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CALENDAR

UPCOMING EVENTS



Friday 20th June
'Special Canteen Lunch'
Day.
**No regular lunch orders
accepted on this day.**

***Friday 27th June**
Last day of Term 2
3.15pm finish

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

Cheryl is spending the last 2 weeks of this term and the term break on a well-deserved and long overdue family holiday. I am sure you join with us to wish her a safe and happy holiday, and we look forward to seeing her back next term.

ASSESSMENT & REPORTING.

Last week you should have received information about the Student Progress Discussions and student reports. Parents of senior students (Grades 5 & 6) please remember that your child's reports will be sent home next term, and discussion times will also be next term.

Students in Prep – Grade 4 will receive their reports this Friday, 20th June. Student Progress Discussions for students in Prep – Grade 4 will take place during the last week of this term. Please ensure you return your time preferences, so teachers can allocate a time for you.

ENROLMENTS.

We are currently taking enrolments for prospective Prep students for 2015. If you have a child who will be 5 years of age by 30th April 2015, please organise their enrolment as soon as possible. This will assist us with planning for staffing, location of home groups and resources for next year.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Our scheduled school assembly for this Friday has been moved to take place on the last Friday ((27th June). Students will attend their last LOTE lesson for the term this Friday (20th June).

FRIDAY CANTEEN

This week our canteen will be preparing the special lunch orders. So there will be no regular lunch orders taken this Friday. Orders for the 'Special Lunch' should have already been placed.

*Di Fernand
Assistant Principal*

House Points

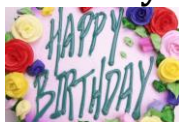
1st: Russell
2nd: Bakewell
3rd: Childers
4th: Cameron

Quote of the Week

The highest result of education is tolerance.

Helen Keller

Student Birthdays



Happy Birthday to the students who celebrate their birthdays this week

Lauren H.

Ethan A.S.

Stars of the Week

Congratulations on all your wonderful efforts this week!

Grade	Student	For being
Junior LH	Riley A.	Co-operative
Junior MR	Silas S.	Co-operative
Junior MD	Brodie E.	Persistent
Junior MC	Natalie B.	Persistent
Middle LB	Jasmyn B.	Confident
Middle ER	Madison F.	Confident
Middle SG	Tyler S.	Persistent
Senior IW	Josh M.	Co-operative
Senior MD	Sen S.	Responsible
Senior BA	Justin L.	Supportive
Phys.Ed.	Saxon L-A. (SBA)	Respectful
Arts	Jemma C. (SIW)	Creative
Ass't Principal	Lauren H. (SBA)	Reliable
Principal		



Parents please note that school finishes at 3.15pm. The school does not offer on site before and after school care, therefore we ask that you collect your child/ren promptly. We have an arrangement with Westernport Child Care and Judy Clarkson. Both of these centres offer before and after school care, with a drop off and collection service from within the school grounds. We thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Westernport Child Care 5995 4970

Judy Clarkson Child Care 5996 1415

CURRICULUM

Learning to Read – TIPS

An important part of reading is to spend time introducing the book to help children make links to their own experiences. This doesn't have to take long, just a quick flick through.

- Discuss the title of the story.
- Discuss the pictures and pick out some important words that you think they might get stuck on. This gives them some idea of the story and will help them work out words they are unfamiliar with.
- Find 3 pages to discuss, preferably somewhere in the beginning, the middle where something is happening, and the end.

Some children may read slowly, saying one word at a time or have no expression in their voice. It often helps to show them how you would like their reading to sound.

After they have read a page, let them know that you are going to read the next one and you want them to try and make their reading sound the same as yours.

When a child comes to a word that they are not sure about, give them time to work it out. Some children take longer than others so be patient. If they look at you for help before trying to work the word out themselves, encourage them to have a go. Some questions you might ask may be:

- What's happening in the story?
- What do you think might happen next?
- Can you see something in the picture to help you?
- What sound does that word begin with?

Kim Biram

STUDENT NEWS

LOTE stands for 'Language Other Than English'

DEECD guidelines require schools to offer a program that includes LOTE.

At CPS, our LOTE language is Indonesian. We include this in our Curriculum by having an Indonesian Cultural Day early in the year. Students can dress in "Indonesian style" clothing, and during the day, they participate in a variety of activities that reflect aspects of Indonesian culture.



During the year students also participate in fortnightly LOTE sessions. The students are organised in to their 4 House groups and teachers work in teams to deliver the lesson/activity. The groups therefore contain students from Prep through to Grade 6. This encourages our students to mix with students from different areas of the school. It also provides an opportunity for our older students to help and support our younger students. In turn, this aids our senior students to be more responsible, supportive and respectful.



LOTE

Term 1 lessons were all about "My Body" – names of body parts, actions, foods to help the body and feelings. Students learnt basic words in these categories, through games, songs, rhymes and actions.

Term 2 lessons have been focused on animals – pets, farm animals, zoo animals and insects. Again, students were introduced to the Indonesian words for these animals through fun, engaging and hands on activities.

The students have had a lot of fun and have learnt a few things at the same time!! This format will continue in Terms 3 and 4.



COMMUNITY NEWS



Thank-you to all the families and friends who have shopped at the Good Guys and earned donation credits to support our school. Remember every time you shop at Good Guys, ask for your Cranbourne cash credits to go to our school.

School Uniform Reminder!

Bomber jackets and windcheaters with yellow bands and the old logo are no longer part of our school uniform and should no longer be worn. New items with our new school logo can be purchased from Beleza.

Please note: "Hoodies" are not part of our school uniform.

Thank you to all our families and friends who have been purchasing products at The Good Guys – our school has accumulated over \$4000 to spend on supporting the Well Being of the school.

Past purchases have included fridges, microwaves, toasters, kettles, etc. for supporting the Breakfast club, Science and cooking programs.

STUDENT ATTENDANCE:

REMEMBER – Literacy starts at 9.00am. Your child's learning in every subject is impacted by their literacy capabilities. If your child is absent or late, their access to the daily literacy session is impacted.

Aim for being ON TIME every day!

Aussie Farmers Drought Relief Appeal

At Cranbourne PS our JSC members have been working on making a Scarecrow to highlight the effect that the drought has had on farmers. To raise money for this appeal we will be having a casual dress day on **Friday 27th June** and we will be asking for a **Gold Coin donation**.

The Country Women's Association Farmers has launched a drought appeal which will collect donations from people wanting to support farmers who are experiencing hardship as a result of the drought.

All the donations collected will be used by Farmers to purchase gift cards from IGA which will be distributed to affected farmers by rural chaplains from the Salvation Army.

