

# Carrum Newsletter

**It was great to have everyone back at school today after the snap lockdown over the past five days.** Thank you for your support at home with the modified remote learning activities. We hope the children were able to continue learning this week and we are pleased that we could resume our normal programs today.



**Thank you to our Grade 1-6 parents for dropping off their children at the gate this morning.** We will continue with this process for the remainder of the week. From Monday parents will be able to come on to the school groups to drop off and pick up their children. We do ask that all adults wear a mask while on the school grounds and

adhere to social distancing restrictions. Please remember that all adults that come into the school will need to report to the office. Attached to this newsletter is a brief letter from the Department outlining relevant COVID information for schools.



**CKR Live  
19 February  
3pm**

**School Council  
23 February**

**District Swim  
11 March**

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**We were so pleased that our Grade 5/6 students were able to go to camp last week.**

The students and teachers had a great time at Camp Woorabinda. Our staff are so proud of our students who showed resilience, team work and true 'Carrum Spirit' while away from home for five days. Thank you to our teachers for giving lots of sleep last week to support our students through a fantastic camp.



Just another reminder that the **Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund (CSEF)** provides payments for eligible students to attend activities such as camps, swimming, school organised sports programs, outdoor education programs, excursions and incursions. Families holding a means-tested concession card or temporary foster parents, are eligible to apply. If you applied for the CSEF in a previous year, you do not need to complete an application form in 2021 unless there has been a change in your family circumstances. You will only need to submit an application form in 2021 if any of the following changes have occurred:

**new student enrolments:** your child has started school this year or moved to Carrum Primary School in 2021

**changed family**

**circumstances:** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing at the school in 2021

If you need to submit a CSEF application form, please see download the form from our website and submit it at the office.



**Today, Mr Vansittart and our Marine Ambassadors travelled to Sorrento to participate in their first workshop of the year.**

The students were able to swim with the seals and leafy sea dragons in Port Phillip Bay. Over the next couple of weeks they will share their learnings with the rest of the school community at assembly and through the newsletter. I can't wait to hear all about it over the next week or so.



**Unfortunately, we have had to postpone our school leadership presentations planned for this Friday afternoon assembly.** We will still be presenting our student leaders with their badges tomorrow at a Grade 5/6 assembly (student and staff only). We will hold a more formal assembly later in the term when Sonya Kilkenny and Mark Dreyfus can attend together.

**Please remember if your child is unwell and are displaying fever like symptoms they must stay at home and seek medical advice.**

It is an important that all children when unwell remain home until they have recovered from any illness. Further, I have had a report of head lice in the community and we ask all parents to take the opportunity over the weekend to check their children's hair for head lice and treat their hair if required. We thank you for your support in keeping our community safe and healthy.



Finally, we hope everyone has a great weekend and we look forward to seeing the students back at school on Monday.

*Best regards,  
Clem Langford  
Principal*

# CALENDAR



**5/6 Interschool Sport**  
19 February

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**5/6 Interschool Sport**  
5 March

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**CKR Live**  
19 February - 3.00pm  
Listen via [radiocarrum.org](http://radiocarrum.org)

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**CKR Live**  
5 March - 2.40pm  
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**School Council**  
23 February

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**District Swimming**  
11 March

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**5/6 Interschool Sport**  
26 February

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**Division Swimming**  
15 March

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**CKR Live**  
26 February - 2.40pm  
Listen via [radiocarrum.org](http://radiocarrum.org)

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**Cyber Safety  
for Students & Parents**  
18 March

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**Carrum Beach Patrol**  
27 February (9am)

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**House Athletics**  
25 March

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This Calendar is regularly updated. Please refer to our school website  
for up to date information - [Calendar](#)

Dear parents and carers

The Victorian Government yesterday announced that the circuit breaker actions that came into effect last week will end at 11.59pm on Wednesday 17 February. This means that students will return to on-site learning at school from Thursday 18 February.

Thank you for supporting your children and our school staff this week. We look forward to seeing our students back at school with their friends and teachers, with school opening at the standard time of 9am today.

From 11.59pm Wednesday 17 February, consistent with advice for the broader community, adults visiting the school, must wear a face mask at school, unless an exception applies:

\* in all indoor spaces

\* in all outdoor spaces when 1.5m physical distance cannot be maintained.

The wellbeing of all our students is our priority and our school staff and teachers are here to support you and your family. Information that might be of assistance to you in [talking to your child about COVID-19](#) is available. If you are concerned about your wellbeing or that of your child, please contact the school so we can talk with you about how we can best assist. Other sources of support include: Parent Line 13 22 89 and Kids Helpline [1800 55 1800](#).

The Department's COVID-19 helpline is also available on weekdays from 8.30am to 5pm on [1800 338 663](#). If you know a family who speak a language or languages other than English and you know they would like further information, interpreting services are available by phoning 131 450 first. For families with a child with a disability, the [Association for Children with a Disability \(ACD\)](#) has additional information.

And, finally, a reminder that if you, your child, or a family member develops [symptoms of COVID-19](#) you should get tested at a COVID-19 testing facility and stay home.

Each family should regularly check the [list of public exposure sites](#) in Victoria (where a person with COVID-19 has attended), and if anyone in the family has attended a site at the times listed, follow the instructions given.

Please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher or contact the school if you have any concerns.

Kind regards,

Clem Langford  
Principal  
Carrum Primary School



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14<sup>th</sup> February, 2019

## Carrum Primary School

### Notice of Election and Call for Nominations

An election is to be conducted for members of the School Council of Carrum Primary School.

Nomination forms may be obtained from the school and must be lodged by 4.00 pm on **Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February**.

The ballot will close at 4.00 pm on **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March**.

Following the closing of nominations a list of the nominations received will be posted at the school. The terms of office, membership categories and number of positions in each membership category open for election are as follows:

<b>MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY</b>	<b>TERM OF OFFICE</b>	<b>NUMBER OF POSITIONS</b>
Parent member	From the day after the date of the declaration of the poll in 2019  to and inclusive of the date of the declaration of the poll in 2021	2
DET employee member	From the day after the date of the declaration of the poll in 2019  to and inclusive of the date of the declaration of the poll in 2021	2

If the number of nominations is less than the number of vacancies, a notice to that effect and calling for further nominations will be posted in a prominent position at the school.

Clem Langford  
Principal

## School Council Election Process Timetable

### School council election process timetable - 2019



Name of the School: Carrum Primary School

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>DATE</b>
<b>a) Notice of election and call for nominations</b>	<i>Thursday 14/02/19</i>
<b>b) Closing date for nominations</b>	<i>Thursday 28/02/19</i>
<b>c) Date by which the list of candidates and nominators will be posted</b>	<i>Monday 4/03/19</i>
<b>d) Date by which ballot papers will be prepared and distributed</b>	<i>Wednesday 6/03/19</i>
<b>e) Close of ballot</b>	<i>Thursday 14/03/19</i>
<b>f) Vote count</b>	<i>Friday 15/03/19</i>
<b>g) Declaration of ballot</b>	<i>Monday 18/03/19</i>
<b>h) Special council meeting to coopt Community members (the principal will preside)</b>	<i>Tuesday 26/03/19</i>
<b>i) First council meeting to elect office bearers (the principal will preside)</b>	<i>Tuesday 26/03/19</i>
<b>j) School Council Induction</b>	<i>Tuesday 26/3/19</i>

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**New Salon in Chelsea!**

**485 Nepean Hwy (next door to 4 Ft 11 Café)**

**We would love for you to stop past or alternatively call and make an appointment (Ph: 7038 0977 or visit our website [www.femmefatalebeutesalon.com](http://www.femmefatalebeutesalon.com))**

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## Open Evening

### Thursday 18 March from 4.00pm

Join us at our annual Open Evening where each session (4.00, 5.00 or 6.00pm) will feature a Principal's address, a vibrant student-led tour, performances from our Performing Arts students and ending with a visit to our Information Centre.

**Due to COVID-19 restrictions, you must pre-register.  
Please refer to our website for further details.**

\* Based on 2020 VCE results



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