

# CRANBOURNE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### CALENDAR

#### UPCOMING EVENTS



**Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> November**  
*Lightning Premiership  
Grade 5 and 6 students*

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December**  
*Grade 6 Transition Day  
Prep Orientation Day*

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December**  
*Grade 6 Graduation*

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December**  
*School Dance Concert*

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>  
December**  
*Reports sent home*

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December**  
*Last day – 2.30pm finish*

### PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

**'Change'** is part of everyday life. Change presents itself in many ways. Some changes are planned, some are natural and some are forced upon us.

**Family** - births, deaths, marriages, separations, siblings moving out, financial situation. **Environment** - neighbours, neighbourhood, school, house, community. **Self-image and awareness** - growth, maturity, puberty, fashion influences. **Health** - medical conditions, illness, diet, injuries. **Social** - friendships, cyber connections, sporting and interest groups.

As we draw closer to the end of the year, students are faced with the upcoming fact that they will move forward in their education and progress to the next level. For some students, this also means separating from teachers and peers who they work with in the current learning communities.

Developing confidence to face **'change'** is a skill that will assist your child throughout their life.

Be supportive and encouraging by identifying concerns and develop strategies for the upcoming change - make timelines (using a calendar), practise travelling or arriving at the new destination several times before it is required. If you think your child will need extra support with the changes that happen at school at the end of the year, please let us know so we can work together to support them.

*Cheryl Van Deursen - Principal*

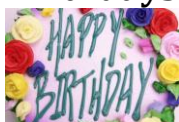
#### House Points

**Equal 1<sup>st</sup>**  
**Cameron & Russell**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Childers**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Bakewell**

#### Quote of the Week

*'Change is part of life – without change nothing would ever move forward'*

## Student Birthdays



Happy Birthday to the students who celebrate their birthdays this week

Emmitt C.  
Emma C.  
Kenny S.  
Erika N.  
Bella F.  
Chynelle P.  
Jett C.

## Stars of the Week

*Congratulations on all your wonderful efforts this week!*

Grade	Student	For being
Prep PAM	Tristan L.	Persistent
Junior BA	Nathan S.	Conscientious
Junior HM	Kynan J.	Responsible
Junior MC	Jay W.	Supportive
Middle LB	Marshall D.	Persistent
Middle MD	Hindujaa S.	Supportive
Middle SG	Allie W.	Persistent
Senior IW	Naomi R.	Responsible
Senior MR	Rhys Y.	Confident
Senior RP	Sarah S.	Confident
P.E.	Kakoda T. PAM	Confident
Art	Paris B. SIW	Creative
Personal Dev		
Assistant Principal	Charli R.K. SMR	Resilient
Principal	Maddy, Shelby, Tatiana Grade 6	Trustworthy

## From the Office

### Payment of Money:

Families are reminded to make sure payments for incursions/excursions/events/camps are made by the due date, for organisation and planning purposes.

Late payments will not be accepted.

### Book Club Catalogues

Issue 8 out now

Orders due by **28/11/13**

## CURRICULUM NEWS

*As we are approaching the end of this school year, it is usual for many students to become anxious, emotional, excited or even worried. A lot of this is due to the unknown of the following year. However a lot of it can be due to the fact that they are feeling tired after a long and busy school year.*

*To help your child with this:*

- *encourage them to talk about how they are feeling*
- *help them to identify what may be causing these feelings*
- *discuss possible changes/scenarios with them and remain positive about school experiences*
- *start to plan routines for next year, such as a meeting point for pick up after school*
- *visit your child's lining up area for next year (these will be the same areas as this year)*
- *maintain routines as much as possible to help reduce the number of changes in their lives*
- *ensure any new items such as school bags are easily identifiable for your child, perhaps personalised with a key ring, tag or label*
- *speak to your child's current home group teacher regarding any concerns, queries you or your child may have for next year.*

*Home groups and teachers for 2014 have not yet been finalised, but students will have an opportunity to visit their learning community for 2014 before the end of this year. This transition program will support students to feel more comfortable with the year ahead.*

**Di Fernand - Assistant Principal**

# STUDENT NEWS

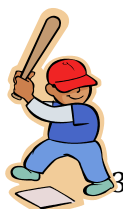


## Physical Education at Cranbourne Primary School



### Physical Education:

Dance Fever has made participating in dance an enjoyable experience. In dance, movement is used rhythmically and imaginatively as a means of expression and communication. The students are looking forward to presenting a community performance on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December. It will be with great excitement that we invite parents and the wider community to see this magnificent performance by your child.



## 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.

### School Uniform Reminder!

**School hats are compulsory this term. If your child has lost their hat, new hats can be purchased from Beleza.**

## **Uniform Reminder**

Please refer to the Student Dress Code which can be found on our school website. Some students are coming to school in items that are not part of our school uniform. Items such as leggings and sports shorts are not to part of our school uniform.



### ***Cranbourne Primary School Christmas Raffle***

***Tickets are \$1.00 each.***



This is a great opportunity for us to raise funds to support the school and its resources for the students.

Each student has received a sheet of 10 raffle tickets. Once your child has sold all raffle tickets, please return the sheet of completed raffle tickets and money to school. Extra sheets of tickets are available from your child's Home Group teacher.

***Prizes for students who sell the most raffle tickets include:***

***Ipod (Overall school winner) Itunes vouchers (Learning Community winners)***

***Some of the Raffle prizes so far include:***

Fishing equipment	1 Doz Original Glazed Krispy Kreme donuts
Pancake Parlour hamper	Toys
Various Family Day passes to local attractions/venues	Lash Bronze 'n' Beauty Spray tan voucher
Splash's Swim School holiday program	'Big 4' 2 year membership
Udderly Creative cakes voucher	

AND MANY MORE!!!

***Please have ALL ticket sheets and money returned to school no later than  
Friday 14th December 2013.***



### **BUNNINGS CRANBOURNE**

- Visit from Santa
- Jumping Castle
- Face painting & balloonist
- Popcorn & fairy floss
- Christmas Craft
- Photo booth
- Little Munchkins Dance Crew
- Sausage sizzle