There is one thing everyone in the world gets the same amount of, it is something you cannot save up or delay – it is TIME!

While it seems like we are all equal in respect to time, I have to say that we all have differing levels of commitments which call for our attention. For example a single parent or someone working several jobs to try and make ends meet.

I have been too busy this term myself. And in my own experience I choose to spend too much time on things that have no lasting value or importance. Sure, sometimes veg’ing out in front of the TV may be a coping mechanism, but how much time do we waste even though there are some most important things needing our attention.

No one would argue that our children, family and friends are some of the most important things in this life. I realise that I need to prioritise more time for them, and I need to make sure it is intentional quality time. Many of our children are crying out for our attention and the best way to fill that need is with TIME, not money! As money is in very short supply around Mackay I think we all better focus on using our time to build up our relationships.

I have a lot more to say about this, but I do not have the time! Instead I am going to go and enjoy a day at the Swimming Carnival!

As the holidays draw near, prioritise that opportunity to find some more time for your family. Best wishes and God’s blessings this Easter.
Last year our school stood out in the march, our staff were the only staff I saw in uniform, and our students looked fantastic. This year we have more students and I would like to see all students attend the March. Details of meeting times and places will be announced as we are notified by the organisers.

A reminder to clear Term one fees before commencing term two. If this is not possible please contact the office and arrange to discuss options with the Principal.

MONDAY 11TH APRIL..TERM 2 STARTS

We will commence classes on MONDAY 11TH APRIL.
Camp is happening on Wed-Fri April 22-24. Please return all the forms to the office immediately, they are due today! Please start organising all the equipment students will need, it is on their packing list!

We wish our Students, Staff and Team the very best as they adventure out on their trip. We look forward to hearing all about it next term.
Usually we start our school week with chapel first up on a Monday, but the week of March 14-18 was different—we got to have chapel every day! It was our special Week of Spiritual Emphasis (WOSE). Pastor Christos, the Youth Director for the North Australian Conference, came down from Townsville to share stories about God’s love with us. Besides a special speaker, there were special changes to the room as well. Mrs Hopal and Mr McClintock spent the Sunday afternoon prior to WOSE covering the walls with black plastic to create a special atmosphere, and high school student volunteers put the finishing touches on the room by stringing up fairy lights. Students and staff enjoyed the chance to have fun with ice-breakers and singing each day, and many students wrote down prayer requests to put in the prayer box. The highlight of each day, however, was definitely Pastor Christos’s stories. Thank you to all who helped make WOSE such a wonderful experience.
Tuesday was our last free soccer clinic for the year, the students who participated had a great time and were very well behaved for our guest coaches.

Matt from Auskick has done a fantastic job in bringing AFL alive to our students, the program was enjoyed by many of the participants. Unfortunately Auskick has now finished for what was a fun program.

Thank you to Mr Markwell for your initiative in bringing these opportunities to our Primary Children.
ATHLETICS....

Next term the school will have an athletics coach coming in to coach our primary students in athletics each Friday before our Athletics carnival. This is an excellent step to prepare our students for the carnival.

REMINDER!! CROSS COUNTRY 15TH APRIL..

Reminder.....Cross Country will be on the first Friday back after the holiday. All Students have received a Fun Run Fundraising booklet, the holidays will be a great time to get your sponsorships. Good luck :)

RECITAL AFTERNOON

The students were nervous and made a few mistakes. However they played their guitars or piano really well. It was a good opportunity to experience performing and they are better for it. We hope to make this performance opportunity a regular event.
Congratulations to our High School girls on their first Netball games!!
Our Carnival was a great day and we are very proud of the participation and sportsmanship of the students. Thank you Students for your great efforts and being involved.
Look at the amazing pyjama shorts our year 8’s have been busy sewing in Home Economics this term. Don’t they all look fantastic!
Monday this week Whitsunday Cristian College visited our school for a games day. Sports played were Volleyball, Soccer, Oztag and Basketball. Both schools displayed great sportsmanship and had a fantastic day.
This term in Sisterhood the girls have enjoyed learning about how to make and maintain good friendships, healthy choices and exercise, how to care for your body, and true beauty. They have bonded over lots of games, food and discussions on these important topics. This week as our term surprise, the girls enjoyed making body scrubs out of natural ingredients. We can’t wait for what Term 2 has in store!
JOIN US AT OUR NEXT MESH!!!

MESH is fun filled program that provides food, fun entertainment and a relevant talk for grades 5 and over. Be sure to invite your friends along...

Starting 5:00pm till 7:30pm
You’re Invited

May 21 & 22, 2016

CARLISLE’S Anniversary Celebration

Saturday, May 21
9:30am-12pm - Carlisle Celebration Program
12:30pm - Combined Lunch
(Please bring a plate to share)
6:00pm - Dinner
Open Class Rooms
Sports
Movie

Sunday, May 22
10am-2pm - Family Fun Day

65 years in Mackay & 10 years at our current location

CARLISLE Adventist Christian College

Sabbath Program | Saturday Night Social | Sunday Fun Day
Caught Being Good Award!!!

This award is a classroom achievement, at the end of the week we tally up all the students individual Caught being good acknowledgements. The Class with the highest amount is presented the Trophy and some Natural lollies for the class to share on Friday assembly.

Grade 3 & 4 - 14.3.16

Grade 1 - 21.3.16
Our Chaplain, Mrs Hopal, has had TIME issues this term. She is booked out and trying to catch up with students who need help. Hopal is an awesome asset in our school and we are delighted that our School Management Council has recognised the great need for this support in our school. Mrs Hopal will now be at school for an extra day each week for the rest of this year! Awesome!
Carlisle Way Awards

Ella
Oliver
Ebony
William

Class Room Awards