

# Peppercorn Press

Carrathool Public School

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Term 4 – Week 1

Tuesday 7 October, 2014

## Coming Events

### Term 4

#### Week 1

Tuesday	7 Oct	Students and staff return to school. Welcome back!
Wednesday	8 Oct	P & C Meeting @ 9 am
Wednesday	8 Oct	Mobile Library
Thursday	9 Oct	Scripture, school banking and canteen
Friday	10 Oct	Swimming and Karate lessons @ Griffith Aquatic Centre

#### Week 2

Thursday	16 Oct	Scripture, school banking and canteen
Friday	17 Oct	Swimming and Karate lessons @ Griffith Aquatic Centre

#### Week 3

Monday	20 Oct	Grandparents Day – Open day at school from 2 pm onwards
Thursday	23 Oct	Scripture, school banking and canteen
Friday	24 Oct	Swimming and Karate lessons @ Griffith Aquatic Centre

## Principal's Report

Welcome back to Term 4.

What an exciting start to the term with 13 students!

Students are eager to get to know our new school members and begin the Friday swimming and karate lessons. We look forward to seeing our students continue to develop their values and meet further educational goals this term.

We welcome the Webber family and are looking forward to getting to know our new parents a little more at tomorrow's P&C Meeting.

### *P & C Meeting*

*9 am tomorrow with morning tea to*

*Welcome our new family*

*Could former families please supply a small plate of food to share? ☺*



All parents are encouraged to attend and to introduce yourselves to the Webber family.



We thank Mr. Anthony Bevan for his work as General Assistant, maintaining the school and grounds since his arrival in Carrathool in 2011. We wish Anthony all the best in his future endeavours and are thankful he is staying on at the school as cleaner!

Thank you in advance for all the parental assistance in completing homework (due on Tuesdays still), nightly reading time and encouraging your children to bring in their Bring Everything Everyday (BEE) satchels every day. Please keep them clean and develop a routine where children place them in the same place each day when they get home, return them there after reading/homework time and pick them up from there each morning.

#### From Last Term:

Last term Stage 3 Students returned from their excursion to Ballarat to consolidate their Human Society and Environment studies on Gold. We thank Hay Public School for organising and hosting our students. They certainly had a wonderful time and met many new (and a few old) friends.



We also think of Miss Kathryn Creek and hope our musical performances at the end-of-term assembly would've made her proud. We would like to wish Kathryn all the best in her new full-time position as Arts/Music teacher at Coleambally Central School for this term.

Mrs Leanne Hedt,  
Relieving Principal

### P & C News

Next P & C Meeting will be held tomorrow at 9 am. All welcome!

Next P & C meat tray raffle will be held **on Friday 31 October**. Congratulations to Jeff Blair and Col Pollard (Pop), who won the last meat trays. Jeff's ticket was selected by his son Shane in Year 6 (how nice is that? No he wasn't looking!!)

Thank you to everyone who bought tickets. Your support is always appreciated.

### Canteen

This term canteen will be held on Thursdays because of our sporting commitments in Griffith on Fridays. Students are allowed to buy two items each week for 50¢ each.

### School Captain's Report

Everyone has had a great time in the holidays. Our chooks are well, the vegetable gardens look great and our fruit trees are green. We are all very pleased to have the Webber family join our school. On Fridays this term we have swimming and karate lessons in Griffith. We're looking forward to them.

Sarah Merrylees,  
School Captain

### Grandparent's Day

On Monday 20 October, we will be celebrating Grandparent's Day. Grandparents, friends and family are invited to visit the school from 2.00pm onwards on this day. Come celebrate the role grandparents play in our lives! A mini assembly will be held at 2.30 pm followed by afternoon tea at 2.45 pm

Sport

Swimming and Karate start this Friday at the Griffith Regional Aquatic Centre. Please return your permission notes as soon as possible and payment would be appreciated by the end of the week.

Community News

If you need community notices advertised in our newsletter please ring the school or fax your notice to the following numbers:

Phone 69 935 143

Fax 69 935 002

Carrathool Combined Sports Club (incorporating Hall Committee) would like to advise that their meetings are held on the last Sunday of the month at 10 am.

Next Meeting will be held on  
Sunday 26 October, at 10.00 am.

All Welcome

**Hay Carer Support Group**

*An opportunity for mutual support, sharing in a confidential setting and to hear informative speakers  
Alzheimer's Australia NSW  
Dementia Helpline 1800 100 500*

**When: 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday monthly**

**Venue: Community Health Centre, Hay**

**Time: 10.30 am**

**Contact: Merylise 69602835**

**Hay Carer Support Group**

**AGM****Rural Fire Service – Carrathool**

Wednesday 22 October, 2014

Starting @ 7 pm

at Carrathool RFS Shed

All welcome!

**The School Rewards Programme** from The Athletes Foot Griffith donates \$5 from every pair of shoes purchased back to our school.

With a shoe expertly fitted by one of The Athletes Foot Fit Technicians and Fitzi (latest computer fit analysis), your child will have the right support and cushioning for all the school activities and sports they take part in every day.

The Athletes Foot stock a wide range of Ascent and Clarks school shoes and sports shoes to ensure there are options for everyone. Even better, \$5, from every shoe purchase is donated back to our school. This applies to your whole family across their entire range of school, sport, work and casual shoes. For more information about the programme please phone The Athletes Foot Griffith on 02 69694 2231

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Temporary Position Available

**GENERAL ASSISTANT**

Approximately 7 hours per week

Interested applicants can call Leanne Hedt (Relieving Principal) on:

**02 6993 5143** for more information or call into the school to pick up an 'Expression of Interest' form. EOI forms are due in 3.30 pm Monday 13 October, 2014.