



ISSUE NO 17: 12th November 2025

THE END OF YEAR IS NEAR!

Wow - this term has flown by and I can't believe we only have 5 weeks left until the end of the year! We have so much jam packed into these last 5 weeks that we encourage all students and their families to keep up the great attendance that we've been seeing over the last week so that you don't miss out on anything!

EVERY DAY COUNTS:

FINISHING THE YEAR STRONG!

As we head into the final weeks of the term, it's important children attend **every school day** they're well enough to. Each day in class helps build learning, friendships and confidence, and missing days adds up quickly. Please ensure you are updating compass or contacting the school to advise of unexplained absences. Thank you for your support in helping your child finish the year on a high note!

Tom - CPS Attendance Officer

END OF YEAR EXCURSIONS

We're excited to announce that our students will be heading to **Inverloch** for their **End of Year Excursion!** Students can look forward to a fun-filled day at the beach, playing games, building sandcastles, and celebrating the end of the school year with their classmates.

Grades Prep-2: Monday, 15th December 8:45am to 3:15pm

Grades 3-6: Wednesday, 17th December 8:45am to 3:15pm



This event is now on Compass. Please log in to **consent and pay** for this excursion before Friday 12th December.

GRADE 2 SLEEP OVER AND GRADE 1 DINNER INVITE

Our grade 2 students are invited to sleep over at school on Thursday 4th December. This is a special activity designed to help prepare them for being away from Parents over night in readiness for a grade 3/4 camp next year! Grade 1 have the opportunity to join us for dinner and some games on the night and can be collected at 7.30pm.

Lunch will also be provided for both Grade 1 and 2 students the following day.

This event is now on Compass. Please log in to **consent and pay** for this excursion before Wednesday 3rd December.

CALENDAR DATES

Thursday 13th November:

- Werribee Zoo Whole School Excursion

Friday 14th November :

- Pupil Free Day

Mon 20th to Fri 28th November:

- P-2 Swimming

Wednesday 26th November:

- Ready Set Prep! (2:15pm to 3pm)
- Crazy Hair Day! (Gold Coin Donation)

Thursday 4th December:

- Grade 2 Sleep Over Grade 1 Invite

Friday 5th & Mon 8th December:

- Grade 6 Transition Kurnai

Tuesday 9th December

- State wide transition day
- Reports sent home and live on Compass

Wednesday 10th December:

- Parent Student Teacher Interviews

Thursday 11th December

- Christmas Club at Church

Friday 12th December:

- Grade 6 Graduation



Kind Positive Learners

LUNCHTIME SUPPORTED PLAY CLUBS

Our new lunchtime clubs are up and running for Term 4, open to everyone. Offering a variety of fun, engaging and inclusive activities every day of the week in the BER. Students are encouraged to join in, make friends, and try something new!

- It's a chance for student to connect with peers in a structured, supportive setting.
- Offers choice of activity each day to match different interests.
- Helps build students social skills, confidence and a sense of belonging. Supervised and inclusive — everyone is welcome!

When & Where: Every day during lunch in the BER. Thursday & Fridays outside activities as well.

Monday – A variety of fun, imaginative, creative fine motor skill activities.

Tuesday – Chess & Pokémon Club

Wednesday – LEGO Club & Drawing

Thursday – Board Games, Loom-Band Making & Four Square outside

Friday – Guided Drawing & Netball outside

finish early at **1:30pm** on this day.

Interview bookings can be made via the school's Compass portal, which will open for bookings one week prior.

Alternatively, you can contact the school office on **5122 1343** for assistance.

GRADE 6 POLOS 2026

CPS is currently exploring a new design and style for our Grade 6 polos next year!

We're excited to give our graduating students a fresh new look that reflects their final year at primary school. Our team is working on selecting colours, styles and features that students will be proud to wear. Once the final design and pricing have been confirmed, we'll share more details with families regarding costs, ordering options, and timelines.

Stay tuned!

GRADE 6 GRADUATION

A Graduation Ceremony for our Grade 6 students will be held on Friday 12th December in the Churchill Football Club Function Room from 2pm to 4pm.

Students will be required to arrive at school between 10:30am and 10:45am on this day. At 11:45am the students will be transported by school

minibus and car to the Churchill Football Club where they will enjoy a sit down lunch with their teachers and peers.

Parents and family members are invited to arrive between 1:30pm and 2pm for a 2pm start to the afternoon ceremony. Younger siblings can be collected from school at 1:30pm if they are wanting to attend. The ceremony will run for approximately 1.5 hours and formalities will finish at 3:30pm, at which time students will have the opportunity to have special photos taken with their parents and friendship groups. Students must be accompanied by a parent or guardian from 3:30pm onwards. The afternoon will conclude at 4pm.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT 2025

Our Christmas Concert will be held on Tuesday 16th December and we will once again be starting the festivities off with a Sausage Sizzle at 5.30pm run by the Churchill Lions Club, followed by our class Christmas Concert entertainment at 6pm.

We're looking forward to another lovely night of our school community coming together and celebrating a fantastic year!

Jacquie Burrows



REPORTS AND PSTI

Student reports will be distributed as hard copies and will also be available on Compass from **Tuesday, 9th December**.

Parent Student Teacher Interviews will be held on **Wednesday, 10th December**, from **1:40pm to 6:00pm**. Please note that students will

"Crazy Hair Day"

Come along to school with an outrageous hair style,

Wednesday, 26th November

Cost: Gold Coin Donation

All money raised on the day will go towards lunchtime supported play activities.

Children and Parenting Support

Supporting families in Churchill and surrounds



The Children and Parenting Support Program (CaP's) can support you with:

- Building your parenting confidence
- Strengthening relationships
- Establishing routines
- Identifying children's emotional needs
- Understanding children's behaviours
- Enhancing communication skills
- Introducing a healthy diet
- Reducing anxiety
- Sleep settling
- Support with referrals and linking with other services

The Program is available to all Parents and Carers of children aged 0-12 living in the Churchill area.

The Program provides support to families for up to 3-4 months in the home or via video conferencing.

For further information:

Kathy Gleeson 0499 005 141 or
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Churchill Community Family Fishing & Fun Day



COME ALONG
BRING THE FAMILY
FOR A DAY OUT OF
FISHING & FUN
AT
LAKE HYLAND
MATHISON PARK
MACKEYS ROAD
CHURCHILL



Saturday 22nd November

Everyone must register to enter

Cost is \$2.00 per child or \$5.00 per Family

Gather with your family and experience the wonder of fishing
Every child who has registered is eligible to win prizes for catching
fish, they will also receive a entry ticket into the lucky mystery door
prize, and a free sausage and a drink.

Registration opens at 10.00 am Fishing Starts at 10.30 am & Finishing at 2.30 pm



Free face painting
and other exciting
activities

The Lions Club will have
Hot food & Cold Drinks available all days

Chat to Fisheries
Officers



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