



CANTERBURY

Primary School

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Our School's Purpose To create a passionate learning community that inspires, challenges and supports all students to achieve their personal best and make a positive contribution to the world in which they live.

From the Principal ...

Thank you to everyone for making this a great year at Canterbury Primary School. The strength of the school community is justifiably a source of pride and high levels of parent involvement enables the school to develop programs and resources that would not otherwise be possible. At Canterbury we are extremely fortunate to have a dedicated and highly professional staff team (teachers, office staff, integration aides, technicians) who work incredibly hard to support the growth and learning of all students.

Thank you to School Council President Eve Mitsopoulos and the School Council team for your support and commitment to improving our school. Thank you to Jane Pickles, Taryn Peck and Jacinta McInnes and the Parents Association for all of your work in supporting the school and community.

Families Leaving Canterbury

At our farewell function last week the school acknowledged the contribution of families who will be leaving our school this year, often after many years of involvement in the life of the school. Thank you to these families for their support and contribution over the years:

Anglely, Cameron, Caragounis, Cardow, Carter, Chan, Clarke, Davies, Dillon, Eberbach, Emmanuel, Fary, Fezer, Fitzgibbon, Foulds, Hardiman, Harmer, Hopkinson, Huang, Hwang, Jackson, Karpathakis, Keramidias, Kerslake, Kirkwood, Lowien, Macfarlane, Mak, McDonald, Morris, Nakos, Nandi, O'Halloran, O'Neal, Palon, Purdie, Raffaelli, Riquier, Ruggiero, Sandhu, Satur, Sevus Haroon, Smenda, Smith, Song, Stuart, Tao, Tighe, Tokmakov, Vandenbulcke, Wan, Wang, Wayland, Wells, White, Wong, Wood, Yorston

Farewell to Staff

Farewell and best wishes to the following staff who are leaving CPS this year:

Joe Dykes, Bridget Dykes, Aidan Quinn and Rebecca Wells. Each of these departing teachers will be taking up leadership positions in their respective schools. Teresa Flynn will be taking Family leave.

It has been an honour to work with you all and to share and learn with you over your time at CPS.

Dismissal on Friday at 1.30pm

A reminder that all children will be dismissed from school at 1.30pm this Friday after the final assembly farewelling our graduating Year 6 students commencing at 12.30pm. As this is lunch time, it is important that children have a substantial snack for morning recess and that they will require lunch after dismissal. Parents with children in Out of School Hours Care will need to send a lunch to school for children to eat at the commencement of their OSHC program. There will be no lunch orders on this day.

Return to School 2019

All staff will be undertaking professional learning on 29th and 30th January. The school office will be open over this time however no teaching staff will be available. **Children return** Thursday 31st January 2018. Prep children will commence with us on Friday 1st February.

On behalf of the staff at Canterbury Primary School, I wish everyone a wonderful Christmas and a happy and safe New Year.

David Wells, Principal

wells.david.d@edumail.vic.gov.au

DIARY DATES

Date	Time	Activity
Wed 19		9:15—C2W Swimming 9:45—C2A Swimming 10:15—C2M Swimming 10:45—C2S Swimming
Thur 20	7pm	Year 6 Graduation in the gym
Thur 20		9:15—C2A Swimming 9:45—C2M Swimming 10:15—C2S Swimming 10:45—C2W Swimming
Fri 21	12:30	12:30pm Final Assembly in the gym
Fri 21	1:30pm	1:30pm school dismissal
JAN 2019		
Wed 30		Uniform Shop is open 2-4pm
Thur 31		Year 1—Year 6 start school
FEB		
Fri 1	8:50— 12:30	Frist half day for 2019 Prep
Thur 7	5:30pm	All School Twilight Picnic

CPS Twitter handle is: @CPS3572tweets



happy
holidays!

Leaving families and Compass

This is a reminder to all families who will be leaving Canterbury Primary School at the end of this year to please download and/or print your child's reports. Once your child has left the school the family will no longer have access to Compass.



Term Dates for 2018

- Term 4— last day is Fri 21st December 2018— dismissal at 1:30pm. Final assembly is 12:30pm

Term Dates for 2019

- Term 1— 31 Jan—5 April 2019
- Term 2— 23 Apr—28 Jun 2019
- Term 3— 16 Jul—20 Sep 2019
- Term 4— 8 Oct—20 Dec 2019
- The four Student free days for 2019 are: 29 Jan, 30 Jan, 15 July and 7 Oct 2019.

Prep 2019 Term 1 dates:

- Prep 2019 students do NOT have school on Thursday 31 Jan. The Prep 2019 students start the 2019 school year on Friday 1 Feb 2019.
- Fri 1 Feb, Mon 5 Feb and Tue 6 Feb the 2019 Preps end school each day at 12:30pm.
- From Thursday 7 Feb the preps start full days (8:50am—3:30pm).
- Preps have NO school on Wed 6 Feb, Wed 13 Feb, Wed 20 Feb, Wed 27 Feb and Wed 6 March 2019.

Please be advised of the **2019 Parent Financial Contribution Schedule**, approved by School Council at the December meeting. Schedules will be sent home with all students in the 1st week of school, 2019.

2019 PARENT FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

	Year 6	Year 5	Year 4	Year 3	Year 2	Year 1	Prep
Student Requisites	\$ 80	\$ 80	\$ 82	\$ 82	\$ 75	\$ 75	\$ 100
Curriculum Requisites	\$ 190	\$ 190	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 190	\$ 190	\$ 210
Digital Learning Requisites	\$ 160	\$ 160	\$ 160	\$ 160	\$ 160	\$ 160	\$ 160
Excursion Levy	\$ 145	\$ 145	\$ 135	\$ 135	\$ 135	\$ 135	\$ 135
Total per Student per Year Level	\$ 575	\$ 575	\$ 577	\$ 577	\$ 560	\$ 560	\$ 605

Lost Property

The lost property cupboard was overflowing at the beginning of the week and the final sort out/return of items was completed on Monday. All labeled clothing items were returned to their owners. Thank you to Kirsty Bayles who completed the massive cleanout and ensured that items were returned.

If any of the items below belong to your children please come and collect them from the lost property cupboard.



Please note that items remaining in the cupboard at the end of school this Friday (1.30pm) will be removed so please be sure to check it before you leave. We are unable to leave anything in the cupboard over the holidays.

CANTERBURY ART EXHIBITION

The 2019 exhibition will run from

Friday 3rd – Sunday 5th May 2019.

Opening night on Friday 3rd May is a highlight on the school social calendar. Don't forget to pop the date into your diary ready for next year.

The **Canterbury Art Exhibition** is the primary fundraiser for our school. In 2018 the Art Exhibition raised approximately \$60,000 for our school. However, this is more than simply a fundraising initiative, but also a wonderful way to be a part of our school community and have some really good times.

Are you ready to help with the Canterbury Art Exhibition?

The committee that makes all this happen needs some help with a number of specific opportunities. If you think you would enjoy being involved with a really great team and are willing to provide some of your skills, we would be honoured to have you join us...

Graphic designer: After many years the wonderful Angley family are finishing up at Canterbury PS and therefore greater group who have designed many flyers, catalogues and postcards for the Canterbury Art Exhibition are moving on too. Sadly, this leave us with a gap to fill and we are hoping that you could be the designer we need to assist with the design of a number of advertising elements such as outdoor billboards, posters, postcards and our catalogue used to assist the sales process during the exhibition. If you are interested, there can be a good handover from previous years and support as needed.

Social media & content management: Social media is now a critical part of the marketing for our exhibition. We are looking for a volunteer who is a little tech savvy and able to run our social media posts (Facebook, Instagram etc) as well as, with a little guidance, update content on our website www.canterburyart.com. The content update element is not hugely time consuming as most art related content is updated by the art convenor. This role is rather fun and will primarily require time around three weeks leading up to the opening night and over the weekend of the exhibition.

Sponsorship co-ordinator: Even though there is a strong support base for the funding of the exhibition the rising cost of putting on an exhibition of the size we do makes us aware of the need for more sponsorship. We are looking for a volunteer to assist us in raising sponsorship from local business. This role may also be able to assist in sourcing of a few raffle prizes should the need arise.

If you're keen to raise your hand for any of the above opportunities or just have more questions, please email **Heather** at artconvenor@canterburyart.com

NOTICE - ALLERGY - Please ensure all food is nut free

EXCURSION

INCURSION

Monday 07 January

WIND AND WATER

IN-SERVICE

Get ready to explore the natural elements of Wind and Water through fun activities and games.



Monday 14 January

GREEN MACHINE

IN-SERVICE

It's a great day to go green today! Dress, eat and think green all day.



Tuesday 08 January

IN + \$14.00

BACK TO THE FUTURE

INCURSION - SMALL JUMPING CASTLE

Enjoy hours of jumping and bouncing fun with your friends today!



Tuesday 15 January

IN + \$19.00

LET'S GET CREATIVE

CLAYMATION - WHERE ANIMATION MEETS CREATIVITY

Toonworld invites you to the wonderful world of Stop Motion Animation. In this simple and exciting workshop we learn the simple hints and tips on how to animate effectively & each child will get to construct their own cool clay characters that they can take home and make their own movies!



Wednesday 09 January

WINTER WONDERLAND

IN-SERVICE

Each snowflake is like a falling star smiling beauty that's spun afar. Come along as we create our own Indoor Wonderland!



Wednesday 16 January

EX + \$28.00

JUMP FOR JANUARY

EXCURSION - UPUNLIMITED CLIMB AND CAVE

Be sure to wear comfortable clothing today as you scale great heights and put on your safety hat to crawl through the caves at UpUnlimited.



Arrive by 8.30am, enclosed shoes to be worn.

Thursday 10 January

EX + \$20.00

ANIMAL CRACKERS

EXCURSION - MELBOURNE ZOO

Go on an adventure with us as we get up close and personal with the animals at the Melbourne Zoo today!



Thursday 17 January

MYSTICAL MAGIC

IN-SERVICE

Can you make a coin disappear or make an egg float? There is a lot to learn at our Magic Show today.



Arrive by 8.30am

Friday 11 January

DREAM TO FLY

IN-SERVICE

Have you ever wished that you could fly? Let your imagination soar through the clouds, anything is possible!

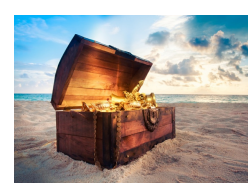


Friday 18 January

TREASURE ISLAND

IN-SERVICE

Ahoy! Are you someone who just can't get enough of hidden treasure, pirates and mermaids?



Junior Adventures Group continues to pioneer the OSHC sector, building stronger communities and brighter futures for more than 70,000 children, 40,000 families and more than 400 schools across Australia.

Our Values

- Considerate - Be there for others
- Passionate - Bring energy and determination
- Courageous - Challenge ourselves

The values we share guide our behaviour as we work towards our vision to **build brighter futures together.**



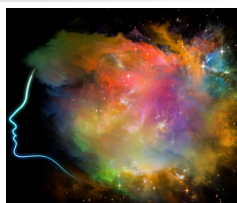
Monday 21 January

(IN) + \$14.00

MINDFULNESS MAGIC

INCURSION - MINDFUL ME

The "Mindful Me" Mind & Body program has been designed to assist children to be mentally, physically and emotionally healthy, so that they can become contributing members of a healthy community.



Tuesday 22 January

(EX) + \$28.00

ROCK AROUND THE CLOCK

EXCURSION - ZONE BOWLING FOREST HILL

Challenge your friends and strike it lucky with some tenpin bowling action. Socks and enclosed shoes required.



What we offer

- A healthy, safe, respectful and engaging environment
- Caring, enthusiastic, fun and friendly team
- New and popular excursions, incursions and theme days
- Stimulating experiences tailored to children's interests, abilities and current trends
- OSHClub endeavour to link each fun experience to key learning outcomes

What Does My Child Bring?

Please bring breakfast, morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea and a refillable drink bottle. If bringing food please make sure it's nutritious and doesn't require heating or cooking.

Please be mindful of the planned incursion/excursion and ensure your children are dressed appropriately. Don't forget your sun smart hat, comfortable clothes, closed shoes and a drink bottle.

To avoid loss or disappointment, please leave your valuables, money and electronic toys (including tablets and smart phones) at home.

We are a child safe organisation

Child care subsidy

Our services are registered with Centrelink, so you will be able to claim Child Care Subsidy on your fees. For further information please visit <https://www.education.gov.au/new-child-care-package-frequently-asked-questions>.

Healthy Eating

OSHClub follows the Australian dietary guidelines which can be found at <https://www.eatforhealth.gov.au>

Activity Changes

If an excursion or incursion (due to unforeseen circumstances) is cancelled, the activity will either be postponed or an alternative activity of equal value will be provided where possible.

Children with additional needs

We support all children including children with additional needs. If you would like to provide additional information about your child and his/ her needs or require inclusion support funding, please contact us 6 weeks prior to program commencement on 0477 023 160 for staffing purposes.

Before making your booking & cancellations

All children must be enrolled with OSHClub prior to booking via oshclub.com.au. Bookings made within 5 days for a Vacation Care session will incur an extra charge of \$4.00 per day per child. 7 days notice is required for cancellation of a Vacation Care booking to ensure you will not incur out of pocket costs. Please note that bookings can not be made online within 5 days of the session commencing. In order to book within this period, you will need to contact the service directly, the Customer Service and Billing Team on 1300 395 735 or by emailing oshaccounts@junioradventuresgro.up.com.au.

Wednesday 23 January

OUR KITCHEN RULES

IN-SERVICE

Cook up a storm in our kitchen today as you learn new recipes and participate in challenges.



Thursday 24 January

FITNESS FOR FUN

IN-SERVICE

Learn new ways to have fun and keep fit together today!

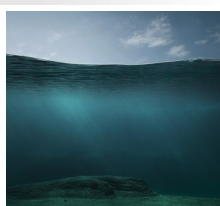


Friday 25 January

EXPLORE THE OCEAN FLOOR

IN-SERVICE

How do you make an octopus laugh? With 'ten-tickles' of course! Discover more fun aquatic facts on today's submarine adventure!





KIDS YOGA

SCHOOL HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

Our 'SUPER Me!' workshop will give you the opportunity to find and charge your SUPER-focused, SUPER-balanced, SUPER-confident, SUPER-positive SELF and empower you to see yourself as the true SUPERhero that you are!

The workshop is suitable for both beginners and experienced kid yogis and will either be a fabulous introduction or a welcome refresher on the SUPER magic of movement, meditation, and relaxation on your mat. Through some fun games, movement and calming meditation you will find, share and experience the incredible SUPER qualities within.

This workshop will be held at our studio in Balwyn
on Monday 21st Jan (5-8 year olds) and
Thursday 24th Jan (9-14 year olds).



January School Holiday Workshops

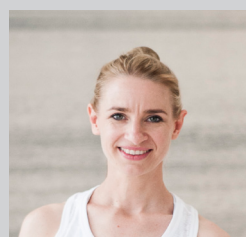
When: Mon 21st January | 1pm-2.30pm (5-8 years)

When: Thurs 24th January | 11.30am-1pm (9-14 years)

Cost: \$45 (20% off for members)

Where: Level 1, 346 Belmore Road, Balwyn

Our Kids Yoga is led by Rebecca Majernik:



Bec is a qualified kids yoga instructor and a mother of 3 beautiful children. She is passionate about yoga, and the benefits that yoga can have on kids, big and small.

BALWYN STUDIO

Level 1, 346 Belmore Road

LIMITED PLACES. BOOK YOUR SPOT NOW AT

lightspaceyoga.com.au/workshops-events



KIDS CREATIVE ART CLASSES

Join Leza as she provides a fun and interactive session that will introduce your child to investigation and experimentation with a variety of art materials, techniques and practices. Fostering creativity helps kids to develop mentally, socially, and emotionally. Creating art boosts young children's ability to analyse and problem-solve in a myriad of ways.

'It's the Process, not the Product.'

As kids manipulate a paintbrush, their fine motor skills improve. By counting pieces and colors, they learn the basics of math. When children experiment with materials, they dabble in science. When kids feel good creating, art helps boost self-confidence. Children who feel able to experiment and to make mistakes feel free to invent new ways of thinking, which extends well beyond the art room!'

Mary Ann F. Kohl, author of Primary Art

7-11 years
Mondays 2019
4.15pm - 5.45pm
Starts - 11th Feb
7 weeks @ \$155.00
ENROL NOW!!!

For more info:

Email: nh@craigfc.org.au

Phone: 9885 7789

Craig Family Centre

7 Samarinda Ave Ashburton

'Next-door to the Ashburton YMCA'

**Leza has worked
for Banyule Councils**

**Youth Creative Arts Program, as an Arts
Facilitator for 6 years. This has involved
weekly creative arts workshops & events with
diverse & all-abilities communities.**

- Fine Art / Latrobe University
- Diploma of Studio Textile Design/ RMIT
- Diploma of Community Development /Swinburne



**Leza's passion is working with young
people to support their arts
practice & resilience.**

GIRLS SHINE BRIGHT

A space where you are free to be you!

A program for young women where they can feel safe to grow and express their inner creativity while exploring well-being themes with a qualified facilitator .

Cathy Williams is a qualified Community Development Worker and Movement Therapist with 10 years experience working with vulnerable youth. Cathy creates a place for young women to gather each week in a fun and supported creative space expressing themselves through a variety of fun artistic principals such as drawing, sculpture & movement.

Program

Each session begins with an opening circle an introduction to the weeks theme, a creative activity and a closing circle of reflection and sharing.

Outcomes

- Self development & Self compassion
- Connect with a supportive group / make friends
- Explore your creativity & develop confidence
- Enhance your resilience & get better at self regulation
- Get inspired to believe in you!

Themes

- Identity & change
- Inspiration & goal setting
- Emotions & regulation



For more Info:

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e -nh@craigfc.org.au

CRAIG FAMILY CENTRE

7 Samaarinda Ave Ashburton.

Next door to the Ashburton YMCA

website - www.intuitiveself.com.au

Tuesdays
12th Feb - 2nd April
2019
Come & Try Session
5th Feb

Age:
8-12years

Cost :
8 Week Program
\$200.00

