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PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

It is hard to believe that we are almost half way through this term! Things have been going so smoothly that the time has just flown. I would like to congratulate our preps on their 100 Days celebration. The costumes looked amazing and they had a wonderful time. I would also like to thank all the teachers for their work making it happen. The Prep team have had some illness in the last week, but everyone chipped in to make it a fantastical wonderland for the kids. An early reminder that Book Week will be coming up in Week 7, so I encourage you all to start thinking about the characters you are planning on dressing up as!

Good news about our students' NAPLAN performance continues to roll in. In addition to performing well above students in the local area, our Grade 3 students' NAPLAN results ranked them 3rd of 40 in the state against similar schools. They should be very proud of their wonderful learning efforts.

Our Out of School Hours Care program continues to be a success. We are getting closer to having Child Care Subsidy approval, and when we do, we will be able to continue to expand the offerings in the program. If you haven't had a chance to check it out, I encourage you to go over to meet Ash and the team in their wonderful space.

Next week you will all be receiving an invitation to complete the Parent Opinion Survey. This is an annual survey that provides us with important insights into your views on the school. Based on previous feedback, we have expanded our use of Sentral, improved staff communication and (successfully) redoubled our efforts to control some of the challenging behaviour we saw in the school. I encourage as many parents as possible to complete the survey.

We have been hard at work preparing camps for next year. Unfortunately the government subsidised camp program has ended, so we aim to provide information as early as possible to families so you are aware of pricing.

I would like to send out another reminder that students should not be arriving at school prior to 8:30. A number of students are spending up to 30 mins on the street waiting in the cold outside the gym, opening up the potential for issues with each other or strangers on the street. I strongly encourage anyone who is unable to drop their kids off at 8:30 to enrol them in OSHC.

I look forward to continuing success this term, and would like to thank you all again for your ongoing support of the school!

Lachlan Yeates
Principal



WELLBEING NEWS

August 2023



A note about attendance:

Are you struggling to get your child to school on time? Are they refusing to come or the home routine is just not currently working? This is a very common difficulty with families and there is help out there! We can organise a free referral to Windermere. They can support with morning routines, one on one wellbeing support for students, and give helpful parenting strategies if needed. If you would like to know more or some help making a referral please contact the school today!



Mrs Vanessa Hare

Upcoming events:

- ☐ 9/8 Senior Excursion
- ☐ 14-18/8 Swimming
- ☐ 23/9 Middle Excursion
- ☐ 22/9 Book Week

PRIDE:

PRIDE FOCUS
WK 5

Persistence

PRIDE FOCUS
WK 6

Responsibility

Stay in touch :

Please call if you have any questions about your child's well being or attendance.



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CHAMPIONS OF THE WEEK



DEVELOPING PRIDE

Learning Community	Home Group	Student	Student
FOUNDATION	FA	Rory	Aubrii
	FB	Saakshi	Emran
JUNIORS	JA	Mason C	Amaliah
	JB	Shakira	Braxton
	JC	Alyssa	Deklyn
	JD	Zak	Ariarnah
MIDDLE	MA	Omer	Harini
	MB	Mary	Veronica
	MC	Raph	Phoenix
SENIOR	SA	Rylan	Makayla
	SB	Grant	Dani
	SC	Tyler	Shelby
CULTURAL STUDIES		Zack - FB	
EAL		Harsh - MB	
PE		ART	
Eliza - MA Jacob - SB Jordyn - MC Haylee - SB		Ty - MC Kavin - SA Sarena - JC Amaliah - JA	

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL STUDENTS WHO ARE CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAY IN THE COMING WEEKS



Talia W

Caleb S

Nazanin R

Phoenix J

Irie W

Ryan S

Emily C

Trey S

Zavier T

Amaya O

Zac W

Annet S

Braxton K

Alice L

Will A

Roger S

Lorayah U



Coming up at Cranbourne Primary.....

Monday 31st July	Tuesday 1st August	Wednesday 2nd August <u>Permission Forms Due:</u> * School Swimming (Digital Form—No Payment Due) * Immigration Museum (Seniors— Paper form and payment due)	Thursday 3rd August	Friday 4th August
Monday 7th August Community Links Meeting 3.30pm	Tuesday 8th August	Wednesday 9th August Immigration Museum (Seniors)	Thursday 10th August	Friday 11th August
Monday 14th August School Swimming	Tuesday 15th August School Swimming	Wednesday 16th August School Swimming Polly Woodside Excursion (Middles - Paper form and payment due)	Thursday 17th August School Swimming	Friday 18th August School Swimming
Monday 21st August	Tuesday 22nd August Book Week Parade 9.20 in the Gym	Wednesday 23rd August Middles Excursion to Polly Woodside	Thursday 24th August	Friday 25th August
Monday 28th August	Tuesday 29th August	Wednesday 30th August Father's Day Stall	Thursday 31st August	Friday 1st September Father's Day BBQ Breakfast



COMMUNITY LINKS Noticeboard

SAVE THE DATES!

Term 3 Events

Father's Day Stall - **Wednesday 30th August**
 Community Breakfast - **Friday 1st September**
 Footy Colours and Pie Day - **Friday 15th September**

Can you help with donations of these items:

Coloured Plastic Lids **Any School Uniform items including pants**

Please hand to the friendly staff at the office!

Be involved and come along to our

Next Meeting
Monday 7th August @3.30pm
kids welcome

AROUND THE WORLD WITH MISS WHITTLE



August Edition



CELEBRATIONS HAPPENING AROUND THE WORLD THIS MONTH

- **August 4: Children's Day** [Children's Day is a time Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families and communities and all Australians, celebrate the strengths and culture of our children.]
- **August 9: International Day of the World's Indigenous People** [Observed to raise awareness and protect the rights of the world's indigenous population. This event also recognizes the achievements and contributions that indigenous people make to improve world issues such as environmental protection.]
- **August 12: Science Week** [features more than 1000 events around Australia, including those delivered by universities, schools, research institutions, libraries, museums and science centres.]
- **August 13: International Left-Handers Day** [to celebrate the uniqueness and differences of left-handed individuals. The day was first observed in 1976 by Dean R. Campbell, founder of Lefthanders International, Inc.]
- **August 15: India Independence Day** [celebrated annually as a public holiday in India commemorating the nation's independence from the United Kingdom on 15 August 1947.]
- **August 19: World Photography Day** [celebrates the art, craft, science, and history of photography.]
- **August 26: International Dog Day** [celebrates all dogs, mixed breed and pure. The day is also a reminder to the public to recognise the number of dogs that need to be rescued each year and acknowledge the contribution of family dogs and dogs that work selflessly each day to save lives, keep us safe and bring comfort.]
- **August 30: The La Tomatina** [is a food fight festival held on the last Wednesday of August each year in the town of Buñol (*history*) near to Valencia in Spain. Thousands upon thousands of people make their way from all corners of the world to fight in this 'World's Biggest Food Fight' where more than one hundred metric tons of over-ripe tomatoes are thrown in the streets. The festival is in honor of the town's patron saints..]

CULTURES IN OUR SCHOOL - SPOTLIGHT ON AFGHANISTAN

Afghanistan, officially the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan, is a landlocked country located at the crossroads of Central Asia and South Asia. The capital city of Afghanistan is Kabul.

Afghanistan is well known for its fine fruits, especially pomegranates, grapes, and its extra-sweet jumbo-size melons.

Afghanistan's strategic location along the Silk Route connected it with the Middle Eastern and other Asian cultures. Afghanistan is called the heart of Asian or land link country because it is surrounded by six countries.

Some important dates in Afghanistan include: Day of Ashura, Night of Decree, Night Journey, Ramadan, Day of Arafa, Feast of Sacrifice to name a few.



If there is a celebration/ festival that has been missed but celebrated by your family - please contact Miss Whittle at cranbourne.ps@education.vic.gov.au (subject - Miss Whittle)



WASTE & RECYCLING INFO SESSION



**at Community Hub,
Cranbourne PS**

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15TH

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

**By Environment & Sustainability
Team, City of Casey**

**For Registration, Please Contact:
T: (03) 5996 1744 M: 0404 708 570**



PRINCIPALS' DAY 2023

Join us in saying thank you to our Victorian
Government School Principal Class Members



Department
of Education

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CONNECTED UNITED EMPOWERED

DOES YOUR CHILD ATTEND MAD ON MUSIC LESSONS AT CRANBOURNE PRIMARY SCHOOL?

BELOW IS THE INFORMATION FOR THE ANNUAL CONCERT THAT IS BEING HELD ON MONDAY 28TH AUGUST.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME, EVEN IF YOUR CHILD DOES NOT ATTEND THE MUSIC LESSONS.

FOR MORE INFORMATION YOU CAN CONTACT THEM DIRECTLY ON THE DETAILS BELOW.



Mad On Music

Dear Parent(s),
MOM are holding their annual

Fleetwood & Cranbourne PS, MOM Studio CONCERT

DATE: MONDAY 28TH AUGUST 2023 TIME: 7.00 PM SHARP

**PLACE: CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF CASEY
350-352 POUND ROAD, NARRE WARREN SOUTH 3805**

The Concert is a fun and exciting time where the students get to perform in front of family and friends and show what they have learnt throughout the year.

MOM Concerts are non profit events and are an essential part of music. It gives students a goal to work towards and allows all their hard work and practising to be well appreciated.



The Production Cost goes towards helping to cover the cost of hiring equipment and paying concert helpers.
This cost has been included in your Term 3 Invoice.

There will be a light supper for everyone after the concert. We kindly ask that each family bring a plate so that the students can enjoy their after Concert Party!

Children's attire for the concert is as follows:

GIRLS: Black stockings, black skirt or pants, white shirt or blouse, black shoes.

BOYS: Black pants, black shoes, white shirt, and bow tie.



NOTE: *There may be a costume associated with your child's concert item.
Students are asked to bring whatever has been arranged in a plastic bag to the concert.
Students will change into this when it is time to perform.*

Email concert reply slip to Mad On Music ASAP.

EMAIL: admin@madonmusic.com.au

Note: *All concert details are also available on the Mad On Music website.*

The office may be unattended on the day of the concert - please resolve all enquires prior to the day.

Thanks from the Mad On Music team!