

# WEEK 8

## NEWSLETTER 18

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### Diary Dates

#### Term 2 - Week 8

##### Tuesday 18 June

- Preschool Kenny Koala Visit
- Yr 5 & 6 Interschool Soccer Gala Day @ Harrison

##### Wednesday 19 June

- School Banking
- Food Technology Elective Excursion

##### Thursday 20 June

- Missions Day – SRC Fundraiser  
Free Dress Day & Sausage Sizzle

##### Friday 21 June

- SRC - Hot Dog Sales
- Preschool Kenny Koala Visit
- Japanese Excursion – Year 7

##### Sunday 23 June

- Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser

#### Term 2 - Week 9

##### Monday 24 June

- Year 3/4 ANBG Excursion

##### Wednesday 26 June

- School Banking

##### Thursday 27 June

- Sec Science Excursion

##### Friday 28 June

- Secondhand Uniform Shop Open  
8:30am – 9:30am
- Year 2 Assembly
- SRC – Hot Dog Sales

##### Saturday 29 June

- New Parent Induction Course

#### Term Dates 2019

##### Term 3

Start: Monday 29 July

End: Friday 27 September

##### Term 4

Start: Monday 14 October

End: Wednesday 18 December

### What's Coming Up

#### Missions Day SRC Fundraiser – Free Dress Day & Sausage Sizzle

Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> June 2019 (Term2 Week 8)

Dear Parents/ Carers

The SRC is organising a Missions Day on Thursday, June 20. The day will be a free dress day with a gold coin donation going towards the "Bushfire" Mission in Uganda. This mission aims to reconcile families in Uganda that have been separated because of the civil war in the country from the 1970's to the 1990's. It is a Christian ministry and a worthwhile cause to support. If you want more information, please follow this link

<http://bushfireuganda.com/about/>.



As part of the day, we will limit student and staff access to electricity and technology from the start of the school day to 12pm. The aim is to give our students a small taste of what school is like in a third world country. They will have access to toilets and water. There will be a sausage sizzle at lunch time at \$2 a sausage. Please indicate the number you want to order for your child on Skoolbag. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at school or on [eugene@emmaus.act.edu.au](mailto:eugene@emmaus.act.edu.au).



# What's Coming Up

## Interschool Year 5 & 6 Canberra Cup Football Festival

**Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> June 2019 (Term 2 Week 8) – Student Registration Required**

**Student to be dropped off between 8:30 and 9:20am, Harrison Playing Fields, Katoomba St, Harrison**

Dear Year 5 & 6 Parents,

Emmaus has entered 4 teams into the Canberra United Cup Football (soccer) 5 a-side Football Festival.

Spaces are limited, and if your child is interested in attending this event, please proceed to Trybooking to register and then complete the eForm on Skoolbag. Cost \$10 per student.

**Trybooking Link:** <https://www.trybooking.com/BCWVE>

This event provides boys and girls, who may or may not have played football before, the opportunity to experience and be introduced to football in a fun, safe and pressure free environment.

The focus of the gala day is entirely on enjoyment and participation as there will be no winners or scores recorded.

The day will consist of a round robin format with teams playing up to five matches and participating in some football challenges throughout the day.

There will be a girls team, boys team, mixed team and another team based on demand.

Teams will consist of a minimum of 5 and maximum of 8 players.

Should you have any questions please email [jennym@emmaus.act.edu.au](mailto:jennym@emmaus.act.edu.au)

## Diary Dates

### Term 2 - Week 10

#### Monday 1 July

- Y6-10 ASPIRE week

#### Tuesday 2 July

- Y6-10 ASPIRE week

#### Wednesday 3 July

- Y6-10 ASPIRE week
- School Banking

#### Thursday 4 July

- Y6-10 ASPIRE week

#### Friday 5 July

- Y6-10 ASPIRE week
- SRC – Hot Dog Sales
- P-10 School Assembly 2pm
- End of Term 2



## Food Technology Elective Excursion

**Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> June 2019 (Term 2 Week 8) – Student Registration Required**  
**Super Bao, Dickson Shops**

On Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup> (Week 8), Food Technology Elective students will be attending an excursion to the newly opened Super Bao restaurant at Dickson Shops. This will be during class time and we will leave school at 11.30am, walking to Dickson and then arrive back to school by 12.50pm. Students will be back in time for lunch break and resume normal classes for the rest of the day.

This is a great opportunity for students to taste and experience Asian style flavours and cuisine. Paul and Angel, the creators of Super Bao Canberra, will be hosting us and they will be sharing their story and techniques with us on the day.

Students will be given the opportunity to select their lunch choice ahead of the excursion (next week in class) and we ask that students bring correct money to pay for their lunch on the day.

The following week students will be given the opportunity to create a dish inspired by their experience at Super Bao.

Should you have any questions please email [sara@emmaus.act.edu.au](mailto:sara@emmaus.act.edu.au)



## Year 3/4 Excursion: Australian National Botanic Gardens of Australia, Black Mountain

**Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> June 2019 (Term 2 Week 9)**

On Monday, 24 June, Year 3/4 will be heading to the Botanic gardens. We are looking forward to a guided tour to learn more about 'Indigenous plant use'. This relates to Year 3's HASS (Humanities and Social Sciences) unit and Science.

We will be leaving at 9:15am and travelling back at 2:30pm, by bus. Year 3/4 will have lunch at the botanical gardens so please make sure they bring a labelled water bottle and their food in a clearly labelled plastic/paper bag, making it easier to carry. Students are to wear full winter uniform including school jacket.

**ARE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED? Yes – Volunteers must carry current WWVP card**

Please complete the permission form on Skoolbag by Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June.

Should you have any questions please email [elissa@emmaus.act.edu.au](mailto:elissa@emmaus.act.edu.au)



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## Secondhand Uniform Shop Open

**Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> June 2019 (Term2 Week 9) 8:30am – 9:30am**

The Second-hand Uniform Shop will be open on Friday the 28<sup>th</sup> June, 8:30am – 9:30am.

Without the generous donations of Emmaus families, we wouldn't be able to stock the Second-Hand Uniform shop. Please drop any donations into the front office.



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## New Parent Induction Course

**Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> June 2019 (Term2 Week 9)**

A reminder that all new parents to the school, who have partnered with Emmaus Christian School since the start of 2016, are expected to complete the Emmaus New Parent Induction Course. For those who have not yet attended this Course you will receive an invitation to attend closer to the date. (Note that you only have to attend one of them and not all four – PIP Hours apply). If you have not received an invitation but would like to attend, please contact [abbi@emmaus.act.edu.au](mailto:abbi@emmaus.act.edu.au). The remaining three dates set aside for 2019 are:

- Term 2 Saturday, 29 June 2019
- Term 3 Saturday, 17 August 2019
- Term 4 Saturday, 23 November 2019





# Save the Dates!

Please note in your diary:

- 21<sup>st</sup> August, Wednesday evening, when Primary School will be holding a MADD performance
- 23<sup>rd</sup> August, Friday, when Grandparents and Special Friends are invited to our school

More details are below!

## Primary School Book Week, MADD (*Music, Arts, Dance, Drama*) and Grandparents & Special Friends Day are coming soon

Dear Emmaus Families,

Starting Monday 19<sup>th</sup> August, we will be holding Book Week. Our rough plans for the week are:

<b>Friday 16<sup>th</sup></b>	Classes issued with reading challenges
<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup></b>	Students come dressed as their favourite book character. Parade of costumes during line-up at the start of the day Monday-Friday – A focus on reading and books
<b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup></b>	5:30pm (students dropped at school to get ready) 6:00pm – Performance starts
<b>Friday 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	Grandparents and Special Friends Day

Over the week book challenges for students will be distributed by class teachers, a dress up as your favourite book character will occur and we will perform a concert for parents and grandparents.

There will be two performances over the course of the week. The first being an evening performance for parents and friends. This will commence at 6pm and be held in the Gymnasium. More details will follow concerning this. The second performance will be a Matinee for the grandparents on Friday morning.

Emmaus will hold our annual Grandparents & Special Friends Day during this week. This will allow the students to showcase what they have been doing in class and perform a special MADD concert. Please extend an invitation to your children's grandparents and/or older friends or neighbours.

### DRAFT PROGRAM for Friday with Grandparents and Special Friends

- 9:00 – 10:30am:** ***Classroom Visit** - Grandparents/friends will be welcomed into our Preschool, Primary & Secondary School classrooms to observe reading, writing, other regular class activities and classroom displays, after which a morning tea will be provided.*
- 10:30 – 11:15am:** ***Morning Tea** for our guests will be served in the Primary courtyard (please pray for lovely weather!)*
- At 11:15am:** *Guests will make their way into the Gymnasium ready for the Primary students to present their **Music, Arts, Dance, Drama (MADD)** program*
- 11.30am:** ***MADD Matinee Performance** begins, finishing at approximately 12.30pm.*

If distance proves to be a problem, we ask you to encourage grandparents to send a letter, card or email to the school for their grandchild or special person/people.

We look forward to welcoming all parents, grandparents and special friends to our school and sharing across the generations.

In Christian Service,  
Caroline Orr  
Head of Primary



# Important Notices

## ICAS – Term 3

ICAS will return to Emmaus Christian School this year. We encourage you to consider entering your child in ICAS. This fantastic assessment program allows students' to challenge themselves and be recognised for their academic efforts. The assessment is now fully online and sitting dates will commence in Term 3. Notes and enrolment forms for ICAS will be sent to families during Term 2.



For more information visit:

<https://www.unswglobal.unsw.edu.au/educational-assessments/products/icas-assessments/>

## 2019

Subject	Sitting Dates	Closing Dates
ICAS Digital Technologies	Tuesday 3 September 2019	Monday 26 August 2019
ICAS Science	Thursday 5 September 2019	Monday 26 August 2019
ICAS Writing*	Tuesday 10 September 2019	Monday 2 September 2019
ICAS Spelling Bee	Thursday 12 September 2019	Monday 2 September 2019
ICAS English	Tuesday 17 September 2019	Wednesday 11 September 2019
ICAS Mathematics	Thursday 19 September 2019	Wednesday 11 September 2019

## SRC Fundraiser Term 2 - Hot Dogs \$2 each

### Friday Lunchtimes

To place your child's order please proceed to Skoolbag. All orders need to be placed by noon on Tuesdays of each week. Cash payment is required at the time of pick up on the day.



## Transport Canberra School Route 1020 / 1022 Notice Update

It has been brought to Transport Canberra's attention that school route 1020 has been accommodating students who need to travel to Mitchell for afternoon activities to alight at a now un-serviced stop along Flemington Road (near Subway). Transport Canberra is unable to service stops along Flemington Road, however they want to provide an option for those students needing to alight in Mitchell. From tomorrow, the afternoon 1022 (please note: NOT the 1020) will take the following route from Flemington Road:



Transport Canberra

- LEFT onto Sandford Street
- RIGHT onto Hoskins Street
- LEFT onto Wells Station Road

Then continue normal running.



# PIP Opportunities

## Bunnings BBQ – Fundraiser

**Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2019 (Term 2 Week 8)**

We have another great opportunity to conduct a Bunnings BBQ on Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2019 at Bunnings Majura Park (Canberra Airport) and we need your help. **Time slots are still open for 12noon – 3pm.**

This is a great fundraiser for the school. PIP hours apply for the hours that you volunteer. Please text **Dave on 0433 000 461** if you are available to assist.



## PIP Opportunity: Brace yourselves, Our playground is coming!

Strong soldiers needed for construction during the school holidays. Are you a reasonably practical handyperson, with a bit of upper body strength and some free time during the school holidays? Then you might be what we're looking for. Currently thinking somewhere in the region of 10th-19th of July. Send an email through to [nelank@emmaus.act.edu.au](mailto:nelank@emmaus.act.edu.au) to express your interest, and please consider the technical and physical nature of the task before doing so. (PIP applies)



## Emmaus Fundraising

### Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers

**Help us collect from 1 May to 25 June 2019**



Following the success of collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn stickers in previous years, Emmaus is collecting again from 1 May to 25 June 2019.

We would love you to get on board and help us collect stickers.

A collection box is set up in the Front Office for you to place your stickers in and help us earn points to receive free educational equipment. Thank you in advance for your support!



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## Entertainment Membership 2019/2020

### Available Now!

Entertainment Memberships for 2019 / 2020 are now available to purchase!

Follow the link below to order your Membership online today. <https://www.entbook.com.au/239r29>

Cost: \$60 each. Memberships are available in Digital or Book format.

20% of each Membership sale will assist the school in their fundraising efforts.

### Support us by joining Entertainment

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**Thank you for supporting Emmaus Christian School's fundraiser.**



# Congratulations

## Congratulations Logan B (Yr 7)

### U13's ACT Brumbies Winner in the 2019 NSW Championships

Logan played for the ACT Brumbies u13's this weekend in the NSW Championships and they were the champions winning a final against Victoria.

Logan's team won 3 pool games followed by a tough quarter final, semi and final to be the champions.

Such an amazing and well-deserved outcome! Well done Logan.



# Congratulations

## 13YO ACT Cross Country Carnival - Nth Gungahlin Representatives

### Harry W (Yr 7) & Marilla C (Yr 8)



## U12 ACT Cross Country Carnival

### Nth Gungahlin Representatives

Congratulations to Nate W, Madi O, Tahlia R & Izaac O



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## In and Around the School

Thursday's House rotation activity – Building the tallest structure using only playdough and paddelpop sticks.





Elective Art students have been working on printmaking this semester.





Elective Art students attended Megalo Print Studio last Thursday to participate in an etching workshop.

Starting with a zinc plate coated in wax, students drew a design, the plate was then put in a bath of copper sulphate that etched away the exposed areas.

The plate was inked, rubbed back so the ink remained in the etched grooves. Then rolled through a press to print on wet watercolour paper.







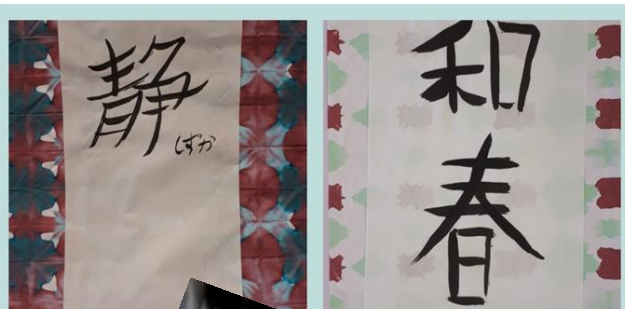
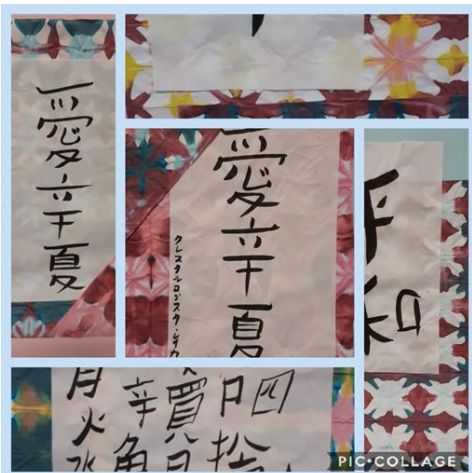




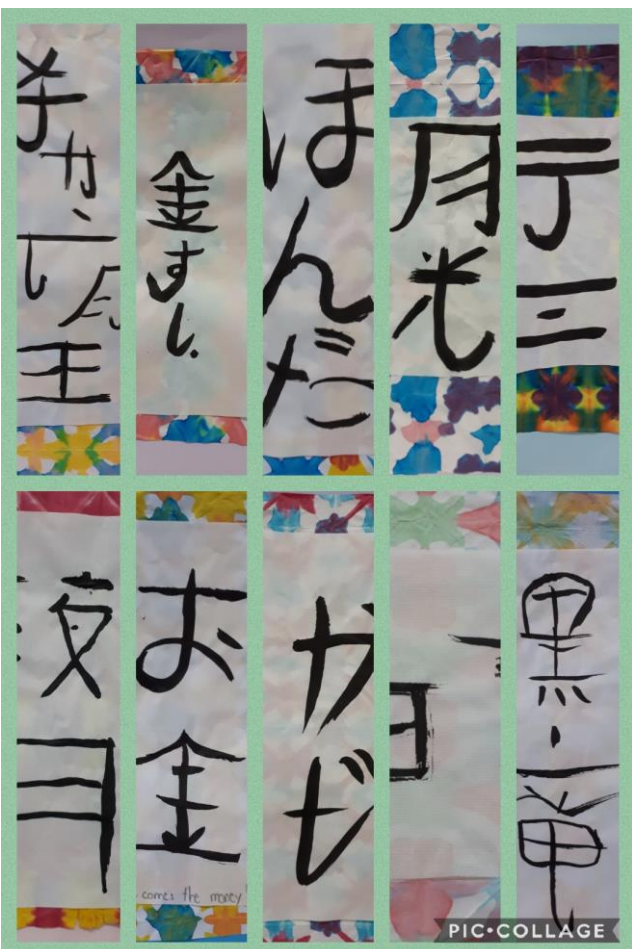


## Japanese Calligraphy Scrolls by Year 7, 8, 9 & 10

In Years 7, 8 and 9/10 Japanese lessons last week (Week 6), the students made their version of a Japanese 'kakejiku' or scroll. They chose their colours and dyed their own background sheet. They then chose characters that were special to them and wrote them with Japanese calligraphy brushes and ink. They are *totemo kirei*, very beautiful, aren't they?









# Community Notices

## Welcome to the 2019 Winter Tennis Season

We thank your school for continuing to support a sport your students can play for life. As a sport that is played all year round we invite your students to join a Winter Tennis Program or a Holiday Kids Tennis Camp. If you can place the following information in your schools next newsletter it would be much appreciated.

### Winter Junior Tennis Coaching @ South & North Canberra Tennis Clubs

- Qualified Tennis Australia Coaches
- Free tennis racquet for new players
- Trial lesson available

### July School Holiday Camps @ Old Parliament House Tennis Club

- July 8th - 10th (Week 1) & July 17th - 19th (Week 2)
- All ages & abilities
- Morning, half-day & full-day options

Contact: [www.tenniscanberra.com.au](http://www.tenniscanberra.com.au) | 0416 186 121 | [play@tenniscanberra.com.au](mailto:play@tenniscanberra.com.au)



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★★★★★

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Jeffrey, Melbourne  
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## Parentline



**Being a parent is the hardest job we'll ever have. All parents at some time experience difficulties and stress.**

**Parentline ACT** is a confidential and free telephone and face-to-face counselling and information service. Contact: **6287 3833**

Phone Parentline if you would you like:

- To talk with someone about those parenting issues.
- Help with some ideas on raising children.
- Support in the important job you are doing.
- To know what is available for parents, teenagers and children.
- To build better relationships in your family.
- Help to understand your child or teenager's behaviour.
- Make an appointment for a counselling session.

**Parentline ACT.**

**Monday to Friday (except on public holidays), 9am to 5pm.**

**Phone: 6287 3833**

## July Holiday Coding & Robotics Program

### South Side

9.30am - 4.30pm, 11-12 & 15 July

Canberra College, Phillip

### North Side

9 am - 4 pm, 17-19 July

Franklin Early Childhood School, Franklin

**Option 1 - Block Coding through play - 3 days (6+ - 8 yrs)**  
**Option 2 - Arcade Game Development + robotics - 3 days (9 - 11 yrs)**  
**Option 3 - Robotics - Introduction to Arduino - build a line following sensor car - 3 days (11+yrs) (require purchase of kit) - High demand class, get in fast to secure your spot**

**Early Bird until 28 June 2019**

**Sibling discount \$20 per family**



Find out more on:

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*The 24 hour course consists of three-hour sessions, once per week, for eight weeks. Booking is essential. Investment includes a workbook and textbook.*

**Course begins:** Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2019  
(minimum number of participants required);  
**Time:** 6.30 pm to 9.45 pm; **Place:** Weston, ACT.

Enjoy P.E.T. with Larissa, accredited P.E. T. instructor.  
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# Haydn and Tchaikovsky

Grevillea Quartet presents

**23 June 2019, 6.30pm**

**Chapel of the Annunciation  
Canberra Girls Grammar School  
Melbourne Avenue, Deakin ACT**

A\$30, C\$15

Children under 12 FREE

Tickets available at

<https://www.trybooking.com/BCYZC>  
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Grevillea Quartet



## Capital Football ALDI MiniRoos Holiday Clinics

We believe the best way to learn football is by playing football and our curriculum is designed to cater to all skill levels. Our qualified coaches are there to guide players through fun and football relevant activities and games, which are stimulating and challenging for all involved.



**Ages:** 4 – 11 year olds

**Dates:** 15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> July

**Times:** 9am – 12pm

**Venue:** Hawker Football Centre  
Walhallow St, Hawker ACT 2614

**Cost:** \$150



For further information and to register please visit <https://capitalfootball.com.au/game-development/holiday-clinics/>



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# HOLIDAY MAKER PROJECT WORKSHOPS

DO YOU LIKE MAKING AND BUILDING THINGS?

Sign up to a Questacon Maker Project workshop during these school holidays at The Ian Potter Foundation Technology Learning Centre in Deakin.

Choose from a variety of workshops where you can invent, design, create and have fun!

Workshops will be offered on 16 and 17 July.

Suitable for 10 to 15 year olds only.

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20 JUNE 2019



Hi there,

This is Dr. Scott Park, Emmaus parent and your friendly dentist in Braddon.

<https://www.ceosleepout.org.au/fundraisers/scottpark/canberra>

It has been a great joy caring and growing with Canberra community for past 11 years. I like to use this opportunity to thank you again for the privilege and continued support.

As you may aware, Preventive Dentistry is a regular participant of Vinnies CEO Sleepout. The exemplary act got me seriously considered and the fact that we had the coldest May in 20 years sealed the deal.

I have just signed up for the 2019 Vinnies CEO Sleepout event to support many Australians experiencing homelessness.

It is only a one-night event (expected to be the longest and coldest night for Scott 😊) but sincerely hope this can make bigger awareness and impact through the participation and your kind donations!

The charities I support and medical/dental aid trips I conduct have taught me this, "we rise by lifting other!".

Once again, it is our humble appeal to kindly make a donation for many Australians experiencing homelessness.

Please support for this great campaign and follow the link as below: -

<https://www.ceosleepout.org.au/fundraisers/scottpark/canberra>

God Bless,  
**Dr. Scott Park**



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