



Newsletter

Diary Dates

- **Monday 9am**
P-2 Assembly
- **Friday 9am**
Y3-6 Assembly
- **Play Group**
Every Wednesday
Commencing
24th April 9:30 -11am
- **Y6 Tinaroo Camp**
April 22nd – 24th
- **Y5 Holloways Boat**
April 5D 22ND
54A & 65B 23RD
5C 24TH
- **Leadership Day
Excursion**
26th APRIL
- **ANZAC DAY MARCH**
25th April
- **Anzac day special
assembly in hall**
Fri 26th 9am
- **Cross Country TCN**
3rd May
- **Mothers Day Stall**
TBA either Thursday
9th or Friday 10th MAY
- **Zoo to You**
Y2 Week 9 14th May
- **Colour Run** 17th May
- **Country Fair** 17th AUG

Attendance

Caravonica's Goal



School success starts
with attendance

Caravonica State School acknowledges the Traditional Custodians, the Djabugay people, of the country in which this school is located and pays respect to their Elders past, present and emerging.

From our Principal

STUDENT DRESS CODE

It is an expectation of the Caravonica School Community that all students abide by the School Dress Code of our school. It is a long-held belief of our school that this code helps develop a sense of identity for our students. The school is also a workplace [for staff and students] and as such WHS requirements must also be met.

We have noticed some confusion among students regarding the distinction between our everyday dress code and our sports day dress code. This week we are re-teaching this expectation with students so I thought it was opportune to reinforce the student dress code with families.

General Uniform Requirements

- Red Caravonica school polo shirt – available through the Uniform Shop
- Black shorts/skort/skirt **mid-thigh length**; long tights
- Black broad brim hat – available through the Uniform Shop

Please note: Short beach length shorts are inappropriate for school wear at any time, bike pants/skins can only be worn for athletics carnivals; longer length tights acceptable). Skins and 'active wear shorts or bike pants' are practical for sports days but are not a part of our daily uniform.

Y6 Students can wear the seniors polo available through the Uniform Shop.

The rule 'NO HAT, NO SHOES, NO PLAY' means that children must wear footwear and broad brim hats during break times. For health and safety reasons, students should wear fully enclosed shoes or sandals instead of thongs. Crocs are not acceptable as they do not provide adequate support and students cannot run safely in them.

Free Dress Days

On free dress days, students may wear non-uniform items, provided:

1. The clothing is sun-safe - shoulders and upper arms are covered by clothing just like our school uniform;
2. Shirts free of obscene language and symbols;
3. The length of shorts/ skirt/ dress is at least the equivalent of the regular uniform i.e. at least mid-thigh;
4. A hat (not cap) that affords the same amount of sun protection as the uniform hat.

Sports Day Dress

On school inter-house sports days, students may wear non-uniform items. Please note:

1. The house-coloured shirts red, blue or green with sleeves (and a collar where possible);
2. The wearing of **bike pants/skins is acceptable on this day**;
3. Hair can be temporarily coloured in house colours on this day.

If there are challenges for your family in adhering to our dress code please contact the office. This way we can address your concerns/challenges and find a way for all students to meet the requirements of our dress code

Michelle Davis, Principal



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P&C

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School Watch: 13 17 88

Student details:

Have your details changed? i.e. address, phone number, legal documents, medical details or emergency contacts? Please let the office know via email:

officestaff@caravonicass.eq.edu.au

caravonicass.eq.edu.au

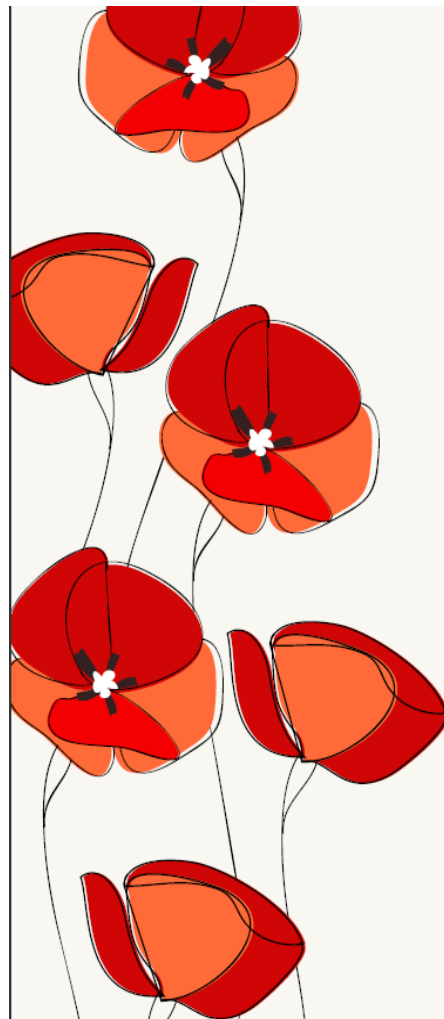
or update family details on [Qparents](#).



This term is gearing up to be a busy one, with lots of exciting learning. Year 3 students will be delving into the fascinating world of Science, focusing on Earth's rotation.

Students will design and build clay models of Earth. They will then use torches to demonstrate Earth's rotation and its effects on our daily lives. This will support their understanding of how we experience day and night. We're eager to share their creative projects with you and showcase their growing knowledge, so watch this space!

Deputy - Demelza



ON APRIL 25

We remember Anzac Day.

Caravonica State school will be marching at **Stratford**. We invite all students and families to join us.

Where: Magazine St (in front of Rankine Timber and Truss)

When: 8:30am meeting for 9:30am commencement.

What: Full school uniform and enclosed shoes. This is a long ceremony, concluding around 11am, please bring a full water bottle and hat. It also always rains, so potentially an umbrella.

Road closures 8:00am - 11:15am

- Magazine Street, from Arnold St to Rinks Close
- Rinks Close, from Stratford Parade to Magazine St
- No access to Arnold St from Captain Cook Highway – north and southbound.
- No access to Stratford Connection Road railway crossing



Drama Awards

PA
Awesome puppet performance and audience bodies



Would you like to:

- check your child's timetable on your phone, tablet or computer?
- access your child's report cards online?
- pay school invoices online with a credit card?
- notify the school of your child's absences and monitor attendance?
- engage more closely with your child's school?

Visit qparents.qld.edu.au to find out more.



If your child/ren has something missing, please be sure to check the **Lost Property** area located in front of the Tuckshop.

Please ensure **ALL personal belongings** are clearly named. All unclaimed and unnamed items will be bagged up and donated to a local charity weekly.

Thank you!

Students of the Week

PA	Ivanna
PB	Whole Class
PC	Azaria
1A	Leo
1B	Kyton
1C	Archie
2A	Kayden
2B	Lucas
2C	Whole Class
3A	Tobin
3B	Joseph
3C	Clara
3D	Lily
4B	Myrah
4C	Ella
4D	Summer
54A	Ayesha
5C	Zoey
5D	Whole Class
65B	Lachlan
6A	Harnimrat
6C	Cooper

Gotcha Awards

Term 2 week 2

Congratulations to this week's GOTCHA price winners!

Juniors:
Caring Tamina 1B
Safe Harvey PA
Successful Edriel 2C

Seniors:
Caring Will 5C
Safe Myrah 4B
Successful Evelyn 3A



PBL Weekly Focus

Week 2

Contribute, Care & Share

Schools are first and foremost about people. A place where young people, teachers and parents combine to make a powerful community. All working together towards the same goal. While learning is important, it is just as important that our young people feel a sense of belonging in our school community. At Caravonica, we believe that when we contribute to our school community, care and share with each other, it has a positive effect on the wellbeing of everyone.

Students demonstrate these skills when they:

- care for themselves and others,
- take turns and cooperate,
- engage in learning and contribute positively to our school.



PBL at Caravonica

An instructional approach to behaviour

Taking an instructional approach to behaviour means that we place importance on explicitly teaching students how to meet the behavioural expectations. Behaviour is taught in exactly the same way as academics, using direct instruction, modelling and guided practice. When students fail to meet expectations, we treat this as a behavioural error and provide additional prompts and re-teaching. As educators, we have a duty to teach students the skills they will need to have fulfilling lives and to contribute towards society.

Be Caring Be Safe Be Successful

Positive Behaviour
for Learning

MEDICAL CONDITIONS

It is essential to ensure that the school is informed of all medical conditions on enrolment [heart conditions, epilepsy or any other serious disability that could impact your child's wellbeing].

This information will be updated on your child's enrolment profile as soon as information is supplied to the school.

Students diagnosed with anaphylaxis, asthma, epilepsy and/or any other diagnosed condition requiring support must have an Action Plan that clearly outlines steps to follow. Action Plans are designed with student, parent and doctor consultation. It is the parent's responsibility to ensure the school has a copy of the current Action Plan.

Correct emergency contact details **MUST BE KEPT UP TO DATE AT ALL TIMES.**

MEDICATION

Medication must be brought to the front office by an adult.

Parent's will then be requested to sign and date a permission form, allowing school staff to administer the medication on their behalf.

Medication will only be administered to students when it has been prescribed by a **doctor** and is in the original pharmacy dispensed container and is clearly labelled with the:

1. Student's name
2. Medication name
3. Dosage
4. Time/s for administering the Medication
5. Doctor's name

Non-prescribed, over-the-counter medication will not be administered.





CARAVONICA GALLERY!

Cross Country 2024

Cross Country Winners!



Our Leadership Team 2024

