

## PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

Welcome back to Term 1 and the start of another exciting school year at Cranbourne Primary School. I hope you all enjoyed a safe and restful holiday break and were able to spend some special time together. It has been wonderful to see our students return so positively and settle back into learning so quickly!

A very warm welcome to our new Foundation students and their families. It has been a wonderful start to the year, and I would like to thank Mrs Hance, Miss Nichols, and our classroom and wellbeing support staff for their outstanding work in supporting students through this important transition.

I am also pleased to welcome several new staff members to our community. Mr Drummond has joined our senior teaching team in Grades 5 and 6, and Mr Burnett and Ms Paterson have joined our Classroom Support Team. I know they will make valuable contributions to our school and our students.

This year, I am excited that we are able to introduce new learning opportunities for our students. Auslan will be offered as our language program, led by Ms Whittle, and a Digital Technologies and Product Design program will commence with Mrs Houlder. Establishing new programs requires significant planning and commitment, and I congratulate both teachers on their dedication to enriching learning at Cranbourne Primary School.

Families may also be aware that the new Bakewell Street Kindergarten is now open and operating, run by Community Kinders Plus. Any families with enrolment enquiries are encouraged to contact them directly for further information.

Looking ahead, construction of new toilet facilities at the Russell Street end of the school is scheduled to begin in Term 2. I am very pleased to see this important project moving forward. There will be some disruption to this entry point, and I will provide families with more detailed information as soon as it becomes available.

This week, we will farewell Mr Yeates at our whole-school assembly on Friday at 2:30pm in the gym. All families are warmly invited to attend. I congratulate Mr Yeates on his new role as Executive Principal at Narre Warren South P-12 and thank him for his leadership and service to our school.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind our families that regular attendance is essential for student learning and social development. Every day counts, and all absences should be recorded through Sentral. Please also continue to check the Sentral Parent Calendar for key dates and upcoming events throughout the year.

As we begin the year together, I remain committed to our school motto, *Work hard, be kind, feel proud*, and to upholding our PRIDE values in everything we do. By working in strong partnership, I am confident we can continue to support our students to grow as confident, capable and caring young people.

Thank you for your continued support. I am very excited for another positive and successful year with this wonderful community!



## DATES TO REMEMBER

Fri 6th Feb	Assembly 2:30pm
Fri 20th Feb	Assembly 2:30pm
Fri 6th March	Whole School Cross Country Assembly 2:30pm
Mon 9th March	Labour Day No students at school
Tues 10th March	School Photo Day
Fri 20th March	Assembly 2:30pm
Wed 25th March	Middles Camp

**Have you changed your address, phone number or work details?**

**Has your child been diagnosed with Asthma or an Allergy?**

**It is vital that all information held by the school is up to date.**

**Please contact our office staff or email the school with any changes required.**

# CHAMPIONS OF THE WEEK



Learning Community	Home Group	Student
FOUNDATION	FA	Viktor
	FB	Charlie
	JA	Aliyah
JUNIORS	JB	Remi
	JC	Teddy
	JD	Marlee
	MA	Ellie
MIDDLES	MB	Tui
	MC	Mohammad
	SA	Zak
SENIORS	SB	Alice
	SC	Taylah M

## SCHOOL BANKING DETAILS

BSB: 033222

ACC Number: 02 1107

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR CHILD'S NAME IS INCLUDED IN THE TRANSFER DETAILS

## REMINDER



School Hats will be required in Term 1  
Students without a hat will be sent to the Deck at recess and lunch



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS WHO ARE CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAY IN THE COMING WEEKS

Amelia M  
Pheonix  
Bena

Aksu  
Ashwin  
Baaz

Boika  
Millie  
Kobe

Dempsey  
Yane  
Stella





# Wellbeing Newsletter

Term 1 Week 2 2026

## Welcome Back

Welcome to the 2026 school year at Cranbourne Primary School. I hope you have all had a lovely Christmas and New Year break and had some time to connect and share with family.

Our wellbeing team consists of the Acting Assistant Principal (Vanessa Hare), two Youth Workers (Rita Elkhoury and Kevin Tran) and our wellbeing Education Support Officer (Kellie Kenny).

The team can run 1-1 or small group supports for students needing Social Skill Development, regulation strategies and emotional support among many other things.

We also support families with referrals for disability diagnosis, parenting or attendance support, funding application for in school supports and mental health advice.

## School TV


We continue to pay for School TV to be available for all families and extended families through our school website (Under the Wellbeing tab). This offers up to date advice and short videos around many wellbeing topics from professionals.

## Upcoming Events

- First Assembly: Feb 6th
- Exploring Your Future (Grade 6's) : Feb 23rd
- Labour Day Holiday: March 9th

## Contact Info

To speak to wellbeing please call the school on 5996 1744



# Coming Up at Cranbourne Primary.....

Monday 2nd February	Tuesday 3rd February	Wednesday 4th February No School for Foundation Students	Thursday 5th February	Friday 6th February Assembly 2:30pm in the gym
Monday 9th February	Tuesday 10th February	Wednesday 11th February No School for Foundation Students	Thursday 12th February	Friday 13th February
Monday 16th February	Tuesday 17th February	Wednesday 18th February No School for Foundation Students	Thursday 19th February	Friday 20th February Assembly 2:30pm in the gym
Monday 23rd February	Tuesday 24th February	Wednesday 25th February No School for Foundation Students	Thursday 26th February	Friday 27th February
Monday 2nd March	Tuesday 3rd March	Wednesday 4th March	Thursday 5th March	Friday 6th March Whole School Cross Country Assembly 2:30pm in the gym

## IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Accident Insurance / Personal Items Not Covered

*The Department of Education (which includes our school) **does not** have personal accident insurance for students.*

*If a student is injured at school or while participating in a school activity (including offsite) and requires medical treatment, parents/carers are responsible for all of their child's medical expenses. This includes transport costs such as ambulance costs (which may include an air ambulance if considered necessary)*

**REMINDER** – *the Department (which includes our school) **does not** have personal property insurance for staff and/or students.*

*Items of personal property that are lost, stolen or damaged at school or during school excursions are not the responsibility of Cranbourne Primary School Students or the Department. Staff and students are reminded not to bring items of value to school or on school excursions.*

*Cranbourne Primary School encourages parents/carers to consider obtaining their own accident insurance for students and property of value that may be brought to school.*

## FROM THE OFFICE

### 2026 CSEF APPLICATION FORMS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

If you applied for CSEF (Camps Sports and Excursions Fund) through Cranbourne Primary School in 2025, you do not need to complete an application form in 2026 unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

You only need to complete an application form if any of the following changes have occurred:

- **new student enrolments;** your child has started or changed schools and you did not apply through Cranbourne Primary School in 2025
- **changed family circumstances;** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing at the school in 2026.

CSEF is available if you hold one of the following cards.



### ABSENCES

If your child is going to be absent from school please ensure that the **front office** is notified.

This can be done through the Sentral Parent App.

If your child is going to be away on an extended holiday please ensure that the school is notified in writing.

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATES

If your child is away from school sick for more than 2 days the school will require a medical certificate.

If a student is away for more than 80% in a term the school will require a medical certificate for each day.

### SENTRAL FOR PARENTS

All our parent communication, including the publication of our fortnightly newsletters and your child's school reports are done through Sentral.

**It is very important that you have the notifications of your Sentral App turned on.**

**This is done through Settings/Notification Settings/Push Notification.**

**This will ensure you do not miss any notifications sent out from the school.**

### GENERAL INFORMATION

- The front office is open from 8.30 am till 4.00 pm
- Payments and notices are to be given to **class teacher** first thing in the morning. All payments are then sent to the office together.
- Students who are late to school are to be signed in by parents.
- If your child is late and not signed in by a parent or is absent without notification, you will receive a text and a message via Sentral to advise you.
- If your child bumps their head at school, we will send a courtesy text message. You do not have to respond to this message it is just so you are aware. We will ring you if there is a significant injury and you are required to pick your child up.
- School finishes at 3:15 pm, please ensure you have organised alternate arrangements if you cannot pick up your children up at 3:15 pm.
- The front door of school is only to be used if you have business at the Office.

# **iROCK**

MUSIC SCHOOL



**CRANBOURNE  
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

WORK HARD BE KIND FEEL PROUD

# **IROCK@SCHOOL**

**WANNA ROCK AT CRANBOURNE PS?**

**NOW TAKING ENROLMENTS FOR TERM 1, 2026**

**LIMITED PLACES & FILLING FAST**

**NOW ON  
MONDAYS**

**INCLUDES:**

**TEAMS OF 3-4 STUDENTS**

**IN SCHOOL RATE: \$105 P/M\***

**AFTER SCHOOL RATE: \$21 P/M\***

**8-10 LESSONS PER TERM**

**2 PERFORMANCES PER YEAR**

**CONDITIONS APPLY\***

**VOCALS, GUITAR, DRUMS, BASS, UKULELE AND KEYBOARD\***

*Unleash  
your  
inner  
ROCKSTAR*

**SEND US AN INQUIRY TODAY!**

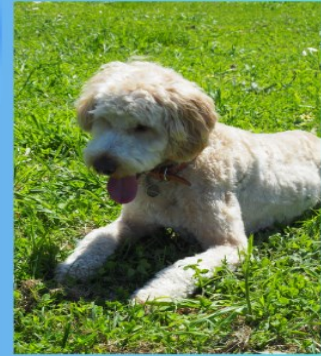
THE INSTRUMENTS WE TEACH WILL BE DEPENDANT ON STUDENT INTEREST. PLEASE CONSIDER A SECOND INSTRUMENT IF WE DO NOT HAVE THE NUMBERS TO PROVIDE YOUR FIRST CHOICE





CRANBOURNE  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Work Hard Be Kind Feel Proud



@CRANBOURNE.PS

FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM  
AND  
LIKE / FOLLOW US ON  
FACEBOOK  
TO KEEP CONNECTED



CRANBOURNE PRIMARY SCHOOL



FOLLOW US ON  
**SOCIAL MEDIA**

pp positive partnerships  
Working together to support autistic school-aged students

Free workshop

1 Day Autism  
Workshop  
for Parents  
and Carers  
Narre Warren, VIC



Scan the  
QR code or  
[click here](#)  
to register



This workshop is for parents, full time  
carers and grandparents.

During the workshop  
you will learn about:

- The diversity of autism
- Sensory processing
- Working together with your child's school.

Learn more about autism  
and ways to strengthen  
the partnership between  
home and school.



Thursday  
26 February, 2026  
9:15am to 3:00pm



Bunjil Place  
2 Patrick Northeast Drive  
NARRE WARREN VIC 3805

Morning tea and a light lunch will be provided



Interpreters available upon request

For more information or to register visit:  
[www.positivepartnerships.com.au/PC](http://www.positivepartnerships.com.au/PC)  
[smidwood@positivepartnerships.com.au](mailto:smidwood@positivepartnerships.com.au)

0461 324 758

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MELBOURNE FOOTBALL CLUB  
COME & PLAY CLINIC

You're invited to attend our Come & PLAY clinic with  
Melbourne AFL players!

Location: Casey Fields, VFL Oval

Date: Tuesday February 10<sup>th</sup>

Time: 4:00 - 5:00pm

SCAN  
HERE TO  
REGISTER





# SCHOOL DROP OFF AND PICK UP ZONE

स्कूल ड्रॉप ऑफ और पिक अप जोन

बोर्ड पर दिखाए गए समय के दौरान

- अपने बच्चों को जल्दी से उठाओ और उन्हें जल्दी से छोड़ दो
- केवल 2 मिनट के लिए यहां रुकें
- अपनी कार यहाँ मत छोड़ो
- अपनी कार को जितना हो सके ऊपर ले जाएँ
- यदि आपका बच्चा वहाँ नहीं है, तो कृपया वहाँ से चले जाएँ और दोबारा वापस आ जाएँ
- प्रतीक्षा करने के लिए यहां पार्क न करें



8<sup>15</sup> - 9<sup>30</sup> AM

2<sup>30</sup> - 3<sup>45</sup> PM

SCHOOL DAYS



यदि आप इन नियमों को तोड़ते हैं तो दंड लागू होगा।

பள்ளிக் குழந்தைகளை இறக்கி விடும் மற்றும் அழைத்துச் செல்லும் பகுதி

அடையாளப் பலகையில் குறித்த நேரங்களில்:

- விரைவாக உங்கள் குழந்தையை இறக்கி விடவும் அல்லது அழைத்துச் செல்லவும்
- இங்கே 2 நிமிடங்கள் மட்டும் வாகனத்தை நிறுத்தவும்
- உங்கள் வாகனத்தை விட்டு வெளியேற வேண்டாம்
- உங்களால் முடிந்தவரை முன்னே சென்று நிறுத்தவும்
- குழந்தை வர தாமதமானால் சென்று மீண்டும் திரும்ப வரவும்
- இங்கே வாகனத்தை நிறுத்திக் காத்திருக்க வேண்டாம்

நீங்கள் இந்த விதிகளை மீறினால் அபராதம் விதிக்கப்படும்.

(கூട്ടிகளைக் காட்டுவதில் நினைவு கூறவும்: குழந்தைகளுக்கும் பெற்றோருக்கும் உபயோகமான இடம்)

காதுமடையாதவர்களுக்கு அடையாளப்படுத்தப்பட்ட இடங்களில்:

- கூட்டிகளைக் காட்டுவதில் நினைவு கூறவும்: குழந்தைகளுக்கும் பெற்றோருக்கும் உபயோகமான இடம்
- இயற்கை ரத்தம் மிதிக்க வேண்டாம்
- காட்டுவதில் நினைவு கூறவும்: குழந்தைகளுக்கும் பெற்றோருக்கும் உபயோகமான இடம்
- காதுமடையாதவர்களுக்கு அடையாளப்படுத்தப்பட்ட இடங்களில்: குழந்தைகளுக்கும் பெற்றோருக்கும் உபயோகமான இடம்
- நினைவு கூறவும்: குழந்தைகளுக்கும் பெற்றோருக்கும் உபயோகமான இடம்
- இயற்கை காதுமடையாதவர்களுக்கு அடையாளப்படுத்தப்பட்ட இடங்களில்:

இது நியமனம் கடைசியாக நினைவு கூற வேண்டிய விஷயம் அல்ல.

ساحه گرفتن از مکتب و رها کردن در مکتب

در مدت زمان بر روی علامت:

- Quickly رها کردن و یا گرفتن فرزند خود را
- در اینجا تنها به مدت 2 دقیقه توقف کنید
- موتر خود را ترک نکنید
- حرکت کنید تا آنجا که می توانید
- طفل شما اینجا نیست یعنی نزدیک شما نرسیده؟
- با موتر خود بروید و دوباره برگردید
- اینجا پارک نکنید و صبر کنید

اگر شما این قوانین رعایت نکردید جریمه خواهد شد

学校接送区

在标志时间内:

- 快速接送你的孩子
- 仅在此停留2分钟
- 不要离开你的车
- 尽可能往前停
- 孩子不在那里怎么办？把车开出去再回来
- 不要在这里停车等待

如果您违反这些规则，将受到处罚。

Contact the City of Casey:

Web: [www.casey.vic.gov.au/safe-around-schools](http://www.casey.vic.gov.au/safe-around-schools)

Email: [Safearoundschools@casey.vic.gov.au](mailto:Safearoundschools@casey.vic.gov.au)

Phone: 03 9705 5200

NRS: 133 677 (for the deaf, hearing or speech impaired)

