



Calendar

Week 4 (B)

Secondary Yearly Exams

Fri 3rd Nov: Grip Leadership
Conference, 9am-3pm

Week 5 (A)

Secondary Yearly Exams

Mon 6th-Thurs 9th Nov: Book
Fair - But one, get one free!

Mon 6th Nov: Yrs 4-6 Swimming
Intensive, 11.30am-2.30pm

Tues 7th Nov: Life Skills
Excursion, 9.30am-12.30pm

Thurs 9th Nov: Yrs 4-6 Swimming
Intensive, 11.30am-2.30pm

Fri 10th Nov: Primary Move Up
Day & Year 7 Orientation Day
"Taste of High School"

Sat 11th Nov: Remembrance Day

Week 6 (B)

Mon 13th Nov: Yrs 10&11 RRISK
Excursion, 9-10.30am

Tues 14th Nov: Yrs 4-6 Swimming
Intensive, 11.30am-2.30pm

Tues 14th Nov: Primary Assembly,
2pm

Wed 15th Nov: PASS Laser Tag
Excursion 3-9pm

Thurs 16th Nov: Yrs 4-6 Swimming
Intensive, 11.30am-2.30pm

Thurs 16th Nov: Transiion BBQ
Dinner

Plans for 2024

Matthew 9: 37 – 38

Jesus said to his disciples, *"The harvest is great, but the workers are few. So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest; ask him to send more workers into his fields."*

I often write to our school community about the steady growth that Christian schooling is seeing right across Australia, including here at Casino Christian School. At least a couple of times a week, I have the opportunity to chat to families who are looking for a school that is safe, caring and truly seeks the best for their child. Ultimately, we believe that Jesus can truly fulfil the greatest need of our lives, and we are grateful for the opportunity to share this message whilst providing excellent education.

We see more and more that God is bringing people to this place and feel honoured to be "workers" with the privilege of growing His kingdom and sharing His love with those in our community. Next year is no different, and we feel blessed that he continues to grow his "harvest", so much so, that we need more teachers, more buildings and more resources!

To this end, the Executive Team are busily making preparations behind the scenes. I wanted to share some of these plans and ask you to pray for God's provision and wisdom for us as we move forward.

It is that bittersweet time of year, where we see a changing of the guard as some staff are moving to the next step in their journey and we also welcome new faces.

With gratitude and with sadness, at the end of this year, we will be farewelling a couple of staff from our teaching community.

- Mr John and Mrs Penny Woolley. We have been blessed by their commitment, service and dedication to our community, but recognise the toll of the extensive travel they do. We are glad for their new opportunity to work closer to home and know they will be a great blessing.
- Mr Lee. He and his family will be leaving the area in the new year, but he will continue sharing his love of teaching and the gospel. We are grateful for Mr. Lee's adaptability and the many hours of his behind the scenes work, especially in music and technology.
- Miss Phelps and Mrs McCausland are both moving into new fields away from classroom teaching. We know they will continue to share their love of Jesus in other communities both near and afar. We are grateful for the warmth and passion they have brought to our Primary students.

We send these staff out with our love and our blessing, knowing we will miss each other but encouraged at the work God is doing in their lives.

As such, we are currently advertising and interviewing for these positions and look forward to sharing these appointments with you in the near future. Feel free to share with any friends and family who want to partner with us in sharing the gospel and educating with excellence.

We also wanted to share some developments that are in the works in our resource and building plans. You may have noticed earlier this year that the stone post was moved in our driveway. That has been in preparation for our new two-lane driveway planned for construction to ease congestion, raise our culvert to protect against flash flooding, and repair the potholes! We are working with our engineers on this project as we speak.

Our new sandpit has been a hit, and the maintenance team continue to upgrade the Primary play facilities. Painting and refurbishment of B Block with colourful exterior painting is due to commence in the next couple of weeks, and colourful new handball courts and obstacle courses will decorate our Primary Areas before students return in 2024.

There are many other much larger building plans, including new classrooms, a new canteen, and a new purpose-built oval which are all in the works. Unfortunately, the constraints in the building industry nationwide have delayed our construction plans in other projects such as Before and After School Care. These circumstances are often outside of our control, but we rest safely in God's plans and his timing for these projects.

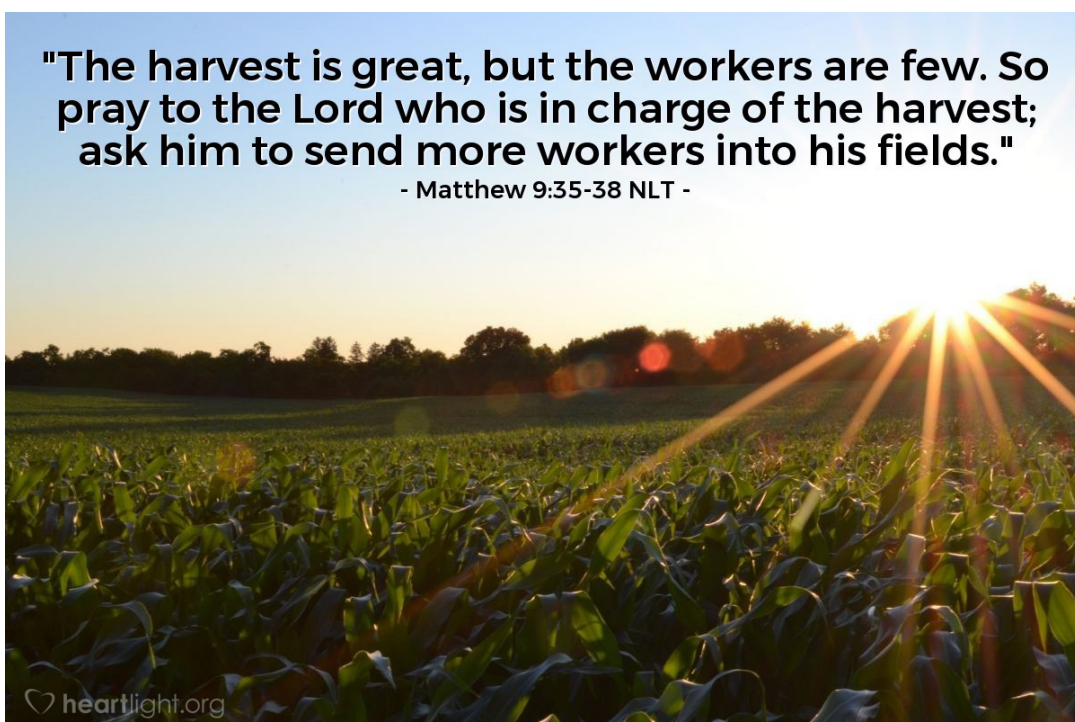
We are also called to be good stewards of what God has blessed us here with, and as such, we are improving our current older solar system to ensure we reduce our carbon footprint and use those savings to provide better resources for our students. We want to support them to do more of the fun things at school. Things such as our next musical production in 2024, and upgrading our Chromebooks and technology for our students.

Ultimately, as always, we seek to honour Christ, build community and grow in grace and knowledge! We are so grateful you are part of our exciting future, and look forward to his continued provision in this place to educate, nurture and equip our students for a future both here on earth, but also for eternity.

Sincerely,
Faith Hull
Principal

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- Matthew 9:35-38 NLT -



Term 4 Events

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Week 2

Fri 20/10: BBQ Yarn & Art Cultural Afternoon, 3.30-6pm

Week 3

Wed 25/10: P&F Meeting, 6-7pm

Fri 27/10: Yr 7 'Team Building' Orientation Day, 9am-3pm

Week 4

Mon 30/10: Secondary Assembly, 11-11.50am

Tues 31/10: Primary Assembly, 2-3pm

Thurs 2/11: Secondary Yearly Exams Start

Week 5

Mon 6-Thurs 9/11: Book Fair - Buy one, get one free!

Fri 10/11: Primary Move Up Day

& Yr 7 'Taste of Highschool' Orientation Day

Week 6

Tues 14/11: Primary Assembly, 2-3pm

Thurs 16/11: Secondary Assembly, 11-11.50am

Thurs 16/11: Transition BBQ Catch Up, 4.30-6.30pm

Week 7

Thurs 23/11: Yr 6 Graduation Dinner, 6-7.30pm

Fri 24/11: School Formal, 6-9pm

Week 8

Mon 27/11: Yr 6 Graduation Assembly

Wed 29/11: P&F Meeting, 6pm

Thurs 30/11: Primary Celebration Evening, 6.30-8pm

Fri 1/12: Secondary Celebration Assembly, 12-3pm

Week 9

Wed 6/12: Last Day of School!

2024 Term 1 Start Dates

Tues 30/1: Yrs K, 7, 11 & 12

Wed 31/1: Yrs 1-6 & 10

*Please check our fortnightly Thrive newsletter
and School Stream for smaller events,
such as excursions

Thank You Everyone!



A big THANK YOU to the parents, students and bus drivers affected by the breakdown of the Lismore bus over the last 2 weeks.

What started out as a door that didn't want to close, became a major electrical fault. Thank you for your cooperation as we juggled bus hire, run times and generally shuffling of vehicles. Your flexibility and understanding made a difficult job easier.

Again thank you from the Administration team, Erin and Arie.

Book Fair



Book Fair is on next week, Week 5!

8.45am-3.30pm

Monday 6th to Thursday 9th November

Buy one book, get one free!

(Free book must be of equal or lesser value to the first book)

Year 7 Orientation Day

Don't forget our second Year 7 Orientation Day in Week 5!
We hope all our 2024 Year 7ers had a ball on the first day!



Casino Christian School

YEAR 7 2024 ORIENTATION DAYS



9am-3pm

Team Building Day - 27th October, 2023

A Taste of High School - 10th November, 2023

ccs.nsw.edu.au | 02 6662 5599

Move Up Day



Place your Orders for 2024!

2024 UNIFORM ORDERS

To ensure that we are able to fill your uniform requirements for the start of 2024, could you please fill in the attached Uniform Order form by the **21st of November 2023** to guarantee supply. Orders can be picked up and paid for on the **23rd, 24th & 25th January 2024, between 9.00am – 4.00pm**. Please place your phone number on the order form, so if there are any queries you can be contacted. Orders can be emailed directly to me at **uniform@ccs.nsw.edu.au**

Winter Uniform can be ordered later in the year as I can get uniform in quickly, if I don't have it stock. I'm open Mondays 8.00am – 1.00pm and Wednesdays between 1.00pm – 4.00pm for the remainder of this term. I will be available on the **10th of November 2021 from 8.30am – 4.00pm** as this is moving up day, and an orientation day for **Year 7**.

UNIFORM ORDER FORM **OCTOBER 2023**

OPENING TIMES: MONDAY: 8.00AM – 11.00AM

WEDNESDAY 1.00PM – 4.00PM

CASINO CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



Student Name:		Class:		Contact No:	
<p><i>PLEASE NOTE: Sizes filled in below will be used as indicative only and correct fit will still need to be confirmed. Your child will be taken out of class to try on the uniform items to ensure the uniform fits correctly.</i></p>					
		Price	Size	Qty	Total
Primary Girls Yrs K – 6					
Culottes		\$55.00			
Blouse		\$59.00			
Primary Boys Yrs K - 6					
Polo Top Royal / Gold	4 – 16	\$29.80			
	S – 2XL	\$37.10			
Shorts Gaberdine	3 – 16	\$25.45			
	S – 2XL	\$29.25			
All Primary Yrs K – 6					
V – necked Jumper	4 – 16	\$29.35			
	S – 2XL	\$38.00			
Zip Jacket	6 – 16	\$36.95			
	S – 2XL	\$47.75			
Trackpants	4 – 16	\$28.60			
Primary Sports Yrs K – 6					
Polo Top Gold / Royal	4 – 16	\$29.80			
	S – 2XL	\$37.10			
Shorts Rugby	4 – 16	\$19.50			
	S – 2XL	\$23.35			
Secondary Girls Yrs 7 - 10					
Blouse		\$52.65			
Senior Secondary Girls Yrs 11 - 12					
Blouse		\$48.60			
All Secondary Girls Yrs 7 -12					
Skirt Pleated	4 – 22	\$42.90			
Shorts Tailored	G4 – 16	\$38.90			
	L 8 - 20	\$41.20			
Pants	G4 – 16	\$47.55			
	L8 – 20	\$51.40			
Secondary Boys Yrs 7 - 10					
Polo Top Navy / Gold	12 – 16	\$29.80			
	S – 2XL	\$37.10			

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Community Events



Free workshop

1 Day Autism Workshop for Parents and Carers

Kyogle, NSW

Scan to register



This workshop is for parents, full time carers and grandparents.



Interpreters available upon request



Tuesday 14th November 2023
9.15am - 3.00pm



Kyogle Golf Club
102 Summerland Way
Newpark
NSW 2474

Morning tea and a light lunch will be provided

During the workshop you will learn about:

- The diversity of autism
- Sensory processing
- Working together with your child's school.

Learn more about autism and ways to strengthen the partnership between home and school.

For more information or to register visit:



www.positivepartnerships.com.au



kmackenzie@positivepartnerships.com.au



For help, call:
1300 881 971

This initiative is funded by the Australian Government Department of Education through the Helping Children with Autism package. The views expressed within this program do not necessarily represent the views of the Australian Government or the Australian Government Department of Education.

Junior Fellowship & Youth Group



Junior Fellowship

A group where we play games, do craft, eat afternoon tea, and learn about Jesus!



Who: **Anyone in Kindy – Yr 6**

When: **3.30PM – 5PM every WEDNESDAY**
(during school term)

Where: **Casino Presbyterian Church Hall**

Cost: **\$2 each**

Got questions? Contact Kate or Dan ☺

Kate Farrugia - 0412 930 114

Dan Phelps - 0431 450 265

YOUTH GROUP

Casino Presbyterian Church Hall
(opposite Centrelink)

FOOD 3.30pm - 5.30pm
Fridays

GAMES Yr 6 - Yr 12

OUTINGS \$2 each

BIBLE TALKS

Need more info?
Just ask Mr Phelps!

Or you can go to
www.casinopc.org.au
> Regular Events > Youth Group
for information and registration forms.

Coming to Junior Fellowship or Youth Group from CCS?



Bus 7 will now
STOP and let you
off at the hall!

You need a signed note from your parent
saying: *I give _____ (child's name) permission
to get off at Casino Presbyterian Church every
Wednesday / Friday afternoon during 2022.*
(parent name, signature, & date)

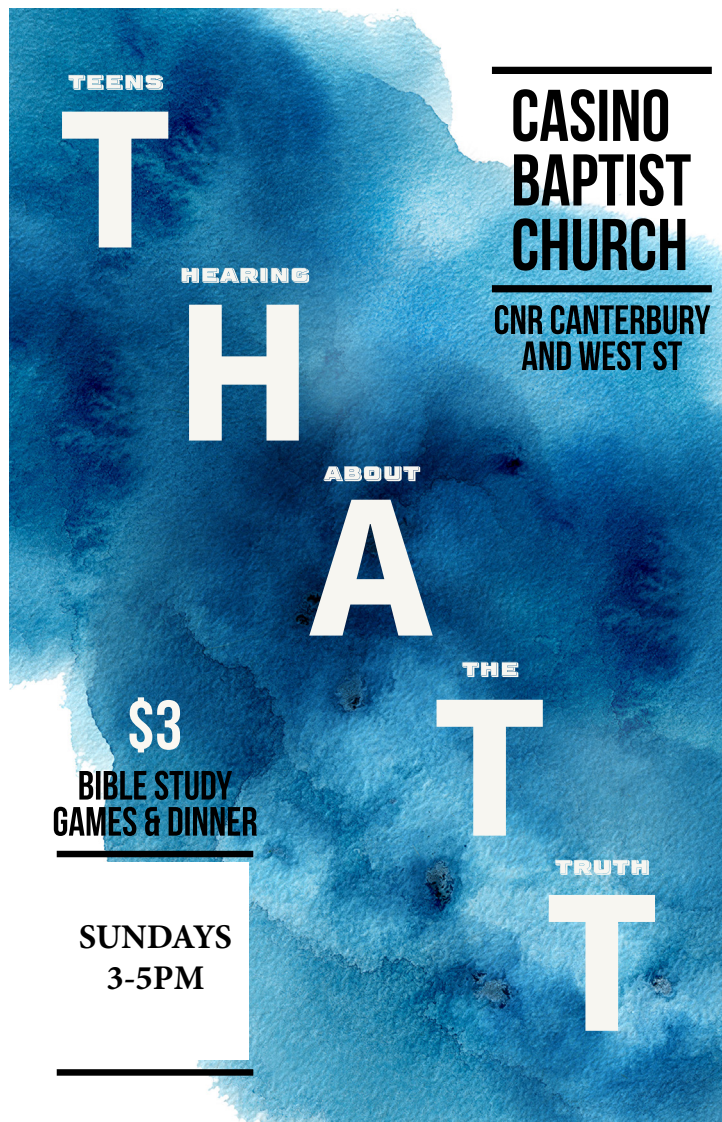
- Get on **bus 7** in the afternoon and give that note to the driver.
- Let them know you'll be getting off at Casino Presbyterian Church.

You only have to bring in the note once.
Each Wed / Fri afterwards just let the bus 7
driver know you'll be getting off at the Church
and they'll stop there for you.

No signed note = no getting off at Church

No bus pass? Just bring \$2 each Wed / Fri,
and give that to the driver when you get on in
the afternoon (plus your signed note).

Baptist Church Youth Group



Kyogle Presbyterian Youth Group

