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CRANBOURNE PRIMARY SCHOOL



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CALENDAR

<u>PRINCIPAL'S NEWS</u>

UPCOMING EVENTS



- *Thursday 8th May Mother's Day Stall
- *Friday 9th May

 Book Club orders due

 Catalogues available
- *Friday 9th May Grade 3 – 6 Cross Country
- *W/C Mon 12th May NAPLAN Grade 3 & 5
- *Mon 19 Wed 21 May Middle School Camp
- *Wed 21 Fri 23 May Senior School Camp
- *Tuesday 10th June Curriculum Day

'Lest we Forget'

Congratulations and thank you to Miss Radford and Mrs Hughes for organising the Anzac ceremony at school last Thursday. The students came together to honour the fallen soldiers of the ANZAC and lay the wreaths they had made.





Many people of all ages gathered on Friday in Cranbourne for the official Anzac ceremony.

Our school captains represented the school community at the ANZAC ceremony on Friday – laying a wreath. Well done to Lauren and Ben – we were all very proud of you.



Cheryl Van Deursen - Principal

House Points

No House Points this week

Quote of the Week

We are proud of all our students every day

Student Birthdays



Happy Birthday to the students who celebrate their birthdays this week

Saxon L. A.

Raj S.

William M.

Nikil P.

Summer L.

Stars of the Week

Congratulations on all your wonderful efforts this week!

Grade	Student	For being
Junior LH	Rodney T.	Confident
Junior MR	Simrat G.	Organised
Junior MD	Michael L.	Persistent
Junior MC	Elise C.	Respectful
Middle LB	Vithum S.	Confident
Middle ER	Monique R.	Persistent
Middle SG	Latoya E.	Persistent
Senior IW	Luke Y.	Responsible
Senior MD	Kheim N.	Responsible
Senior BA	Maddison W.	Persistent
Phys.Ed.	Rebecca N.	Confident
Arts	Sema M. JMC	Creative
Ass't Principal	Amelia M. JLH	Co-operative

From the Office

There have been lots of awesome photos added to the website on the home page and under special events. Please check the website to see if your child's picture is there. You can also download current notices and newsletters.

Please check us out at www.cranbourne-ps.vic.edu.au

Education Maintenance Allowance

If you have recently become the holder of a pension or health care card, please see the office to see if you are eligible to apply for the second instalment of EMA.

CURRICULUM

Specialist Classes at CPS

This year there has been a slight change to the specialist classes provided for our students. All students from Foundation (Prep) to Grade 6 participate in classes for:

- Health and Physical Education
- Science
- Performing Arts
- Visual Arts

This approach was implemented so as to provide a wider variety of learning opportunities for all students at CPS. Our goal is to expose our students to as many different subject areas as we can, to spark their interest and curiosity. Hopefully we may be helping to uncover a future scientist, doctor, athlete, actor, dancer – who knows!

This term we have the privilege of having Footsteps Dance Company working with our school. These sessions support the Performing Arts component of our curriculum, and we therefore would like to see ALL students participating. The sessions provide our students the opportunity to participate in an area that they may not otherwise experience. Not only are they a great learning opportunity, but they are also lots of fun!

If you have any questions about our specialist programs, please speak to one of our staff members.

Di Fernand – Assistant Principal

STUDENT NEWS



SCIENCE



Science is growing plants, collecting rocks, mixing chemicals, measuring shadows, looking at stars. It is finding out how the planets move, what happens to food when we eat it, why dinosaurs became extinct. It is discovering, explaining, questioning, gathering data, testing, describing etc......

The children in the photos are learning the skills of a scientist







CSIRO is the most trusted source for science and technology information and SCOPE is a fast, fun and factual TV science program on Network Ten or online at www.scopetv.com. This is a great resource to tune into.

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!

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.

STUDENT ATTENDANCE:

<u>REMEMBER</u> – 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. The highlighted figure in the data below shows the number of students each day last week who had their literacy affected last week.

Aim for being ON TIME every day!

