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<td>Written notification given to short listed Leadership students</td>
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<td>Principal informs new leaders and short listed students in writing of the result, based on the overall results of the Selection Criteria</td>
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Absence Hotline - 4726 1260
If students are absent please ring this number and leave a message detailing:

Child's name, Class and reason for absence.

CRANBROOK IS NOW ON FACEBOOK!

"Like" our page and keep up-to-date with what's going on in our School Community.

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LOST PROPERTY

Please check lost property before 31st October, otherwise all remaining property will go to charity organisations. Thank you.

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Welcome back to our fourth and final term for 2014. I hope everyone had a safe and relaxing break in preparation for a term with lots packed into the calendar. I urge parents to regularly check the date claimers for future events over the next ten weeks.

We are looking forward to continuing our work in making our school a better place and ensuring that each and every student achieves wonderful outcomes.

We also welcome our new families to our Cranbrook Learning Community and we look forward to working with you and helping your children become Cranbrook Learners.

Parent Information

Parent Teacher interviews will be conducted on Wednesday, 15th October 2014.
Parents are encouraged to book these interviews ASAP. The booking system is online and it is designed for simplicity. Parents can access the system at any time, day or night. There are no codes or pin numbers to remember, and a series of simple screens and prompts to assist them to make their interview bookings. Online Access: http://sobs.com.au/pt/school-selection.php?type=parent.php

Type in your email address and click Next

1. Enter your name and contact details and click Next
2. Enter your child’s full name and select year level and click Next
3. Click on the ‘Book Interviews’ box next to your child’s name
4. Select your child's teacher and click Next
5. Click on the timeslot that you would like to book and your child’s name will appear in that timeslot
6. If you make a mistake just click on that timeslot again to clear that interview
7. Click on SAVE at the top or bottom of the page.

Repeat this process for each child

Parent Interviews are an important opportunity to discuss how students are progressing, their goals for further learning, and to share information. Parents who haven’t yet taken up this opportunity are encouraged to do so. A strong partnership between the school and home is a proven contributor to student success at school.

**School Routines**

I have listed some school routines and procedures to assist in making our school an orderly and safe environment for our students. I ask that you familiarise yourself with these arrangements.

**Morning Procedures**

When children arrive at school in the morning, we ask that they come to the large covered area in front of the tuckshop. This area is supervised by staff. Parents of Prep children are also asked to bring their children to this area rather than taking them to the classroom for this term. Students and parents are asked to sit and wait. Breakfast is available from 8.00am. The 8.30am bell is for ALL students to line up in class lines ready for teacher collection.

Teachers will come to the covered area and walk their students to their classroom between 8.30 and 8.40am to start classes at 8.50am.

**Late Arrivals**

Children arriving after 8.50am are asked to report to the office to sign in late. Students should be accompanied by parents or a note be available to explain the lateness.

**After School**
All students are dismissed at 3.00pm this term and personal arrangements for collection and pickup is determined by families.

The front of the school is supervised by staff from 3.00 until 3.20pm each afternoon. We encourage parents to collect their children from this area by accessing the two minute pick up area on Alice Street.

**Play Areas**

All play areas are out of bounds before and after school as there is no adult supervision. This also includes the Prep playground.

Jeff Capell

Principal

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**Curriculum Update**

**LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT LETTERS**

This week we are collating data for each subject and their assessment tasks from Term 3. Any students who are not currently at their year level Achievement Standard of the Australian Curriculum will receive a letter informing them and inviting them to attend our parent teacher interviews next week.

This process will allow teacher and parents to best support their child in achieving success prior to report cards being issued at the end of Term 4. If you receive a letter please ensure you are fully aware of your child's current achievement levels but attending an interview with their teacher.

**REPORT CARDS**

Report cards will be sent home and emailed Thursday of the last week of school. If you would like to receive an email copy please ensure your details are up to date with our administration staff.

**HOMEWORK**

Term 4 Week 1-5 homework have been sent home and are also available on the school website for you to download from our [school website homework tab](http://publish.newsserv.com.au/epublisher/printfriendly.php?id=214748454780 &sch... 10/10/2014).
Term 4 homework is due this Friday 7th November as per the school website.

Please be aware that although homework is not compulsory it is imperative that children read every night to ensure success with reading.

There are minor change to the homework sheet this term based on feedback from staff and parents. We appreciate your patience and support during this new approach to homework.

SCHOOL WEBSITE UPDATES

Curriculum – Teaching and Learning – Reading and Spelling tab

Powerpoints have been uploaded to help you work with your children on LEM Phonics and assist in your understanding of our school phonics program. These documents are locked for copyright reasons however the password for our school community to use is - cranbrook

Term 4 Assessment tasks are now available for you to request.

You can now request your child’s assessment tasks for the term to support them at home. The purpose of this is not to have your child memorise the test (as this would give a false indication of their understanding) but to allow you to complete similar problems at home to reinforce their learning. Please click Request Assessment Tasks to access this option.

Early next week you can view when your child’s assessment tasks are due for Unit 4 & 7 for all subjects.

Download the relevant year level from the Testing and Assessment Term 4 tab for relevant information early next week.

Please remember the school website is one of our major communication tools we are using to encourage community involvement at Cranbrook State School.

Tammy Haupt

A/Head of Curriculum
4B and PB earned the “THE GOLDEN BOOK AWARD” for the most books borrowed for Term 3 and they will be rewarded for their efforts next week. 4B borrowed a total of 262 books and PB borrowed 99. A mighty fine effort!

During 2014 Cranbrook students have borrowed:

Term 1 – 3198 books

Term 2 – 3538 books

Term 3 – 2379 books

This is the last term to earn the Golden Book Award so keep on reading Cranbrook!

Mrs Shepherd & Mrs Davey

Resource Centre

P & C NEWS
COMMUNITY NEWS

CRANBROOK STATE SCHOOL'S Community Spring Fair
Fun for the whole family!
FRIDAY 17th October 5.30pm ~ 9pm

★ Delicious Food  ★ Beautiful Craft  ★ Home Baked Delights
★ Awesome Games  ★ Cool Prizes  ★ Amazing Cent Sale
★ NAIDOC Art Auction  ★ Petting Zoo  ★ Jumping Castle
★ Community Displays  ★ Watch Cranbrook’s Talents
★ Throw a Pie at the Principal  ★ Bric-a-Brac & much more........
★ Even come to see which Teacher will kiss the PIG?

40 Allies Street, Cranbrook 4814
Summer Hot Pocket is out soon

» Keep your eyes peeled for a super-sized summer edition of the Hot Pocket hitting Townsville streets in December.
» The Hot Pocket will be full of holiday events, workshops, activities and super summer savings.
» Grab a copy of the Hot Pocket from Townsville City Council Customer Service Centres, CityLibraries Townsville branches or download from Council's website.
www.townsville.qld.gov.au
Light a lantern and join us on a sunset walk to support blood cancer patients

Wednesday 15 October 2014

Sign up to walk at lightthenight.org.au
Live, Dance, Learn: Kirwan High School’s Dance Excellence Academy offers the highest standard of dance training, combined with a strong academic education and a caring environment.

Interested in being apart of the Dance Academy in Year 7 and 8 for 2015?

Please attend audition!

On the day you will participate in a class and learn a performance routine. Please wear suitable attire.

Kirwan State High School Performing Arts Block
Tuesday 21st October 3.30 - 4.30pm
NAB Townsville Community AFL Auskick

Come along for your last chance to participate in an AFL Auskick centre for 2014 at the home of Townsville AFL, Tony Ireland Stadium!

Free trial for Week 1 so if you haven’t already, come along, bring a friend, and give Auskick a go!

Where: Riverway Oval, Tony Ireland Stadium (Sporting Drive, Thuringowa)

When: Sign on and first of 8 sessions, 4:00-5:00pm, 14th October 2014

Who: Open invitation to All Townsville school children, grades PREP-7

Cost: $65, includes 8 weeks of coaching by qualified NAB AFL Auskick staff, a football and a backpack loaded with cool stuff!

To register please visit: www.aflauskick.com.au and enter 4817 in the Postcode locator.

For more information please call Blake Cooper on 0429 329 582
UNLEASHED IN TOWNSVILLE!

SATURDAY, 11 OCTOBER

Q COUNTRY V SYDNEY STARS

MIKE CARNEY
TOYOTA PARK, TOWNSVILLE

KIDS $5   ADULTS $15

TICKETS & HOSPITALITY ON SALE NOW
WWW.REDSRUGBY.COM.AU
Special Parent Event

You’re invited

Parents and friends are welcome to attend a special complimentary community presentation

“RAISING EMOTIONALLY RESILIENT CHILDREN”

Presented by Educational and Developmental Psychologist Terri Sheldon

MONDAY OCTOBER 13 2014

AITKENVALE STATE SCHOOL | 67-85 WOTTON STREET

AITKENVALE

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

With over 30 year’s experience as a Clinical and Educational/Developmental Psychologist, Terri will be talking about and providing tips on how parents can help their children overcome obstacles and build emotional resilience.

RSVP

For catering purposes, please

RSVP your spot via email
summer@mylittlefeet.com.au or
phone 07 4725 5322 for more info.

Proudly presented by My Little Feet Child Care

www.mylittlefeet.com.au

Walk to Remember
We walk for the babies
they will never take

Sands
miscarriage, stillbirth
and newborn death support
invite you to join us and walk...for the steps they will never take.

- Sunday 12th October 2014
- Anzac Park The Strand, Townsville
- 7.00 am Registration/BBQ Breakfast
- 8.00 am Welcome and Memorial Service
- 8.30 am Butterfly Release
- 8.40 am Walk to Remember along the Strand
- 9.30 am Morning Tea will be served

Butterflies and T-Shirts must be ordered by 25th August 2014
to avoid disappointment.

Sands would like to thank local businesses that fund their support to this important event:

You may register on line at www.sandstownsville.org
Contact Sands Townsville on Facebook
Email: mariosa@sandstownsville.org
CIRCUIT & BOXERCISE CLASSES FOR LADIES & TEENAGE GIRLS
IN A FUN, FRIENDLY AND SOCIAL ATMOSPHERE

When: Thursday 5.30 p.m. (Circuit)
      Saturday 8.30 a.m. (Boxercise & Abs)
      Sunday 4.30 p.m. (Circuit)
Cost: Ladies - $10
      Girls 13-18 years - $5
Place: Cranbrook State School Under Cover Area, Albert Street
Contact: Rita Green 0400 879194 for more details

Lower intensity and alternative exercises offered

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