

# CRANBOURNE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## Calendar

### Term 2 Dates

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> April -  
Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July

### Term 3 Dates

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July -  
Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September

### Term 4 Dates

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October -  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Year 1/2 Woodwork

#### Incursion

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May

#### School Council

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May @  
7.00pm

#### NAPLAN

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> – Thursday  
12<sup>th</sup> May

## Grade 6

Parents of **Grade 6** students are invited to attend a tour of Cranbourne Secondary college next Thursday (May 12<sup>th</sup>) at 9.30am

*If you are unable to attend at this time, please contact the school for an alternative arrangement.*

## Principal's News

Monday was a very special day in the history of Cranbourne Primary School. With the support of the Honourable Anthony Byrne (Member for Holt), Simon Hamilton (Regional Network Leader), Nicole Carl (School Council President) and Miguel and Jasmine (School Captains) we officially opened our new state of the art learning centre. All our special guests commented on the wonderful behaviour of all our children. We are extremely lucky to have been given this wonderful building.

Naplan will be administered next week. Naplan is a national assessment tool for all children in Year 3, 5, 7 and 9. Most assessments will begin at 9.00 am, so it is critical for all children in year 3 and 5 to be at school on time.

Over the next few months we will be focussing our attention on developing the school grounds, including upgrading the garden beds.

During the last week of term 1, the teachers spent considerable time working on their collegiate planning. This planning helps each teacher to develop a sequential program which enables each child to be catered for at their point of need.

School photos arrived at the school late last week. It was great to see all the happy, smiling faces.

You might have noticed the Year 6 children striding through the school in their beautiful new jumpers. These jumpers will be terrific for the kids with the cooler months approaching. We would like to thank Mrs. Renata Pereira for coordinating the organisation of the jumpers.

Breakfast Club is now running on **Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday** in the BER building from **8.00 to 8.30** at a **cost of 50cents**.

### **Happy Mothers' Day!!!**

**Cheryl Van Deursen** (Principal) & **Greg Parsons** (Assistant Principal)

### Thought of the week -

"The mother's heart is in the child's school-room."

**Henry Ward Beecher**

# SCHOOL NEWS

## Student Birthdays

Shelby W.  
Maverick W.  
Faith D.  
Levi C.  
Brodie W.  
Abbey H.  
Brittany F.  
Joshua L.



## Stars of the Week

Congratulations on all your wonderful efforts this week!

Prep ER	Jamie H.	Persistent
Prep KB	Chynelle	Persistent
1HM	Tori R.	Organised
1NP	Marshall D.	Confident
2MC	Mia K.	Persistent
2AS	Joshua A.	Persistent
3LB	Maggie P.	Persistent
3MD	Lilriro T.	Organised
4BA	Mikey U.	Respectful
4MR	Jordan M.	Creative
5MD	Emily P.	Persistent
5IW	Victoria C.	Persistent
6RP	Chloe S.	Responsible
6KL	Tony W.	Creative
Art	Leon PER	Confident
P.E.	Jemma C.	Responsible
Social Skills	Jordan R.	Supportive
Administration	Jason H.	Responsible
Leadership	Katelyn R.	Supportive
Support Staff		

## House Points

1<sup>st</sup> – Childers  
2<sup>nd</sup> – Bakewell  
3<sup>rd</sup> – Russell  
4<sup>th</sup> – Cameron

**Congratulations Childers!**

### CRE Concert

On the last Thursday of term one, 80 children went to the neighbouring church to celebrate Easter. The children participated in different activities and were told the story of Easter in an engaging manner. Each child also received an Easter gift. I would like to thank Lara Law and her dedicated team for putting on this wonderful event.



## Cranbourne Primary School Book Fair!



Our Scholastic Book Fair is running from **Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May** until **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May**. It will be open during lunchtimes for any students wishing to purchase some of the fantastic books and/or items we will have on display, as well as after school from **3:15 – 4:00pm** for parents, family and friends who wish to do the same. Our Book Fairs have been a tremendous success in the last two years and this has enabled us to stock the school libraries shelves with many new books. We hope to see you there!

### Mosquitoes

The Health Department is encouraging all Families to be vigilant about the prevention of mosquito bites, as there has been an increase of mosquitoes due to the recent rain and floods.

## STUDENT NEWS

# 5-6 CAMP



On Wednesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> of March the year 5-6s shifted off to the Briars in Mount Martha.

Our first stop was Frankston beach where we did 3 rotations - taking photos of man made things, taking photos of evidence of human life and last we played on the adventure play ground. Then we went on with the ride.

Overall, the three days that we had with the senior unit were awesome fun!!! The highlight for most people would probably have to be the DISCO on our last night of freedom. Our first night was trying to get used to the camp. On the first night we played inside games and watched people perform. The two runner-up performances were Teagan H, Ebony I, Chloe E, Ben, Clinton and Courtney A. Aaron Lippert came first, of course!!!!

We hope that the parents and teachers who helped us on our camp this year had a great 3 days and 2 nights with the senior unit. We would like to thank the following adults: Kerryn, Adam, James, Mick, Scott, Mr. Jin, Mr. Wormell, Mrs. Pereira, Mrs. Lorroway and Mrs. Donovan.

By Lexus and Emma!

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### LUCKY PRODUCTIONS

DJs, Bands, Lighting, Acoustic Duos, Sound Engineer, Event Management,  
MC, Functions

**PHIL LLOYD (Term 1 School disco DJ)**

**Mobile 0439 333 391; 5996 3047**

## Parent Teacher Association

**MOTHERS' DAY RAFFLE TICKETS:** All tickets **MUST** be handed in by **tomorrow**.



A reminder that the **Mother's Day gift** arrangement for this year is not a stall. It has been replaced with the children producing a gift during school time. The cost of this gift package is **\$4**. If you have not already done so, please send your money to school before the end of the week.

**United Fuel Card** – If you are interested in having a United Fuel Card please collect one from the office. All fuel purchases from these cards contribute to our school fundraising.



### **2011 Fundraising Update:**

Cookie Dough Drive - **\$1867.00**

Disco - **\$ 724.67**

The 2011 school based fundraising will go towards upgrading the playground areas, including play equipment. The 2011 community voucher fundraising, including Good Guys, United Fuel and IGA will go towards supporting the wellbeing based programs within the school.

An advertisement for 'The Good Guys Cranbourne'. It features a photo of Frank Butera, a man in a blue shirt, smiling. The text includes 'FRANK BUTERA', 'THE GOOD GUYS CRANBOURNE', '350-398 South Gippsland Highway', '03 5991 6000', and 'PAY LESS PAY CASH ONLINE &amp; INSTORE'.

We are pleased to support "Cranbourne Cash", The Good Guys Cranbourne incentive program with our school. With every \$25 spent you will be presented with a \$1 Cranbourne Cash voucher that can be passed onto the school. To take advantage of this offer, you need to mention our school before any payment is made and you will receive your Cranbourne Cash reward vouchers. For example, if you purchase a coffee maker for \$139 you will receive \$5 worth of Cranbourne Cash vouchers.

The PTA would like to use the 'Cranbourne Cash' to make purchases to support the school's breakfast club. Your support of the 'Cranbourne Cash' program is greatly appreciated.