10th

Incursion Ochre crushing The children will explore various uses of ochre, learn to crush it using traditional grinding stones, and create acacia glue to mix with the ochre for painting stencil artwork.

Thursday, 17th

Incursion Children can enjoy their final holiday day with various activities, a movie, and pizza with their educators.



Friday, 11th

Incursion Petting Zoo Join us for a delightful time with the animals! Please remember to wear sports shoes.



Friday, 18th



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ELC



This week has been filled with exciting moments in our Kindergarten community!

We are thrilled to welcome Mrs Larina Nicholls as our new Kindergarten teacher! With over 20 years of experience in Early Learning, Mrs Nicholls brings a passion for creating nurturing and supportive learning environments. Her dedication to helping young minds flourish makes her a wonderful addition to our school. Please join us in extending a warm welcome to Mrs Nicholls 'we look forward to a fantastic year ahead!

Our week was made even more special with a visit from our Year 12 seniors, as part of their school service project. The seniors engaged with our Kindergarten students through fun activities, games, and play, creating beautiful moments of connection between our youngest and oldest students. It was heartwarming to see the smiles and laughter shared by all.

Thank you to our Year 12 seniors for your kindness and enthusiasm your visit made a lasting impact on our little learners!









P&F

SECONDHAND FREEZERS FOR TENDER



Freezer 1: 700 W x1700 H x 620 D

Freezer 2: 730 W x 830 H x 540 D

Freezer 3: 950 W x 820 H x 540 D

Following the purchase of new freezers for the Tuckshop, the old freezers are now available for tender. All proceeds will go towards P&F fundraising efforts.

Freezers available: 2x Chest Freezers 1x Upright Freezer All freezers are in fair working condition

How to submit an offer: Please email your offer to <u>TreasurerPnF@carlisle.qld.edu.au</u> by Wednesday, 12th March 2025 with the following details: Name Offer Amount (\$) Best Contact Number

The best offers will be contacted on Thursday, 13th March to arrange payment via bank transfer and collection.





P&F

1/4 PIZZA FOR JUST <u>\$5!</u>



CHEESE LOVERS Tomato Sauce and Cheese.

MARGHERITA Garlic Sauce, Tomato Sauce, Cherry Tomato, Herbs, Cheese and Parmesan Cheese





VEGE DELIGHT

Garlic Sauce, Tomato Sauce, Capsicum, Cherry Tomato, Mushroom, Olives, Onion, Pineapple and Cheese.

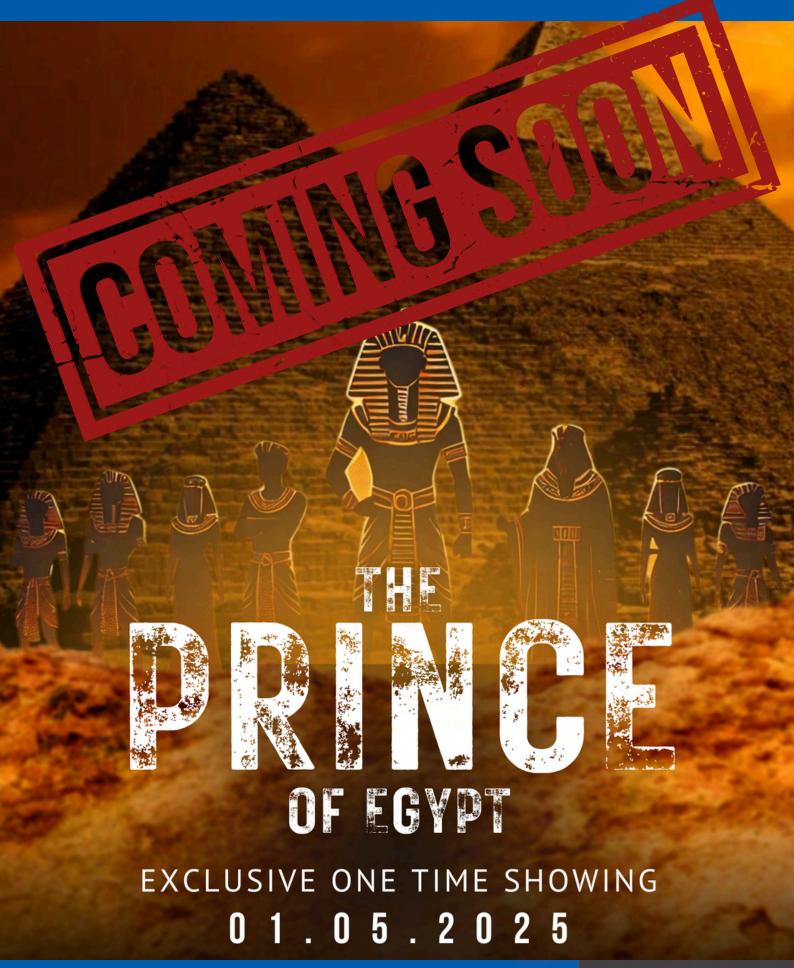


Locals supporting Locals Fresh dough daily, creating the most scrumptious pizza's!

ORDER THROUGH FLEXI CHOOLS BY THURSDAY 2PM!



SAVE THE DATE



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JUST FOR FUN

Guess the Word!

How to Play:

- 1. I'll give you a series of clues, each leading to a different word.
- 2. Each word has something in common, can you guess what it is?

Clues:

- 1. I'm something you can wear on your head.
- 2. I'm something that makes noise at a party.
- 3. I'm something you use to write.
- 4. I'm something you find in the sky at night.

What do these words have in common?

Clouds aren't weightless they can actually weigh over a million pounds.



I have keys but open no locks. I have space but no room. You can enter but you can't go outside. What am I?



















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The righteous will flourish like a palm tree, they

will grow like a cedar of Lebanon. Psalm 92:12 (NIV)



