DEAR PARENTS/CARERS:

Grandparents Assembly
What a wonderful turn out we had last Thursday to enjoy the Grandparents Assembly organised to honour the special people in our lives who offer so much support and love to our students. Like people, families come in all shapes, models and sizes. We had great grandparents, step grandparents and people who play the role of grandparents when others cannot be there. I was immensely proud of the way the students spoke, sang and displayed respectful behaviour towards our visitors.

A huge amount of affection was evident. As I went from classroom to classroom I could see that the grandparents were having a ball recounting tales of what school was like in their day.

Thank you to all the many staff who spent a lot of time preparing students, the venue and the food to make it a really special morning in the Craigie Heights calendar.

Behaviour Issues
Schools, like all families, have their ups and downs in terms of getting along and we have been dealing with a number of incidents of conflict and some of bullying lately. These are issues which do occur in society in general but we all have the common aim of making school a safe and harmonious place to come to. We need the help of every single person in our community to do this. We need to be a “Telling School”.

Like many schools we have some children who, for various reasons, have trouble regulating their emotions and make poor behaviour choices and others who are particularly vulnerable and tender. We have students who come to us from all kinds of home backgrounds with a range of expectations for behaviour and values. This is why we use the frameworks in the Positive Behaviour Support Program to provide support structures and a common language around promoting positive behaviour. There is also a hierarchy of actions for those who choose not to make good choices after being taught the right way.

It is the job of this whole school, and parents, to work together to build the capacity of students to treat everybody safely and respectfully and be resilient when needed.

As a school we are responding on many levels to improve student interaction and appreciate parents who support the school and work with us to solve social problems. I am going to be gathering more fine-grained information from students next week following our recent survey in order to better plan the action needed at the school.

Jen Graffin - Principal

SCHOOL VISION:
To inspire every student to achieve their personal best through learning, living and playing in harmony.

Affirmation: Yesterday is history. Tomorrow is a mystery. Today is a gift. That's why we call it 'The Present'. – Eleanor Roosevelt
SCHOOL NEWS:

HONOUR CERTIFICATE WINNERS—WEEK 8  TERM 2

Congratulations to the following students:

PP to Year 2:  Nash, Joshua, Cyrus, Nicholas, Deegan, Shayla, Beau

Year 3 to Year 6:  Lachlan, Mikayla, Cruz, Lily, Jannika, Josie

HARMONY AWARD WINNERS—WEEK 8  TERM 2

Congratulations to the following students:

Year  6 Room 15 :  Michelle

CRAIGIE HEIGHTS RECOMMENDED AUTHORS

Please take time to visit the library to see the fantastic work displayed by this weeks authors:

Room 1  Kate  Room 11  Chloe
Room 5  Milla  Room 12  Kayla
Room 8  Isabelle  Room 13  Mason
Room 10  Lachlan  Room 15  Radwan

MATERIALS NEEDED

We are looking for donations of materials which will support creative play, examples of these are:

*  Milk crates
*  PVC pipe off cuts—all sizes
*  Bamboo Poles
*  Shade cloth off cuts
*  Wood blocks
*  Small empty cable rolls

The materials would need to be fairly smooth to ensure safety.

If you can help in any way, please contact the School Office. Many thanks.

SCHOOL PAYMENTS

Payment of Contributions or Incursions / Excursions can be made via internet banking, by cheque, cash or Eftpos. Please finalise payments at the front office between 8.00am and 3.30pm.
Thank you to those parents that have already made payment.

Payee: Craigie Heights Primary School
BSB: 066 040 Account: 1990 2511
Reference: Child’s Name/s and Year or Room #
Description: School Contributions / Incursion or Excursion Name

A receipt will only be issued for payments over $50 unless requested. If required, you can contact the Manager Corporate Services at :Craigieheights.PS@education.wa.edu.au
The National Opinion Survey for parents is now open. Every school in Australia is required to complete the survey every two years. The feedback we receive is used to further improve our school and provide positive support to staff. We would appreciate it if you could take the time to follow the link below and complete the survey.

https://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/HUa4uJKc

Many thanks for your assistance.

Our school is filled with amazing teachers, and we’d like your help to say thanks. Nominate them today at www.adaymadebetter.com.au and we could win a prize pack valued at $5,000!

One Big Voice Auditions:

A couple of weeks ago 4 students from the Craigie Heights Choir were selected, after in school auditions, to participate in the auditions for solo, compere and small vocal group parts for the One Big Voice Concert. The school choir is taking part in the One Big Voice Concert to be held at the Perth Arena on Friday evening 12th August 2016.

I am delighted that Delilah has been selected to be part of a small vocal group, and Gemma has been selected to be a compere. Well done girls. A big thank you to all choir members who had the confidence and courage to audition firstly for me and then for the One Big Voice Committee, we certainly have a lot of talent at Craigie Heights.

Laura Massey—Music Teacher

We are very lucky and grateful to receive these funds.

Laura Massey—Music Teacher
For several years now, our school has supported Poppy from Bangladesh. Poppy, who lives with her Mum and Dad, two sisters and a brother, was born on 12th April 2002. Her Dad is a casual labourer and her Mum, who doesn’t have a paid job, looks after their home and family. Their house is made of light materials with an iron roof. Poppy likes to play football and draw. When she grows up she would like to be a teacher.

The village where Poppy lives is in rural Bangladesh, in an area prone to flooding during the monsoon season. Most families in the village are involved in farming or labouring and the majority of adults are illiterate. There isn’t much in the way of healthcare available; and most babies, whose mothers are often quite young, are born at home; many girls are married at an early age. The quality of education for both boys and girls is limited. There are very few opportunities for children to participate in community activities.

We fundraise for Poppy by holding one event each term. This term, for the donation of a gold coin, everyone in our school community is invited to wear their Team Colours to school, on Thursday 23rd June. Please remember you still need to wear school shoes!

CHAPLAIN’S CHATTER:

This July I am going to Johannesburg in South Africa for a three week mission trip. My husband, John, has been leading these trips for the past nine years and I went for the first time in 2014. This year we are part of a team of 23 Australians and 9 from the USA. We will be working with some of the poorest and most disadvantaged people in Johannesburg in Informal Settlements (Squatter camps), prisons, and hospitals, and amongst children who have very little. At the end of the mission trip John and I will be spending a couple of days in Kruger National Park and a week in Cape Town. I am looking forward to returning, to meeting some who I met in 2014 and seeing this amazing country again.

I will be back at school in week three of term two.

Jenny Palandri

Quote of the week…

*We ourselves feel that what we are doing is just a drop in the ocean. But the ocean would be less because of that missing drop.*

*Mother Teresa*

2017 ENROLMENTS FOR KINDY AND PRE-PRIMARY

Application forms for enrolment can be obtained from the School Office. The following documentation will be needed for enrolment:

- Proof of address
- Immunisation records (this must be the printed version from Medicare)
- Birth Certificate
- Visa documentation (if applicable)

CLOSING DATE – 29TH JULY 2016
P&C NEWS:

Lapathon – Friday, 17 June

Thank you to all the students that participated in our Lapathon last Friday. It was a fantastic afternoon, and was great to see so many families cheering and participating also. What a fun afternoon!

We raised $3,700 for our school which was a brilliant effort. Congratulations to Jayden of Room 6 for being our highest fundraiser (for a second year in a row), and congratulations to Room 2 for being the highest classroom to fundraise.

All prizes have been ordered, and these will be distributed in Term 3.

Entertainment Books

We still have 14 Entertainment Books outstanding from our fundraiser earlier this term. For those families, we ask that you now please purchase the book, or return to the school, as soon as possible.

*Books must be returned in the personalized envelope so that we can track whom has returned these.*
P&C NEWS:

Election Day – Saturday, 2 July

We are excited to be able to hold a food stall on Election Day, Saturday, 2 July selling hot & cold drinks, sweet treats, bacon & egg muffins, hamburgers with coleslaw and sausages in a bun (of course!!) Lots of people from our community will be coming to Craigie Heights to cast their vote, and hopefully buy something from our stall.

We will also be holding a raffle with a new 2016/2017 Entertainment Book as the major prize.

Around 40 Volunteers will be needed across the day for an hour at a time. Please consider helping out at this event, which should raise great money for our school.

If you are able to assist please fill in the attached form and return to the front office drop box – we can’t do this without your help!

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Election Day Stall Volunteer Form – Saturday, 2 July 2016

I would love to help at the Food Stall on Election Day!

My preferred time slot would be:

| Time Slot                | | Time Slot                |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 7.00am – 8.00am (SET UP) | 12.00pm – 1.00pm         |
| 8.00am – 9.00am          | 1.00pm – 2.00pm          |
| 9.00am – 10.00am         | 2.00pm – 3.00pm          |
| 10.00am – 11.00am        | 3.00pm – 4.00pm (PACK UP)|
| 11.00am – 12.00pm        |                          |

Name ________________________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian of Student (name and class number) __________________________

Mobile __________________________________________________________________
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COMMUNITY NEWS:

ECU Kids Holiday Program

It is an exciting program that is not only fun for children, but extremely good for them. Our program is for 6-12 year olds and focuses on giving kids as much sporting experience as possible! Activities are structured so they are appropriate for each age group and are supervised by experienced and skilled staff.

Our next program will run during the July school holidays 4th-15th.

For more details and enrolment options please visit our website www.ecu.edu.au/sport/khp or call us on 6304 5000

FREE Half-Day Pass!

Name: _____________________________
Offer Expires: _____________________________
Campus: [ ] Joondalup
[ ] Mt Lawley
*Offer valid for first three program users only

www.ecu.edu.au/sport

SCHOOL HOLIDAY

ATHLETICS CLINIC

The clinic is designed to develop athletics skills and techniques for boys and girls aged 8 to 16 years (Little Athletics age groups U9 – U17). Whether they are beginners or accomplished athletes, our experienced coaches will ensure your children are enjoying their training while aiming for their personal bests.

Where: W/A Athletics Stadium
Stephenson Ave, Floreat WA 6014
When: Tue 12th and Wed 13th July 2016
Time: 9:00am to 3:00pm
(Registration commences 8:30am)
Cost: 1 Day $85
2 Days $150
Includes Hat or Shoe Bag

Athletes are able to choose four events to specialize in each day.

For more information or to register please go to: sprintingfast.com/school-holiday-clinics/

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PARKS & WILDLIFE

Warm up for winter 2016

Department of Parks and Wildlife
**COMMUNITY NEWS:**

**Warm up for winter**

**Calendar of activities July–September 2016**

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**Winter 2016**

**Yanchep National Park**

School Holiday Activities

**Friday 8 July**

**Adventure caving**, ages 8-14

**Thursday 14 July**

Dewy Droplet’s incredible journey, ages 4-7

Funky fossils, ages 7-12

**Winter 2016**

**Star Swamp**

School Holiday Activities

**Friday 8 July**

Squelching thru swampland, ages 4-7

Deadly and dangerous, ages 7-12

**Saturday 16 July**

Frog forage for the family, ages 6+

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**Locations:**

CREEC Canning River Eco Education Centre

JNPN John Forrest National Park

PhDC Perth Hills Discovery Centre

SS Star Swamp

YNP Yanchep National Park

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**Charges apply**

Bookings essential call 9295 2244

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Days: Monday & Wednesday
Time: 4.00pm – 6.00pm