**What’s Happening at CPPS?**

- **Friday 19th August**
  Assembly item— M15

- **Wednesday 24th August**
  District Athletics Day

- **Friday 26th August**
  Book Week Dress Up day
  Michael Wagner Author visit

**Buddy Grade activity afternoon based on student pathways and transitions through the school.**

- **Wednesday 31st August**
  Footy Special Lunch Day
  Dad’s Night 5.30-7pm

- **Thursday 1st September**
  Senior excursion to the city

- **Friday 2nd September**
  Assembly at 2.50pm, item by P6 & P7
  School Council Meeting 3.45pm

- **Tuesday 6th September**
  Arts Expo Night 5.30-7.00pm

- **Friday 9th September**
  Senior Lightning Premiership Day

**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.**

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**Guess who’s coming to CPPS?**
**Speaker: Michael Wagner**
**Date: Friday, 26 August 2016**

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**DAD’S NIGHT**!!

It is with great excitement that Coral Park Primary School invite you to our first ever fun ‘Dad’s Night’.

**Wednesday 31st August 5.30-7.00pm**

Come along and join in our fun giant games night. We hope to see all our dads, grandads, uncles and significant males here on the night.

You can buy a sausage for just $1

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**HOUSE POINTS UPDATE**

Remember: September to May ‘No Hat = No Play’! Get your hats washed and ready, hat season is only a few weeks away. Hats are available to buy from the school office. Please ensure your name is clearly on your hat. Ripped or torn hats are unacceptable, be prepared to buy a new one if yours is not in an acceptable state.

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**CONGRATULATIONS**

**Last week’s winning house!**

**HOUSE POINTS UPDATE**

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**All Arts Expo Badges are on sale each day at recess from the welfare area.**

$1 each, choose your favourite design.
Coral Park STARs Achieving SUCCESS.....

Chapter 2 of The Hunted

We're now in the house. I'm looking through the hallway. I see a person with a hockey mask on. The mask was blood. When I thought it was safe, I went straight through the hallway but the dummy was following me! I ran and ran out to the roof then moved to the side. The dummy was at the edge of the roof. I pushed the dummy off the roof, he got shredded into pieces. I left the house but I could not leave, the gates were locked. I was trapped inside so I ..................

To be continued

By Djai and Lukah

J10 and J11 have been busy learning about the Olympics. On Tuesday they had an official opening ceremony and lit their Olympic flame. They then took part in some fun activities. Here is what they have to say......

J10 & J11 Class Olympics

J10 and J11 had a fabulous day celebrating with our very own class Olympics. Teams were formed and named, flags were designed and then it was time for the opening ceremony. Matt lit the Olympic torch and gave the ‘athletes’ an inspiring message while Mrs Gray gave an opening speech. Time for the games to begin. The events included straw javelin, sock shot put, paper plate discus, bean bag basketball, swimming, hoola gymnastics and relays. Mrs Gray and Katrina even gave the athletes some half time entertainment. The kids were very excited about the gold, silver and bronze medals they received. Lots of fun was had by all!!!!

J10 & J11 did awesome Olympics and all the teams got medals. Lana

We first started an exciting game of javelin. We had to pick a straw but we had to stay behind the line, if your foot goes over the line, you get disqualified and that was really hard. Rahzel

Then we did sock shot put. I felt sad because I got the bronze medal because I wanted to be in the final. Mikayeel

Today I've been doing some Olympic activities. My team's name was Destroyers. Ashlina

We did javelin with straws and I won a bronze medal. Harveen

On our fantastic Olympics Day we all had a team. Lincoln.

We loved our Olympics. Zara

On Olympic day I had lots of fun. Vera

Juniors have been busy learning about procedural texts and wrote out the procedure for making a jam sandwich. Well done to Clinton J2 and Zainab J2.
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/

YOGA comes to Coral Park

As part of our Kids Matter program we welcomed Yoga Bean to Coral Park for all the middle and senior students. The yoga sessions focused on control of emotions and being self-centred. The students learnt how to control their breathing and how to focus on being present in the moment. It was fantastic to see how well the students responded to their first ever yoga session.

We all need to find quiet time where we relax and allow our mind and body to renew and yoga is an excellent way to do this. The students told themselves good things about themselves and this helps build self-esteem.

The session was both a physical and emotional learning curve for the students. I really enjoyed being part of it and wish to acknowledge the amazing work of Rachel and Alex from Yoga Bean.

Bill Hains
DON'T FORGET:

- Have you changed your address, medical details or phone numbers recently? If so, it is vital that you provide updated details to the school.

Billy Badges are for sale from the school office for $2 each. All monies raised will go towards the Deafness Foundation. Be quick, there's not many left.

Softball Fun for all Ages

Berwick Braves Softball Club – Registration/Training/Come & Try Day Saturday the 10th of September 2016 from 1.30pm – 3.30pm Sweeney Reserve – Cnr Melzac Drive & Dempster Way Berwick

Berwick Braves Softball club caters for players aged from 6 to 96 both Male and Female in a fun, friendly, family oriented environment

No Experience Necessary – EVERYONE WELCOME to come down and try

Contact: Tania Hoare 0412 544 580 / tania@tankweld.com.au or find us on Facebook https://www.facebook.com/Berwick.Braves

Session times:

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

Middle camp payments due fortnightly.

Cadbury Chocolate sales money is due back to school by tomorrow.

Special Footy Day Lunch orders are now closed—sorry no late orders can be accepted.

Senior Art Attack Excursion forms and payment due Friday 19th August.