

Community News

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Sports Club

The Sports Club would like to advise that they will meet on the last Sunday of every month at 10am at the Community Hall.



Mrs Theresa Lee would like to thank the Carrathool Public School P & C for the donation of a pressure washer. Mrs Lee has already put it to use and looks forward to being able to use it in the future.



Every child
is Gifted
THEY JUST UNWRAP
their packages
at different times

Hay Scouts are collecting old batteries as part of their Jamboree fundraising. Any donations are much appreciated and can be left at the school.

Celebrate Attendance

Hints and Tips No 1: Responsibilities



Parent/s or caregivers are required – by law – to provide a written or verbal explanation to the Principal within seven days of any absence as to why their child was not at school.

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Term 2, Week 10

Monday 2nd July 2018



SUPER FRIDAY

CALENDAR

SUPER FRIDAYS -

- 24th August
- 7th September
- 21st September

Term 3 -

- 10th Aug- District Athletics
- 22nd Aug- Book Wk / Education Wk / Open Day
- 27/28 Aug- NAPLAN online readiness testing (Yr 3 & Yr 5)
- 31st Aug- Regional Athletics
- 8 & 9 Sept- Hay Show

Principal's Report

Welcome to Term 3.

A big congratulations to our students who participated in the annual **Athletics Carnival** in Hay on Thursday 2 August. It is terrific to see students trying their hardest in each event. It is so important for everyone to realise that even though they may not come first, striving to succeed and being the best you can be is what matters most. A full report on the carnival will be in our next newsletter.

Of late, the media has made much of the uniform debate in public schools in NSW. The NSW Department of Education has revised the **School Uniform Policy** and associated guidelines following an extensive review and consultation process, including with the NSW Parents and Citizens Association. The revised School Uniform Policy requirements include that:

- all students have the opportunity to access the full range of school activities, including physical activities while wearing a school uniform
- girls must have the option to wear shorts and pants
- consideration is given to cost and how to assist families, including for schools to inform parents how they can access financial support to purchase school uniform items.

At Carrathool Public School our students already have choices of uniform, with shorts and pants as well as dresses being utilised by our girls. Our P&C organises a successful clothing pool of easily affordable pre loved clothing along with ordering new items when required.

During Term 3 schools celebrate **Education Week** and **Book Week** at separate times. We will be combining these special weeks and will **celebrate both on Wednesday 22nd August with a dress up Open Day**. Start thinking about your "Find My Treasure" themed costumes.

Towards the end of last term Carrathool Public School was approached by the **Variety NSW Bash** organisers to see if we would be able to host 300 Bash participants for lunch on **Wednesday 22nd May 2019** as the Bash route will pass through Carrathool. Hosting this luncheon will require a large input from our hard working P&C and from volunteers in our community. We will discuss at our next P&C meeting **on Tuesday 7th August** at 2pm. All are welcome to attend.

Have a great week,
Mary-Ann Headon
Principal

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CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Welcome back to Term 3. We have had our first Super Friday of the term. We usually do Calisthenics with Verity but there was a mix up and we held Discus trials instead. Yesterday we all participated at our Athletics Carnival in Hay where we competed against Booligal PS, Hay PS and SOTA students.

Education Week is next week (Week 3) and Book Week is in Week 5. We will combine these special weeks and celebrate both with a dress up open day on Wednesday 22 August. The theme is "Find your Treasure." Start thinking about your costumes!

By Cassidy.



STEM ON SUPER FRIDAY

SPORTS REPORT

On the 27th July we attended our first super Friday of the term. Our last activity of the day was Boot Camp. We did boxing, 'Grab the cone' and dodge ball. All these games are really fun and very tiring!

A big thumbs up to all our participants at our Athletics Carnival held yesterday. All our achievements will be published in the next newsletter. Congratulations to those who have qualified for the District Athletics in Deniliquin on Friday 10 August.

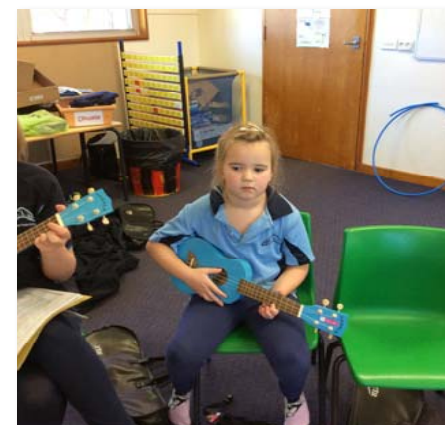
By Paige Sheen.

Literacy News

Ukulele Report

I am just learning the ukulele and I find it hard to change chords. I do not know where some chords are but I am learning. I have a blue ukulele. I am learning to play *Proud Mary*, *Hallelujah* and *Don't Worry, Be Happy*. My favourite song is *Hallelujah*.

By Anna Warr



"Smiley Shark" – Descriptive sentences

Smiley Shark watches colourful fish jiggling amongst the coral.

By Lylah

I remember when I got really scared, probably 3 or 4 times.

By Eliza



Boxing

On Super Friday we joined the Booligal children in Hay. We did boxing with Jade for Boot Camp. Lincoln and I were partners. One partner had the boxing gloves and the other partner had the pads. Some exercises or actions are left left right, right right left, upper cut, crossover and left right squat. We were all exhausted because the partner with the gloves had to do 30 seconds of the boxing move then 30 seconds of running between some cones. The partner with the pads had to do star jumps instead of running. Even though we were exhausted it was still fun.

By Nicholas and Lincoln

