



# [theroundtable@crps.news](http://theroundtable@crps.news)

14 November, 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:

**R**esilience

**R**esponsibility

**R**espect

**O**ptimism

### 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	15	November	Foundation-Pet Ownership Day 9.00am Sub Committee Meetings – Education 6:00pm Community Engagement 7:00pm
Monday	13-24	November	Foundation - Level 4 Swimming Program Commences
Thursday	16	November	Foundation and Level 6 Buddy Breakfast Foundation-Level 3 Camelot Soiree (Previously Camerata)
Friday	17	November	Parents' Club Ice Cream Sundae Treat Day Book Fair 'Buy One Get One Free' Commences
Monday	20	November	2018 Leaders Announcement –Assembly 9.00am
Wednesday	22	November	Foundation 2018 Orientation Morning 9:15am-12 noon School Council Meeting 7:15pm
Thursday	23	November	Level 4 – 6 Camelot Soiree (Previously Camerata)
Friday	24	November	Level 5 Sex Education Program (1)
Friday	1	December	Level 5 Sex Education Program (2)
Thursday	07	December	Level 1-6 New Students 2018 Orientation Morning
Friday	8	December	Level 5 Sex Education Program (3)
Monday	11	December	Parents' Club Meeting (after assembly) All Welcome
Tuesday	12	December	Year 6 to Year 7 Orientation Day Level 1-5 New Students 2018 Orientation Day
Wednesday	13	December	Parents' Club Xmas BBQ
Thursday	14	December	Christmas Cookie Morning Tea
Monday	18	December	Level 6 Celebration excursion Rush HQ and Jells Park
Wednesday	20	December	Level 6 Graduation from 5.30pm
Thursday	21	December	Level 6 End Year BBQ Tyrol Park
Friday	22	December	Level 6 Farewell Morning Tea <b>Last Day of Term Early Dismissal 1.30pm</b>

Monday 29th January 2018 CURRIULUM DAY # 1  
 Tuesday 30th January 2018 CURRIULUM DAY # 2  
 Friday 11th May 2018 CURRIULUM DAY # 3  
 Monday 23rd July 2018 CURRIULUM DAY # 4

Wednesday 31st January 2018 (School starts for Level 1-6)  
 Thursday 1st February 2018 (School starts for Foundation).

## Principal Report

### 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.

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Monday 23rd July 2018 CURRIULUM DAY # 4



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### CAR Maintenance at CRPS

Last week members of the School Council Buildings and Grounds Sub-committee and myself met with Cameron Dixon (architect), Gemcan constructions (builders) and officials from Department of Education (DET) to discuss the start dates for the CAR Maintenance scope of works around the school. We have waited months to have our works approved by DET so we are looking forward to it getting underway and seeing improvements to our school buildings and grounds. The major work will be with the roof in the library, the replacement of the wooden fascia on our walkways and an upgrade of the boys and girls toilets in the gym. We are thrilled about more works being undertaken to make our school a better environment for our students, staff and families. The end result will be worth the short term disruption.

The start is December 4th and between now and then we need to pack up the library and computer lab and store these items in a yet to be confirmed location. We will come up with a moving plan in the next few days. The aim of starting in December is to have some of the major works completed by the end of January. There will be other minor disruption throughout the school doing this time. We may require some parent volunteers to assist in the clean out of the library, shortly I will place a notification on Compass requesting this assistance.

### New website

Our new website went live last week. Whilst we will add more information to the website over the coming weeks and months, we ask that our families be patient as we load back up any relevant old notices and newsletters. The newsletters The development of the new website has been an enormous undertaking. About 18 months ago the Community Engagement Sub-committee discussed the need to upgrade the site with a parent of Camelot, Gabby Wilson volunteering to work with the school to assist in its upgrade. Gabby's efforts have resulted in a fantastic new look and updated content and photos. I would like to extend my thanks to the entire website team; Gabby Wilson, Kirsty Glazebrook, Simon Judkins, Amanda Curtain, Tennille Anderson, Mary Katsigiannis, Stephen Gleeson, Kirrily George, John Kovas, Monique Adamson, Christine Chara and other staff for all your efforts. The tasks included technical and marketing expertise, updating the content, taking photos, providing feedback, and undertaking professional learning to use the new system and more... It has been a great team effort. Any questions, comments or feedback please come and see either Peter Mills (AP) or myself.



### Level 4 Camp

Welcome home Level 4 campers! There were some tired children (staff and parent helpers too!) getting off the bus last Friday and no doubt they slept well throughout the weekend. Thanks to Mrs Woods, Miss Neary, Miss Nyhuis, Mr Heys, Mrs Hewett, also Ben and Sally our parent helpers for all your efforts this week. A special thanks to Mrs Woods for her coordination.



### Canteen Manager VACANCY 2018

At the end of the year, Belinda Foster our current Canteen Manager is planning to step down from the managerial role. We are looking for a community member that might be interested in taking on this role. Belinda will train and support the new person into this role.

#### Role includes:

- Monitor stock levels and orders when required to ensure adequate weekly supply.
- Checking & unpacking stock, (signing off on invoice, send ensure invoice is sent to office for payment)
- Annual stock take, keeping stock reports. Usually only done twice a month depending on canteen sales. (Product information and stockists details supplied.)
- Liaising with product representatives - for new product information/product servicing. This is not required very often, maybe a few times a year.
- Ensuring efficient operation of canteen - for example, adequate cleaning products, communication to volunteers as required, displays stocked. (Checked weekly but often kindly done by volunteers themselves.)
- Ensuring Canteen is cleaned on a regular basis in line with Monash Council regulations.

### Also responsible for volunteer roster:

- To liaise with volunteers regarding their availability/training if required/feedback, questions or concerns.
- To organise a weekly volunteer roster to be emailed to the office for inclusion in the newsletter.

\*\* Position does require somebody who has time in the mornings to organise last minute changes to roster should this occur.

### Leaving At the End Of 2017

If you believe that your child/ren may be leaving Camelot Rise at the end of 2017 (and not as a Grade 6 student), please let us know. Obviously, we do not want to see you go but understand changes in family circumstances; therefore, your early notification really will assist us with planning for next year.

Goodbye...



Term 4 is extremely busy for our school community. If parents need to see Peter Mills (Assistant Principal) or myself to discuss any concerns, please call the school on 9803 5344 and an appointment time can be made; or alternatively come to the school office for an appointment time to also be made.

Ms Helen Thomas  
Acting Principal

## Assistant Principal Report

### Optimism

Over the past few weeks, Dhani from 6A has been talking at Assembly about our school's values, including examples of how these values can be expressed, both in words and in actions. One of those values that Dhani unpacked was optimism. According to the school's definition, optimism means *being positive and seeing the good in everything*.

#### *What is 'optimism'?*

Optimism is a thinking style that can be learnt. It lets us see disappointing events as temporary situations that we can move on from. It helps to strengthen us to try again rather than give up. It allows us to keep striving for our goals and ambitions, so we can act on the motivation we have to keep working toward them. Because of this, optimistic people feel more in control of their situations.

#### Optimism Is Healthy

Researchers have spent a lot of time studying people who think positively. It turns out that an optimistic attitude helps us be happier, more successful, and healthier. An optimistic outlook makes people more resistant to stress. The best thing about optimism is you can learn it, even if your outlook tends to be pessimistic at different times. Optimism may even help people live longer!

#### Optimism vs. Pessimism

Optimism and pessimism are mindsets — ways of thinking and seeing things. Optimists see the positive side of things. They expect things to turn out well. They believe they have the skill and ability to make good things happen. You've probably heard people who tend to see the faults in everything called "pessimists." A pessimist is more likely to expect things to turn out poorly or to focus on what didn't go well. People aren't always optimistic or always pessimistic, but most people tend to lean toward one of these thinking patterns. The good news is, if you tend to be more pessimistic, you're not destined to always think that way. We can all become more optimistic by adjusting the way we see things.

Imagine two students who receive the same poor result on a test. The first student thinks, "I'm such a failure! I always do poorly in this subject. I can't do anything right!" The second student thinks, "This test was difficult! Oh well, it's just one test in one class. I tend to do well in other subjects and in other tests." These students are exhibiting two types of what psychologists call "explanatory styles". Explanatory styles reflect three attributions that a person forms about a recent event. Did it happen because of me (internal) or something or someone else (external)? Will this always happen to me (stable) or can I change what caused it (unstable)? Is this something that affects all aspects of my life (pervasive) or was it a solitary occurrence (limited)? Pessimistic people tend to view problems as internal, unchangeable, and pervasive, whereas optimistic people are the opposite.

#### *Optimism Helps People Succeed*

Optimism goes beyond seeing the bright side of a situation or expecting good things. It's also a way of explaining what has already happened. When something good happens, optimists think about what they did to make the situation turn out so well. They see their abilities as permanent, stable parts of themselves. They think of how this good thing can lead to other good things. When things don't go as expected, it's the reverse: Optimists don't blame themselves. They see setbacks as temporary. When something goes wrong, optimists link it to a specific situation or event, not their capabilities. Because they don't view setbacks as personal failings, optimists are able to bounce back from disappointment better than pessimists.

I am showing optimism when I...

- notice good things as they happen
- believe that I can make good things happen in my life.
- don't blame myself when things go wrong.
- give myself credit when something good happens
- remind myself that setbacks are temporary.
- engage in positive self-talk

*Quotes about optimism*

Winston Churchill is credited with the famous quote that "a pessimist sees the difficulty in every opportunity; an optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty."

(Sourced and adapted from kidshealth.org and Pursuit of Happiness Inc. 2016)

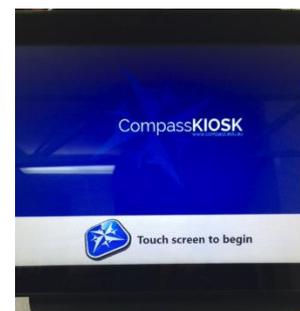
Peter Mills  
Acting Assistant Principal

## General Information

### Compass Kiosk has arrived at Camelot Rise PS

As part of our growing association with our school management system Compass, we have today installed a new Compass Kiosk to the office area. This kiosk has many features that will assist parents and visitors to the school.

- Visitors can sign in and alert who they are visiting
- Parents can sign students directly in or out of school as approved via the kiosk.
- You will no longer have to utilise the paper based process with the exception of the pink and green cards to be handed to the teacher on arrive and departure.



### Staying Hydrated

As we are now heading into the warmer weather, families are reminded to send their child/ren with a full water bottle they can drink throughout the day.



Please also remind your child/ren to choose a quiet activity during recess and lunchtime on very hot days.



### Camelot Rise Soiree

In the next coming weeks we will be having a performance night to celebrate students who are currently learning an instrument or who are receiving voice lessons. Students who are receiving **Metro Music lessons or Instrumental lessons** outside of school are welcome to perform. This Thursday 16th of November students in Foundation to Level 3 who have expressed an interest in performing will perform at 7:00pm in the school Gym. Students in Level 4-6 will perform next Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November at 7:00pm.

### Metro Music Recital

Metro Music (Our Instrumental teachers who come weekly) have organised a recital which will be held in our school Gym at 4:00pm.

This is **ONLY** for students who are receiving lessons from Metro Music. This recital will celebrate the achievements of these students throughout the year.



## Foundation – Level 4 Swimming Program

Our Foundation to Level 4 Swimming program started yesterday. The students had an assessment day and have now been put into ability groups.

Safety day will be on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup>. All students will need to bring a change of clothes to wear over their bathers on the day.

Lots of fun and learning to be had!

### Depart school

Level 4 swimming	10.50am
Level 3 swimming	11.30am
Level 2 swimming	12.10pm
Level 1 swimming	12.50pm
Foundation	1.30pm

### Lesson Time

11.20am – 12.00pm
12.00pm - 12.40pm
12.40pm – 1.20pm
1.20pm – 2.00pm
2.00pm – 2.40pm

### Return to School

12.15pm
12.55pm
1.35pm
2.15pm
2.55pm



## Canteen

### Term 4 Roster



Can you help volunteer in our school canteen, we need volunteers for Term 4 especially on a Wednesday or Thursday

Tuesday 14/11	Wednesday 15/11	Thursday 16/11
Nat G Help Needed	Stella W Simone L	Joanne R Lindsey S
Tuesday 21/11	Wednesday 22/11	Thursday 23/11
Michelle R Lindsey S	Help Needed Help Needed	Help Needed Help Needed
Tuesday 28/11	Wednesday 29/11	Thursday 30/11
Nat G Help Needed	Stella W Simone L	Joanne R Help Needed
Tuesday 5/12	Wednesday 6/12	Thursday 7/12
Michelle R Lindsey S	Help Needed Help Needed	Help Needed Help Needed
Tuesday 12/12	Wednesday 13/12	Thursday 14/12
Nat G Help Needed	Stella W Simone L	Joanne R Lindsey S
Tuesday 19/12	Wednesday 20/12	Thursday 21/12
Michelle R Ivana B	Help Needed Help Needed	Help Needed Help Needed

## FOUNDATION 2018 TRANSITION UNIFORM SHOP HOURS

The Uniform Shop will be open on the following dates for parents/carers of  
2018 Foundation students.

We strongly recommend parents/carers book an appointment time @ [www.trybooking.com/LLMO](http://www.trybooking.com/LLMO)  
to enable ordering of uniform to be processed accordingly as Term 4 is very busy time across our school community

**22<sup>nd</sup> November 9:30am – 11:30am**

*(last opportunity to purchase uniform items before 2018)*

Please book an appointment at [www.trybooking.com/LLMO](http://www.trybooking.com/LLMO)

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

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



### ICE CREAM SUNDAE TREAT

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November**

**\$2.00 per Sundae**

Vanilla ice cream with a choice of chocolate, strawberry  
or caramel topping along with sprinkles!

Bring your money on the day – no need to pre-order!

If your child has any allergies, please email:  
[parentsclub@camelotrise.vic.edu.au](mailto:parentsclub@camelotrise.vic.edu.au) with your child's details  
and an alternative arrangement can be made.

## Before School / After School Care

Program Update

**Dear Parents and Families**

**PARENTS PLEASE ENSURE YOUR CHILD/REN BRINGS a HAT AND WATER BOTTLE TO OSHC AS PER OUR SUNSMART POLICY - Hats and water bottles**

\*\*\*All children at OSHClub require a named school hat and water bottle, as we often play outside where taps are limited. Children can bring a spare named hat and drink bottle to leave at OSHC if preferred.

Our Educators ensure children have applied sunscreen before venturing outside.

**Goal for the week:** Building on our creativity

Date: 13/11/2017	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>BSC</b>	Chalk drawing	Bracelet making	Model trains	Scratch art	Making play dough
	Ship shark shore	Leadership (Lachlan)	Wink murder	Line tigg	
<b>ASC</b>	How to draw	Write a script	Animal role play	Board game challenge	Hairdressing competition
	Card game war	Minute to win it	OSHClub shops	Party time	Hangman
	Leadership (Smaran)	Octopus	Soccer	Dance battle	Poison ball
	China wall	Minefield	Dancing	Leadership	Free play -gym

**Child Care Rebate (CCR)**

- 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](http://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: 1300 395 735**

**All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is free!! Please create an account online at [www.oshclub.com.au](http://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.**

Dear OSHClub families,

We would like to advise our parents and guardians that we will be closing all OSHClub services from close of business on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2017 and will reopen on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

During this Christmas closure there will be no Vacation Care programs run at any of the OSHClub services and OSHClub Head Office will also be closed at this time.

Denise Naomi Sumarni and Christina

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## LUNCHTIME CLUBS TERM 4 - 2017

DAY	1:10 – 1:35pm		1:35 – 2:00pm	
<b>Monday</b>	Yoga 3-6 Garden Club	Multipurpose Room - Mrs Loria Garden Shed – Ms Thomas	Library Open	Library – Mrs. Arney
<b>Tuesday</b>	French Club Tech. Club Enviro. Club	Library – Mrs Arney ICT Lab -Mr Gleeson Garden Shed – Mrs Walter	Drawing Club Senior Choir	1H C'room – Ms Harrington Music Room – Miss Nyhuis
<b>Wednesday</b>	S.R.I. F to 2 Library Open Netball 4's & 5's Secret Agent Club	TAC-Peter Mills Library – Mrs Loria Mrs Hewett –Netball Court 5Y Classroom – Mrs Schwass	S.R.I. 3 to 6 Junior Choir	TAC – Ms Thomas Music Room – Miss Nyhuis
<b>Thursday</b>	Yoga F-2 Chess Club	Multipurpose Room - Mrs Loria 5Y Classroom – Mr Young	Soccer Club	Oval – Mr Heys
<b>Friday</b>	Games Club	Library – Ms Curtain	Library Open Art Club	Library – Mrs. Arney Art Room - Mrs Katsigiannis

**Come to our Buy One, Get One FREE Book Fair!**

Dates / Times / Place

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Nov 8:30-9:30

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> Nov 8:30-9:30

Tues 21<sup>st</sup> Nov 3:00-4:00

\*All free items must be of equal or lesser value than the ones you buy. Titles vary by Book Fair. All items at your Book Fair are available only while stocks last!

**SCHOLASTIC**

**BEACH HUT BREWERY**

**CHRISTMAS MARKET**

SATURDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> DECEMBER | 12pm – 5pm

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Margaret Seenan

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**Kids Fun Run with Thomas**  
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**26th November 2017**  
PUFFING BILLY RAILWAY STATION GEMBROOK

Children aged 3-12 years old get the chance to run with **Thomas the Tank Engine and Puffing Billy!**

Funds raised will be donated to **INSIGHT**, Education Centre for the Blind and Vision Impaired

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