



16th November 2016

# Newsletter 17

## Principal

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**School of the Year Award**

**STEM**

**Year 6**

**REMINDER:** Children are not permitted to play on playground equipment before/after school as there will be no duty staff.

Our website:

[www.caraleecs.wa.edu.au](http://www.caraleecs.wa.edu.au)

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Allergy friendly school:

Please remember NO NUTS or nut products.

- **23rd & 30th Nov**  
Kindy 2017 Orientation
- **Wed, 30th Nov**  
Assembly A4, 5 & 6
- **Sun, 4th Dec**  
Choir; Lions Carols
- **7th & 8th Dec**  
Kindy 2016 Celebr'n
- **Wed, 14th Dec**  
Year 6 Graduation
- **Thu, 15th Dec**  
Last Day of Term

### Next P&C AGM

will be held in the Staffroom:

Tues, 28th Feb 2017, 7.00pm

Hello everyone. Caralee continues to win awards as we head into the second half of Term 4. Ms Cotton was invited by the *East Fremantle Football Club* to attend their annual awards night. We were fortunate enough to be awarded '**School of the Year**' - not just for football, but also netball and cricket. Speaking of cricket, good luck to our Girls Cricket Team heading to the WACA for the State Finals for the *third year in a row*. Special thanks to Ms Cotton and her band of volunteer parents and school staff that



support these endeavours.

**STEM** (science, technology, engineering & maths) continues to gather pace at Caralee as a focus into next year. Acting Deputy Ms Wain has led the way, with Ms Voakes, by trialling the new digital technologies equipment in DI. The children led professional learning in coding and robotics by showing Caralee and FLDC staff how easy the equipment is to use. With our P&C recently raising a large amount of money to support the implementation of STEM & Digital Technologies, we look forward to Ms Wain and DI children getting around to all classes, possibly late this term and definitely next year.

Our **Year 6** students recently returned from a fun-filled four days at Ern Halliday Camp, near Hillarys. The day I visited, the

children were abseiling down cliff faces like something out of *Police Rescue* (some parents may remember that TV show). Unfortunately, I missed the caving earlier in the day when Sam, our super talented Education Assistant, became stuck in a tunnel!! Luckily, he was retrieved by a couple of more nimble students. I would like to thank Mr Mort for originally organising the camp in Term 1, and Mr Watkins for taking over the organisation. With the help of Ms Cotton, Sam Atkins and Jude Mancini, the team conducted a fantastic camp that will give our graduating students wonderful memories into the future.

**Jason Shapcott**  
**Principal**

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## 2016 Caralee CS Parent National School Opinion Survey

The National School Opinion Survey is mandatory for all government schools to conduct at least every two years.

It allows parents and caregivers the opportunity to give their opinion on important aspects of our school. Participation by parents and caregivers is optional but strongly recommended and **highly valued**. Honest and balanced opinions provide the school community with information that can be used to help build a better educational environment for students.

To ensure a valid survey, please complete it once only. Although this survey is anonymous, computer IP addresses will be visible. We won't know who the IP address belongs to, but multiple responses from one address will not be counted.

The more people who complete the survey, the more valuable the information will be.

The survey opens Thu, 17th Nov 4pm and closes Thu, 8th Dec 4pm. It should only take about five minutes, so please, to complete the survey, please enter the following web address into your browser: <https://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/4E28ahKc>

Paper copies of the survey are available from the office should you prefer to complete it this way.

**Mr Murray Watkins, Deputy Principal**

**SAM**  
A  
Simply  
Amazing  
Man!

*Sam and some of our students have been working collaboratively using recycled materials to create some fantastic masterpieces. If you would like to meet Batman, R2-D2 or CP30, you will need to visit the library.*



## P & C News

Our next Annual General Meeting is to be held **Tuesday, 28th February 2017**

Everybody is welcome to join the P&C, so please come along and have your say in who represents you. Do you have an interest in the happenings of your child's school? We would love you to be involved and consider taking on a role. General meetings are an average of 90 minutes and held twice a term.

For more details, visit [http://www.caraleecs.wa.edu.au/page/185/Parents-&-Citizens-Association-\(P&C\)](http://www.caraleecs.wa.edu.au/page/185/Parents-&-Citizens-Association-(P&C))

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## Sport

### WACA

Our state cricket girls will be competing next Thursday in the Milo T20 Blast School Cup. This is our third year attempting to head to the National Finals and some may say third time lucky. The girls have been training hard and have deserved this opportunity. We wish them the best of luck.



### Caralee Cheetahs and Caralee Cats

We welcome our two new all-female cricket teams that represent Caralee Community School on Monday nights down at Tompkins Park. Both teams had their first game on Monday night and batted and fielded exceptionally well. If you are interested in joining the team please see Ms Cotton for further information. This is a great opportunity for girls to learn new skills and meet new friends from different age groups. Thank you to Lachy Tuppin for coaching the Caralee Cats team. Greatly appreciated.

**Miss Aleisha Cotton, Sports Teacher**

## Visual Arts



### Bunnings Sustainable Christmas Tree Competition

Congratulations to Kyle, Callan, Kai M, Even, Caelan and Chadd from D2. These students will be collaborating together during art time in creating a recycled Christmas tree. Their final product will be carefully delivered to Bunnings, O'Connor where it will be displayed on Wednesday, 7<sup>th</sup> December for the Bunnings Family Fun Night. Their tree will be displayed and judged that night. Best of luck, boys!

### Art Excursion

Selected students from D1 and D2 will be attending an Art Excursion on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2016 at the Perth Art Gallery of Western Australia. Students will attend a "Not flat & that's that" tour and a workshop.

*Art Gallery of Western Australia offers guided tours and practical workshops for school groups associated with contemporary, historical and Indigenous works from the State Art Collection and special exhibitions. Students will be inspired and will learn from interacting with a variety of art works by a wide range of artists covering different themes, ideas and different learning areas within the curriculum.*

**Miss Aleisha Cotton, Visual Arts Teacher**



## Music

Our best wishes to Miss Longley, our Music teacher who is currently unwell. We hope to see you in full swing soon.  
From everyone at Caralee





Jake, Caden,  
Naoise, PJ,  
Lachlan, Derek  
& Kaylen using

## Circuits



Jamie, Haylee, Avaree, Keira  
& Cooper demonstrating

## Coding



## STEM & Digital Technologies

At Caralee this term D1 have been working with Mrs Wain and learning how to use some new technology equipment. With a big focus on science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) subjects and with a new digital curriculum being introduced into schools, many classes at Caralee have already started to introduce coding and other technologies into the classroom. There are so many great things to learn.

The students in D1 have been learning about coding, robotics, electronics and much more. Last week they got to showcase their skills to all the teachers in the school and show the teachers how everything works. The teachers were very impressed. D1 are very excited to show the rest of the school later in the term.

Joshua & Cosmo showing  
teachers how to program

## Dash & Dot







Sonnie, Alice &  
Emy-Lee using the

# Makey Makey's



# Edison

robots being programmed  
by Brayden, Cooper & Jet.

# D1

Carl & Campbell showing  
Mr Shapcott & Ms Bradshaw

how to use

# Sphero's



Jolina, Lila, Cheyenne, Lili,  
Ben and Max showing the  
teachers

# Osmo's





**City of Melville**

# 1000 PAPER CRANES

Have you had a family member or friend with brain cancer or even just want to help raise awareness of the disease?

The origami Crane represents longevity and good fortune. These are our aspirations for brain cancer patients.

To enter, download the instructions and Crane template from [melvillecity.com.au/1000cranes](http://melvillecity.com.au/1000cranes), decorate it any way you like and fold it to shape.

Bring your completed Crane to a community picnic on Sunday, 19 March 2017, at Piney Lakes Reserve, Murdoch Drive, Winthrop. The 1,000 Cranes will be displayed beside the lake in the park. If you can't attend, please return your Crane to the collection box, located in the front foyer at any of the Communities Centres or the City of Melville Civic Centre.

There will be limited quantities of printed templates available from the Willagee Community Centre, Blue Gum Community Centre and City of Melville libraries. You can also print to one of our libraries printers from anywhere! See [melvillecity.com.au/mobileprinting](http://melvillecity.com.au/mobileprinting) to find out how.

For more information, contact Brian Marshall on 9364 0663 or [brian.marshall@melville.wa.gov.au](mailto:brian.marshall@melville.wa.gov.au).

**WE NEED 1,000 PEOPLE WILLING TO MAKE A PAPER CRANE EACH!**

In support of **Cure Brain Cancer FOUNDATION** [www.curebraincancer.org.au](http://www.curebraincancer.org.au)

**BRAIN TUMOUR ASSOCIATION OF WA**

An initiative of the Willagee Community Centre, the City of Melville Japanese community and the Cure Brain Cancer Foundation to raise awareness of brain cancer.

## Every Day Counts

**KINSHIP EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM**

Presentation by ex WCE player  
**Daniel Kerr**  
*Hear about the struggles and triumphs of his journey to health*

**17th November 2016**  
**Coolbellup School Oval**  
**15-20 Waverley Road, Coolbellup**  
**Registration and Food: 3pm**  
**Event start: 3.30pm**

Want more Information?  
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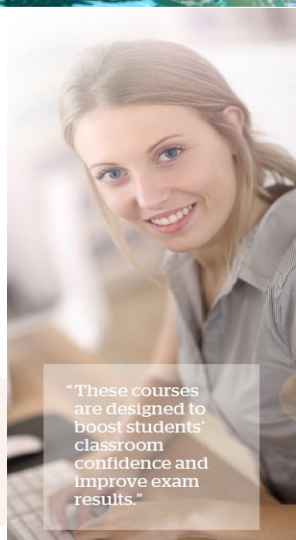


## VACSWIM SUMMER 2017

Give your child the opportunity to learn vital swimming and water safety skills. Enrolments are now open for summer school holiday swimming lessons. Simply select a program and enrol online.

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| <b>Program 1</b>  | <b>40 Minute Lessons</b><br>Every weekday from Tuesday 3 to Friday 13 January 2017<br><b>Enrolments close Monday 28 November 2016</b>   |
| <b>Program 2</b>  | <b>45 Minute Lessons</b><br>Every weekday from Monday 16 to Wednesday 25 January 2017<br><b>Enrolments close Monday 5 December 2016</b> |
| <b>Short Program</b>                                      | <b>35 Minute Lessons</b><br>Every day from Monday 9 to Friday 13 January 2017<br><b>Enrolments close Monday 28 November 2016</b>        |
| <b>Early Start Program</b><br>(limited Wheatbelt centres) | <b>45 Minute Lessons</b><br>Every day from Saturday 17 to Friday 23 December 2016<br><b>Enrolments close Monday 14 November 2016</b>    |

Enrol online at [education.wa.edu.au/swimming](http://education.wa.edu.au/swimming) or telephone 9402 6412.



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**2017 Course Dates**

**January Jump Start Program**  
18th to the 25th of January, 2017  
This comprehensive program aims to prepare students for the new academic year. These preparation courses will contain three distinct programs:

- ✓ ASAP Preparation for students entering year 11 & 12 in 2017
- ✓ Middle School Preparation for students entering years 8, 9 & 10 in 2017
- ✓ Transition Program for students in year 6 (Q16) entering high school for the first time in 2017.

**Enrol Now**

Enrol on-line at [mastermindaustralia.com.au](http://mastermindaustralia.com.au)  
By phone on 9486 1377  
Or simply by completing this enrolment form and posting it to:  
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