

4 DECEMBER 2017

Cromehurst News

Term 4 Week 9

- 6 Dec—Graduation & Secondary Social Event
- 8 Dec—Awards Assembly
- 13 Dec—Christmas Concert
- 15 Dec—Last Day Term 4

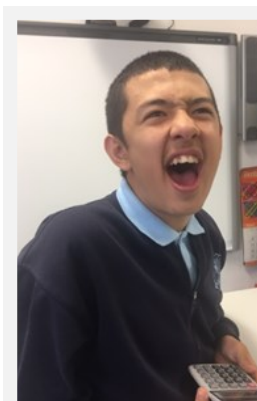
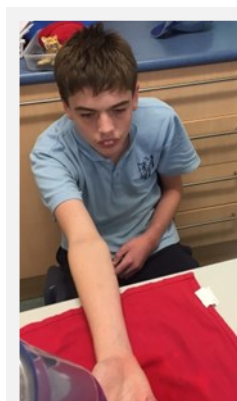
Green Class

Green class students have had a fantastic year. The students have finished off the year with consistency, continuing to work hard doing a variety of activities including feelings lessons, school service jobs, canteen, work experience and science. This term, Green class students have learnt about water and enjoyed investigating how water changes form.

The students have also improved greatly in their basketball skills, learning how to dribble and shoot hoops.

Here are some photos of Green class students exploring feelings, science experiments, work experience, canteen and basketball.

Tahani & Kim



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Principal's Message

Welcome to Week 9

Only two weeks to go until the summer holidays! We are very busy at school practising for the Christmas Concert which will be held next week on Wednesday the 13th of December with a whole school practise this Wednesday and a dress rehearsal next Monday. But before that we have a music and dance concert from the Narrabeen Sports School on this Tuesday afternoon, everyone is still working on their programs and making Christmas decorations for the classroom and the concert. The Graduation and Middle and Secondary School Social is happening this Wednesday evening at Roseville Golf Club. As usual it looks to be a wonderful social evening as well as a fitting farewell for our three graduates and their families: April, Nancy and Scott. Of course on Friday at 1:30pm we are holding our Awards Assembly at school. Please let your teacher and the office know if you take your child home after the event.

I am finalising comments on end of year reports and they will be sent to you by early next week. It has been a pleasure reading how all students have achieved this year. On behalf of Christine I thank all families and our wonderful Cromehurst staff for working together to facilitate these positive results. We will also be sending you information regarding the class your child will be in next year. Hopefully there won't need to be many changes due to balancing classes if we receive new students to our school early next year.

We received some news about assisted school travel to former ADHC respite services this week that I will pass on to you in case

you have used this service and have not been informed:

"Families using Assisted School Travel wishing to have transport to school from the former ADHC respite centres in 2018 should be advised that they will need to make independent transport arrangements from the start of 2018. This may include making arrangements directly with the service provider as part of their NDIS funded supports.

Alternatively, families should discuss any additional transport needs with their NDIA planner. Assisted School Travel services are primarily for transport between home and school and new transport services are not created for the sole purpose of transport to and from a respite or similar specialist disability service. Please refer to the ASTP Guidelines regarding respite. These still apply. The guidelines can be found on the ASTP website at: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/policy-library/associated-documents/guidelines.pdf>."

There are still some raffle tickets available. If you want any more please contact the office. The raffle will be drawn during the Christmas Concert.

We all look forward to Christine's return next week.

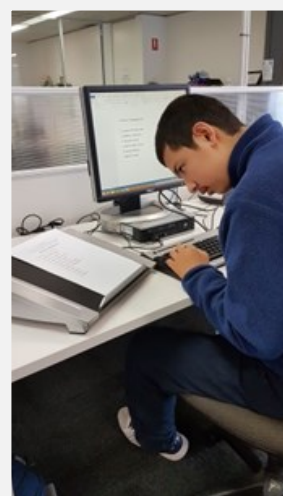
Janice



Work Experience & School Jobs

Some of our senior students have been attending work experience throughout the year, attending places such as Mail Plus at Unisson, Fighting Chance and Packforce and doing tasks such as typing, packing and collating. These experiences are a great way to prepare our senior students for post school work places and allow them to explore some of the skills needed for these work places.

Students who do not attend work experience complete school service jobs at school, doing tasks such as re-filling paper towel dispensers across the school, taking orders and delivering wipes, tissues and gloves, collecting and sorting recycling and shredding.



CROMEhurst SCHOOL

Term 4 Week 8

27 Nov—1 Dec 2017

Assembly Awards

Name	Class	Awarded For:
Jessica L	Purple	Helping her friend during morning circle by saying 'come' and 'up' to encourage her participation
Tara	Rainbow	Using beautiful manners - 'excuse me'
Jake	White	Sharing his car with others
Millie	Blue	Sitting calmly with peers and working hard in class
Ashlee	Blue	Fantastic independent bag unpacking and following instructions
James M	Yellow	Playing together with his buddies at Willoughby
Jack W	Red	Keeping his hands to himself
Sevene	Aqua	Participating well in group activities
Jodi	Green	Answering questions beautifully
Nancy	Pink	Using her words book to communicate with a variety of people in a friendly way
Jodi	Music	Being extremely cooperative in Music
Sophia	Art	Helping others in Art

PBEL

Positive Behaviour Engaging Learners

Stars of the Week

To create a consistent whole school approach for safe and effective learning.

This week our students of the week are:

Thomas—All Rounder (Learn Together, Be Safe, Be Friendly)

Lizzie—All Rounder (Learn Together, Be Safe, Be Friendly)

Bronte —All Rounder (Learn Together, Be Safe, Be Friendly)



General News



Cromehurst School Christmas Hamper Raffle:

This is your opportunity to win fantastic prizes in our Christmas Raffle. This year we have 3 amazing hampers to be raffled off to fundraise for Cromehurst School.

1st Prize: Christmas Hamper - Jam-packed with Christmas cheer & goodies (valued at \$250.00)

2nd Prize: Hamper for Her - Bursting with pamper products for ladies (valued at \$200.00)

3rd Prize: Hamper for Him - Full of assorted items for gentlemen (valued at \$150.00)

Tickets: \$5.00 each OR 3 Tickets for \$10.00 (each book contains 15 tickets)

Student Name: _____

I am interested in helping the school fundraise -

YES ☐ I would like _____ (number) of raffle ticket books

NO ☐

*Merry
Christmas*

The Hamper for Her contains:

Dove Beauty Collection
Naturally You Shower Pack
Total Bathing Bliss Pack
Natural Bath Pack
T2 Tea
Perfumes
Chocolates
Wine
Candle
Lotions
Loofah
Gift Card from QVB
Hair Care
L'Occitane Products
Tea Cups



General News (continued)

The Hamper for Him contains:

Cheeseboard
 BBQ trays
 BBQ tools
 Cologne
 Salad Bowl & Tongs
 Lynx Pack
 BBQ Condiments
 Cook Book
 Gift Card QVB
 Beer
 Nuts & Chocolates
 Wine
 Gas Tank Gauge
 Mens Body Products
 Biscuits
 T2 Tea



The Christmas hamper contains:

Luxury food items including:

- Biscuits
- Chocolates
- Oils & vinegars
- Shortbread
- Crackers
- Mince Pies
- Pudding
- Jams
- Sauces

Tea towels
 Prosecco
 Ham Bag
 Christmas Apron
 Coffee
 Bon Bons
 Assorted Teas
 Wine
 Gift Voucher
 Serving Plates & Glasses



Foundation News

On Sunday morning, 26 November, 38 riders, their families and friends descended once again on the beautiful Southern Highlands to participate in the annual Cromehurst Charity Ride to raise money for The Cromehurst Foundation. A full recap is to come with lots more photos and LOTS more thanks. A few special mentions to Millie and the Dwyer family for coming out on the day. Thank you to Cromehurst teachers, Bridget and Nicole, for coming along and to their husbands Craig and Andrew for participating in the ride. We also want to thank the Ekstrom family for the lovely baked goods.

The ride has so far raised about \$58,000 but donations are still rolling in.

Much more next week.

Julia & Jeremy Norton



Pictured: Grace Elvin & Jeremy Norton, Campbell Vidgen (Macquarie Bank donor) & Stu Shaw, and Michael Rice in white.



Pictured: Jack & Millie in their honorary kit up front.