



# Cranbourne East Primary School No 5518

## SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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### IMPORTANT DATES 2016

#### April

Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	Dollarmite Banking Account Opening Morning with Pat the Dog – 9am Prep Area Year 2 Community Walk District Cross Country (selected students)
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#### May

Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	Year 2 Swimming Payment Due
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	Rain, Hayne & Shine Prep Excursion Payment Due Year 3 Swimming Payment Due
Mon 9 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 2 Swimming Program Year 4 City Camp
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> May	Rain, Hayne & Shine Prep Excursion Group 1
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 3 Swimming Program
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Rain, Hayne & Shine Prep Excursion Group 2

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Hi Everyone

I thank all the students and families who attended the Cranbourne ANZAC Day service in the main street on ANZAC Day. I also congratulate our school captains for completing their representational duties at the Cranbourne ANZAC Day service with confidence and pride. Estelle and Joel presented a wreath on behalf of the school community and it was terrific to speak to many students and families following the service.

**New school opening:** I recently met with the newly appointed Principal of Heather Grove Primary School, which opens in the Selandra Rise area at the start of the 2017 school year. The aim of the meeting was to pass on information regarding considerations and actions required for opening a new school based on experience and to establish protocols for enrolment and staffing at both of our schools. Very shortly all families will be requested to complete a short questionnaire indicating if your children will be leaving Cranbourne East Primary School to enroll at Heather Grove Primary School (or another school) at the commencement of 2017 or beyond. This information is vital in ensuring resources are directed within our school and to maintain the delivery of the best teaching and learning opportunities. The information is also vital in determining our school workforce plan, portable classroom allocation, furniture etc. Questions are to be directed to the school's front office.

**Mental health parent session:** Thank you for the fantastic turn out of parents who recently attended the parent information session presented by Bryan Jeffrey (MOAT - Mental Health Services). The parent session focused on how the brain works, the effect of daily stress, why children get angry and upset and how we can help our children to manage. The session was well attended by approximately 100 parents with the feedback been highly positive and as a result there will be a future session in term three for parents building onto topics covered in the first session.

**Cranbourne East Primary School – a Public Private Partnership (PPP):** Our school is built under the PPP Model and is financed, designed, constructed and maintained by the private sector to high contractual standards over 25 years. This allows the Principal and teachers to focus on student learning, rather than asset management. This means the Principal and Leadership Team do not complete maintenance of the grounds or buildings, cleaning (including keeping the grounds free of litter), security etc this being the responsibility of the servicing provider. Any improvement project requires funding from the Department and approvals in the form of a contract variation agreement by all key stakeholders involved in the partnership. The school will see the area adjacent to the sandpit, playground and portables fully landscaped with synthetic grass areas, garden beds, seating and concrete surface areas. The scope of works, including plans, have been developed and once all requirements for contract variation for the works are completed we will see the project commence in 2016, however the true timeline is not known. Further details will be shared with the community once the project has received full approval.

Please ensure your child is at school and on time for their learning – Reading for enjoyment is important!

Kind regards Garry & Staff

## From the Welfare Officer

### Bryan Jeffrey parent information session:

On Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April Bryan Jeffrey presented a two hour session for parents. The session covered topics on how the brain works, stress on children, why children get upset and angry and how parents can help their children manage through life's ups and downs.

Bryan's extensive knowledge and experience in the area of Adolescent Mental Health services provided an interesting and informative session for those parents that attended the evening.

Bryan is a registered Psychiatric Nurse with 20 years of clinical experience in a range of senior positions. His discussions relating to children's health and wellbeing provided parents with useful strategies to support their children. The session gave parents the ability to ask questions and gain knowledge in areas of importance for them in relation to supporting their children.

The session was greatly appreciated by the parents who attended. Many stayed back to speak to Bryan and thank him for the session.

Bryan will continue to work with the staff throughout 2016 providing professional development and strategies to support children's social and emotional wellbeing.

**Bryan's website is Moat Mental Health Services** where you can order his book, **My Big Brain Book** and get in touch with him via email.

*Kathy Jones - Assistant Principal*

## From the Office

### CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors; excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum. CSEF will be provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is: \$125 for primary school students and \$225 for secondary school students. Application forms are available from the school office.

If you have submitted an application form without a copy of your Health Care Card, **please send a copy of your card to the office** so that the application can be processed.

**Applications close on the 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2016.**

### Foundation Year Prep 2017

Year Prep enrolments for 2017 have now commenced.

Enrolment packs are available from the school office and school tours are running each Wednesday.

If you would like to attend a tour please contact the office to make a booking.

## Mathletics News

Over the past two weeks a total of 265 bronze Mathletics certificates were achieved and 55 silver certificates. Congratulations to the following students for earning gold certificates:

Year 1 – Anjali, Alexia

Year 2 – Nandha

Year 3 – Jonathon

Year 4 – Arjun, Aedan, Lily

Year 5 – Sadul, Erik

Year 6 – Arvindeep, Manseerat, Joel

## House Points

### This week:

Ruffy	2868
Hudson	2873
Lyall	1230
Donnelly	1895

### Year Total:

Ruffy	4770
Hudson	6826
Lyall	4008
Donnelly	5123

## Dollarmite Banking

### CRANBOURNE EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL

Karen Johnson (our Dollarmite Banking Manager from the Commonwealth Bank) will be at our school next Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May. She will be located at the front of the school from 8.45am. Karen will be available to talk to parents and students regarding the Dollarmite Banking program and she will also have application forms for those who would like to open an account.

The School Banking program includes an exciting and exclusive Rewards Program that encourages students to get into the habit of saving regularly. Every time your child makes a deposit at school they receive a silver Dollarmite token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for an exclusive School Banking reward item in recognition of their continued savings behaviour.

**Remember, School Banking day is every Friday**





# Shining Star Awards for 26<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> April 2016



Year	Shining Star	Award	Year	Shining Star	Award
Prep	Ishan G	For being an enthusiastic member and always starting his day with a smile.	Year 3	Sethum K	For helping others in the Learning Space.
	Arman S	For his fantastic effort in learning his Golden Words.		Jake S	For his thoughtful contributions and strong leadership during our Socratic Circles.
	Leila C	For excellent work in Oral Language sessions.		Willem D	For fantastic contributions during class discussions in reading.
	Sabrina S	For creating a pattern using two shapes and colour in Numeracy. Great Job.		Oliver D	For his wonderful contributions to class discussions.
	Jaimilee M	For sounding out her letters and sounds when reading words.		Kiara H	For showing great resilience within the learning space.
	Ritwik K	For working hard to complete his tile pattern project during Maths.		Prabritee G	For her Maths word on addition and subtraction this week.
	Aveleen K	For showing confidence to retell what she learnt about different types of farms.		Paige D	For contributing more of her thoughts and ideas during whole class discussions.
	Devan P	For showing great determination to read his Golden Words well done!		Skye S	For trying really hard with your subtraction problems this week. Well done!
	Divroop K	For showing great responsibility this week.		Tommy S	For a great Maths session on arrays.
Year 1	Tarun R	For your fantastic contribution to class discussions.	Year 4	Janakan S	For displaying great sportsmanship during our footy clinic.
	Aiden S	Making great text connections in CAFÉ.		Delylah L	For always offering to help others.
	Claire S	For her enthusiasm in measuring the length of Little Red Riding Hoods path.		Michael G	For an excellent start to Term 2 at Cranbourne East Primary School.
	Caili T	For a wonderful effort in home reading.		Tayah C	For a persistent effort with vertical Addition and Subtraction. Well done Tayah!
	Ekam H	For writing a great narrative.		William McD	For showing great enthusiasm during the footy clinic.
	Isaac G	For always trying his best and listening.		William S	For doing a great job working on his digital portfolio.
	Nirman K	For great use of his imagination in narrative writing on what is in the box.		Malik U	For his amazing reading this week. Malik used several different reading strategies and read with enthusiasm.
	Jijwok N	For excellent story writing during our writing piece what was in the box.		Brayden W	For always having a positive attitude towards his learning and his peers.
	Deadah A	For great writing about The Princess and the Pea.		Hasrat G	For writing a strong persuasive piece on 'Why Spring is the best season'. Fantastic job Hasrat!
Year 2	Hiruni J	For writing a detailed procedure on how to make 'Hiruni's Awesome Choc-Chip Sandwich'.	Year 5	Carlson A T	For working hard and solving all his division problems. Great work Carlson!
	Kishore P	For doing awesome homework.		Bailey W	For three days of outstanding achievement.
	Navpreet S	For working hard to achieve his CAFÉ Reading goals.		Teagan W	For settling in really well, making friends and participating in all class work with enthusiasm.
	Talia B	For writing a great procedure for her ultimate sandwich.		Sehath A	For his great problem solving skills during our division class.
	Brayden C	For his effort when joining into group discussions this week.		Alessandra C	For a fantastic start to our Inquiry Learning unit.
	Abdul H	For the fantastic effort he has put in to his spelling homework!		Wairua B	For an excellent effort learning new multiplications strategies in Numeracy.
	Tyrecee H	For putting in a fantastic effort when writing his procedure on Rainbow Milk.		Heidi B	For a fantastic example of three line poetry on Ned Kelly.
	Tea D	For always being very organised and focused in the Learning Space.		Xavier A	For making an outstanding effort with your learning. Keep up the great work!
				Year 6	Emmanuela G
		Miro M	For constant support and encouragement towards his classmates.		
		Cedric I	For a fabulous effort with his financial planning in Maths this week.		
		Sophie F	For consistently trying her best and having a positive attitude in the learning space.		
		Miriam C	For fantastic participation during our spelling session on financial acronyms.		
		Prabhu P	For his inventive and creative ideas during our Earn and Learn Inquiry Learning sessions.		



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Year	Shining Star Student	Award	Year	Shining Star Student	Award
Performing Arts <b>Mr Beach</b>	Jayden F 1B	For showing great rhythmic timing with his clapping and moving in Performing Arts this week.	<b>Mrs Simmonds</b>	Makayla R 3S	For all of your effort in every lesson this week.
Performing Arts <b>Ms Purvis</b>	Caili T 1M	For composing and correctly playing your own creative rhythm.	<b>Mrs Price</b>	Mai E 3R	For working hard and staying positive in class.
PE <b>Mr Carey</b>	Jessa T 1S	For completing a one handed bounce whilst moving with great confidence.	<b>Mrs Warren</b>	Alazei L 4A	For fantastic footy tackles.
PE <b>Mr Shaw</b>	Arash A Prep T	For showing outstanding sportsmanship during our warm up game in Phys Ed. this week.	<b>Mrs Harding</b>	Tayah C 4A	Thanks you for all your ICT help.
PE <b>Ms Woods</b>	David G 3G	Excellent striking skills with bat tennis.	<b>Mrs Kamini</b>	Dipsa J 5R	For respecting your teachers and peers.
ICT <b>Mr Ross</b>	Jen Vee G 6L	For her outstanding work in preparing and presenting her Superhero Procedure on the Online Assembly.	<b>Ms Charalambous</b>	Michelle T 6L	For always trying her best.
ICT <b>Mrs Wahid</b>	Dhruva S 1S	For creating an interesting and colorful image of a bird in Paint and correctly saving his work.	<b>Ms Naismith</b>	Zaina A 1S	For always working hard in class.
Visual Arts <b>Ms Lloyd</b>	Eisraa F 6G	For showing great consideration and creativity when planning her artwork on multicultural equality.	<b>Ms Hudson</b>	David B 3G	For a great start to term 2 and your new school.
Visual Arts <b>Ms Medwin</b>	Zahra N Prep T	For a fantastic pond background painting for her Koi Fish Artwork this week.	<b>Mrs Rento</b>	Lual M 1S	For working hard at his colours.
Science <b>Ms Singleton</b>	Mahsa N	For her persistence with focusing the digital microscope.	<b>Mrs Little</b>	Jook M 1T	For trying hard at his counting.
Science <b>Ms Medwin</b>	Siddhi R 4P	For always putting so much effort into her workbook.	<b>Mrs Mathai</b>	Akshara M 1K	For her enthusiasm to learn how to spell words.
Literacy Support	Ella H 2L	Fantastic effort when asked to manipulate sounds in words	<b>Mrs Hill</b>	Miley T 2X	For always being positive.
ESL	Sandra G 5M	For a fantastic effort in contributing to group discussions. Well Done!!	<b>Ms Burgess</b>	Oliver L 4R	For a great footy tackle.
Auslan	Oneli A 5C	For enthusiastic participation in her Auslan lesson.	<b>Ms Harris</b>	Amelia T Prep T	For always helping her classmates.
			<b>Ms Silva</b>	Nathan C Prep T	For fantastic work with the rhyming words.
			<b>Ms Beck</b>	Ali K Prep V	For working hard in class.
			<b>Ms Ablitt</b>	Harlee K 1T	For his enthusiasm in Maths.
			<b>Ms Whitehead</b>	Dimitri P 6B	For patience while helping others
			<b>Ms Roberts</b>	Oscar W Prep F	For excellent counting.