Wednesday, 7 December

Important Dates

Wednesday, 7 December & Thursday, 8 December
PFA Christmas Stall

Friday, 9 December
Mrs Ireland Day - Parade @ 9am

Wednesday, 14 December
CSPS Helpers Morning Tea
PFA Planning Meeting for 2017 @ 2pm

Thursday, 15 December
Year 6 Graduation

Friday, 16 December
Whole School Assembly @ 9am

Tuesday, 20 December
Last Day of Term 4

TERM 1, 2017

Monday, 30 January
Teachers Commence

Tuesday, 31 January
Students Commence

No Hat - No Go!
Mums and Dads, please ensure your child has a school approved hat to wear at recess times.

Available at the office $12

School Banking is Finished for 2016
Please do not send any more banking to school. Deposits can be made directly at a bank branch.

Library News
A reminder that all library books need to be returned by this Friday, 9th December for stocktaking and redistribution. Please note that a $10 replacement fee will be charged to your school account for any items not returned by this date.

Above: MAC 18, 21 and 22 enjoying the beach as part of their Phillip Island Camp last week.

Last week, MAC 18, 21 and 22 enjoyed their three day camp to Phillip Island. It was a very exciting time, staying at the Amaze ‘n’ Things adventure park. We were fortunate to have wonderful weather to enjoy many beach and nature activities during the camp. Students participated in a variety of camp tasks and learning experiences to promote teambuilding and outdoor education. A big thank you to all staff who attended the camp for our students.

Mr Men and Little Miss Day
For Mrs Ireland
Friday 9th December
Parade at 9.05am

Students and parents are invited to a Mr Men and Little Miss day to celebrate Mrs Ireland’s great work at CSPS. Dress up as your favourite Mr Men or Little Miss character.

2017 Year Six Uniforms
Please make sure you return order forms for 2017 Year Six polo shirts/jumpers by tomorrow (Thursday, 8th December) to avoid missing out. Late orders cannot be accommodated.

Middle School Robot Expo
The middle school is inviting parents to come and see robots that they have been designing, building and programming as part of their trans disciplinary theme through guided inquiry. The expo will be held this Friday, 9th December at 3pm in the gallery - we hope to see you there!
Dear Parents/Guardians,

Can you believe that it is December already let alone that Christmas is only days away. We have much to celebrate and be thankful for during both this festive season and also as a CSPS community.

Firstly I have been keeping families abreast of staff news as it comes hand.

• Mrs Sally Herbert has been appointed as the substantive Assistant Principal.
• Mrs Christine Ireland will be taking leave in 2017 as she is both travelling and moving to the beautiful countryside.
• Mrs Shelley Nagy has eagerly taken up the opportunity to extend her educational consultancy with MAPPEN and therefore will be taking leave for 2017.
• Miss Karlie Italia has proudly announced that she is pregnant.

It is with great pride that I announce such celebrations - the greatest honour as a leader is to support and foster growth within our educational system and abroad.

New staff appointments thus far are:

• Ms Natalia Lopo-Morales is going to be our new Cultural Fusion leader in 2017.
• Ms Lisa Love and Ms Colette Joannidis will be full time staff members in 2017.
• Two new graduate teachers are joining our team; Mrs Nicola Daniel and Miss Jennifer Maguire, who have been University students at CSPS and have a firm grasp of what we hold strong in relation to our teaching and learning approach.
• Kirstie Scutt is our newly appointed Administration Assistant and we welcome Kirstie to our staff.

We are currently finalising two classroom positions for Year 4 and 5, which I will communicate with families as soon as possible.

The next two weeks we have a number of celebrations which I openly and enthusiastically invite you to be a part of. To only mention a few, I look forward to:
* acknowledgement of Chris Ireland day with Mr Men costumes and hilarity.
* moving classrooms to establish our new school structure.
* celebrating student achievement with the end of year reports.
* standing proud at the upcoming Year 6 Graduation.
* announcing the 2017 school captains.
* transitioning into 2017 with a rejuvenation of our school mission, vision and values.

2016 has been a journey of reflection, discovery and forward planning. 2017 is merely on the horizon emitting with bright colours and excitement.

Positivity, Persistence, Pride, Passion

Be an Author

The winning narrative from each MAC for the CSPS ‘Be an Author’ competition for 2016, will be proudly displayed in the Library over the next two weeks. Please drop in to browse these wonderful, creative writing pieces. The winning authors will be presented with their awards at the whole school assembly on Friday 16th December.

You Can Do It

Student of the Week

This week’s key to success:
Resilience

Congratulations to the following children who have demonstrated our “You Can Do It” keys to success:
Getting Along, Confidence, Organisation, Persistence and Resilience.

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Vis Arts

• Emily McCarthy
• Sarah Rollason

Reading Discovery

• Talisha McKill
• Nathan Petersen

Spanish

• Bailey Ward
• Isabelle Dennet

Vis Arts Class Trophies

Class trophies will be awarded based on behaviour, organisation, skill and great team work.

PE

• MAC 18  Green - 240
• MAC 19  Blue- 160
• Yellow- 180
• Red - 140

Our overall “You Can Do It” Student of the Week

Congratulations

Week 8 - Ayden Neil
Week 9 - Brennan Price
On Monday, 28th November, junior school students attended the free RACV Street Scene Program. A traffic safety educator visited the school to discuss road safety with the students. Students learnt about the importance of booster seats, school crossings and how to cross the road safely. Don’t forget to STOP, LOOK, LISTEN and THINK!

Below: Eshan, Ronin And Reanna

On the 22nd November, our 2016 and 2017 i sea i care ambassadors took a boat cruise to visit the amazing seal colony at Seal Rocks. They had an awesome experience viewing these magnificent animals in the wild. They saw big bulls fighting, caring cows and gorgeous baby pups socially interacting with each other, swimming, playing and lazing. This was a fitting way to farewell our 2016 ambassadors. Thank you to Talia Walsh, Alma Torreiro, Natalie Currie and Keira Brown for a fantastic job this year; representing CSPS and promoting care for our environment within the local community. This excursion was also an exciting way to welcome and inspire our 2017 ambassadors, pictured here (Lachlan Doig, Tre` Holwerda, Chelsea Francis and Hannah Bonella), to continue inquiring, educating and informing us of the importance of caring for our precious environment and marine life.

Middle School Taskworks

Last Monday, 28th November, Middle School students participated in an excursion to Taskworks, which is Australia’s first 100% hands-on educational activity centre from Primary School students. It is unique as the students are immersed in activities that challenge their body and mind for the duration of their stay across a range of curriculum areas. Students enjoyed activities that aimed to develop coordination skills, leadership, initiative, teamwork, communication, creativity, problem solving and team building.
Cranbourne Community
Christmas Carols
cnr of Russell Street and Childers Street
6.30 – 8.15pm Sun 11th Dec

Singing lead by Cranbourne Chorale
and featuring guest artist
Shu Cheen Yu
who has appeared at Carols by Candlelight at the
Music Bowl.

Join us for a wonderful evening of public carolling and
performances in the park

Free Sausage Sizzle & Cordial
Hosted by
Cranbourne Presbyterian Church &
St John’s Anglican Church
BVO :
candle, chair &/or picnic rug
Enquiries : 59963251

January School Holidays
Moonlit Sanctuary Junior Ranger Program

Kids enjoy environmental activities, animal encounters and native animal care.
Day includes: interactions with dingo, python, off-limits animals, feeding animals & food prep, animal enrichment activities, fun and games for ages 7-14 years.

January 2017 school holiday dates:
Week 1: Monday 9th to Wednesday 10th January 10am-4pm
Week 2: Monday 16th to Wednesday 18th January 10am-4pm
Week 3: Monday 23rd to Wednesday 25th January 10am-4pm
Cost: $65.00 per day, or $175 for 3 days
(pro rata for additional days; maximum 16 children per day)

Bookings essential as places are limited
Dress for the weather and wear closed-toe shoes, long pants and remember your hat or raincoat. BYO lunch or purchase at the café.

Moonlit Sanctuary
550 Tyabb-Tooradin Rd, Pearcedale
Phone 5978 7935
Web: www.moonlitsanctuary.com.au
Open daily between 10am and 5pm

Ironing Service
If you would like your ironing done at a reasonable rate, please contact Janette (member of CSPS community) on 8759 3474 or 0419 560 590

KARINGAL NETBALL CLUB
SEASON 2017

REGISTRATION 31.01.2017 @ JUBILEE PARK
NETBALL COURTS - 4PM
AGES 6 1/2 & UP
BOYS WELCOME UP TO 13 YRS OLD
GAME DAY SATURDAY’S COMMENCE - MARCH 2017
ANY SKILL LEVEL

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