The teaching and learning pedagogy at Cranbourne Primary School is developed on a **RECIPE** (Relevant Engaging Challenging Innovative Personalized Enjoyable) based curriculum that supports the members of the school community to develop intrinsic **PRIDE** (Persistence Responsibility Independence Discipline Enthusiasm) in their learning.

**CALENDAR**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- **Thursday April 23rd**
  - 5/6 excursion to Shrine of Remembrance

- **Friday April 24th**
  - School Photographs

- **Monday April 27th**
  - Final day for Mother’s Day Gift payment

- **Thursday April 30th**
  - Final day for Book Club orders

- **Thursday May 7th**
  - Final day for senior camp payments

- **Wednesday May 20th**
  - Senior Camp

**PRINCIPAL’S NEWS**

**We proudly wish to acknowledge members of our school community who served our country during wartime and helped to make our country the great place to live that it is today. Without their commitment and dedication, life in Australia may not have turned out quite the same. It is important that we recognise their sacrifice and show our respect to the memory of all those who have lost their lives during war, as well as to those who now currently serve in our Armed Forces.**

**Cheryl Van Deursen**

**Principal**

**Quote of the Week**

Lest We Forget
Anzac Day is an important time in Australian history, and students have been involved in discussions about ANZACS, WW1 and WW2 and the significance of Anzac Day.

Australian History is a large component of our curriculum, and this period is but one chapter. Students will be discussing a variety of historical events relevant to Australia during their time in primary school, as it is crucial that our children have an understanding of our past so they can appreciate what they have now and the opportunities they may have in the future.

Other events in Australian History that may be covered during primary school are:
- The First Fleet
- Early Settlers
- The Gold Rush
- Explorers
- Migration
- Famous Australians
- Local community history
- Australian stories
- Indigenous history, culture and Dream time

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**Stars of the Week**

*These students are developing intrinsic PRIDE (Persistence, Responsibility, Independence, Discipline, Enthusiasm) in their learning.*

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**BIRTHDAYS**

22nd-28th April
- Deekshan P
- Natalie B
- Joshua L
- Shahid S
- Hayley T

**FROM THE OFFICE**

**School Photos**
Friday 24th April.
Pay on line (School Pix) or send money/payment in an envelope with the form on Photo Day. If you would like a family photo please collect a form from the office.

**Student Contributions**
Please finalise payments of student fees.

**Lost Property**
Have you lost:
- A lunch box full of food?
Please check with the office.

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**CURRICULUM**

**Australian History**

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Di Fernand
Assistant Principal
What has been happening in the Junior Learning Community?

In the Junior Learning Community we have been learning how to use the XO Computer. The XO has lots of different features including games and educational programs, as well as having the ability to access the internet. We will be using the XOs during our ICT lessons as well as during Literacy and Numeracy sessions to access websites such as Sunshine Online and Mathletics.
Mother’s Day Gift
Please don’t forget to return the permission form and $5 for your child’s handmade Mother’s Day gift by Monday 27th April. Forms and money can be handed to your child’s teacher or straight to the Office. Please see Ms Dickens in the Office if you need a new permission form.
We look forward to having everyone participate in this great activity!