



Staying In Touch—Newsletter Update

Term 2

Week 9

27 June 2019

Dear Parents,

As a part of our formal reporting to you, next week we will hold our Three Way Interviews. This is an important opportunity for you to discuss your child's growth this semester and learning goals for the remainder of the year with your child and the teacher. The Semester One Report and work samples will guide the discussion at the Three-Way Interviews.



Please log onto <https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/> to book an interview time with your child's teacher. Your event code is **4dp2x**

Interviews will be held from Monday 1st July to Thursday 4th July, 2019. The late night will be Tuesday 2nd July, 2019.

I would encourage **every family** to make a time with your child's teacher for a Three Way Interview next week.



FIND US ON FACEBOOK

Last week, to celebrate our School Feast Day, we launched our new school Facebook Page.

Please follow us!

<https://www.facebook.com/Corpus-Christi-Cranebrook-572935926518648/>

We will post regular learning updates and reminders of events.

Important Notice

CHANGES TO ASSEMBLY

From Term 3 our School Assembly will be held on a **Friday**, each fortnight on even weeks throughout the term. With a number of competing agendas this has been a decision made with regards to the children's learning.

We invite you to join us **every second Friday** in prayer and celebration of student achievement.

FRONT GATE SECURITY - SCHOOL HOURS

If you are leaving the school grounds via the front gate during the school hours, you are asked to ensure that you do not let any late arriving children through the gate. All late arriving students need to be signed in by their parents or caregivers through the Front Office. Class Rolls are marked promptly at 9am and children may be marked absent if they have not signed in through the correct procedures.



STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

Our school leaders will be hosting a Crazy Hair Day tomorrow
Friday 28th June.

This will be a Gold Coin Donation towards an SRC initiative
"Bike for a Buck".

Children are invited to have a crazy hairstyle, add coloured ribbons or clips or alternatively a crazy hat!



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Dear Parents,

Faith Formation

Gospel

Lk 9:51-62 You cannot look back with your hand to the plough.

In today's gospel Jesus asked people to come with him. How did they react?

Jesus asks all people to follow him. Who do you know who follows Jesus?

How do you know they follow Jesus?

Who here today is a follower of Jesus?

What can we do to show that we are followers of Jesus?

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Catholic Culture**New Curriculum Update**

Year 1 this week have been identifying prayer in their own lives. They reflected on the feast of Corpus Christi and the celebration of prayer that they participated in as a school. They have also been reflecting on their own prayers and the prayer scaffold. The teachers this week have been critical friends for others with regard to writing Driving Questions for Inquiry in Religious Education.

Corpus Christi Feast

Thankyou to everyone who was able to come along to our feast celebrations. We hope that these events are as spiritually uplifting for you as they have been for the children and our community.

Thank You

Understanding Faith Online Resource

We are able to use an online resource to support our religious education. Why not check it out for yourselves.

<https://primary.understandingfaith.edu.au/log-in>

user : ceo.parra.6735

password : ceo.2019.parra

Social**Vinnies Return and Earn**

The NSW State Government launched the Return and Earn Container Deposit Scheme (CDS) in late 2017 in an effort to address drink container litter, which makes up 44% of the volume of all litter in the state. Vinnies participation in the scheme expands on its ethos and ongoing commitment to recycling, and is an extension of their retail store philosophy of reuse – helping to divert waste from landfill and supporting those in need at the same time.

The program provides Vinnies with an additional revenue stream to help fund its Good Works within communities across NSW, receiving a handling fee for every container processed.

As part of our ongoing commitment to sustainability, we will be supporting the return and earn scheme through Vinnies. Two bins will be established in our school for the collection of containers. All proceeds will be going directly to Vinnies.



This term we will be focusing on gathering our donations for the St Vincent de Paul winter appeal. We reach out through 'Sockeanies', so remember to send in scarves, beanies, gloves and socks for all those who will be suffering through the winter months. These donations will be given to St. Vincent de Paul at our assembly next week.

Have a peaceful week,

Sharon Shahoud
Religious Education Coordinator



REGISTRATIONS ICAS ONLINE

Registrations for ICAS Online are now open. Please click on the following link and enter the Access Code provided:

Link: <https://pay.unswglobal.com.au>

Access Code: 73d86b1698

SUBJECT	CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRY	SITTING DATE	COST
Science	Monday, 26th August	Thursday, 5th September	\$14.50
Mathematics	Wednesday, 11th September	Thursday, 19th September	\$14.50
English	Wednesday, 11th September	Tuesday, 17th September	\$14.50

TELL THEM FROM ME SURVEY



Tell Them From Me

Thank you to our parents who recently completed the Diocesan 'Tell Them From Me' survey. We look forward to seeing the data generated from this survey to continue to provide the best possible Catholic education for your child and to better support you.

As always, please feel free to contact your child's class teacher, Stage Co ordinator, Mrs Clark, Mrs Shahoud or Mrs O'Rourke if there is anything that we can do to support you or your child.

Thank You!



WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN PROGRAM

Thank you to all the families who have supported this promotion. This has now closed. We ask that you send to school any stickers that you have, so we are able to finalise our total and send off for some great resources.

**EVERY DAY MISSED
PUTS YOUR CHILD BEHIND**



**IT'S NEVER TOO LATE TO
IMPROVE ATTENDANCE**

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE PLAYS A CRITICAL ROLE IN ENHANCING THE LIVES OF STUDENTS IN OUR SCHOOL.

Every day of attendance adds to a student's achievement and success at school.

We are in partnership with you as responsible for promoting the regular attendance of our students.

The last day of this term is Friday 5th July.



STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY

The following day is set aside for Professional Learning for our teachers and is not for student attendance.

Monday 22nd July 2019 (Week 1 Term 3)

TERMS 2 & 3 CALENDAR

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY/ SUNDAY
Week 10	1st July •School Banking •School Assembly 2:10pm	2nd •Three Way Interviews (Late Session)	3rd •Stage 3 Boys Soccer Gala Day	4th	5th •PRG School Disco •Award Stamping •Last Day of Term 2	6th/7th
TWO WEEKS SCHOOL HOLIDAYS						
Term 3 Week 1	22nd •Staff Development Day - Students do <u>not</u> attend school	23rd •K to 6 return for Term 3	24th	25th	26th •Grandparent's Day •Book Fair	27th/28th
Week 2	29th •School Banking	30th	31st	1st August •Yr 6 Canberra Excursion	2nd •Yr 6 Canberra Excursion •School Assembly 2:10pm	3rd/4th
Week 3	5th •School Banking •Award Stamping	6th	7th	8th	9th •Zone Athletics Carnival	10th/11th
Week 4	12th •School Banking •Year 4 Excursion CARES	13th	14th •Year 4 Excursion CARES	15th •Year 4 Excursion CARES	16th •Award Stamping •PRG Trivia Night •School Assembly 2:10pm	17th/18th
Week 5	19th •School Banking	20th	21st	22nd	23rd	24th/25th
Week 6	26th •School Banking	27th	28th	29th •Father's Day Stall	30th •Award Stamping •School Assembly 2:10pm	31st/1st September

PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE 2019**Congratulations!**

Well done to all the students that are participating in the PRC 2019.

Another 5 students have completed the PRC this year. Congratulations!

The last day to enter the books on line for your children is 30th August 2019.

Happy reading.



SPORTS NEWS**STAGE 2 BOYS AND GIRLS SOCCER**

The new date for the Stage 2 Boys & Girls Soccer Gala Day is **Tuesday 30th July**. Permission for this Gala Day still stands from the last note. Please inform Mrs McGrath by Tuesday 23rd July if your child is unable to attend this Gala Day on the new date. We still require a Team Manager for the Girls and Year 3 Boys Teams. If you can assist in fulfilling this role on the day, please complete the parent helper slip on the note and return it to your classroom teacher at your earliest convenience.

STAGE 3 BOYS SOCCER

Thank you to the 2 parents who have volunteered to be Team Managers on the day. Children are to be signed in by a parent and collect their jersey. A map of the grounds will be sent home with a highlighted area of where to meet as well as a code of conduct.



Date: Wednesday 3rd July
Venue: Jamison Park Soccer Fields, York Rd Penrith
Time: 8:15am - 2pm

Training will be **Thursday** at lunch time with Mrs Knowles. Please bring appropriate footwear and get changed during eating time.

AFL

On Thursdays, a number of children have been participating in an AFL after school clinic. They have been learning all the necessary ball skills in order to play the game of AFL. The children are having fun, making new friends and developing their AFL skills. What a great opportunity for the children of Corpus Christi to have.

**ZONE ATHLETICS**

Notes will be given out to the children who have made the Zone Athletics Carnival Week 1, Term 3.

Age Champions and the winning House colour will be announced at Assembly in Week 10.

CHANGE OF SPORT DAY- WEEK 10 ONLY

Kindergarten Thursday 4th July
Year 1 Tuesday 2nd July

Children are to wear their sports uniform on their allocated day just for **WEEK 10 ONLY**.

UPCOMING SPORTING EVENTS

3/7	Stage 3 Boys Soccer
TERM 3	
30/7	Stage 2 Boys & Girls Soccer
9/8	Zone Athletics Carnival
28/8	St Nick's Netball Gala Day

Melissa McGrath
 PE Teacher & Sport Coordinator

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to Georgia Baldwin in Year 5, for representing the YMCA for Gymnastics at the NSW Country Cup in Tamworth. Georgia's amazing results from the competition are:

1st place on Vault **9.550** (Highest Competition Score for the entire Level 3 Competition)

4th place on Beam **8.225**

8th place on Floor **9.050**

16th place on Uneven bars **8.150**

Well done Georgia!



As part of our celebrations for Grandparent's Day, on Friday 26th July, we will also have a Bookfair in the Library. Scholastic will have on offer a range of books to purchase with prices starting from \$4. Students have the opportunity to purchase a book for themselves and/or can select a book to donate directly to the Library. Your support by purchasing a book is a great way to raise money for the School Library, so that we can continue to add many more high interest books that the children love to borrow.

If you cannot make it on the day, books can be pre-ordered using the flyer going home today.

Happy Reading

Mrs Micallef & Mrs Pethybridge

**NOTES DISTRIBUTED**

- Book Fair Flyer

Oz Fashions Uniform Shop

- * Online ordering system via the QKR app.
- * Delivery to school every Wednesday. Orders must be placed by 4pm Tuesday for delivery on Wednesday.
- * No refunds. Exchanges accepted on merchandise returned in original condition.
- * Sample sizes available in the school office, to try on for sizing, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8:30am-8:55am and 3:05pm-3:30pm.



Please email all exchanges to elle@ozfashions.com.au.

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