Calendar of Events

**Thursday 4th August**
- Book Club orders due

**Friday 5th August**
- Assembly item J3 & J4
- Senior sport away game at Lynbrook PS

**Wednesday 10th August**
- Junior Arts permission notes due
- House Meetings discussing Care.
- Middle Camp Deposits and forms due

**Wednesday 17th August**
- Junior Arts Excursion
- Year 5 Taste Tester at Narre Warren 5th P-12
- Cadbury Chocolate sales money due to be returned

**Thursday 18th August**
- Orders for canteen special lunch day due
- Assembly item—M15

**After school activities:**
- Homework Club
  - Each Wednesday in the library with Tony, Leanna & Mandy
  - 3.30-4.15pm
- Parents must collect students by 4.15pm from the library.

- Kelly Sports
- Wicked Winter Sports
  - Tuesdays in the MPC 3.30-4.30pm
  - Enrolment forms are at the office, $10 per week.

This term we are trialling fortnightly assemblies. Even weeks will be regular assembly times, odd weeks will have students meeting in their Houses to work on our School Values and Social Skills program.

**House meetings last Friday focussed on UNDERSTANDING:**
In groups, students discussed various scenarios and the expected outcomes from the issues given, discussing the understanding that individuals bring to each and every incident, having their own understanding of what has occurred and how.

Within these house meetings, students are working in small groups made up of senior, middle, junior and prep students. The senior students are leading the discussions and ensuring all students feel comfortable and can contribute to discussions.

**Book Week is coming...............**
The Literacy team have planned engaging activities for students to showcase their reading skills, enjoy activities with their buddy grades and celebrate the end of the week with an amazing dress up day on Friday 26th August.

Successful children’s author, Michael Wagner, best known for his Aussie Bites and Undys series, will speak to the students on Friday 26th August and share his stories and experiences with the whole school.

**Parent Fundraising News**
Thank you for your fabulous support of our Cadbury Fundraiser. Many students have already sold their full box of chocolates and requested a second box for selling, one parent has asked for a further 6 boxes to sell!! That’s amazing, keep up the great work. We will have a raffle draw for all children/families who return their money after selling a full box of chocolates and an extra raffle for the families who have sold 3 or more boxes.

We are also beginning a new fundraiser in classrooms collecting 5c coins. Every classroom has a jar to collect as many 5c coins as they can. These coins don’t count for much anymore unless in numerous amounts. We would love children to bring in any 5c coins for their class coin jar and help to fill them up. All monies collected will go towards equipment to be used here at the school. Please continue to support us and pass on all those unwanted 5c coins.
Coral Park STARs Achieving SUCCESS.....

Show, don't tell writing.

Telling Sentence: The house was haunted

Showing paragraph:

One stormy night I was walking through the forest when I saw a haunted house! It was surrounded by dead trees and covered in vines. There was a graveyard at the back, with a gargoyle with razor sharp teeth at each corner. I looked through the window of the house and saw a ghost, the lights flickered off and it was gone! I heard something behind me, stepped forward and reached out and touched the skeleton! I had the smell and taste of bad fear...

By: Djai, Lukah, Andy, Gloria and Marcus M18

Make a Friendship Pie

Goal: To make a good friend

Materials: love, kindness, helping others, being positive, honesty, being nice, helping them

Method:
1. Take a teaspoon of kindness
2. Put it in the mixing bowl.
3. Mix love and being positive together.
4. Stir, helping them up.
5. Blend helping others and honesty
6. Chop up being nice
7. Put it all in the pie dish
8. Put it all in the oven

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Senior Cooking

Last Thursday S14 made honeycomb it was so fun, I even got to grease the tin. Orchard S14

We cooked honeycomb. It was very gooey and tasted delicious. Leilani S14

We really enjoyed making honeycomb. The girls did a really good job of making honeycomb. The boys made a crunchy honeycomb but it was burned a bit. Mustafa S14

Riki from J1 sure had some tricky words for his wordwork:

Blue is a color like this 😊
True is when you are telling the truth.
Clue is when you get a little bit of a secret.
Glue is when you are sticking paper down.
Queue is a line of people.
Venue is a place.

Taylah from J1 has been busy learning her tricky words for the week:

Senior Sport CPPS Vs River Gum PS

On Friday the 29th of July CPPS hosted River Gum Primary School in senior interschool sport. We all had a great time and the games were played in good spirits.

In Kickball team A lost 24-7 and team B lost 15-25. Even though we all lost we had fun. Milan S14

In Footy (AFL) we won by 2 points luckily Tyison scored the last goal for us to win. Teariki S14

In Badminton we had a lot of fun and everyone had a great time we won 3 games to 2. Michaela S14

In Cricket we had so much fun, the boys lost by six runs and the girls won by 18 runs. Andy S14

Softball had an amazing start with eight home runs. It was a great game with them coming back to just lose 9-7. I had great fun. Ashraf S14

Petar’s wordwork in J1 included:

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Do you have a child beginning school in 2017? Enrolments are being taken now. Coral Park Primary School conducts school tours every Wednesday morning at 9:00am.

A tour is the best method to decide which school is right for your child. This provides the perfect opportunity for you and your child to see the school in operation and for you to ask all your questions about beginning school as you walk through.

If you haven't chosen a school yet, please organise a tour to find the school that best suits you and your child's needs. To organise a tour, please contact the school on 9702 8398.

Visit our prep blog to see all of the fun and exciting activities we do at school http://cppsprep.global2.vic.edu.au/

Child Safety Standards—new Policy for schools.

In 2013, the Victorian Parliament held an Inquiry into the Handling of Child Abuse by Religious and Other Non-Government Organisations, resulting in the Betrayal of Trust Report. The report found that more could be done to strengthen existing approaches to child safety. The Betrayal of Trust report (2013) made fifteen recommendations aimed at protecting children from all forms of abuse and neglect.

The Government is committed to implementing these recommendations, focusing on:

- Criminal law reform which includes the ‘failure to protect’ offence, ‘failure to disclose’ offence and ‘grooming’
- Civil law reform which includes redress for survivors
- Child safe organisations which includes the child safe standards

The Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) were tasked with implementing legislative changes with regards to child safe organisations – the Standards emerged from this work. A Ministerial Order was made by the Department of Education to implement the Standards within Victorian Schools.

The Child Safe Standards apply to all organisations working with children and are aimed at creating child safe cultures and environments.

To create and maintain a child safe organisation, an entity to which the standards apply must have:

- Standard 1: Strategies to embed an organisational culture of child safety, including through effective leadership arrangements
- Standard 2: A child safe policy or statement of commitment to child safety
- Standard 3: A code of conduct that establishes clear expectations for appropriate behaviour with children
- Standard 4: Screening, supervision, training and other human resources practices that reduce the risk of child abuse by new and existing personnel
- Standard 5: Processes for responding to and reporting suspected child abuse
- Standard 6: Strategies to identify and reduce or remove risks of child abuse
- Standard 7: Strategies to promote the participation and empowerment of children.

Ministerial Order 870, which provides guidance as to what the Child Safe Standards mean in a school environment, was introduced in January. To give schools time to prepare, they will come into operation in December 2016.

The Ministerial Order places responsibility for compliance with the ‘school governing authority’, which in most cases would be the school council or school board.

To implement the minimum child safety standards in accordance with this Order, school governing authorities must:

(a) take account of the diversity of all children, including (but not limited to) the needs of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children, children from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, children with disabilities, and children who are vulnerable; and
(b) make reasonable efforts to accommodate such diversity

The VRQA will have responsibility for ensuring compliance with the Child Safe Standards in schools.

We have recently devised our new Policy which has been sent to School Councillors for review. If you are interested in reviewing this Policy and/or having some input into the Policy, then please view it on our website or collect one from the school office or contact the office to ask for one to be sent home. Your input and feedback is highly valued on this important document.
Senior SCA—Prep PMP activity.

This term it has been delightful to work with the senior students and watch them grow in their teaching confidence while working with our youngest students.

The seniors make the choice to be involved in this program and they are happy to take advice and improve their teaching skills.

The photos from these sessions reflect a learning curve of tracking a moving ball and intercepting the ball with their hands. The students teach the preps how to adjust their moving speed to be able to successfully catch the ball.

Every child achieves success and this is very important for their physical confidence and development.

I am also extremely pleased to have been successful in receiving $800 of funding through Casey Council for additional PMP equipment to help extend the program for our students and the kinder transition program. Bill Hains

If you have any questions about our Healthy Eating Program, or OSHC come and see Jess in the MPC. Or visit www.campaaustralia.com.au to enroll.

Session times:
Before School Care 6:30am-8:45am
After School Care 3:30pm-6:00pm

Have you had breakfast today?
Your mind finds it very difficult to concentrate if your body doesn’t get its morning food source. Don’t forget, free breakfast is available in the art room each morning between 8.30am and 8.55am. Come along and see Tony or Sam for some morning fuel to energise your body, just in case you run out of time to eat at home or forgot to have breakfast.

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Butterfly Badges are for sale from the school office for $2 each. All monies raised will go towards the Deafness Foundation.

Notices and Payments Reminders:
- Overdue School Booklist payments from some families are due immediately.
- Junior Arts permission notes and payment due Wednesday 10th August.
- Middle camp forms and deposit due Friday 12th August.
- District Athletics forms and payment due Tuesday 16th August.
- Special Footy Day Lunch orders are due by Thursday 18th August.
- Senior Art Attack Excursion forms and payment due Friday 19th August.
- Cadbury Chocolate sales money is due back to school by Wednesday 17th August.

As parents and carers of family members with disabilities, mental health issues and challenging behaviours, we can express fear of not only our family member going missing but also how emergency services will respond or approach our family member when found.

The Repplay program at Narre Community Learning Centre is offering a free workshop to assist you with completing an Emergency Response Form. The Emergency Response Form gives first responders and emergency services critical information on supporting your family member in times of crisis.

This form can support your family member throughout their lifetime.

Included in this workshop
- Additional information on taking a step further and registering your family member with the ‘Locate/Find’ program with VicPolice for free or at a nominal cost.

TO BOOK, PLEASE CALL 9704 7388

WORKSHOP DATES
- Friday 5th August 2016 10:30am - 12:00pm
- Tuesday 16th August 2016 7:30pm - 9:00pm

$15 per person or $25.00 per couple (includes one meal and refreshments)

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