

A message from our Principal - Simon Anderson

Issue 10- 28th July 2017

SNOW CAMP

On Monday of this week, 22 intrepid Year 5 and Year 6 students together with three staff members and a teacher in training, travelled to Mount Buller for a three day Snow Camp. Involvement in this camp has required the children to train at least twice a week, since April.

We left at 4am and the children commenced their first lesson at 8:30am—a very early and busy start requiring a great deal of resilience by the children, staff and parents, who braved the early start dropping their children off. For the next three days the children attended lessons in the morning and continued their practice skiing with the staff from Pearcedale for the remainder of the day. They became excellent skiers!

The students also enjoyed some snow play including short rides on a toboggan and of course a snowball fight—I think I lost!!



ENROLMENTS

If you have a child commencing school next year could you please contact the office for enrolment forms. Please also let the office know if your child will no longer be attending Pearcedale Primary next year. We are in the process of finalising our numbers for the Department, as we may require an additional portable.

EXCURSIONS/INCURSIONS

This term there are many Camps, Incursions and Excursions planned. Please ensure that you keep informed through Flexibuzz and the school website to remind you of dates and times of the various activities planned!

Term 3

Mon 24th - 28th

Grade 3 & 4
Swimming

Fri 28th

- Newsletter
- Ned Incursion

Fri 31st

- Prep Responsible Pet Program Inc.
- Grade 4 Hooptime

August

Tues 1st

"Hear No Evil"
Fundraiser - Dress Up

Fri 4th

Assembly

Sat 5th

Trivia Night

Fri 11th

Newsletter

Sun 13th

Wakakirri - School
Performance

Wed 14th

Prep Grandparents
Day

Our mission is to enrich and equip all students with knowledge, skills and strategies that empower them to be active life-long learners, productive community members and global citizens.

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FlexiBuzz 

For all up-to-date
Information.
Download it today!!

Hear No Evil Australian Deaf Dog Rescue

On **Tuesday 1st August** everyone gets to dress up! You can dress up as a dog by making a headband with ears **OR** wear your favourite onesie.

Give a gold coin donation to raise funds for Hear No Evil for the deaf dogs.

Our Aim:

- To raise funds to pay for medical bills, food, training and re-homing of rescued deaf dogs.
- To increase awareness that training is available for dogs who are deaf.

'Hear No Evil'



Australian **Deaf** Dog Rescue

Organised By JSC.

Hear No Evil is a registered non-profit rescue group and we are run by a committee of volunteers abiding by all animal welfare regulations and ethics.

'Hear No Evil' are a legitimate rescue/rehoming group by ensuring every single dog that comes to us is Desexed, Microchipped and Vaccinated before being adopted, as well as Flea/Tick treated and Wormed while in our care.

'Hear No Evil' embark on teaching dogs basic training and manners, and offer ongoing support to any adopting families for life. 'Hear No Evil' even have a partnership with an assortment of dog trainers around the country to help sort out any unwanted and unhealthy behaviours.

'Hear No Evil' don't just rescue and rehome though, there is information and advice available to people who already have deaf dogs, and also to those people who may be interested or considering adopting a deaf dog.



New hosts: Funky Bunch Trivia

Saturday 5th August 2017

Arrive from 7pm for a 7.30pm start In the Gym

A social fundraising night for all Parents, Teachers & Friends

BYO drinks, nibbles & loose change. Loads of prizes, raffle, silent auction, live auction, games and of course laughs!

\$20 per person prepaid or \$25 on the night.

Tables of 8 to 10 are ideal



Win a Holiday!

Major Raffle Prize of \$3000
worth of travel vouchers
to be drawn on the night

1st Prize - \$2000 worth of holiday vouchers

2nd Prize - \$1000 worth of holiday vouchers

Thanks to Helloworld Travel

Bonus Prize - The family that sells the MOST
tickets will WIN a Sony Playstation 4.

Live Auction on the Night!

**Harley Davidson
Weekend Away Experience!**

Total Prize
Value
\$1250

Includes:

1 x weekend Rental of a Harley Davidson Motorcycle

1 x Accommodation Voucher - Value \$250

1 x \$500 Harley- Heaven Voucher

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Fill in booking slip and return to the office with payment in an envelope marked 'Trivia Night'.

Make up a class table or invite family and friends. If you don't have a full table, we can help organise one.

For more info, please contact: **Jo Millar on 0413 005 518 or Monique Gebbing on 0466 722 215**



PRE-PURCHASE TRIVIA NIGHT TICKETS (Price is \$25 on the night)

I would like to purchase tickets @ \$20 each (total) and have submitted my payment to office

Name..... Contact Number

Table/ Team Name..... Number of people on table



Casey & District Multiple Birth Association Inc.

Comedy Night



Friday 25th August
DOORS OPEN AT 7.30pm

MAIN ACT:
THE NELSON TWINS

Supported by
EVAN HOCKING & DAVE O'NEIL



Balla Balla Community Centre
65 Berwick - Cranbourne Rd
Cranbourne

TICKETS \$35 PER PERSON

To book your ticket now visit:
<https://www.trybooking.com/285185>

BYO FOOD & DRINKS

EVERYONE'S WELCOME!



KUNDALINI RISING YOGA GONG THERAPY & YOGA STUDIO

Monday Night @ 7pm
Meditation & Gong Bath

Wednesday Night @ 6:30pm
Kundalini Yoga class

Saturday Morning @ 9:30am
Kundalini Yoga class

kundalini Rising
is located in Warneet
Bookings are essential

Dhyan Simran / Jody 0414 408 538

kundalinirisingyoga.com.au

kundalinirisingyoga@bigpond.com

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Sat Nam

MOUNT ERIN COLLEGE 2017 PRODUCTION



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THURSDAY 17TH AUGUST, 7.00PM
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SATURDAY 19TH AUGUST, 12.00PM AND 7.00PM

TICKETS AVAILABLE THROUGH
<https://www.trybooking.com/RDKP>

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Science in the Park: Wildlife Counts



WHERE IS IT: Coolart Wetlands and Homestead
Lord Somers Road, Somers VIC 3927
Melways Ref: 193 J9

WHEN IS IT: Sunday 13th August, 10am - 4pm
FREE ENTRY. FREE PARKING.

For more information go to:
www.facebook.com/scienceintheparkcoolart

**FREE
SCIENCE
ACTIVITIES
FOR ALL
AGES**



IDENTIFY AND MONITOR

- Local species of waterbugs, frogs, birds and koalas

HANDS-ON SCIENCE ACTIVITIES

- Join PrimeSCI!, the Labrats Science Club and other organisations

WILDLIFE SCIENCE SEMINARS

- Hear from researchers from universities, government organisations, industry and volunteer groups. Featuring Ian Temby, Urban Wildlife Conservationist



CITIZEN SCIENCE SEMINARS

- Learn how YOU can participate in REAL science research

TOURS OF COOLART RESERVE

- Learn about the geology, ecology and local cultural history

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Participate in the Scavenger Hunt
- Meet "The Connies"
- BYO picnic or visit the food stalls



VEGIE BUNCH

If you like the idea of supporting local farmers and your local community then we offer you this from Vegie Bunch, your Local Grower and online Greengrocer in Pearcedale.

We supply farm fresh seasonal fruit & vegies from our farm, and local small farms in our surrounding areas, to bring you a variety as we are unable to grow everything.

Our produce is often picked one day and delivered to you the next day, you can't get any fresher than that!

But don't just take our word for it, TRY US.

Simply send your email to receive our weekly list. All instructions on how to order/ pay etc. are in the email. Our weekly list comprises of what's available for the week plus prices, including areas of where we source your lovely farm fresh fruit & vegies from. Your little local farmers appreciate your support.

Here's What You Do:

Order Monday (Monday orders get a freebie).

Orders Close: midday Wednesday.

Delivery: Thursday between 3.15pm-3.45pm from Rebecca at PPS's footy oval (you will see the 'Vegies' sign).

To get your fruit & vegies delivered weekly to the oval next to Pearcedale Primary School send your email and let us know that you are picking up from the school oval and we will add you to our list.

Email: shona@vegiebunch.com.au

Shona Crawford

Vegie Bunch

Mob: 0433 577 833



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9AM - 12PM



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ENTRY: ADULTS \$2, CHILDREN FREE
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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

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Give her a call if you need a website designed, update an old one and make it mobile, assist with social media and social media marketing and create a marketing plan for your business.

Contact her on

0411 258 425

if you need more info.



BARGAIN BOOK SALE

Stock up on some great reads for the whole family at our bargain book sale.

Supported by Friends of Cranbourne Libraries Inc.

Cranbourne Library
Casey Complex
65 Berwick-Cranbourne Rd
> Casey Radio entrance
from the side carpark

Saturday 12 August
> 8.30am to 2pm
Phone: 5900 0150



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We are SunSmart - a note for families

Too much UV can cause sunburn, skin and eye damage and skin cancer.

UV damage accumulated during childhood and adolescence is associated with an increased risk of skin cancer later in life. Skin cancer is the most common cancer in Australia.

You can't see or feel the sun's UV so don't be fooled. Whatever the weather, if the UV levels are three or more, it's important to **Slip, Slop, Slap, Seek and Slide!**

Our school aims to protect children and staff from too much UV to help minimise future skin cancer risk. We are a registered member of the Cancer Council Victoria's SunSmart Program. Please help support our SunSmart membership by ensuring your child follows the SunSmart measures included in our policy.

During the daily local sun protection times (issued whenever UV levels are 3 and higher), use these 5 SunSmart steps – even if it's cool and cloudy.

1. **Slip on a shirt** – for free dress days, ensure your child wears clothing that covers as much skin as possible (e.g. elbow length tops with a higher neckline or collar and longer style shorts or skirts). Densely woven fabrics are best.
2. **Slop on SPF 30 (or higher) broad-spectrum, water-resistant sunscreen** – apply a generous amount of sunscreen at the start of the day and make sure children have sunscreen in their bag ready to be reapplied throughout the day. Sunscreen should be reapplied every two hours. Please ensure they get plenty of sunscreen application practice at home so they'll be all set when they are at school.

3. **Slap on a hat** – one that protects the face, neck and ears such as a broad brimmed, legionnaire or bucket style hat. Peak caps do not offer enough protection and are not recommended by SunSmart. Please help your child remember to bring and wear their approved hat.
4. **Seek shade** – choose shady spots for play whenever possible.
5. **Slide on some sunglasses** – if practical and approved by the school. Make sure they are labelled AS 1067 and cover as much of the eye area as possible.

Sun protection times

Don't just wait for hot and sunny days to use sun protection. Check the sun protection times each day so your family can be protected when they need to be.

Daily local sun protection times and weather details are available from the SunSmart widget on our school website, in the weather section of the newspaper, on the SunSmart website at sunsmart.com.au and as a free SunSmart app. Sun protection times can also be found at the Bureau of Meteorology website and live UV levels are available from ARPANSA.



Further information contact SunSmart
P: 03 9514 6419
E: sunsmart@cancervic.org.au
W: sunsmart.com.au

Need information in another language?
Call 13 14 50 and ask to be connected to Cancer Council Victoria in your language.

Top tips on sunscreen @ school



Teachers at school are not expected to apply sunscreen to students but SunSmart does ask that schools have strategies in place to help remind children to apply sunscreen before they go outside. Regular use of sunscreen has been shown to reduce the incidence of melanoma and squamous cell carcinoma, both in the short and long term.

Choose SPF 30 (or higher) broad-spectrum, water-resistant sunscreen. Make sure it is within its use-by date and is stored below 30 degrees.

It is best to apply a generous amount of sunscreen to any exposed skin around 20 minutes before going outdoors. Sunscreen should be reapplied every **TWO** hours even if the stated level of water resistance is 4 hours.

Always use sunscreen with other sun protection measures – don't just rely on sunscreen alone.

Sunscreen application strategies include:

- Suggest children BYO SPF 30 (or higher) broad-spectrum, water-resistant sunscreen – one that suits their skin. They could try a clip-on and hang it on their school bag. Not only is it easy for storage but it also acts as a visual reminder.
- Store sunscreen with lunchboxes and/ or hats so when children grab their food or hat before going outdoors, they will also be reminded to stop on sunscreen. If sunscreen is kept in the cooler section of the lunchbox, it will be cold when applying - especially nice on a hot day. By the time the food has been eaten, the sunscreen should have had time to bind to the skin.
- Appoint sunscreen buddies so children can help each other.
- Have sunscreen monitors
- Set up sunscreen stations with a mirror and cloth or tissues for wiping hands. Try a sunscreen pump pack or roll on (they are usually easier to use).
- Post reminder notes near the door or on the board
- Make announcements over the PA
- Play the [SunSmart Countdown song](#) or [sun sound](#) before the recess bell to remind children to apply sunscreen and grab their hat
- Create a sunscreen application chart to keep track of applications, add a sticker or mark each time sunscreen is applied. Which student or team of children are the sunscreen application champions?
- Download the free [SunSmart app](#) - set the sunscreen reminder and use the [sunscreen calculator tool](#)
- Use the [SunSmart resources](#) to help children understand the importance of sunscreen and other sun protection measures
- Remember the value of teacher role modelling
- Include information about sunscreen in the school newsletter. Use one of SunSmart's sample [family notes](#).
- Include sunscreen on the school booklist so each child has their own supply
- For further information visit sunsmart.com.au or call 13 11 20



Whatever the weather, remember to use these

5 SUNSMART STEPS

during the daily sun protection times.

Check the SunSmart app to find
the sun protection times.



Pop out this section and put it somewhere the whole family can see
to remind everyone to be SunSmart. Find a favourite photo and use the
SunSmart magnet frame to display it on the fridge.

For information on being SunSmart visit sunsmart.com.au

SunSmart is a Cancer Council Victoria program supported by VicHealth.