



CALLAGHAN COLLEGE WARATAH CAMPUS NEWS

TERM 2 WEEK 7 EDITION 2025

WEEK 7 EXCURSIONS & EVENTS

WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY HOSTED BY SRC

11th June (students only)

BOYS AFL GALA DAY

12th June

CALLAGHAN JESMOND HEAD TEACHER VISITS @ WARATAH

Year 10 students

13th JUNE

STAR STRUCK PERFORMANCES

13th & 14th June

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUBJECT SELECTION EXPO - YR 10 JESMOND CAMPUS

16th June

NSW PUBLIC SCHOOL SURVEY

All students

16th June

LOVEBITES WORKSHOP

Year 10

19th June

WRITING WORKSHOPS WITH AUTHOR JESS BLACK

Selected students

23rd and 24th June

CALLAGHAN COLLEGE P&C MEETING

30th June

NAIDOC WEEK @ CALLAGHAN WARATAH

30th June - 4th July

DEADLY AWARDS

3rd July

LAST DAY OF TERM 2

4th July

SCHOOL BYTES

Permission notes for the above events are sent to families via School Bytes. Refer to these emails for more information.

We hope all Callaghan families enjoyed a fantastic and restful long weekend. Despite the cooler weather, our students have smoothly transitioned back into their learning today.

We are actively preparing and supporting our Year 10 students as they transition to senior learning at Jesmond Senior Campus. This week, the Head Teachers from Jesmond will visit to provide students with insights into senior courses and the significance of selecting subjects that align with their learning and career aspirations. Additionally, the Jesmond Campus will host a Subject Selection Expo next Monday to further assist and guide students in their subject choices.

Last week, our library buzzed with activity as students engaged in debating, chess, and Study Hub sessions. Our chess teams participated in both the Interschool Chess Tournament and the Hunter Junior Chess League. Meanwhile, our Stage 4 debating teams took part in their first competitive debate of 2025 during Round 1 of the Premier's Debating Challenge. We also held a Study Hub session on Tuesday afternoon to help EAL/D students prepare for their upcoming maths test.

Extracurricular activities like these offer valuable opportunities for our students to broaden their learning, enhance their skills, and connect with peers from other schools. We encourage all students to stay informed about these opportunities through daily notices and to reach out to their teachers.

Families of Year 10 students will receive information this week about another exciting extracurricular activity - The Urban Challenge. This year, our Year 10 students will hit the streets of Sydney, solving puzzles, collecting clues, and racing to the finish line. Full details will be sent via email to families this week.

Lastly, if you're looking for a wonderful way to wrap up this week, consider grabbing a ticket to Star Struck! We are excited to see our students shine on stage and display their incredible talents. Times and ticket information can be found on the back page of this newsletter.

Wishing everyone a great week ahead!

JOIN OUR TEAM

An exciting career opportunity is now available at Callaghan College Waratah Campus.

We are currently seeking a canteen assistant to assist in the day-to-day operations of our busy school canteen.

This is a casual position, based on the following working schedule -

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday
10.30am to 2.00pm

Wednesday
9.00am to 12.30pm

Interested applicants are encouraged to possess the following:
A current Working With Children Check for paid employment
A NSW Department of Education Employee Number
A current Safe Food Handling Certificate

Applications should be submitted in writing, outlining your experience, to our school email address.

Applications close Friday, 20th June 2025.

SNAP SHOTS

OUT & ABOUT AT CALLAGHAN WARATAH



This week at Study Hub, some of our EAL/D students focused on revising for their upcoming maths test. They practiced identifying the place value in a series of numbers, as well as solving both simple and complex division and multiplication problems. To further test their skills, students put their decoding abilities to the test by reading English sentences and solving related maths problems. One example was: "If I had ten chocolates and I had two siblings and I had to share these lollies, how many would each person get?"

In Round 4 of the Hunter Junior Chess League, our students secured a hard-fought draw against Warners Bay High School. We look forward to cheering you on in upcoming rounds.

Round 1 of the Premier's Debating Challenge also got off to a great start, with Team A securing a narrow victory, with incredible talent and enthusiasm on display from all students.

STAR STRUCK 2025

It's time to light up the stage again, with rehearsals for Star Struck 2025 now underway.

Callaghan Waratah will be appearing in Cast B this year. Book your tickets and come along to support the amazing talents of our students.

Performance dates and details -

FRIDAY 13th June - 11am (CAST A)
FRIDAY 13th June - 7pm (CAST B)
SATURDAY 14th June - 1pm (CAST B)
SATURDAY 14th June - 7pm (CAST A)

Tickets available from [Ticketek](https://www.ticketek.com.au).

