



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 3, Week 8, 1st of September

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Creswick Primary School's Vision is to create a respectful and welcoming environment where parents, teachers and community members nurture students to achieve their best on an academic, social and emotional level.

CALENDAR

Monday September 4th	Sporting Schools—Basketball
Tuesday September 5th	Division Athletics
Thursday September 7th	Mount Rowan Maths Activity
Friday September 8th	Sporting Schools—Basketball
Monday September 11th	Sporting Schools—Basketball
Tuesday September 12th	3-6 Major Games Daylesford
Friday September 15th	Last Day of Term 3 (2:30pm Finish)
Monday October 2nd	First Day of Term 4

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Families,

We continue to be very busy this term with many learning opportunities for our students right across the school. We are very lucky at Creswick Primary School to have a dedicated group of staff who support and plan so many wonderful activities for our students.

As a school, we value the input from our families. There are two ways families can contribute to our school currently. The first is through our Parent/Guardian/Carer Opinion Survey. This has been sent out on Compass and is open for another week. At the moment, only 17% of our families have responded so far. We would appreciate more feedback through this survey, so if you haven't completed it yet, please do so. The second way you can contribute is through our school Trivia Night. The Parents and Friends Committee have organised a wonderful evening, so get your table together and purchase some tickets for a fun night.

Morning Drop Off

A reminder to all parents/carers and guardians that students are not supervised at school until 8:45 am. Currently, we have quite a number of students getting to school before this time and we are supervising them in the school office. At Creswick Primary School, we are lucky to have an onsite Before and After School Care Program, and we run Breakfast Club on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8.15 am. Please access these services if your child needs to be at school before these times. The school office will not be open until 8.30 am beginning next week.

Book Week

Last week, we had a fabulous Book Week. Thank you to Sophie Bronchinetti for all her work in preparing all the activities. It was wonderful to get into the local community with a visit to the Creswick Library for our Prep to Year 4 students. I always love dress up day, and it was great to see the effort put in by all.

National Day Against Bullying

On Friday, 18th August, we recognised the National Day Against Bullying by running a whole school multi-age activity. The NDA theme this year was 'growing connections'. This theme supports research findings that strong school community connections and social skills are protective factors in the prevention of bullying and help enable positive, help-seeking behaviours in students. Our students made trees where the leaves showed different people in students' lives that they could speak to if they needed help. Thank you to Oriana Colangelo for her work in organising the activities.

Thank you, and have a nice week.

Helen

Values Winners

The Values Winners have demonstrated our School Values

- Personal Best
- Respect
- Safety
- Resilience

Term 3, Week 6



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Term 3, Week 7



FRUIT TROPHY WINNERS

Week 6



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Week 7



VALUES TROPHY

Term 3, Week 6



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Term 3, Week 7



Breakfast Club

Term 3, Week 7

House Points
Term 3, Week 7



BOOK WEEK

We had a very eventful week last week celebrating book week! We had a door display competition between the classrooms and also had an ongoing colouring competition throughout the week. See our winners below!



3/4 S were the winners of the Book Week door display.



Mike—5/6K



Indi 1/2B



Lilah—5/6H



Annabelle 3/4D



Summer 1/2C



Maddison 3/4S

Introducing Our 2023 Grade 6 Students

Isabella

School Roles/Responsibilities: Play Pod and Hands on Learning

Family Members: Mum, Dad, Sister (Lily), Brother (Patrick)

Education: CPS

Favourite Colour: Blue

Favourite Number: 12

Favourite Food: Ice Cream, Watermelon

Favourite Drink: Water, Lemonade

Favourite Book: Wolf Girl

Favourite TV Show: Bluey

Favourite Movie: Casper the Friendly Ghost

Favourite Artist/Music Group: Meghan Trainor, Taylor Swift

Favourite Holiday Destination: Queenscliff and Tasmania

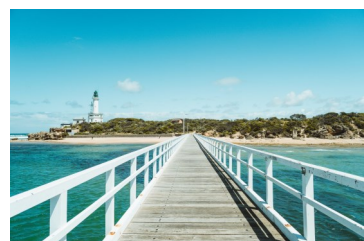
Things I Like To Do: Sport

Favourite AFL/Sports Team: Essendon

Most Exciting Time of My Life: Travelling
Australia

Advice I Have for New Preps: Stay strong and don't give up.

My Goals for 2023: Get 10/10 for spelling, do good at Maths. Be a really good person.



Introducing Our 2023 Grade 6 Students

Charlie

Family Members: Mum, Dad, Sisters

Education: CPS

Favourite Colour: Red, Orange or Black

Favourite Number: 8

Favourite TV Show: Crocodile Dundee

Favourite Food: Steak

Favourite Movie: Crocodile Dundee

Favourite Artist/Music Group: Lee Kernaghan

Things I Like To Do: Boxing, Footy

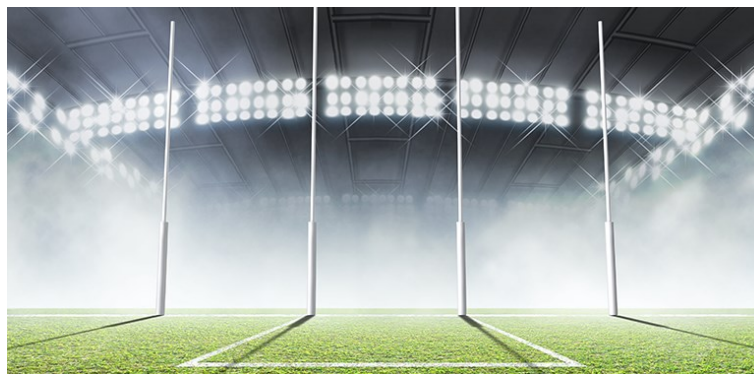
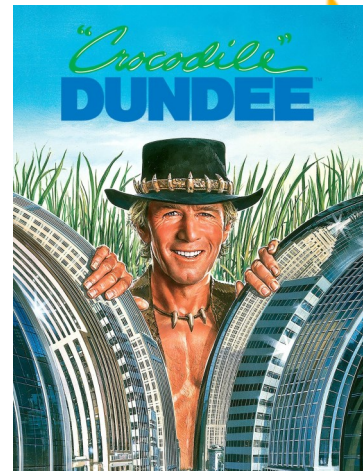
Favourite AFL/Sports Team: Essendon

People I Admire Most: My Family

Most Exciting Time of My Life: Going to QLD with my family.

Advice I have for New Preps: be nice to people.

My Goals for 2023: To get my first goal in footy.



Introducing Our 2023 Grade 6 Students

Krystal

School Roles/Responsibilities: Playground Mentor

Family: Mum, Dad and I

Education: CPS

Favourite Number: 8

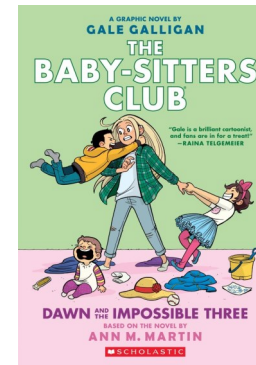
Favourite Colour: Pink

Favourite Food: Pizza



Favourite Drink: Solo/Lemonade

Favourite Book: Babysitters Club



Favourite Holiday Destination: Nanas House

Favourite Artist/Music Group: Melanie Martinez

Things I Like To Do: Draw

Most Exciting Time of My Life: When I got the role of Playground Mentor.

People I Admire the Most: My cousin Kaitlin.

Advice I have for New Preps: Be kind to other students and teachers and enjoy your first year of school.

My Goals for 2023: To graduate from Primary School.

BE
KIND

Introducing Our 2023 Grade 6 Students

William

School Roles/Responsibilities: JSC

Family Members: Jacob and I

Education: CPS

Favourite Colour: Royal Blue

Favourite Number: 13

Favourite TV Show: Gravity Falls

Favourite Food: French Fries

Favourite Drink: Water

Favourite Book: The Terrible Two

Favourite Artist/Music Group: AJR

Favourite Holiday Destination: Queensland

Things I Like To Do: Swimming/Video Games

Favourite AFL/Sports Team: Collingwood

Most Exciting Time of My Life: When we got our dog Luna

People I Admire the Most: Felix Zemdegs

Advice I have for New Preps: Try to find friends and don't be scared to ask.

My Goals for 2023: To be more neat and tidy.




MATHS

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Question 20

Junior Unit Problem 20

Jin had 13 strawberries in his lunchbox. If he ate 7 of them, how many would he have left?




2023



Question 20

Senior Unit Problem 20

Rob used number cards to make a four-digit number. His number was 1054. He added 100 more to his number. What was his new number?




2023

Question 1

Junior Unit Problem 1

Annie counted 15 birds on her walk in the park. Her brother Tim counted 21 birds. How many more birds did Tim count than Annie?




2023



Question 1

Senior Unit Problem 1

Steven read 9 books each month. He read the same number of books each month for six months. How many books did Steven read in total?



2023

Values Trophy – Term 3, 2023

Week	Value	Area	Behaviour
1	Respect, Resilience, Personal Best & Safety	Classrooms	The grade with the most Positive Behaviour awards in the room
2	Personal Best	Classrooms	Having the cleanest classroom
3	Respect	Play Areas	Displaying manners and sportsmanship towards others when playing games outside eg. through actions, speaking nicely, etc.
4	Resilience	MPB, outside playing areas	The grade demonstrating the most resilience in PE during classes
5	Respect	Library	The grade demonstrating the most respect during Library & Well-being classes
6	Respect	LOTE room	The grade demonstrating the most respect in LOTE during classes
7	Resilience	Tech room	Working as a team in Tech
8	Respect	Art room	The grade demonstrating the most respect in Art during classes
9	Respect, Resilience, Personal Best & Safety	Classrooms	The grade who has the cleanest students – no mud on their clothing or themselves
10	Safety	Courtyard, inside, etc	Lining up safely and respectfully when coming in from recess and lunch times

SAFETY

VALUES TROPHY

PERSONAL BEST

RESILIENCE

RESPECT

Our School Captains will be looking for students who demonstrate the following values:

WEEK	VALUES	WHAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR
9	Respect, Resilience Personal Best, Safety	The grade who has the cleanest students – no mud on their clothing or themselves.
10	Respect	The grade demonstrating the most respect in Art during classes.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

TERM 3 WEEK 6



RESILIENCE



PERSONAL
BEST



RESPECT



SAFETY

GRADE	STUDENT	VALUE	REASON
Prep S	Elliot Annie Madden	Personal Best	For being an amazing ambassador of Creswick Primary School when visiting the Kindergarten this week.
1/2B	Izaiya	Resilience	For working hard to try and try again whilst learning about division!
1/2C	Jacob	Respect	For supporting his peers with their Maths work respectfully.
3/4D	Harry	Personal Best	For working in a focussed manner and persisting when solving 2 by 1 digit multiplication problems. Great work!
3/4S	Flora	Resilience	For participating in ALL activities throughout the school day despite having a broken arm.
5/6H	Krystal	Personal Best	For the care she takes with all her work.
5/6K	Hudson	Resilience	For persisting when learning long multiplication and division with fractions as a remainder.
ART JNR	Ginevra	Personal Best	For drawing different sizes and styles of sunflowers with a growth mindset.
ART SNR	William	Resilience	For starting his Paper Mache again after it deflated, with a positive mindset.
PE JNR	Hendrix	Resilience	For having a go at all games/activities in PE.
PE SNR	Tilly	Safety	For always playing games in PE with care and consideration of others.
PE SNR	Joshua	Personal Best	For his amazing skills demonstrated in Speedball.
INDO JNR	Harry	Personal Best	For always putting his hand up to try out new language in Indonesian.
INDO SNR	Madison G	Respect	For promptly being where she needs to be and always following instructions.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

TERM 3, WEEK 7



RESILIENCE



PERSONAL
BEST




RESPECT




SAFETY

GRADE	STUDENT	VALUE	REASON
Prep S	Logan C	Personal Best	For making great choices and having a very positive week.
1/2B	Alexis	Personal Best	For working hard to write her information report on dogs! Well done.
1/2C	Toby V	Safety	For playing football outside, keeping yourself safe and others by playing by the rules.
3/4D	Gabe	Personal Best	For taking on feedback to improve his writing to ensure it is interesting to the reader.
3/4S	Jacob	Resilience	For engaging in whole class discussions during reading lessons with greater confidence.
5/6H	Tilly	Resilience	For demonstrating her persistence in all Maths tasks.
5/6K	Jye F	Resilience	For demonstrating a positive attitude towards completing the English VHAP course, throughout recess.
5/6H	Joey	Respect	For being helpful and caring friend, by helping others in need.
ART JNR	Izaiya	Personal Best	For being a hard worker in Art.
ART SNR	Charlie G	Respect	For helping others in Art positively.
ART SNR	Madison G	Respect	For always showing excellent listening and manners.
PE JNR	Jaxon	Respect	For taking on feedback when learning to kick.
PE SNR	Xavier D	Personal Best	For an incredible effort in the Beep Test with a score of 10.9.
PE SNR	Bentley	Personal Best	For a huge effort in the Beep Test.
INDO JNR	Abel	Personal Best	For being one of the first to the floor and giving his all every time he is asked. Well done!
INDO SNR	Aurora	Respect	For always being ready to listen to and follow instructions. Well done!

A young boy in a blue shirt is sitting at a table, measuring ingredients into several small white measuring cups. There are various kitchen items on the table, including a bowl and some containers.


Harry has been busy cooking and measuring using the measuring cups!

A young girl with her hair in a ponytail is sitting at a table, looking at a netball scorebook and writing with a pen.

Amara scoring netball.

A young boy is sitting at a desk, looking at a piece of paper with multiplication facts written on it.

Charlie working on his multiplication facts.

A central banner with a yellow background and the text "You Got Caught!" in bold yellow letters. The banner is surrounded by a collage of math-related icons like a lightbulb, a calculator, a pencil, and a camera.

You Got Caught!

"You Got Caught" has been created to develop students' connections between numeracy and the real world, while also supporting students to make positive connections towards Maths.

For this we are asking that if you notice your child doing **Numeracy in everyday life**, take a photo and either send your child to school with a copy of the photo, add it to SeeSaw or email a copy to the school.


Some examples include; measuring when cooking, telling the time, calculating the score at the football, adding amounts or calculating change when shopping and so much more.

We look forward to seeing how your child uses numeracy everyday!


Your child's photo maybe shown at assembly or be displayed on our "You got caught" wall.

A young boy in a yellow shirt is holding up a piece of paper with math problems written on it.

Callan solving division problems!

A young girl is sitting at a wooden table, looking at a book or worksheet with math problems.

Audrey working on developing her multiplication skills

A young girl is holding up a piece of paper with math problems written on it.

Annabelle has been calculating the perimeter of shapes at home.

HANDS ON LEARNING



Thursday 31st of August

Today in Hands on Learning we started to assemble the Cubby House and Paint Bubbles. We also made cheese toasties for Breakfast Club.

By Isabella and Aiden



HANDS ON LEARNING



Thursday 24th of August

Today in Hands on Learning Makayla joined us as she had won a raffle ticket at assembly. She helped make the toasties for Breakfast Club.

We continued to retouch the Values Bubbles, before we place them back on the front fence.

We weeded the garden next to the prep room. Mrs Strong has asked us to make some garden beds for the Preps to use later this year. Challenge and project accepted Mrs Strong!!!

By Seth



DONATIONS WANTED

Do you have any sandpit toys laying
around collecting dust?

or

In that ever growing pile waiting to be
taken to the Op-Shop?

We are seeking donations of any old (but in good condition) sandpit toys, pots and pans and Tonka Trucks that you have laying around the house and no longer want or need.



Donated items can be
dropped off at the
school office.

Items will be much loved and
used in both the Mud Kitchen
and Sandpit.



Thank you in advance, from all the students at Creswick P.S.

TRIVIA

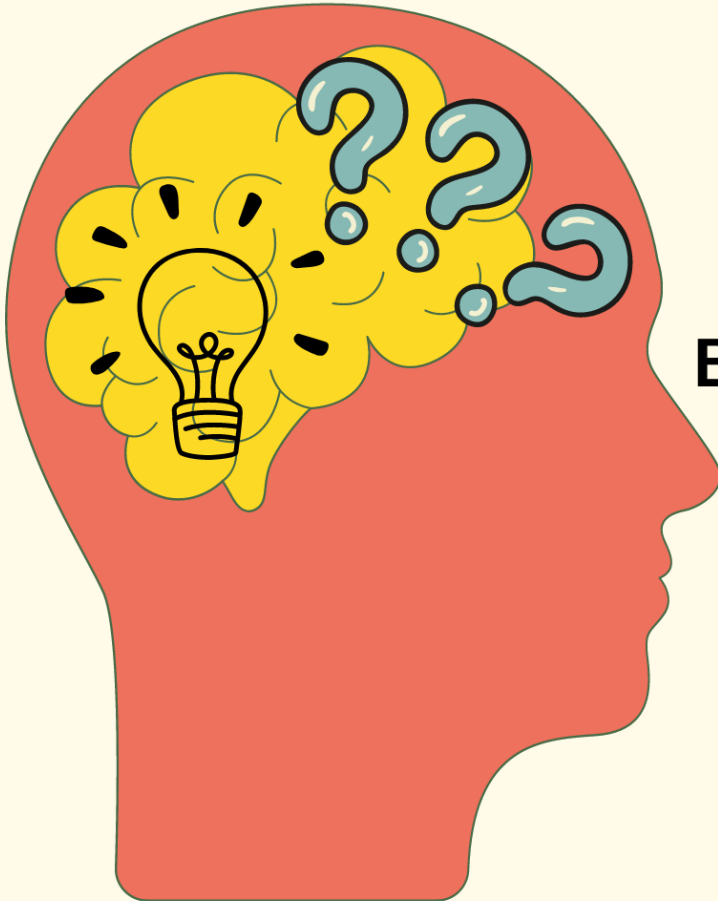
NIGHT

Creswick



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Primary School



TICKETS

\$15 per person

\$140 per table of 10

BYO Drinks and Nibbles

SCAN FOR TICKETS



Silent Auctions

Raffles

Door Prizes

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 8TH

TRIVIA BEGINS AT 6PM SHARP

CRESWICK PRIMARY MPB

Numeracy in 5/6H



We have been working in Volume & Capacity in Maths. This has involved the students in 5/6H working with practical tasks, design tasks and using formulae to solve 2D and 3D shape problems.



Students measured specific levels of liquid in containers, calculated displacement amounts when objects were added to the liquid; created designs with mini-cubes, and then calculated their volumes; as well as solving volumes for designs involving irregular 3D shapes.



Students found sketching the designs onto paper from the models that they had created the most challenging for this unit of work.



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Community Engagement Pool

If you are passionate about the future planning of your town, we encourage you to apply to be part of the Creswick Community Panel. Community Panel members will work together over three sessions to draft the Creswick Structure Plan. For more information and to register your interest visit the Future Hepburn Engagement Pool registration form at <https://participate.hepburn.vic.gov.au/future-hepburn>. You do not need to have any prior knowledge of the topics - all the information you need will be provided to you. To be considered please register for the Engagement Pool by **Sunday 3 September 2023**.



Term 3	Finish Friday 15 th September
Term 4	Start Monday 2 nd October Curriculum Day Monday 6 th November - No Extend Care PUBLIC HOLIDAY TUESDAY 7th November (Cup Day) Finish Wednesday 20 th December

QUERIES: CALL DOM 0417 967 621



WILD WINTER SPORTS!

CRESWICK PS

AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS PROGRAM

FRIDAYS: MULTI-SPORTS 3:35PM-4:35PM
(AFL, SOCCER, BASEBALL, BASKETBALL & BADMINTON)
PREP TO GRADE 6, 10 WEEK PROGRAM



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ENJOY PEAK SERVICE IN TERM 3 WITH EXTEND!

Extend is offering an adventure this term, a journey where we can make lasting friendships, enjoy fantastic games, and reach new heights with extraordinary care!



Mould amazing clay creatures!



Make your own light up displays!



Build a cute scene with DIY skills!

Book for peak service this term at extend.com.au

DONATIONS NEEDED

Can you help??

We are seeking round margarine containers or small ice cream containers for the Art room.

These can be dropped off at the office. Your help is greatly appreciated.



Thank you,
Jessica Sutton

If Your Child Is Sick...

If your child has a sore throat, runny nose, cough or other cold/flu like symptoms

PLEASE DO NOT

send your child to school.

Where there are signs and symptoms of Gastro, there is a 24 hour exclusion

period where your child

MUST



Tissue Box Donations

We kindly ask if anyone has new unopened boxes of tissues to donate to the school classrooms, it would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you!



Dear School Community,

Winter Trading Hours for our Ballarat Store

Please be advised that our Ballarat store will be operating to reduced 'Winter Trading Hours' from Monday 14th of August. Trading will remain to these hours for the rest of term 3.

Please see our Winter Trading Hours below:

- Monday:** 9:00AM TO 5:00PM
- Tuesday:** 9:00AM TO 5:00PM
- Wednesday:** 9:00AM TO 5:00PM
- Thursday:** CLOSED
- Friday:** 9:00AM TO 5:00PM
- Saturday:** 10:00AM TO 1:00PM
- Sunday:** CLOSED

We'll return to standard trading hours as of Monday 25th September.

We'd like to apologise for any inconvenience this change may cause and thank you for your understanding.

Kind regards,
Beleza School Uniforms

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MEET ADORABLE ANIMALS

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Queries: Call Dom 0417 967 621



HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Mon 18th Sept - Thur 28th Sept
*No session Fri 29th Sept due to AFL GF PH



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Kinder to Grade 6
\$60 per child per day



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Physical Education Reminder

PE Timetable - Term 3	
Wednesday	3/4D, 3/4S, 5/6H and 5/6K
Thursday	Prep S, 1/2B and 1/2C

For the safety of students, it is important they wear appropriate footwear in P.E. Please ensure your child/ children wear runners for P.E on their allocated day.

FROM THE OFFICE

Voluntary Fees

- Voluntary Fees can be paid at the office by cash, credit card or via BPay. The fees are:
- ◆ \$95 per child for Grade Prep,
 - ◆ \$125 per child for Grades 1-2
 - ◆ \$115 per child for Grades 3-6.





DEAN
KITE
FESTIVAL

Sunday September 3rd
12 Noon - 4pm

Kite Making Workshops \$10

Kite Demonstrations

Extreme Kite Buggy Demonstrations

Sausage Sizzle & Afternoon Tea



Hepburn

SHIRE COUNCIL

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Dean, Victoria



Fundraiser on day for
local charity

enquiries: Jon Rofe, p: 0428 340 596 e: rofey@bigpond.com



Crow Kid

by Lemony S Puppet Theatre



Crow Kid has moved to Nanna's farm after a recent loss. It's summer holidays but it sure doesn't feel like a normal summer – they're lonely and super miserable! To ease their misery, they start to feed the crows who visit Nanna's yard, beginning a beautiful friendship between child and birds. A powerful story about resilience, connection and the healing power of friendship, Crow Kid is presented through shadow puppetry 'unplugged'. Projected onto a back screen with all the mechanics revealed, audience members get to see how the effects and shadows are created. Lemony S Puppet Theatre are visiting Creswick Theatre Company for one day only - Monday 18th September at 2pm and you can book now. Tickets only \$10.

events.humanitix.com/crow-kid-by-lemony-s-puppet-theatre





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