



CARINITY EDUCATION
Shalom
 Accept. Aspire. Achieve.

June 10th, 2022

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Here is the earth, here is the sky, here are my friends and here am I.
 Thank you to the oceans, animals and plants. Thank you to the sun, moon and rain.
 Thank you to the Wulgurukaba and Bindal people whose land we play and learn on all day.
 I would like to acknowledge the traditional custodians and their Elder's past, present and emerging.

**A Message from the
 Director of School Campus**



From NAPLAN, Reconciliation Week, and our primary school's Country and Western Family Disco, there has been a lot going on in the College over the last couple of weeks. Schools are busy places, and our students get lots of opportunities to participate in so many activities. Our staff devote a significant amount of time and effort to the planning and preparation of these events, and I would like to thank them all for their efforts.

The primary school was still buzzing the day after the disco, with all of the students smiling, laughing, and talking about how much fun they had. Toni Simmonds and her incredible primary staff deserve praise for putting on such a fantastic family event.

I hope to see families at the upcoming whole school sports carnival.

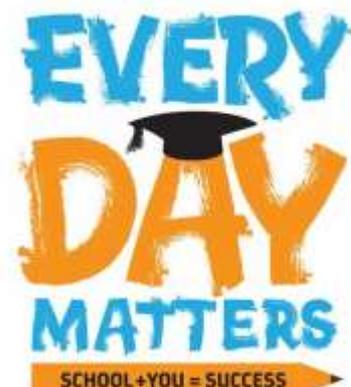
Peace and Grace

Sharyn Ive



Important Dates

- Athletics Carnival—Whole School** **Tue 14th Jun**
- Primary Attendance Party—Picnic in the Park**
Thur 16th Jun
- Secondary End of Term Excursion** **Thur 16th Jun**
- Secondary Attendance Party** **Fri 17th Jun**
- Last day of Term 2** **Fri 17th Jun**
- First day of Term 3** **Tue 12th July**



SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Friday 8.00am—4.00pm

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A Message from Head of Primary



Dear Families,

The past couple of weeks have been very busy in our school calendar, as a school we have recognised Sorry Day, Mabo Day and Reconciliation Week. These dates within the school calendar are pivotal in celebrating all the work that has been done by elders and the community to pave the way forward. Everyday we challenge the students to Get Up, Stand Up, Show Up. These can be applied within the community and at school, and it relates to coming to school every day and making it count by applying yourself to all learning opportunities. It is a privilege to see the students working so hard, being supported by fantastic staff and achieving so much.

On Wednesday June 1st we had our parent night, families were invited to meet with teachers and then enjoy the disco. We had over 130 people attend the event, and the students looked to be having an incredible time. A lot of work goes into planning these events, a huge thank you to all those who made the event a success.

On Monday June 20th teaching staff commence the report card drop offs, so please be available with any questions or concerns, it is a great time to touch base with your child's teacher and youth worker. If you have more than one child enrolled and request a certain teacher to visit, please contact the school to discuss.

I hope you all have a safe and relaxing holiday, and we will be excited to see you back for Term 3.

Take care

Mrs Simmonds

News from the Prep Class

Patterns, patterns and more patterns...Prep have begun looking at patterns in Math and have had a wonderful time making them in all sorts of ways.



State of Origin potato planting!

Mr Crowther's Year 3/4 class enjoyed planting maroon potatoes with their special visitor Mr Barry!

Go Queenslander!!



Staff member update!

Chickpea has got her last haircut before starting at Shalom, and is looking forward to meeting with you all in Term 3!





CHAPPY'S CORNER

Shalom!

What a special few weeks we have had across many events and special days.

My personal highlight was listening to Arthur in Year 6 give a powerful eulogy about Eddie Koiki Mabo.

It has also been SO good to have Chappy Rene join our Shalom team.

This week she encouraged our Primary students so "be the light"! (see photo below)

And share love and kindness across our school and city.

Matthew 5:14, says

"You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden."

I continue to pray his comfort and light over our families in grief or struggles right now.



May Holy Spirit bring new light, new peace and new hope to each of you.

Blessings,
Pastor Andy



Whole School Athletics Carnival

Come along on Tuesday 14th June from 9am, to cheer on our students in their first athletics carnival for Carinity Education Shalom!

Students will be competing in events such as High Jump, Long Jump, Shotput, Track and Ball Games.

Remember to show your support by wearing your teams' colours!

Badjigal Gabul Gurur



Year 7 & 8 Science Classes

Our Year 8's flexed their science and art muscles making model volcanoes as part of their unit about the Rock Cycle.

The Year 7's learnt about classifying organisms, and will add their beautiful fossils to the display.



A Message from Head of Secondary

Dear Families,

As the end of the semester draws near, I would like to thank the students and families for their ongoing support and dedication to education. I would also like to acknowledge the teaching staff, youth workers, administration, groundskeepers, and IT staff for their continued support and care of our students. Without you, we would not be able to provide such a caring, safe and supportive community.

Please enjoy your school holidays, and I hope you can recharge your batteries and be ready for an exciting and challenging Semester 2.

God bless

Stuart Todd



Mr Rod

Ms Trish

Tishaylee Bell

Mescha Dugong

Kacilla Epsseg

Charlie Jones

Bonita Miller

Veronica Nomoa

Archie Smallwood

Rosella Solomon



One generation shall praise Your works to another,
And shall declare Your mighty acts. Psalm 145:4

Sundays 3:30pm during Term
12/6—Primary School Playground
19/6—Castle Hill Panorama Lawn

Arvo Tea / Fellowship / Praise / Prayer
All Welcome

Children must come with a parent/guardian
For more info contact Pastor Andy on 0490 297 373



You're Invited

Sports Holiday Program



Get Onside with Northreach
27-30 June // 8:30-3pm // \$20 p.p // Prep - Gr 6
Christian Leadership Program
Basketball / Soccer / Touch Rugby / Group Games
Register here:



Feeling Unsafe?

GO AND TELL

EVERY STUDENT HAS THE RIGHT TO FEEL SAFE.

Sometimes you may feel unsafe around adults or other students at school or away from school.

IF YOU DO NOT FEEL SAFE THERE ARE THINGS YOU CAN DO:

TELL AN ADULT YOU TRUST

REMEMBER, Nothing is so awful that you cannot talk about it with someone.

SOME OF THE PEOPLE YOU MIGHT CHOOSE:

- THE PRINCIPAL
- A PARENT
- A TEACHER
- SAFE PERSON
- A COUNSELLOR

We all have the right to feel safe all the time

Nothing is so awful that we cannot talk about it with someone

Talk to someone who you can trust



TELL...TELL...TELL! Until someone hears you!

Talk to these people if you feel unsafe at school or away from school.



Mrs Ive

Director of Campus



Mr Stuart Todd

Head of Secondary



Mrs Simmonds

Head of Primary



Pastor Andy

Pastor

If you don't get the help you need at first, don't give up! Keep reporting your concerns until something is done and you feel safe again.

REMEMBER EVERY STUDENT HAS THE RIGHT TO FEEL SAFE ALL THE TIME!

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