



19 December, 2017

School Vision: Our vision is to be a connected community learning, growing and achieving together.

Purpose: To maximise student learning through building a desire for personal excellence, a High sense of self-worth and a love of learning.



Where Legends Begin

Our School Values:

Resilience

Responsibility

Respect

Optimism

Our School

Commandments:

Be your best

Believe in yourself

Love learning

Care for yourself, others & the environment

Always stay positive and never give up



CALENDAR Diary Dates

Wednesday	20	December	Reports available on Compass Level 6 Graduation from 5.30pm
Thursday	21	December	Level 6 End Year BBQ @ Tyrol Park
Friday	22	December	Farewell Assembly 9:00am - Level 6 Farewell Morning Tea Final Assembly 1:15pm Last Day of Term Early Dismissal 1.30pm
Wednesday	31	January 2018	Level 1-6 Students Commence 8:50am
Thursday	01	February	Foundation Students Commence 8:50am-1:00pm

Merry Christmas

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提醒
学生提早放学
第4学期 最后一天
日期: Friday 22 December
下午1:30 放学

Principal Report

FINAL ASSEMBLY

I invite all families to join us at 9:00am on Friday 22nd December as we say farewell to our Level 6 students and acknowledge important people who have contributed to our school. It is an excellent opportunity to acknowledge the students and wish them well as they move to secondary school. A morning tea will follow the assembly for all Level 6 students and their families.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT BBQ

Last Wednesday we held our end of year concert and BBQ on the oval. Whilst, it was a particularly hot night it was well attended by our students, staff and families. The staff did a fabulous job preparing the students for the concert. Thank you to Karla Nyhuis for overseeing the organisation of the event. I would also like to thank Mr Greg McDonald, our tong master for feeding us all on the night and for overseeing the Parents' Club volunteers that assisted. Thank you also to those families that donated items for the raffle. There were four lucky hamper winners. Well done everyone!

STAFFING

We are nearing the end of the process of finalising our staffing for 2018; we will notify the two remaining classes of their 2018 teacher in the coming days.

GARDEN WATERING

With the predicted hot weather this week we will need some volunteers to water the gardens. Yesterday at lunchtime, Garden Club got three of the beds done but there is more watering required. If you are able to assist this week with garden watering after school, could you please let me know, thomas.helen.h@edumail.vic.gov.au Yesterday, a paper note went out to families through the class tub, requesting volunteers for watering over the summer holidays; please consider volunteering over the break, even if just for a couple of shifts. Please return your slips ASAP and I will arrange a roster.



REPORTS

Over the last few weeks, staff have been busy assessing and preparing the end of year reports for each individual student. Many hours of work goes into preparing these reports to indicate to families the progress of your child over the second semester. Today Mr Heys will send out an important communication explaining the recent changes to the reports and the schools reporting against the Victorian Curriculum in 2017. Please feel free to contact your child's teacher, Mr Heys, Mr Mills or myself if you have any questions about the changes.

THANK YOU

I just want to say thank you to the students, staff and families for making my year as Acting Principal such a great experience for me. I have thoroughly enjoyed the challenges that being in a new role has given me and I am grateful for all the new things I have learned. I look forward to another year at Camelot Rise as Assistant Principal and continuing to work with you all. It will be great to have Mrs George back in 2018.



FAREWELL



I would just like to wish all our departing students and staff all the very best for the future. Well done on all you have achieved and the contribution you have made to CRPS over the year/s, wherever you find yourself next year, we wish you well. In the newsletter a couple of weeks ago, we acknowledged our departing staff. Recently, Pauline Molenaar our Foundation-Level 2 Art teacher was successful in gaining a position at Ferntree Gully North PS. Congratulations Pauline; you will be a great asset to that school, and we will miss you're here.

HOLIDAYS

All the best to our students, staff and families for a wonderful holiday break. We hope you enjoy some down time with your family and friends, rest and recharge the batteries for another wonderful year of learning at CRPS. Congratulations on all your achievements over 2017.

Helen Thomas
Acting Principal



Assistant Principal Report

Farewell and Thank You

It seems not long ago that I was writing my first newsletter piece as the Acting Assistant Principal for 2017, and yet, here we are in the last week of the school year. The year has certainly gone quickly and has indeed been a rather busy one. It has been a great pleasure to get to know so many members of the Camelot Rise Primary School community and work alongside the students, teachers and parents in such a wide range of activities and pursuits.

It has definitely been a year full of memorable moments. I was fortunate to be able to accompany the Level 6 students on their Canberra camp, which consisted of so many incredible highlights including visits to the Federal Parliament, the Australian War Memorial and Questacon – The National Science and Technology Centre, not to mention an unforgettable rendition of the song 'Chocolate Rain'! The school production of 'Toys Aren't Us – A Toyrific Tale' was something to behold and the students are to be applauded for their fantastic performances, supported so ably and encouragingly by a host of teachers and parents who lent their time and expertise to bring the show to fruition.

It has also been a year of opportunities and successes for Camelot Rise Primary School. Amongst these has been the ushering of the Victorian Curriculum, which with a new structure that includes both Learning Areas and Capabilities, will allow students to demonstrate their skills, knowledge and understandings in new and innovative ways. Equally important has been the increasing embrace of a Restorative Practices approach in relation to matters of student wellbeing and dispute resolution; which in turn has made a significantly positive impact on the school in a fairly short space of time.

Having spoken about the many inspiring moments and successes, I can honestly say that the most refreshing part of my role has been the day-to-day interactions with the students, parents and teachers, whether that be greeting families as they arrive at school in the morning or the banter around the staffroom table. I appreciate the warmth and support that I have received and will remember the relationships I have formed with much fondness.

In closing, I would like to thank the hard working staff, supportive parents and enthusiastic students that make Camelot Rise the school that it is. I wish the Camelot Rise Primary School community all the best with its endeavours for 2018 and beyond.

Peter Mills
Acting Assistant Principal



2017 CRPS BBQ CHRISTMAS CONCERT







AWARDS



Class	Student	Achievement
FC	FC	In recognition of their fantastic first year at school. You are a joy to teach.
FN	Havana H	In recognition of consistent positivity and effort in all learning tasks. You are a star!
FS	Sivani K	In recognition of completing a wonderful year in Foundation. It has been a pleasure teaching you and good luck next year at your new school
1H	Grace J	In recognition of a fantastic year in Level One. It has been a pleasure to teach you. You will be sorely missed!
1S	Matthew M	In recognition of always displaying his school values. You are an enthusiastic achiever!
1W	1W	In recognition of a great year in Level 1 with Mrs Walter! Well done!
2A	2A	In recognition of a great year of learning in Level 2. Good Work!
2G	2G	In recognition of challenging each other to strive and achieve their best in 2017! Great work!
2S	2S	In recognition of their willingness to work diligently and challenge themselves. Excellent work 2S!
3A	Hudson D	In recognition of the progress he has made in all areas this year. Great work, Hudson!
3H	Tatjana S Ivyanne D	In recognition of being a responsible and enthusiastic member of 3H this year. CRPS will miss you in 2018. In recognition of being a kind and considerate member of 3H this year. CRPS will miss you in 2018.
3P	Thomas H	In recognition of massive improvement in his spelling.
4H	4H	In recognition of being vibrant and enthusiastic learners who are always willing to give things a go. Thanks for a great year!
4J	4J	In recognition of the great semester we've had together. I feel like I've taught you for the entire year! Thank you all for welcoming me so easily!
4WT	4WT	In recognition of a fantastic year of learning and friendship. Well done!
5J	5J	In recognition of the wonderful year we've had together. You're a very special class. Best wishes for Level 6.
5Y	5Y	In recognition of the wonderful year we've had together. You're a very special class. Best wishes for Level 6.
5/6N	5/6N	In recognition a fantastic year together! Well done.
MUSIC	Liam E - 4H Eli F - 4H Jade C - 4H Savindu J - 4H	In recognition of their creativity and passion throughout all Music Infusion sessions, it has been a joy playing, listening and writing music with you all.
ART	Henry H - FN	In recognition of maintaining his positive 'can do' attitude in Art.
PE	Muthu V Aaron K	In recognition of their efforts and initiative while opening up the sports storeroom at lunch times over the last three weeks.
Specialist Trophy:	FC:	for always being respectful to their teachers and peers and behaving responsibly in class



General Information/Reminders

COMPASS

IS YOUR CHILD LEAVING CAMELOT RISE PRIMARY?



Reminder to Parents - Backup Student's Academic Reports

Access to Compass ceases as soon as your child exits the school (including exiting Level 6 students). This means that on-line access to Academic Reports also stops at the same time.

It is strongly recommended that families save and backup all Academic Reports onto their own device before 22nd December (LAST DAY SCHOOL 2017)

CSEF Eligibility

Please see the following information regarding CSEF.

Early Dismissal THIS FRIDAY 22 DECEMBER

Please note early dismissal 1:30pm last day Friday 22nd December Term 4 2017, please mark this date and time in your diary.

Curriculum Days

Please note the following important dates for next year (2018). The Curriculum days are student free days. On these days, the staff undertake professional learning.

Monday 29th January 2018 CURRICULUM DAY # 1
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New Uniform Requirements 2018

School Council have ratified the following dates for CRPS uniform change-over:		
YOU CAN WEAR THESE UNIFORM LOGOS UNTIL END OF 2017	NEW PRINTED UNIFORM LOGO ONLY FROM 2018 ONWARDS	

校委会决定 CRPS 校服 更换日期 如下:		
以上校标可以穿戴 至 2017 年末	新打印校服校标 仅 自 2018 年初 生效	

CSEF ELIGIBILITY

Below is the criteria used to determine a student's eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

Criteria 1 – Eligibility

To be eligible* for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:

- on the first day of Term one, or;
- on the first day of Term two;
 - a) Be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the State Concessions Act 2004, that is, be a holder of Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
 - b) Be a temporary foster parent, and;
 - c) Submit an application to the school by the due date.

* A special consideration eligibility category also exists. For more information, see: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (a) or (b) above.

Criteria 2 - Be of school age and attend school in Victoria

School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and 17 years of age inclusive.

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and 18 years inclusive.

CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

Eligibility Date

For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (30 January 2017) or term two (18 April 2017).

PAYMENT AMOUNTS

CSEF payment amount

The CSEF is an annual payment to the school to be used towards camps, sports and/or excursion expenses for the benefit of the eligible student.

- Primary school student rate: \$125 per year.
- Secondary school student rate: \$225 per year.

The CSEF is paid directly to your child's school and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child.

For ungraded students, the rate payable is determined by the student's date of birth. For more information, see: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Year 7 government school students who are CSEF recipients are also eligible for a uniform voucher. Secondary schools are required to make applications on behalf of parents so please register your interest at the school.

HOW TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM

NOTE: ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN

1. Complete the PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN DETAILS section.
Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your concession card. You will also need to provide your concession card to the school.
If you are claiming as a Foster Parent or a Veteran Affairs Pensioner, you will need to provide a copy of documentation confirming your status as a temporary Foster Parent or provide your Veterans Affairs Pensioner Gold card to the school.
2. Complete the STUDENT/S DETAILS section for students at this school.
3. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office by 30 June, 2017 which is the closing date for applications.

CSEF payments cannot be claimed retrospectively for prior years.

Queries relating to CSEF eligibility and payments should be directed to the school.

CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) APPLICATION FORM

School Name

School REF ID

Parent/legal guardian details

Surname _____

First name _____

Address _____

Town/suburb _____ State _____ Postcode _____

Contact number _____

Centrelink pensioner concession OR Health care card number (CRN)

- - - OR

Foster parent* OR Veterans affairs pensioner

*Foster Parents must provide a copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS).

Student details

Child's surname	Child's first name	Student ID	Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	Year level

I authorise the Department of Education and Training (DET) to use Centrelink Confirmation eServices to perform an enquiry of my Centrelink customer details and concession card status in order to enable the business to determine if I qualify for a concession, rebate or service. I also authorise the Australian Government Department of Human Services (DHS) to provide the results of that enquiry to DET.

I understand that:

- DHS will use information I have provided to DET to confirm my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund and will disclose to DET personal information including my name, address, payment and concession card type and status.
 - this consent, once signed, remains valid while my child is enrolled at a registered Victorian school unless I withdraw it by contacting the school.
 - I can obtain proof of my circumstances/details from DHS and provide it to DET so that my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund can be determined.
 - if I withdraw my consent or do not alternatively provide proof of my circumstances/details, I may not be eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund provided by DET.
 - information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to the Victorian Department of Health and Human Services and for State Schools Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance.
- You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child's school.

Signature of applicant _____ Date / /



:Program Update

Dear Parents and Families

Holiday Programs

Parents and families are reminded that we do not run a holiday program at Camelot Rise. OSHClub does run holiday program services locally at the following schools. Booking can be made online. Holiday Programs begin on **Monday January 8th 2018**

Livingstone (Vermont South)
Jell's Park (Wheelers Hill)
Knox Gardens (Wantirna South).

LAST DAY OF TERM 4, 2017

Parents and families are reminded of early release on the last day of the school year **22nd December, 2017**.
OSHClub will be open from **1:30 pm – 6:00pm**. Please remember to book. Additional fee applies for the early release.

New to OSHClub in 2018

All new enrolments, bookings and cancellations are made online.
All emergency contacts, medical, dietary and court orders must be completed and updated.
Call into OSHClub in the Tydeman Centre during service time and we will assist you.
Service hours:
07:00 – 09:00 am
3:00 – 6:00 pm

Goal for the week: Close down capers

Date:18/12//2017	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
BSC	Giant snakes & ladders Free play	Hide the chopstick Playground tigg	Santa's key 2 square	Christmas concert prep Dodge ball	Year 6 Pancake breakfast Free play
ASC	Construction Kayleigh's craft Playground challenge Free play	Doll's house Twister Leadership with Ruhaan G Fruit salad	Christmas card Christmas concert prep Sit down stand up dancing	Christmas concert Board games Leadership Line tigg	Would you rather? Free play Minefield Dodge ball

Most families are eligible for the 50% rebate of all out of pocket expenses for attending OSHClub programs. Many families are getting half their fees back as an immediate discount when they ask for their rebate to be applied to their account. Please note the CCR is not means tested. Changes to the CCR payment method can be made online at www.humanservices.gov.au or alternatively call 13 61 50, give your Customer Reference Number (CRN), enter your PIN (if you have one) then say 'Child Care Rebate Options' and follow the prompts. Ask for your Child Care Rebate to be paid 'directly' to OSHClub on your behalf as a fee reduction.

OSHClub information:

Program Phone: 0407342157 (leave an SMS or voice message)

Coordinator: Denise

Assistants: Sumarni, Naomi and Christina

OSHClub Head Office: 03 85649000

All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is free!! Please create an account online at www.oshclub.com.au all bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account.

For on the day bookings and cancellations please contact the coordinator direct at the service.

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Term I

Monday January 22 – Thursday March 29



TERM 2 STARTS MONDAY APRIL 16

Coming Up at SwimWorld

Public Holidays (SwimWorld Closed)
Summer Holiday Program
Monday January 15 ~ Friday January 19
Australia Day ~ Friday January 26
Water Safety Week
Monday March 5 ~ Sunday March 11
Labour Day ~ Monday March 12
Good Friday ~ March 30
Easter Monday ~ April 2
School Holidays
Friday March 30 ~ Sunday April 15

WATER SAFETY WEEK
MONDAY MARCH 5 - SUNDAY MARCH 11




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