



# CEDAR NEWS

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FROM **THE PRINCIPAL** | Term 4, Week 7 - November 26, 2018

## Only three weeks to go!

As we head into graduations and end-of-year celebrations, I would like to acknowledge the contributions that our staff, parents & caregivers, and students have made to Cedar in 2018.

**To quote Walt Disney "You can design and create, and build the most wonderful place in the world. But it takes people to make the dream a reality".** This is certainly the case as a Principal. The reality is that the learning experiences and projects that have taken place this year, could not have happened without a great deal of commitment and support from the staff, parents and students.

I am so thankful to be a part of a school with highly capable and committed teachers and support staff. One of the most important factors of any successful school is the staff. There has never been a time when being a teacher has been more demanding or challenging. To our teachers and support staff, thank you for your energy, passion and enthusiasm. What a privilege to be able to witness the joy that comes with the satisfaction of a problem solved, or the wonder of living new adventures through the world of education here at Cedar College. Our teachers have the opportunity each day to participate in their students' academic journeys. They recognise and applaud just how hard their students work. They celebrate their students' achievements, whether they be great or small, and they share with pride the progress their students make with their learning.

**Every week, we as a school celebrate the successes of our students, whether these successes be in the classroom, playing an instrument, on the sporting field or in competitions.**

As a school community, we treasure the opportunities to worship together in the classroom and celebrate at our Chapels and Assemblies. It is through these opportunities that we experience the message that God loves us, in creative and engaging ways.

**To our departing Year 12 families and students – make the most of the time God has given you.** Whatever you strive for, whatever you do, give it your very best. Make the most of it, be positive, and thank God for each new day.

Christmas is nearly here. The year has gone by so quickly! Make sure you stop from time to time to think of ways you can be a blessing to others.

Mr Peter Thomson, Principal

### IMPORTANT DATES TERM 4

<b>Week 7</b>	NOVEMBER
Mon 26-Wed 28	Year 11 Exams
<b>Wed 28</b>	<b>Primary School Transition Day</b>
Thu 29	Year 12 (2019) Transition Day
Thu 29	Year 4 Assembly
<b>Thu 29</b>	<b>Summer SOULstice (Yr 8-12), 6:00pm</b>
Fri 30	Year 12 (2019) Transition Day
<b>Week 8</b>	NOVEMBER
Tue 4 - Wed 5	Year 10 Exams
<b>Tue 4</b>	<b>Junior Primary Celebration Evening</b>
Wed 5	Year 7 Service, Year 8 Incursion
<b>Wed 5</b>	<b>Last day for Year 10s</b>
Wed 5 - Thu 6	Year 9 Exams
Wed 5	Year 7&8 Assembly, 2:45pm
Thu 6	Year 7 Excursion, Year 8 Incursion
<b>Thu 6</b>	<b>Last day of Middle School</b>
<b>Thu 6</b>	<b>Year 9 Graduation 7:30pm</b>
<b>Fri 7</b>	<b>STUDENT FREE DAY</b>
<b>Week 9</b>	NOVEMBER
Sun 9	CityReach CarolsAlive! on the Cedar College Oval from 5pm
<b>Tue 11</b>	<b>Upper Primary Celebration &amp; Year 6 Graduation, 6:30pm</b>
Wed 12	PS Fun Day
Wed 12	Year 6 End of Year Activity
<b>Wed 12</b>	<b>Last day of Term 4, students finish 3:15pm</b>
<b>Thu 13</b>	<b>STUDENT FREE DAY</b>
<b>Fri 14</b>	<b>STUDENT FREE DAY</b>



The Class of 2018 at the Senior School Awards and Presentation Night

## NEWS AND NOTICES

**Student Free Days - Term 4**

Please note the following for Term 4.

**Friday December 7** - Student Free Day

**The final day for High School students is Thursday December 6**, finishing at 3:20pm, followed by the Year 9 Graduation evening.

**Primary School students conclude Term 4 on Wednesday December 12 at 3:15pm.**

(Thursday December 13 & Friday December 14 are Student Free Days for Primary School)

**SUMMER SOULSTICE**

**You are warmly invited to the Summer Soulstice, the High School Music performance night.**

The Soulstice will be held on **Thursday 29th November (Week 7) from 6pm-8pm**. The concert will be a showcase of the wonderful talent exhibited by our students this year and will be the final performance for our Year 12s. This promises to be a night of engaging musical performances from students in Years 8 to 12. We will also be presenting our Ceed Awards in recognition of students' outstanding success, perseverance, skill and contributions to our Music faculty.

With summer just around the corner, we are hosting the concert on the High School Lawns. **Guests are asked to bring a rug or camp chairs to set up on the lawn and pack a picnic to enjoy throughout the evening.** Please note this will be an alcohol and nut free event, in accordance with our school policy. There will be an allocated seating area for those with mobility needs, to ensure their comfort.

Please come along and support our students as they share their gifts with the school community.

**Term 4 Canteen Menu**

**The final day for lunch orders will be on Wednesday December 5 (Week 8).** During the final week of school, the Canteen will be open at recess and lunch for snack purchases only.

**2018 Yearbooks**

**One copy of the 2018 Cedar College Yearbook will be available for each family on the final day of Term 4, Wednesday December 12** (usually given to the youngest child). Additional copies may be ordered from the Primary School Office, at a cost of \$15 each. Year 12 students each receive their own copy.

**In Remembrance**

**Cedar College remembers a very special lady.**

Helen Glanowski, grandmother to one of our founding students, Ingrid, and current student Alyssa was a lovely supportive grandmother and a big part of the life of our school since the early days.

We remember Helen as a very friendly, smiley lady who we got to know very well over 22 years when she came to pick up the girls. She loved a chat, and was always interested in others and in what was going on at school.

Having migrated from Holland many years ago, she had a very interesting, simple but productive life here in Australia. Her story was very aptly portrayed in a creative, metallic art piece Ingrid produced in Year 12 here at Cedar. We want to acknowledge Helen's strength and loving support, and pass on our sympathy to her family as they grieve the loss of their mother and grandmother.

**Graduations & Award Nights**

Please note the following dates and times for upcoming graduations and awards & celebration evenings.

Due to seating capacity in the Auditorium, some events will be issued with tickets in order to give each family the opportunity to attend.

**Junior Primary Celebration Evening**

**Tuesday December 4**, from 6:30pm

Please note that further information and tickets for this evening (three per family) will be sent home to each Junior Primary family early this week.

**Year 9 Graduation**

**Thursday December 6**, from 7:30pm

**Year 6 Graduation and Upper Primary Celebration Evening**

**Tuesday December 11**, from 6:30pm

**TERM DATES 2018/2019**

**Term 4, 2018** - Tue 16 Oct - Wed 12 Dec

**Term 1, 2019** - Tue 29 Jan - Fri 12 April

**Term 2, 2019** - Tue 30 April - Fri 28 June

*Please note: We will continue to have a three week break between terms 2 & 3*

**Term 3, 2019** - Wed 24 July - Fri 27 Sept

**UNIFORM SHOP**

**Regular opening hours during Term:**

**Monday** 8:30am - 4:30pm

**Wednesday** 3pm - 5:30pm

Thursday Extended Opening Hours:

**TERM 1** - Weeks 1-6, 3pm - 5.30pm

**TERM 2** - Weeks 1-3, 3pm - 5.30pm

**TERM 4** - Weeks 1-3, 3pm - 5.30pm

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SUNDAY DECEMBER 9, FUN STARTS 5PM, CAROLS FROM 7:30PM

## FROM THE CEDAR PASTOR

## Christmas is Coming

Carols Alive is coming on Sunday the 9th of December.



**This is the perfect way to wrap up the year as a community. We would love to see you there!**

As well as the usual jam-packed program, food and amusements, we are super excited to announce an exclusive **Youth Zone** during the pre-Carols festivities! From 5pm High Schoolers are welcome to hang out on the Gazebo lawns for our *Christmas at the Beach*. Mechanical surfboard, beach volleyball, paddling pools, beach chairs, music and chills! See you at the beach!

**Pastor Jeremy Wright**, Cedar College Pastor



## NEWS FROM THE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## SciFi Science Spectacular

Last week the Primary School students were treated to a SciWorld Science show filled with mixtures, chemical reactions and fire.



**It was an action packed hour of learning, excitement and surprise for each of the Primary School classes.** We were all amazed by the different coloured flames produced by burning different chemical compounds and shocked when the film canister suddenly popped and rocketed upwards. The students also loved making predictions about each experiment that was conducted, and interacted well whilst trying to reach for the smoke rings.

Favourites amongst the students would have to be the elephant's toothpaste and the fireballs that were made by the presenter, by blowing a powder into a flame torch. The students asked some incredible questions that allowed their learning to be expanded into new and exciting realms. What a great way to expose students to the awesome world of science.

**Mrs Julie Volkoff**, Primary School Science Teacher

## Christmas Choir

**The Year 4/5 Christmas Choir performed for the Senior's group at the Ingle Farm Salvation Army last week.**

The Christmas Choir will also be performing at the CityReach Carols Alive, on the Cedar College Oval, Sunday December 9, from 5pm.



## Year 4s Get Veggie Excited!

At the start of Term 3, the Year 4s, with the help of Middle School Co-ordinator, Mr David Webb, planted some flowers and vegetables in the planter boxes near their classroom.



As part of their Sustainability studies, the Year 4s watched the plants grow over the course of the term, until they were finally ready for harvest. Here's what some of the students learned from the experience. *"In 4MB/LZ we got to grow our own fruit and vegetables! We watered them every day and we got to harvest them this week! We grew zucchinis, strawberries, snow peas and onions. We cooked zucchini slice and zucchini chips - yum! It was heaps of fun and we all loved it!"* - Matthew, Year 4

*"In Term 3 we planted some seedlings with Mr Webb. We watered them every day - I loved watching them grow! On Tuesday we had 'Mrs Birch's Cooking Show' and she showed us how to make zucchini slice and zucchini chips. We used the onions and zucchinis that we grew in the garden. It was delicious! We also grew snow peas, lettuce and strawberries. I really enjoyed it."* - Selvi

## PRIMARY SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

**The Primary School Assembly** will be held on Thursday at 9am. Parents/caregivers are welcome to attend.

### Assemblies for Term 4, 2018

**Wk 7:** Year 4

The alternate weeks are Chapel services. Parents/caregivers are welcome to attend.

## HIGH SCHOOL EVENTS

**Summer SOULstice**

Thursday November 29, 6pm - 8pm.

**Year 12 (2019) Transition Days**

Thursday November 29 &amp; Friday November 30.

**Year 7 Service Day / Year 8 Incursion**

Wednesday December 5 (last day for Year 10)

**Year 7&8 Awards Assembly**

Wednesday November 5, 2:45pm - 3:20pm.

**Year 7 Excursion / Year 8 Incursion**

Thursday November 6.

**Last day of High School**

Thursday November 6, finish 3:20pm.

**Middle School Graduation**

Thursday November 6, from 7:30pm

## NEWS FROM THE HIGH SCHOOL

# Class of 2018 Graduation

The Year 12 Graduation and Senior School Presentation Night recognises overall student achievement as well as excellence in specific subjects.



The evening featured the presentation of the Gold Principal's Medallion, as well as Subject and Year Level Dux Awards, Character Awards and a number of Distinctive Awards. We would like to congratulate the following recipients: **Caltex Best All Rounder Award** - Thomas Wright, **the Year 12 Tabor Award** - James Butt, **and the ADF Long Tan Youth Leadership & Teamwork Award** - Max Hodges (Year 12) and McKenna Paull (Year 9). Congratulations also to those Year 12s who achieved **Academic High Honours**: Cameron Walsh, Chloe Van Uiter, Max Hodges, Jacinta Wirth and Aradhana Samuel, and also to **Year 11 Dux**, Muhammad Husnain, and **Year 10 Dux**, Jennifer Lynette Feliciano.

Also announced were the **Cedar College Sportspersons of the Year for 2018**, awarded for excellence in the sporting arena. This year's recipients were Lachlan Falco, Samuel Duke and Isabel Schultz.

After a time of speeches, memories and cutting the Graduation cake, the school life of the Class of 2018 drew to a close. Congratulations to all of our Year 12 graduates, we wish the Class of 2018 every blessing as they continue on to tertiary education and various career pathways.



## VET Graduation

In 2018, twelve Senior School students undertook the Certificate II in Kitchen Operations with their trainer, Mrs Samantha Zimmermann, in the Cedar College commercial kitchen facility.

**The students committed to attending each Wednesday afternoon until 5:30pm for their training.** On Thursday 15th of November the VET Hospitality class graduated at the Hotel Grand Chancellor, Adelaide.

The students had the opportunity to cook for their family and friends, as they celebrated their graduation at the Salford College training restaurant, on the ground floor of the hotel. It was a lovely finish to an eventful year. Highlights included some fantastic work placements including: The Coffee Barun and Government House, and our own Fusion restaurant.

**Congratulations to the following students that now hold their Certificate:** Janet Addai-Mensah, Jayce Blakers, Jeffrey Chan, Ella Craig, Fiona Emha, Haydyn Harmer, Lucrecia Hurn, Mia Lynch, Ben Lynds, Shanelle Pawlowski, Natasha Simon, Saxon Webb.

**Miss Samantha Zimmermann,**  
Food & Hospitality teacher

## A Formal to Remember

The hail and torrential downpour did not dampen the excitement on the Year 12 night of nights, as they gathered for their penultimate school event, the Year 12 Formal.



**With the picturesque Glen Ewin Estate as the backdrop, the students enjoyed canapés and drinks under the shelter of the alfresco area, before making their grand entrance along the red carpet.**

Introduced by the evening's MC, Mr du Preez, the Year 12s and their teachers settled down at grouped tables for an entrée, followed by a main course of bountiful shared platters.

In attendance were teachers both current and past, including Reception teacher, Mrs Crawford and Year 6 teachers, Miss Dix and Mrs Jettner, who were able to reminisce with students about their Primary School days. Taking to the dance floor, the Year 12s enjoyed the *Nutbush* (another Primary School memory), as the evening switched pace to a party atmosphere. Once again the Formal committee, headed by Mrs Jettner, created a very special evening, and one that is sure to remain in the memories of the Year 12s as the perfect way to end their school days.