

CAULFIELD JUNIOR COLLEGE

'Internationally Accredited School'

Integrity, Responsibility, Respect, Harmony, Love of Learning

C.J.C. Newsletter Term 4, Issue 9, 8th December 2017



From Our School Leadership Team,

This week we celebrated the graduation class of 2017, who were formally presented with their certificates, at a ceremony held at Glen Eira College. Our students sang, danced and celebrated their way through an acknowledgement of the last seven years at our school.

The captains were highly entertaining as they recalled their memories of their first days, remembered milestone events and special teachers who have supported their individual journeys. Congratulations to our organisers who arranged such a fitting send off, to the students for their energy and contribution to our school and finally to the families who have been part of the special home-school partnership. Best wishes to all our graduates who leave us to join their secondary schools in the 2018 school year. Many families are leaving our school this year as their association with our college comes to a close. I would like to extend a very big thank you and wish them well as their children commence the next part of their learning journey

Our Prep transition program continues and this week we had some guest speakers who shared their experiences with the assembled parent group. This important program ensures our children commence school in a smooth and structured manner and this positive start to school will ensure our new preps can do their very best from their very first day.

Our current students will complete their final transition day next week and will meet their new teachers. Thanks to everyone involved in structuring this program and to the staff for their work and organisation.

On Friday we will visit Telopia School in Canberra to look at how they structure their programs, develop curriculum and integrate French culture and learning into their school. This visit is supported by the Department of Education, our school learning program and follows the recommendations made during the recent visit by Claudine Ricci, the French Inspector.

Earlier this week the Leadership teams of the school met to review the current school year and look at planning and opportunities for the coming year. This important meeting was challenging, fruitful and gave some clear direction for where we can focus our energies for the 2018 school year.

School uniforms can be purchased through PSW in North Road. If you are buying uniform items consider doing this before the back to school rush makes shopping an unpleasant experience.

On Friday December 15th we are holding a special event to celebrate the end of the year, it will be an evening of enjoyment with our community and we will learn a little about Hanukkah. Please find the important item in today's newsletter on how to purchase your tickets and help us with organisation and catering.



Caulfield Junior College, End of Year Party



*Massive 30m slide for both children and adults (adults ride free)

- * Fun games Chamboule tout, giant chess, dreidel spinning, snakes & ladders
- * Activities for children colouring, Festive decorations, cookie decorating,
 dreidel making, henna tattoos

 *Singing performances with Joel Gillie

*ASA performances

- * Come and make your own pita bread with the Israeli scouts
 - * BRING YOUR Chanukiah for a communal lighting
- * Enter CJC's inaugural Chanukah Donut bobbing competition

*Kosher Sausage sizzle and snacks to purchase

Please offer 30 mins of your time to help volunteer. Contact your convener.



From our Students,

ResourceSmart School

Last week, some dedicated students met at lunch play time to share ideas about how we can be more sustainable and environmentally aware at CJC. Just a few of our ideas are:

Giving the chickens our food scraps (the things they can eat without getting sick)

Composting food scraps the chickens can't eat

Saving energy by turning off lights, heaters and air conditioners when we are not in the room, and using natural light when possible

Look after our plumbing – no sticks in taps, get repairs done quickly so water doesn't leak, use water responsibly (it's for drinking and washing, not playing)

Some ideas can be implemented immediately and others require planning, but we are well on our way to making CJC a more environmentally friendly school!

3 / 4 Programming and Robotics

This week, the Year 3/4 students have had a wonderful time exploring programming and robotics by using Edison and the Edblocks app. We learnt how to program our robots using barcodes (just like product barcodes at the supermarket!) and we downloaded programs to explore many different ways of getting our robots to move. We LOVED every part of the incursion but our favourite part of all was the sumo wrestling activity.





Need To Know! Need to Know!

Notices that went home this week:

Year 5/6 Life Saving Program - Part 2

Permission forms and payment due15th December.

This payment of \$100 covered by the 5/6 Swimming Levy, if this has already been paid.

Previous notices:

Education Contribution Payments—2018

Year 5/6 Jump Central—Excursion on 14th December. \$33.00. Form and payment strictly due by 7th December

3/4 IMAX and Melbourne Museum Excursion, Cost \$34.00—Date of excursion for (3/4A, 3/4B, 3/4C) is 11/12/17, Permission form and payment strictly due by 4/12/17.

Dress up day, Performance Assembly, Whole School End of Year Celebration.

Friday 15th December is the day of our performance assembly and whole school end of year celebration. On this day, we will also have a casual dress/gold coin donation day to support the State Schools Relief Fund. The fund assists families in need to cover the cost of school uniforms, shoes and books. To add even more fun to the day, students may choose to wear a holiday/celebration costume. Your support of this fundraiser is greatly appreciated.



Assembly Information.

Assembly Monday 11th December, 2017

Parents are welcome to attend our whole school assembly on the oval at 9am. Congratulations to next Monday's CJC Values awards recipients.



C.J.C. VALUES AWARDS

CLASS STUDENT NAME

P1A - GURNOOR KAUR BHATIA

P1B - AMELIA NACHALSKY

PC - MAIA DESPRETS

PC - KENJI HOLLANDE

12A - ASHVINI FERNANDO

12A - CHARVI TANKSALE

12B - ARI MONTGOMERY

1C - BENJAMIN TELLER

1D - THAI BLEVIN

2E - LILA PELLIER CUIT

2F - CLAUDE REBOUL

34A - IGNACY SWIDER-FIGUREOA

34B - LIAM DUKES

34C - IRIS LEE

34C - TOA VALENZUELA GALARZA

3D - MARILOU GERVAIS DE VALLOIS

3E - ARTHUR ISSAUTIER

4F - CELIA STEGUWEIT

4G - RAFI DAHMANI-ASHER

56B - ARCHIE HALLIWELL

5C - FINN THOMAS

5D - MALIA DECOURT

6EF - MATTEO LECLERC

2017 2018 Calendar of Events.

Calendar for Term 4, 2017

Dec 11

09am Whole School Assembly

09am 3/4 Composite Classes to IMAX and Melbourne Museum

09:15am Whole School Orientation Day

Dec 13

09am Year 3/4 Incursion Coding

Dec 14

09am Year 3/4 Incursion Coding

09am5/6 Excursion to Jump Central Moorabbin

Dec 15

School Reports Distributed

2:15pm Performance Assembly

3:30pm Parent's Committee / ASA End of Year Event

Dec 18

09am Whole School Assembly

09am Student Leadership Positions Announced

Dec 21

09am Melbourne Stars Incursion

Dec 22

Term 4 Ends (1:30 Finish) (please make arrangements to collect your child early at 1.30pm or organize afterschool care with Camp Australia.)

1pm Year 6 Farewell Assembly

Calendar for Term 1, 2018

Jan 29, 30, 31.

Curriculum days for staff development, planning and emergency management training. (no school)

Feb 1 (Thursday)

Students commence school.

March 19

09am - 3:30pm School Photograph Day



From our Parents' Committee, END OF YEAR PARTY - NEXT FRIDAY 15th DECEMBER

We trust that most families will now be aware of the end of year party next Friday.

What you may not be aware of is the motivation and hard work happening

behind the scenes.

We are hoping to use this event as a launching pad for bigger and better events next year. We need your support to make this happen. Come along and help out, hang out, help make it a success and let us know what you think we should do next year.

It's only by working together that we can achieve great things.

BOOK NOW ON QKR - BOOKINGS CLOSE WEDNESDAY 13th 12:00pm PLEASE CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING FOR 30mins and share the fun. CONTACT YOUR CONVENOR or cjcparentscommittee@gmail.com

MANGOES

Mangoes were delivered today.

For anyone who was not able to pick up their mangoes, can you please arrange pickup on Monday Please contact us if you cannot arrange a pickup within this time.

END OF YEAR BREAKFASTS

Most classes have organised an end of year breakfast to get together and thank their teachers.

Here's a reminder below. Please contact your convenor for more information and times.

Monday 11th: PC +PD, 5C + 5D

Wednesday 13th: 1C + 1D Thursday 14th: 2E + 2F Friday 15th: 3/4A, 3/4C

Monday 18th: 1/2A

Tuesday 19th: 5/6A, 5/6B Thursday 21st: 4F+4G, 6E/F

LOST PROPERTY

Reminder - Please check the lost property outside the uniform shop. Any items not collected by the end of term will be either donated to the uniform shop or to charity.

PREP UNIFORM STALL

We will hold a 2nd Hand uniform stall dedicated to prep sizing at the Prep orientation next Tuesday 12th December. From 9:15am



General Information,

School Phone Number - 95096872

Office hours are 8.30am until 4.30pm. (The office will close earlier on the last day of term. The phone will be night switched at this time.)

Contacts

General Queries

caulfield.jr.co@edumail.vic.gov.au

Office - Administration & Payments

caulfield.jr.co@edumail.vic.gov.au

Emails to Teachers

caulfield.jr.co@edumail.vic.gov.au

Parents' Committee

cjcparentscommittee@gmail.com

Hebrew Immersion Program

thehipprogram@gmail.com

After School Activities

infoasa.efm@gmail.com

Camp Australia

1300 105 343

https://www.campaustralia.com.au/

School Hours

Class Times

9.00am - 10.40am

11.10am - 12.50pm

1.50pm - 3.30pm

Break Times

10.40am - 11.10am (Recess)

1.05pm - 1.50pm (Lunch) (Lunch is eaten in classroom between 12.50 and 1.05pm)

Volunteers/Visitors

If you are visiting the school for ANY reason between 9.00am and 3.30pm (with the exception of usual school pick-up/drop off), you must sign in and out at the Office.

All volunteers MUST have a valid Working with Children Check.

http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au/home/

School Payments

Qkr (pronounced 'Quicker') is a FREE app to enable you to use your smartphone to make school payments (without having to give your child cash to carry to school) including Fees, Food Orders, and various school event payments.

Communication to parents.

<u>Newsletter</u>, weekly. An E-newsletter is emailed to the community on a weekly basis, Friday afternoon. <u>Skoolbag</u>, anytime, a free school app for communication at any time.

Uniform

Uniform can be purchased from Primary School Wear.

PSW Website: http://www.psw.com.au/

The C.J.C. parents' committee occasionally hold a stall with second hand uniform. Please contact the C.J.C. parents' committee. cjcparentscommittee@gmail.com

Lost Property

Lost Property is located on the 1st floor of the main building, along the corridor. It is the student's responsibility to promptly collect any lost property. At the end of each Term, ALL unclaimed items are donated to the Uniform Shop for re-sale. Please ensure all your child's belongings are clearly labelled with their name including, lunch boxes, drink bottles, hats and clothing

Before and After School Care - Camp Australia

Before Care; 07:00AM - 08:45AM After Care; 03:30PM - 06:15PM Vacation Care; 07:30AM - 06:00PM

Curriculum Day (no school day); 07:00AM - 06:15PM Last Day of term 1,2 and 3; 02:30PM - 06:15PM

Last Day of Term 4; 01.30PM - 06:15PM See - https://www.campaustralia.com.au/

Food Orders

There is no canteen at Caulfield Junior College, however Challah, Sushi, Fried Rice and Noodles and Hot Dogs can be ordered via the app QKR. Not everything is available at all times, please keep an eye on the newsletter and the app QKR to see what is available. Orders MUST be placed before 8am on the Monday of the week you are wanting the food for your child. In term 1 and 4, the C.J.C. Parents' committee sell icypoles after school on Fridays. If you would like your child to partake, please send \$1.00 coin with them on those Fridays.

Sunsmart

We are a sunsmart school. Hats must be worn from 1st of September until the last day of term 1 in the following year.



Community News

Camp Australia Holiday Program

Public notices or advertisements on our website and in the newsletter are accepted in good faith but the school does not necessarily endorse the content. A charge is made for commercial advertisement.

Camp Australia

Link to Flyer

Christmas Day Dinner 2017

St Anthony's Parish hall, Glen Huntly.

Midday on Christmas Day. The dinner is for everyone, not just parishoners of St Anthony's. Invitations and offer to help forms are in the library. Please see Trudy. For More Information, please phone on 9569 2099 or email stanthony@ozemail.com.au