The Croppatopic

Croppa Creek Public School
Play The Game

From the Principal’s Desk

Our Clean Up School Day was fun and productive. Amazing where rubbish can hide! Thank you to parents who have already brought in boxes, cardboard and containers for our city – please keep them coming.

The Department has mandated that every school engage a qualified arborist to undertake a Tree Hazard Assessment within the school grounds following the tragedy at Pitt Town Public School. We are currently looking into options in this area.

Reading groups are running smoothly, especially thanks to our volunteer parents 😊

Weekly Assembly
Congratulations to the award recipients from our Week 5 assembly. What a great effort these students have put into their work to receive these awards:

Student of the Week: Ethan
Infants Academic: Mitchell
Infants Citizenship: Nicholas
Primary Academic: Maverick
Primary Citizenship: MacKenzie

Congratulations!
And thank you to Mrs Smart for being our guest presenter.

Library day is Friday!

Please return your library books every Friday so we can borrow again.

CROPPA CREEK P.S. CALENDAR
(See the website for more details)
Weekly Assembly 9am every Thursday

WEEK 6
Monday 3rd March: Clean Up Schools Day 11:00-11:30
Thursday 6th March: Moree Zone Sporting Trials (Netball, Rugby Union, Boys Soccer, and Girls Soccer)
Saturday 8th March: First Aid Courses @ The Club

WEEK 7
Wednesday 12th March: Yr3-6 excursion to Goondiwindi
Saturday 15th March: Chicken & Seafood Night @The Club
Tuesday 18th March: Moree Zone U11 & Open League Trials

WEEK 8
Monday 17th March: Acting Director Ms Rebecca Langdon visiting the school at 10am – all welcome for morning tea at 11am
Friday 21st March: Harmony Day celebrations
Thursday, 27th March: Northern B & G Soccer Trials

WEEK 9
Monday 24th March: P&C AGM @ 7pm School Library
Saturday 29th March: The Crow’s Gala Day 10:30 start
Tuesday 1st April: Northern U11 & Open League Trials

WEEK 10
Monday 7th April: North West U11 & Open League Trial

WEEK 11
Friday 11th April: Last day of term

TERM 2 WEEK 1
Monday 28th April: Staff Development Day
Tuesday 29th April: Term 2 Commences

The 2014 Annual General Meeting of the P&C will be held at 7pm in the school library on Monday 24th.
Community Notices

😊 MOREE JUNIOR RUGBY
Moree Junior Rugby Union will be holding registration days for its 2014 season from 4 - 5pm on Thursday 6th March, Wednesday 12th March and Thursday 20th March at Weebolla Oval. Registration is $70.00 per child plus $60.00 for each additional child in a family and includes insurance, team photo and a registration pack and sticker. Age Divisions are Under 6, Under 8, Under 10, Under 12 and Under 14 – new players will need to bring their birth certificate. On 12th March commencing at 5:30pm all players and parents are invited to a parent welcome meeting and complimentary BBQ. Training will commence at 4pm on 27th March for registered players. Players need to bring to training a water bottle and mouthguard (compulsory). Future training sessions will be every Thursday from 4 - 6pm. Anyone needing further information please contact Jill Stewart on 0428 663014 or by email jill@ssearthmoving.com.au or Stuart Gall on 0428586677 or by email tycannah549@bigpond.com.

😊 John Assaf Junior Tennis Comp and All New Hotshots
Registration will be held on Friday 7th March at 3:30pm at the courts, FREE Sausage sizzle until 5:30pm with grading for new players. For more information: Comp and Social players: Kate 0427524679 or Felicity 0448648600; Hotshots players: Arvo 0428651952 or Dean 0499606069. Cost: $25 competition fee per child and $30 club membership fee.

😊 Being a Better Boss - HR & IR Workshop Series
Partners in Grain is hosting a fantastic workshop series for employers or potential employers to help them get the best out of the most important part of their business - PEOPLE! These workshops have been specifically designed for farming businesses to build skill and understanding when it comes to people management and industrial relations. If you employ people, including family members or on a contract basis, these workshops are not to be missed. Come to one or both but don’t miss the opportunity to hone your people skills.
Workshop 1 Managing People (HR) North Star Sports Club Thurs 13th March
Workshop 2 Legal Obligation (IR) Bellatta Golf Club Tues 25th March
For more information or to register and go to the Queensland section of our website www.partnersingrain.org.au and click on the Events tab or contact Theresa Pilcher on 0428 147749

Educational Websites
www.parenting.com is a great site with a range of information and actually lists the 10 best free educational websites for children and parents.

Live Well Weekly Tip
New Australian research has shown that people who skip breakfast have larger waist circumferences than those who eat breakfast. They also have higher cholesterol levels and higher insulin levels when they wake up. Each of these are risk factors for heart disease and diabetes. So, give your body a helping hand and fuel up with a nutritious breakfast.