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# CRANBOURNE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLINK

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## Calendar

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**Year 1/2 Excursion**  
Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December

**Prep Transition**  
Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December  
12pm-1pm

**Community Picnic**  
Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup>  
December  
5:30pm for 6:00pm start

**Year 3/4 Sausage Sizzle**  
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December

**Year 6 Graduation**  
Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December  
7:00pm  
Cranbourne Secondary  
College

**Last Day of Term 4**  
Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> December  
- 1:30pm dismissal

## Awards

**This week's Leadership  
award winners are:**

Monique B.	(PBK)
Zayne S.	(1HM)
Liam A.S.	(2AS)
Jett R.	(3MD)
Ophelia H.	(4MR)
Cassandra S.	(5MD)

## Principal's News

It was with great pride that Mrs. Fernand and I joined Jason Henshall and members of his family to attend the Casey Community Spirit Award ceremony on Monday evening at the Casey Chambers in Narre Warren. We heard the stories of students from schools in the Casey municipality who are making outstanding contributions to their schools and the wider community.



I would like to congratulate the Grade 1 and 2 students who have relocated into the main building this week – the new learning space is being used responsibly and students are being supportive of others in the space.

Thank you to all the families who have taken time to think of others who are in need during this time of the year and made donations to the collections at each year level – these will be presented to representatives from the charity organisations on the evening of our community picnic.

An important reminder that the canteen **will not be** open during the last week of the year so please ensure your child has snack and lunch each day.

*Cheryl Van Deursen (Principal)*

### Thought of the week –

*"High achievement always takes place in a framework of high expectation."*

**Jack Kinder**

# SCHOOL NEWS

## Student Birthdays

Jesse E.  
Dylan K.  
Holly K.  
Aurora G.  
Jack T.  
Tahnee J.  
Corey A.  
Lexus T.  
Hayden L.



## Stars of the Week

*Congratulations on all your wonderful efforts this week!*

Prep ER	David W.	Organised
Prep BK	Kynan J.	Confident
1HM	Zander S.	Responsible
1NP	Jessica G.	Adaptable
2MC	Ronan E.	Respectful
2AS	Angela M.	Cooperative
3LB	Visha G.	Confident
3MD	Jett R.	Persistent
4BA	Callum R.	Adaptable
4MR	Jaymee E.	Confident
5MD	Sefina H.	Supportive
5IW	Axel W.	Cooperative
6RP	Ben R-K.	Cooperative
6KL	Kenan O.	Creative
Art	Jay W.	Responsible
P.E.	Amity N.	Responsible
Social Skills	Brady L.	Creative
Administration	Chloe S.	Responsible
Leadership	Lillee (Prep BK)	Confidence
Support Staff	Jordy D-K.	Responsible

## House Points

**1<sup>st</sup> – CAMERON**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> – CHILDERS**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> – RUSSELL**  
**4<sup>th</sup> – BAKEWELL**  
**Congratulations CAMERON!**

*From the Office*

**MEDICATION:** Please note that if your child is bringing medication to school to be taken, parents **MUST** fill in the permission form available from the office and leave it with the medication. This is a DEECD directive. The form can also be downloaded from the school website:

[www.cranbourneps.vic.gov.au](http://www.cranbourneps.vic.gov.au)

**Don't forget to bring your bank books every FRIDAY!**

**CommonwealthBank** 

# CURRICULUM NEWS

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND THE SCHOOL THIS WEEK?

Students are relocating into the main building and portable buildings are being prepared for removal in the next few weeks.

The library and the art room are looking fabulous and are almost ready to be used.



*Di Fernand (Assistant Principal)*



## STUDENT NEWS

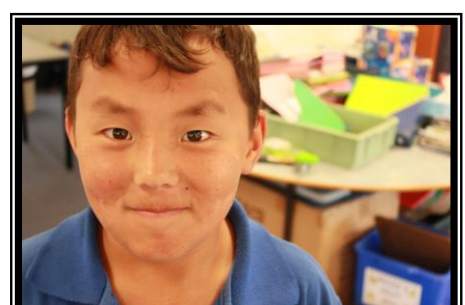


### **This term has been an exciting term for the Year 4 students.**

We recently moved into our new learning space, and we're all very excited about the new learning environment. We have had a couple of days in there now and we're getting used to working responsibly and being considerate of others using the area.

We've also got our Year 3/4 CPS Amazing Race coming up on the 16<sup>th</sup> December. The students will be working in pairs racing around the school, collecting clues and trying to be the first back to home base – using all the knowledge we've developed during our research projects. We're also looking forward to the sausage sizzle on this day – yum yum!

As this is our last article for 2011, we'd like to thank all the parents for their support, encouragement and consideration this term, and we wish you all a very Merry Christmas! See you again in 2012!



## COMMUNITY NEWS



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.



Thank you to the families who continue to shop at Ritchies and use the benefit card. The school continues to receive donations from the fundraising program.

## LOST PROPERTY

**There is a large amount of lost property accumulating!**

As it is coming towards the end of the year, please come and check to see if you have any articles of clothing looking to go back home. All items will be *redistributed* at the end of the year, ready to start fresh in 2012.

## PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION

PTA would like to thank all the families that have supported all the fundraising efforts this year.

Our last fundraiser for the year is the Christmas Raffle and we have some fantastic prizes to be won.

Cut off for ticket sales will be at **midday on Wednesday 14th December** and the raffle will be drawn at the Community Picnic night. If you would like more tickets please see the office staff.

## TWILIGHT MARKET

16<sup>th</sup> Dec 6pm – 9pm

Gold coin donation

1785 Sth Gippsland Hwy (Opp Devon Rd)

Lots of stalls, food, rides, face painting & fun for all ages!

If you would like a stall please contact Kara 0427 821 012



