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WEDNESDAY 28 FEBRUARY 2024

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

Last Friday we were very excited to present our Yr 6 Student Leaders with their badges. This week, our School Captains have been working hard thinking about, and planning for how they can improve CSPS. Below is a message from our School Captains.

Message from the School Captains



Hello, we are your School Captains, Alyssa, Serena, Ted and Noah, and we need your help! On Friday, 22 March we are having our 2024 Welcome Picnic, and we are running this year's chocolate toss to raise money for the school. If you would like to donate blocks of chocolate, please hand it into the office before 22 March (no nuts please). The more chocolate, the more money raised for the school, so we would really appreciate it if you would donate!

IMPORTANT DATES

March

Mon 11 - Labour Day

Wed 13-Mon 25 - NAPLAN

Fri 22 - CSPS Welcome Picnic 4.30pm to 7.30pm

Thu 28 - Term 1 ends - Finish at 2.30pm



Before school

We absolutely love the enthusiasm for school that our students demonstrate by their early arrivals, however, there is no supervision of students at school before 8:30am. Any students arriving before 8:30am must wait at the school office or be booked into Team Kids.

Natasha Cummins



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CSPS EVENTS

CSPS Welcome Picnic - Friday 22 March



If you are able to help with food / drink serving, set up or pack up on the night, please click on the link <u>here</u> to sign up or scan the QR code on the above flyer.

OTHER NEWS

CSPS Garden Volunteer needed

We are seeking a volunteer to help Virginia in our CSPS Garden every Tuesday 12:30pm - 1:30pm. No experience necessary. If you are able to help supervise and chat to some students, we would be very grateful! Please let Aileen or



Christine in the office know if you can assist.

CSPS 2023 School Magazine



We have 10 copies remaining of our 2023 CSPS School Magazine available for purchase. Please come to the school office if you would like to purchase a copy. They are \$30 each.



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PE NEWS

Glen Iris District Tennis Tournament

Congratulations to Leo S and Nathan R who represented CSPS at the Glen Iris District Tennis Tournament last Friday at Burwood Tennis Club. Both boys had fantastic events, playing off against one another in the semi final with Leo making it through to the grand final. Leo eventually went on to win the whole tournament! Congratulations to both boys for performing brilliantly.



Boroondara Division Swimming

Best wishes to our swimmers who will represent CSPS and the Glen Iris District at Division Swimming this Friday at Monash Aquatic & Recreation Centre.

Amelia J – 10 Girls Freestyle Chantel L – 12 Girls Freestyle Eve M – 10 Girls Backstroke Alessio K – 11 Boys Backstroke

Maya W - 12 Girls Backstroke

Tasha W - 12 Girls Backstroke

Emme B - 10 Girls Breaststroke

Alice B - 10 Girls Butterfly

Alice V - 11 Girls Butterfly

Patrick W - 11 Boys Butterfly

Alice B, Amelia J, Emme B, Eve M – 10 Girls

Freestyle Relay

Xav B, Nathan R, Alessio K, Patrick W - 11 Boys

Freestyle Relay

The event brings together the best swimmers within the Boroondara area. We look forward to hearing all about it next week!

Camberwell South PS Tennis Tournament

Our annual CSPS Tennis Tournament has begun this week for students in Year 3 & 4. Played on smaller courts, the competition is designed for all students to be involved with every student playing a minimum of 3 games this week.

Students are excited and it is great to see so many getting involved. With over 50 students involved, the senior area is a hive of activity this week. The Year 5 & 6 tournament will be held towards the end of term



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PE NEWS

Summer Interschool Sport

Our summer interschool sport program continued against St Michael's last Thursday. We had a great day with all teams having success.

Cricket

Bye

Volleyball

CSPS Mixed 2 def St Michaels 0 CSPS Girls 2 def St Michaels 0

Tee Ball

CSPS Mixed 26 def St Michaels 9 CSPS Girls 16 def St Michaels 14

Tennis

CSPS Mixed 9 def St Michaels 3 CSPS Girls Bye

This week we travel to Ashburton PS for our first away game of the year. Good luck to all students playing!

Year 2 Swimming

Our Year 2 students are halfway through their weeklong intensive swimming program at Camberwell Grammar. The program aims to build confidence in the water and refine swimming techniques. Thank you to all staff and parents who have made the program possible.

Daniel Evans



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MUSIC NEWS

Music sessions are now in full swing! Year 4's are pictured making their first class band, taking up instruments they are confident with, to layer harmonic lines together while having loads of fun!









NEVR Concert - Wednesday 29 May at Hamer Hall

The SONIC CANVAS concert is now open to applications. If you play a string, brass or woodwind instrument and would like to be a part of one of the high achiever ensembles, please look at this opportunity. There are great openings in the Concert Band, orchestras and string ensembles. Students will get to play at the acclaimed Hamer Hall on Wednesday 29 May – what a wonderful opportunity. All the criteria and requirements are in the documents linked below:

Sonic Flyer
Sonic Rehearsals

Instrumental

We only have a few positions open in brass, woodwind and violin. If you are keen to learn during school time with one of our auspicious teachers, please see the flyer at the back of the newsletter.

Clubs

All the clubs are now in full swing. Please click here to get a run down on what is happening when.

Such exciting times at CSPS!

Catherine Lyons



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TERM 1 ASSEMBLY

March

Friday 1 - No Assembly

Friday 8 - No Assembly

Friday 15 - Whole School Assembly

Friday 22 - No Assembly



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EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

External providers run various programs at CSPS throughout the year. Please see below for further information.

Chess Club

Booking information Thursday lunch time

Private Music Tutors

Booking Information

Dance Club

Booking information

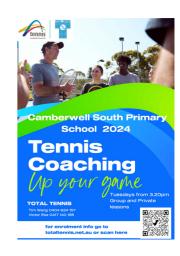
Total Tennis, Term 1 2024

Booking Information









NextGen Soccer Academy Term 1, 2024

Booking Information



Code Camp - Term 1, 2024

<u>Little Coders</u> - Prep to Year 2 students Enrol <u>here</u>, Thursday after school





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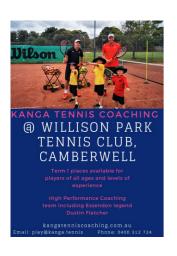
EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Some extra curricular activities are run at external venues.

Kanga Tennis Coaching

Term 1, 2024

Booking Information



Junior Futsal

Term 1, 2024

Booking Information



Balwyn Gymnastics Club

Term 1, 2024

Booking Information



Australian Youth Choir



Canterbury Cougars

Registrations now open

Terms 2 & 3, 2024 Booking Information





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TEAMKIDS

We've been having the best time celebrating our special pancake events at TeamKids! We can't wait for more EPIC events that are coming up. Here's a look at the upcoming FUN at TeamKids. To book, click here.



Wildlife Day at TeamKids

It'll be ROARING FUN on Wildlife Day! Hop, slither & fly into a day at TeamKids. Book <u>here</u>.



Clean Up Australia Day at TeamKids

Let's dust off litter and make the world glitter together! Join us for Clean Up Australia Day and make a difference starting with our very own backyard. Book <u>here</u>.