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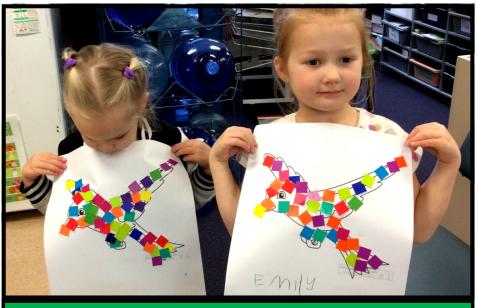


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Term 3 Week 4





Ready Set Kinder

TERM 3

SMALL SCHOOLS CODING DAY

Wednesday 14th August

READY SET KINDY

Thursday 15th August

CRAZY HAIR DAY

Thursday 15th August

SUPER FRIDAY

- Friday 23rd August
- Friday 6th September
- Friday 20th September

Principal's Report

A very warm welcome to our Ready Set Kinder participants Chloe and Emily who joined CPS students yesterday. Chloe and Emily will attend school every Thursday until Week 7 Term 4, developing their social skills and learning to follow school routines. We are sure they will enjoy their time with us at Carrathool Public School.

Term 3 will be a very busy term within the Administration of the school. Staff have already undergone an Audit and are busily collecting and annotating evidence for our forthcoming External Validation in Week 7. Term 3 will also be hectic for students as they participate in District Athletics, a Small Schools Coding day, Footy Colours Day, CWA Public speaking (Stage 2 and 3), as well as our ongoing Super Friday program. The staff at Carrathool Public School acknowledge and appreciate the commitment parents have to their child's education, which is evident in their willingness to drive students to various events.

Congratulations to our students who competed at the Deniliquin District Athletics carnival on Monday 12 August. Jack Sheen (100m, 200m, 800m, Discus), Nicholas Sheen (100m, 200m, Long Jump) and Lincoln Dewson Carvell (100m, Long Jump) represented our

school proudly and did their very best in rather cool conditions.

On Wednesday 14 August all students will join with Hay SOTA students at a Small Schools Coding day, held in Hay. Students will be faced with problem solving tasks, use a 3D printer and make masks over the course of the day. Being able to problem solve and use technology effectively is vitally important as they are required in such a wide range of employment sectors. At Carrathool PS we aim to provide our students with opportunities on par with those of large schools.

Our school will be participating in Crazy Hair Day on Thursday 15th August and all students and staff are encouraged to wear their craziest hair styles! Crazy Hair Day raises money for research into Cystic Fibrosis, a very worthwhile cause. We are asking each family to make a donation of \$5 towards CF on Thursday 15th August.

Have a great week, Mary-Ann Headon Principal

CAPTAIN'S REPORT By Ben

Even though we have not been as busy as last term, this term we have been working on an array of things like Aboriginal culture in celebration of Naidoc Week, reading Aboriginal stories such as "How the kangaroo got his tail" and "Silly Birds" and a "42 grid". We have also been studying Solids, Liquids & Gases in Science.

The first day of Ready Set Kinder was last Thursday. We had two new "mini" students come to our school for the day and see what it is like to be at school.

On our first Super Friday of this Term, we had calisthenics, ukelele, tennis and a very fun STEM activity including lemons, lime, bi-carb soda, a glass bottle and a balloon. How exciting!

SUPER FRIDAY Science

For science at Super Friday we mixed bi-carb soda with vinegar in a bottle and it blew up a

balloon. This was because the acidic vinegar mixed with the alkaline bi-carb soda produced a gas. We also blew up a balloon with our mouths and compared them by dropping them. The balloon that was blown up by the bi-carb and vinegar fell faster than the balloon that was blown up by mouth.



We then tasted baking powder and orange, and it was YUCK! But when you rubbed the baking powder into the orange, it tasted like Wizz Fizz! By Anna.











Ukelele

On Super Friday we did ukelele and played lots of different songs like "Let It Be". It was such fun! We also played tennis and we split into two groups. The older children were put in the big group and Stuart, our new tennis coach, was teaching the little group. I enjoyed tennis at Super Friday.

By Lylah.



Ready Set Kinder

On Thursday 8th August, Lincoln's little sister Chloe and my little sister, Emily, came to our school for Ready Set Kinder. Emily and Chloe did lots of fun things but it was no fun for the rest of us because they did fun work and we did not do that when we were in Ready Set

Kinder.

By Eliza.

(Editor's note: They all

had fun!)







Dupil Profile

Name: Eliza Rawle

Year: 2

Years at CPS: This will be my third year at CPS

Favourite Subject:

Writing because I have lots of thought that I like

to put down.

Likes: Drawing, singing and making up my own dance moves.

Dislikes: When my sister breaks my things.

Ambition: I would like to write my own songs and perform them on stage.









Community News

If you need community notices advertised in our newsletter please contact the school either by phone, fax or email.

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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.

If you know of anyone in our community that is not receiving our newsletter, but would like to, please contact the school by either email or phone.



All NSW school-enrolled children are eligible for two \$100 Active Kids vouchers. The vouchers can be used with any approved Active Kids provider, to help cover costs towards registration or membership fees for sport and active recreation. Voucher one is valid January to December and voucher two is valid July to December. After 1 July 2019, the second voucher can be claimed limmediately after the first voucher.



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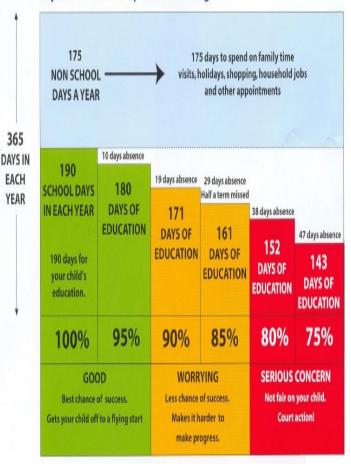






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