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Orbost Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Tuesday 16 to
Thursday 18 January
Payneville Service Centre
8.30 am – 5.00 pm

Wednesday 24 January
Orbost Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Thursday 25 January
Payneville Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm

**Illustrate a Book Day**

Tuesday 23 January
Bairnsdale Library
2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

**Gallery for a Day**

Monday 15 January
Bairnsdale Library
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Tuesday 16 January
Orbost Service Centre
11.00 am – 12.00 pm

Tuesday 16 January
Payneville Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm

**Activity Session – Plates**

Wednesday 24 January
Mallacoota Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

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**SUMMER SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM 2018**

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2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

Thursday 4 January
Lake Entrance Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

Friday 5 January
Bairnsdale Library
2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

Friday 5 January
Ormoe Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

Monday 8 January
Orbost Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

Friday 12 January
Bairnsdale Library
6.30 pm – 8.00 pm

**Animals of Oz** *(Ages 5 – 12)*

Tuesday 9 January
Payneville Service Centre
11.00 am – 12.00 pm

Tuesday 9 January
Bairnsdale Library
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Wednesday 10 January
Ormoe Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Thursday 11 January
Orbost Service Centre
11.00 am – 12.00 pm

Thursday 11 January
Lake Entrance Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm

**Activity Session Hats**

Wednesday 10 January
Mallacoota Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

Wednesday 17 January
Bairnsdale Library
2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

Wednesday 17 January
Orbost Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

Thursday 18 January
Lake Entrance Service Centre
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm

**Board Games and Xbox Day**

**no bookings required**

Wednesday 3 January
Bairnsdale Library
9.30 am – 5.30 pm

Monday 22 January
Payneville Library
9.30 am – 5.30 pm

Wednesday 24 January
Payneville Service Centre
8.30 am – 5.00 pm

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Thursday 11 January
Bairnsdale Library
2.00 pm – 4.00 pm

Friday 12 January
Payneville Service Centre
2.00 pm – 4.00 pm

Wednesday 24 January
Orbost Service Centre
10.00 am – 12.00 pm

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Lake Entrance Service Centre
2.00 pm – 4.00 pm

Please ensure that you book in advance, as places are strictly limited. Contact 5152 4225 for more information.
Thank You all for a Wonderful Year

I would like to thank you all for a wonderful year in which the school has made substantial progress towards evidenced based teaching practice. The school’s performance was placed under very close scrutiny by having a Priority Review in which a review team spent four days in the school interviewing staff, and having meetings with parents, school councillors, and students. The review was led by Bob Stephens who had much wise counsel in how we should continue our growth as a school. There is much to do and the full recommendations will be published on our website before the start of the new school year. Bob ended his presentations to school council and staff with the lines ‘This is a fantastic school – keep up the great work’.

Since the review more extensive surveys have been released with the parent survey showing very high endorsement for many areas including: ‘effective teaching’ and ‘stimulating learning’. 94% of people saw the school as having a strong connection to the community. The staff survey results show positive growth in all components: it is significantly higher than state averages in all measures including 95.19 for Shared Responsibility and 97.22 on Collective Focus on Student Learning. This all means we are on an improvement pathway and gives us a very strong basis for further achievement in student outcomes in 2018.

Thanks to all involved in this year’s production and awards night: it is exhausting for all but also so much fun. The collective spirit from all students the on night shows through (see the pages of photos). Congratulations also to all the students who were awarded in recognition of their achievements.

There are many people to thank for the year. Firstly to Liza Spink, who not only is brilliant at strategically managing the organisation of the school, she is also the driving force behind many of the programs. Then the other members of the leadership team; Tracey Evans, Pauline Stephenson and Paul Smith, who have so many responsibilities which they handle so well. Also all the rest of the teaching staff and aides who go above and beyond what they are expected to do because they see the importance of their work with young people. Thanks Michael, Tom, Max, Chris, Steve, Dawn, Tammy W, Kelly, and Tammy S. Thanks to Megan Whitford, the Business Manager and Ruby Mills, the Office Manager, for their great work—they do much more than the financial management! Thanks to the school council: president Tricia Whitford, Leah Norman, Sharon Kalz, Bec Hopkins, Christine Barker, Liza Spink, and Kelly Edebohls. Also Mary McDonald, our student counsellor, and Dr Toni Seiler, our speech therapist. Thanks to Simon who is transforming the school environment with his work. Thanks to Heather MacAlister, the Senior Education Improvement Leader, she is always such a support to principals. And, most of all, thanks to the students, for their effort and their involvement.

It is with some regret we are saying goodbye to Ruby Mills, at the end of this year. Ruby has been in the office for seven years after completing her schooling at Cann River. Ruby has been the editor of Jinga and has done Occupational Health and Safety. As well as her other roles in the school she has been the leader of the Cann River Ambulance. Ruby is a wonderfully talented young person who needs to go in to the world to achieve her full potential.

So onto next year: Max Gibson, will be in an extra day a week and will now add year 7 English to her subjects. Lynette Greenwood, will be here two days a week to help differentiate our teaching. We are also very lucky to have Jade Nolan, who will bring her own set of skills to what was Ruby’s role.

I wish you all a positive Christmas time and a great new year—looking forward to a productive 2018.

Bruce Spink | Principal | Cann River P-12 College
Thank you for an amazing and rewarding year

Have a safe and happy holidays

See you in 2018!

Thank you for an amazing and rewarding year.
Cann River P-12 is a Bushfire At-Risk Register (BARR) school and will be closed when a Code Red Day

Dear Parents and guardians as we head toward 2018 is important remind ourselves of our fire plans and possible school closures.

What can parents do?

- Make sure your family’s bushfire survival plan is up-to-date and includes alternative care arrangements in the event that our school is closed.
- Most importantly at this time of year, if you’re planning a holiday or short stay in the bush or in a coastal area, you should check warnings in advance of travel and remain vigilant during your stay.
- If your child is old enough, talk to them about bushfires and your family’s bushfire survival plan.

For up-to-date information on this year’s fire season, visit the CFA website at www.cfa.vic.gov.au or call the 24-hour Victorian Bushfires Information Line on 1800 240 667.

Where possible, we will provide parents with up to four days notice of a potential Code Red day closure by letter. A Code Red day will be determined by the Emergency Management Commissioner no later than 1.00 pm the day before the potential closure. Once we are advised of the confirmation of the Code Red day we will provide you with advice before the end of the school day.

Once confirmed, the decision to close will not change, regardless of improvements in the weather forecast. This is to avoid confusion and help your family plan alternative care arrangements for your child. It is also important to note that:

- No staff will be on site on days where the school is closed due to a forecast Code Red day.
- School camps will be cancelled if a Code Red fire danger rating day is determined for the Bureau of Meteorology district in which the camp is located.
- As a bus co-ordinating school all bus routes will be cancelled.

On these Code Red days families are encouraged to enact their Bushfire Survival Plan – on such For those of us living in a bushfire prone area, the CFA advise that when Code Red days are forecast, the safest option is to leave the night before or early on the morning of the Code Red day. (The school plans to be open on extreme days: depending on conditions).
Prep Graduations
- Blake Davis
- Zarhara de Senna-Clark

Primary Subject Awards
- Abigail de Senna-Clark, English and Art
- Archer Stephenson, Science
- Beau Whitford, Maths
- Brooke Connelly, Digital Technology
- Chaz Whitford, Gardening, Woodwork, PE
- Claire Pardew, Art
- Hailey Gardner, Science
- Jack Connelly, Gardening
- Matilda Campbell, Art
- Natasha Rutjens, Maths
- Nicole Rutjens, Humanities and Art
- Oscar Stephenson, Digital Technology
- Ruby-June Stork, Maths

Year 6 Graduations
- Abigail de Senna-Clark
- Archer Stephenson
- Beau Whitford
- Oscar Stephenson
- Ruby-June Stork

Secondary Subject Awards
- Adon Watson, PE
- Alexis Watson, Science
- Anna Crawford, Interschool Sport
- Dechlan Tutty, Science and Woodwork
- Rhys Day, PE, Art and Maths
- Taylah de Senna-Clark, Art and Maths

House Competition
- Brown House

Direct Deposit Details
Account Name: Cann River P-12 College
BSB: 313 140
Account Number: 120 621 36
Parents please use surname as a reference

Cann River School Jam
Drop in to pick up some delicious homemade jam.
All proceeds go toward reducing the costs of camps.

Graham & Grunden Scholarship
- Matilda Hopkins
- Hailey Gardner

Year 12 Graduations
- Bart Stephenson
- Bianca Findlay
- Taliah Smith

Citizenship Awards
- Alexis Watson

ADF Leadership & Teamwork Awards
- Bianca Findlay
- Dechlan Tutty

Sylvia Sumberg Award
- Dechlan Tutty

Hallmark Oaks Award
- Bart Stephenson
- Taliah Smith

Cann River P-12 College is a SunSmart school!
From September to April students must wear hats while playing outside. Even on cloudy days UV rays can still reach dangerous levels.
Please use sunscreen provided, students without hats must stay in the shade.
**My English Report**
In DEAR I learnt to be quiet. In Spelling I learnt to spell words. My handwriting is neat. I am fantastic at reading. Sometimes I write a whole page for Writing.

**My Maths Report**
Counting is the best. I have learnt a lot about numbers. I can count to 100. I am good at adding. I like maths games and I love maths worksheets.

**My Art Report**
I have learnt how to draw good in Art. I am good at painting my work. I like gluing things together.

**My Phys Ed Report**
I like doing PMP. I have learnt how to play poison ball in PE. I am good at playing four square with my friends.

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**Blake - Prep**

**My English Report**
I have learnt how to do spelling. I am good at handwriting. I like typing my stories.

**My Maths Report**
I have learnt how to count with bundles. I am good at the dice game. I like maths games.

In July I was 124 cm tall. I am now 125 cm tall. I have grown 1 centimetre.

**My Art Report**
I have learnt how to mix paint in art to make new colours. I am good at drawing. I like making the monsters in art.

**My Phys Ed Report**
I am very good at kicking the soccer ball. I like playing octopus in PE. I have learnt how to play poison ball.

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**Dom – Year 1**

**My English Report**
I have learnt to write letters. I write my words in my spelling book. I like writing. I like DEAR. I am good at reading.

**My Maths Report**
I maths I am good at counting to 20. In maths I have learnt to write my number to 20. In maths I like counting. In maths I like Cool Maths games. In maths I roll the dice and I count the numbers with Tammy. In maths I did clocks and I did 8 o’clock.

**My Art Report**
I have learnt how to draw Garfield. In Art I learnt how to paint a ship. In art I learnt to draw the hungry caterpillar with pencils and textas. I like art because the art room looks cool.

**My Phys Ed Report**
In P.E I have learnt to play Poison ball. In P.E I have learnt to climb up the ladder. In P.E I am good at walking along the plank. I like P.E because I like playing poison ball. In P.E I like the ball games.
My English Report
I am good at DEAR. I love helping Claire when we write joint stories. I have really, really neat handwriting. I love writing stories. I love typing. I have learnt how to read a lot of words since I was in kinder.

My Maths Report
I love maths. I love times tables. I am always doing maths. I am working with the year twos. I am learning how to count backwards from 100 by 2’s.

My Art Report
I like art because I like to draw and to shade. I have learnt to create stuff. I love Art.

My Phys Ed Report
I love PMP. I am good at it.

My English Report
I like writing. It is the best. I write a lot of stories. My folio is full. My handwriting is great. I am really good at spelling. I have learnt a lot of reading stuff. I am good at breaking the words up. I am reading at Level 13.

My Maths Report
I have learnt multiplication and how to use bundles. I am good at multiplication. I am good at clocks, like 8 o’clock. I can do stretching numbers and use the big, big ruler to add. I like maths games and worksheets.

My Art Report
In Art I have learnt how to draw. I have learnt that the primary colours are yellow, red and blue.

My Phys Ed Report
In Phys Ed I am good at poison ball and running. In PMP I am good at Dodge ball. I like bike riding. I play tennis. I am really good at it.

My English Report
I have learnt how to do spelling. I am good at handwriting. I write really long stories. I like typing. My favourite thing is reading.

My Maths Report
I have learnt how to do counting by 5’s. I am good at counting with bundles. I like doing worksheets. My favourite thing about maths is maths games and puzzles.

My Art Report
In Art, I like to do drawing. I am neat at colouring. I have learnt how to cut different shapes out.

My Phys Ed Report
I love PMP. PMP is fun. I am good at hula hoops. I like jumping rope. I have learnt how to hit the ball in Phys Ed.
My English Report
I like to do DEAR. I like to type because I learn to not leave caps lock on. I like to write once upon a time stories. I love to play reading eggs. I learnt to do letters. Spelling is fun because you get to write words. I am really good at reading.

My Maths Report
I am good at problem solving. I like playing Maths games. My favourite one is N-the Way of the Ninja. I am good at team work. I have learnt to count by fives. I am good at On Demand tests. Learning is fun! I love to count. I have learnt to count by tens to 100.

My Art Report
In art I like to do pottery. I love to draw eyeballs. I am good at mixing colours. I like to make green. I love to make orange.

My Phys Ed Report
I have learnt to play Octopus. I am good at it.

My English Report
I have learnt that I am a very neat writer. I am good at reading and I am on Level 14. I have learnt how to stretch words. I am good at spelling. I can write 5 sentences every day. My handwriting is really neat.

My Maths Report
Maths is great! I am good at On Demand tests. I am good at team work. I am good at Maths games. I like playing Papa Louie 3. I have learnt how to count by fives to 100. I know how to count by tens to 190.

My Art Report
In art I like to do pottery.

My Phys Ed Report
In P.E. I learnt how to play poison ball. I am good at Run Rabbit Run because I can run fast. I have learnt how to play Octopus.

My English Report
In DEAR I like to be quiet. I like being faster at Spelling. I have been trying Year 3 handwriting. In Writing I do narratives. They are easy, squeasy, peazy. I write good “Once upon a time” stories. I type on my computer. I pin my stories on the wall. I am good at reading with the teacher.

My Maths Report
I have learnt how to do counting on the ruler. I have learnt O’clock and “cuckoo”. I am good at worksheets. I like playing maths games. My favourite is Papa Louie 2 and the ninja game. I like playing fish and the memory game.

My Art Report
In art I draw cows. In art I learnt to paint with colours. In art I sit at the table. In art I do drawings with lines. In art I draw horses. In art I watch Mr Hubble.

My Phys Ed Report
In P.E I have learnt how to play Poison Ball. In P.E I am good at hoops. In P.E I am good at Poison Ball, In P.E I learnt to play 123 Look. I like doing P.E with Tammy. I like jumping rope. I have learnt how to hit the ball in Phys Ed.
Matilda C - Year 1

My English Report
I like writing. It is easy. I can write a narrative and one was four pages long. I like doing joint stories with Claire and Talarna. I have learnt how to do joined handwriting. Spelling can be tricky. I am good at word endings in Spelling. DEAR is the best. I can concentrate and at the moment I am reading “The Shoemaker”. I am really good at reading. I am reading chapters.

My Maths Report
Maths is the best. I have learnt heaps of times tables. I am good at “friends of ten”. I like Maths games. They are fun. I can count past 274. I can count by fives, tens, twos, threes, hundreds and thousands. I am good at measuring and dividing and halves.

My Art Report
Art is crafty and I love it. I am good at painting and drawing. I have learnt how to do shading.

My Phys Ed Report
I have learnt how to play Four Square in Phys Ed. PMP is fun. I am good at playing Poison Ball. I love games.

William – Year 2

My English Report
English is the second easiest subject for me! In DEAR I am reading novels and because of that I don’t have to do reading to the teacher anymore. Writing is the hardest English subject. Even though it is hard there are a few problems.
1. There is a sentence worth of unused space at the bottom of the page.
2. It has so little pages in the draft book.
This year I have learnt how to do hard comprehension questions, grammar and spelling for On Demand testing. Overall, I am pretty good at everything in English and next year I want to learn joined handwriting.

My Maths Report
This year I have been going through my Year 5 Maths book. I have a couple of problems with my Maths book.
1. You can barely fit big numbers onto the page.
2. It isn’t that difficult.
I’m also really good at On Demand tests and any test-related thing. It is pretty easy to do because you need to be fast and I am fast. I have been doing Year 5 for a year now and I’m almost doing Year 6 Maths. My favourite type of Maths is measuring. It is good because it uses cubic metres. Overall I have learnt a lot of stuff from school.

My Art Report and Phys Ed Report
Art and PE are tied at third place (aka last). They are tied because sport teachers are very strict. In Phys Ed I’m mostly good at anything involving running and jumping. I have learnt how to dodge a lot by sidestepping.
Mr Hubble is about five times better than Miss Tripp because he lets mistakes happen and we learn from mistakes. In art I am good at drawing and I have learnt how to make stuff more detailed and complex.

Claire – Year 2

My English Report
I love writing. I write big stories, like 15 pages. I sometimes write stories with Matilda. Writing is fun. I have learnt how to do talking marks. I like reading. I am getting better at handwriting. I don’t like spelling but I have learnt to spell “because”. DEAR is fun. I like the quietness. I love helping Matilda C.

My Maths Report
I have learnt how to do Maths on demand. I have learnt dividing, multiplying, halves and doubles. I am good at multiplication. I like doing “take away”. I love being in a team with Matilda C. We do our maths books together and solve problems together. I have learnt how to do o’clock, ¾ past, ½ past and ¾ to. I can count by 5’s. Maths is fun.

My Art Report
In Art, I have learnt how to fold tin foil figures. I have learnt primary colours and secondary colours. I have learnt how to do tin foil baubles. In art I do painting. I like it. I like art.

My Phys Ed Report
PMP is hard. I get hot. We do poison ball. I love PMP. I love Run Rabbit Run in PMP.
This year my favourite thing was gold panning, even though we did not find any gold. We did find some fool's gold (which looks the same as gold but is much lighter than real gold.) I had a great time, as well as everyone else. We went two times. They were both on Tuesdays.

By Archer

This year we did Crazy Hair Day. I got to paint peoples hair. I got rainbow spikes on my hair and Kelly painted it. Everybody wore free dress and got their hair painted. We all got a picture at the end. We were CRAZY! The end. By Beau

At Mallacoota David and I were playing fox holes. Fox holes is basically giant's treasure but you have to hide in a hole you make and not get spotted. When I was the giant I saw David in mid-air doing a karate kick and when I was laughing someone tried to steal my treasure. When David was the giant he saw Jack doing the down dog and Oscar tried to steal David's treasure but he tagged Oscar. We had so much fun. I hope we could do it again next year.

By Chaz and David

We left Cann River at 9:00 am and we went for a boat ride at Gipsy Point, around 10 minutes out of Mallacoota.

We went to our cabins and put our bags in our cabin then we decided who would have the bunk beds. Hailey ended up on the top bunk, Abbey on the middle bunk and Mrs Stephenson on the bottom. And Nicole and Ruby in the double bed. The next night, Nicole was on the top bunk and Hailey was in the double bed with Ruby. The next morning, Nicole was up first, then Abbey, then Ruby and then Hailey. We got our breakfast and then we went to the beach where we saw whales and dolphins. Then we went to mini golf at the Surf Shack. Which was really fun. Ruby came first, Hailey came second and Nicole came last, but overall it was super awesome.

After that we went to the beach to meet up with the Mallacoota kids it was really fun. We played bare foot bowls and beach games. Mallacoota made a really yummy lunch. We had sausages, potato bakes and soup. And for the treats we had chocolate brownies and biscuits, pink and red cupcakes. Overall, we had the best time and we hope we can do it again!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

BY RUBY AND HAILEY
We went on a Mallacoota grade 3-6 camp and we went to different places. Our favourite place was Café 54 and we had burgers, fish, chicken and chips and drinks. Then we had DESERT and it was ICE CREAM, BROWNIES AND CHOCOLATE PUDDING with SAUCE. Tash

It was the best three days of my life. We all had lots of fun and I had the most fun out of my cabin. At first I got up on my part of the bunk bed and could not get down but when I got stuck Tash helped me get down and I learnt how to get down. Lani

Mallacoota Camp in October this year the grade 3-6 went to Mallacoota we went to Gipsy Point and went for a boat ride down the river. Abbey, Matilda, Brooke and I sat next to each other on the way back. We saw three eagles and fed them chicken. We also saw a kite, a wedge tail eagle, mullet, a king fisher, water dragons, goannas, pelicans, cormorants and a dead seal. I liked when the man fed the eagles.

By Nicole

Mallacoota

In October this year the 3-6’s went on a camp to Mallacoota. We played fox holes down at Bastion Point, it was so much fun playing with everyone. We saw whales and dolphins when we were at Bastion Point. It was a great experience spending time with our class mates at Mallacoota. Two days later we went back to Bastion Point to go SURFING!!! It was our first time going SURFING!!! It was epic and amazing. By Matilda Hopkins and Brooke

SWIMMING

EVERY YEAR WE HAVE A SWIMMING CARNIVAL. I ENJOY THE SWIMMING SPORTS BECAUSE I LIKE SWIMMING. THE SWIMMING CARNIVAL IS A DAY OF RACING AND COMPETING AGAINST THE OTHER HOUSE. BY Oscar Stephenson
**Elephant Toothpaste**

Yesterday we did Elephant toothpaste and it was blue and foamy.

It was so so so FUNNNNNNN!

I wish I can do it again.

By Hailey Gardner

**Sugar crystals**

In term three we did sugar crystals. We needed sugar, water, a glass bottle and a spoon. We had blue, purple, green, yellow, brown and dark green. Matilda and I were a team and we worked really well together. I made a purley colour.

By Nicole

**Vacuum in a Bottle**

At the end of 3rd term we did Chemistry experiments. Mine was creating a vacuum using matches, a water balloon, a jar, and paper. First you would put paper in a jar and light a match and then quickly put the water balloon over the jar and watch it slowly go in the jar. You will be amazed!

It worked because fire burns oxygen, because there is low oxygen it creates a vacuum in the jar.

By Beau
Squishy Circuits
In term 2 we made playdough that could conduct electricity with salt and some playdough that was insulating with sugar. We made all sorts of things with it. We made cars and we used little LED lights to check if the conducting playdough works and it did.
By Oscar Wolfgang Stephenson

Static Electricity
This year in science for my experiment I did static electricity and it was super fun.
I experimented with a balloon and a bits of paper.
Also LOVED making a fish tank and a making my hair stand up.
By Lani

Salt Crystals
In Term 3 we did Chemistry, and one of the experiments was to make salt crystals. We all got different results. Some people got the salt crystal to grow on the string and other people got it to grow on the straw and some people got it to grow on both. First we made a solution of water and salt, then we tied a piece of string to a straw. Then we put the string into the Solution. Then we set them on a edge of a window to get warm sunlight, and in about a month we got beautiful salt crystals.
By Archer Stephenson

Making biology posters
We had lots of fun making our biology posters. We had to research lots and make a big colourful poster. The 3-4s made a vertebrate poster. These are the popular classes mammals, fish, reptiles, birds and amphibians. Mammals have two other classes of animals called marsupials and monotremes.
By Matilda Hopkins
Google Apps For Education

This year in Digital Technologies we had a great experience with Gmail. That is I can send lots of stuff to all my friends such as Emily and Sarah from Mallacoota. I think everyone can use it and you can also use Google Apps for typing, power points, groups, drawings, Worksheets, sites, maps and photos. I think we should keep doing it because it is great.

By Brooke

Sphero

We had spheros for the whole term 4. Spheros are round balls that you can control and change colour. Ms Gibson gave us challenges like making a maze for Spheros and making shapes by programming it. The best thing about it was when we got to drive crazy. by Tash and Chaz. Thank you Ms Gibson

Indigenous Digital Excellence

One day a few weeks ago two people came to the Cann River school their names were Grant & Celeste. They taught us how to make robots like this photo below. We also got to have a go at a VR headset and after that we went outside and Grant flew a big red drone. The day that Grant & Celeste came I had a really good day. By Jack

Kahoot!

In science this year we started making and playing quizzes on an online website called Kahoots where you compete against your class on a subject that we were studying.

We used Kahoots to reflect about information we’d learned on a subject. You could get places but at the end of the competition it shows the top three on the big screen.

How it works is you have one main screen that tells you the code to get into the game you’re playing, the main screen also tells you the questions while on your computer you chose the answers!!!!!!! By Abbey

Scratch

In second Term we did the Scratch program. We all made games. The game is that you have to shoot something and make its health come down. It was fun but hard. I had to restart twice.

By David Mongta
Taylah de Senna-Clark  *Heir of Fire* by Sarah J. Maas

Aelin got sent to Wendlyn to kill the King and Queen but she undergoes magic training and the trainer is Rowan a Prince. Aelin changes the most in this book from being a little bit confident to becoming a strong Queen. I loved this book so much. It is a little bit gruesome at times with fight scenes so it’s for teenagers.

Chloe Henderson  *The Fault in our Stars* by John Green

A young girl has cancer and she falls in love with a guy who has lost his leg to cancer it’s about how they form a relationship. The person who changes the most in the book is the girl because at the start she was really lonely and didn’t do anything but in the end she’s a lot more social. Girls my age would like this book because it is really romantic.

Shanise Mongta-Porter  *Miss Peregrine’s Home for Peculiar Children* by Ransom Riggs

Jacob’s Grandfather used to live in an orphanage with some strange children. When Jacob’s grandfather dies in mysterious circumstances Jacob travels to a strange island to see if the monsters his grandfather told him about are real. They are real and so are the strange children who are still children. Jacob decides to spend the rest of his life living with and protecting the strange children.

This book is kind of cool it’s about monsters and unhuman like people, about kids who feel strange and different but feel really accepted by each other.

Chloe Russell  *The Wallflower* by Tomoko Hayakawa Manga story

Four handsome teenage boys are allowed to live in a house rent free if they can change Sunaka Nakaharra into a young lady. It is a really funny book I really enjoyed it. Sunaka becomes much sunnier and funnier in the book.

Sarskia Sutherland  *Love Sick* by Isobel Blackthorn

This story takes place in the 1980’s in London with the main character Isabell Blackthorn exploring her passion for music and politics. My favourite part would be when she has to meet Nick’s crazy mother. I liked this book because it’s got a teenage set and feel to it and it is funny and romantic.
Zeara Hopkins *Children of Eden* by Joey Graceffa
In a place called Eden where the last people on earth live under a dome, there’s a girl called Rowan who is a second child, this is strictly forbidden in Eden. Rowan fights to protect other second children and to try and fix Eden and the planet earth. I really liked it when Rowan sees the last living tree, it was cool the way she describes it in the book. This book has mystery and it’s interesting but a little confusing at times.

Hannah Stephenson *Pizza, love and other stuff that made me famous* Kathryn Williams
Sophie Nicolaides works in her family’s restaurant, she decides that she is very passionate about food. This book is about her pursing her dreams. My favourite part of the book is when she is deciding whether to audition for the TV show “Teen Test Kitchen”.

Alexis Watson *The Wee Free Men* Terry Pratchett
A young girl called Tiffany really wants to be a witch. There is a green monster in a river and lots of tiny redheaded men helping Tiffany. My favourite part was when Tiffany took an egg into town to pay a teacher to learn about witches the teacher’s name is Miss Tick. (She is a witch)

Adon Watson *Class ‘A’* Robert Muchamore
This book is about kids that are spies they train and complete missions for their boss Mac. James is the new kid learning to be a spy. My favourite part is when James goes back to school undercover. I really like this book it has lots of action.

Darcy Stork *Ender’s Game* Orson Scott Card Graphic novel
This is a very interesting story set on a space ship with kids training and practicing against computers as if they were battling aliens. There are lots of twists and surprises in this story and the illustrations are fantastic.

Rhys Day *Maximum Security* Robert Muchamore
The Cherub series continues James is older now and he is recruiting kids to become spies. He goes on a mission into a Maximum Juvenile prison to find out information about a particular person. The story is really good, there is lots of action, mystery and humour. This book is for teenagers because there is some violence in the story.
Last Saturday was the grand final for the Eden Whalers. Once again it was against Tathra and of course we went in as the underdogs with little chance of coming away with a win. But we knew different and had every faith in our abilities and wanted to play for nothing less than a win. Weather conditions played to our advantage and with our never die attitude will pulled off the game of the season. Two weeks ago we played Tathra in the semi-finals where they convincingly beat us by 104 points. We were plagued with injury’s and that loss hurt a lot, but to our credit we bounced back and beat Pambula by four points to have another crack at the grand final and make it back to back premiership’s. We all played our hearts out and left nothing in the tank it was a real team effort and we were rewarded with an 11 point win. The feeling we had once that siren went is indescribable but it felt amazing and it’s a feeling that none of us will ever forget!!!!!!

I am so proud of the Cann girls - Bianca, Anna, Chloe, Shanise and Alexis. The effort they have put in all season has been amazing. The long hours in the car every weekend travelling thousands of kilometres and then arriving at school Monday’s battered, bruised and exhausted. They bounced back every week and were ready to go again by the next Saturday. Bianca and Anna have continued to grow and improve their skills from last year’s season. They now play important roles across our backline and have saved many a goal throughout the season. Alexis, Shanise and Chloe have played their first season with the Whalers and I know it is just the first of many. Alexis has grown in confidence more and more each week and is now our starting ruckman. Shanise has used her speed to her advantage and has shown she can take a knock or two than bounce back up. Chloe has slotted in nicely and shows she can be versatile and help across both the forward and backline and can lay a mean tackle. I’m so happy the girls got to experience the feeling of winning a grand finale and being part of such a great team.

We couldn’t have achieved this result without a lot of help. First of all a MASSIVE thank you to our families and friends. The love support and dedication you have showed to all of us is fantastic. Thank you for driving us to training sessions and driving us to the footy every weekend regardless of where the game was.

To our Cann River P-12 staff and students you are just totally awesome. The support you have provided us all season has been remarkable. Many of you have travelled to watch games throughout the season which was very much appreciated. It felt so good seeing so many of you there on Saturday and we know we did you and the school proud.

Finally thank you to our Cann River businesses and community. Last week was fantastic to see the town turn into a sea of red and white balloons and good luck messages. Big shout outs to Pelican Point Café, Cann River Bakery, Cann River Café, Wild Rye, Relics Café and the Cann River Hotel. It made us feel so special and we knew the town was right behind us.

So that’s it another season is over and we did it!!! Back to Back Premiers.

T. Whitford
SECONDARY CAMPS 2017

9/10 Bogong Ski Camp

Year 8 Cape Conran Camp

Yr 8/9 Humanities Genoa Peak Walk
Interschool Sport 2017

Girls Soccer Team Bairnsdale

Boys Badminton Team Bairnsdale

Girls Volleyball Team Bairnsdale

Girls and Boys Table Tennis teams Bairnsdale

Girls Intermediate Gippsland Champions Traralgon

Table tennis State Finals Melbourne
VCE OE CAMPS 2017

Mt Kosciuszko

Perisher Valley Skiing

Light to Light Hike

Wilson’s Cave Buchan

Ben Boyd Tower end of the hike
We had a great year in Wood. Our 5-6 class made both missile launchers and cars. The 3-4’s powered ahead and made pencil boxes, tool boxes, treasure chests and electrical testers, whilst our 8-10’s did mirrors, stools, mobile phone holders, tables and birdboxes.
Auto 2017

We had Eddie, Svend and Kelby join us in Auto from Mallacoota this year, they have rebuilt and refitted their motor, and even got it going. Meanwhile, Zac and Beau have been learning all about body repairs and spray painting.

Gardening 2017

It’s been a big year in the vege garden this year for the Grade 3-6’s. First we had to find it under the weeds and regrowth, deal with the water issue, install irrigation, and plant our Bush Tucka garden. We’ve also established a range of berries and replanted a herb garden outside the Science and Art rooms. They’ve all worked really well, and I can’t fault their youthful enthusiasm.
Topics studied this year were:

Years 9/10 – Keeping An Eye On Light, Student Designed Investigation, The Dynamic Earth, Chemistry: The Inside Story, Life Goes On and Think Quest.

Year 8 students using pulley systems to study mechanical advantage.

Year 9/10 students constructing a model timeline of the earth to show the evolution of organisms.

Successfully transferring the araC gene from the Aequorea victoria jellyfish into the genome of the bacteria Escherichia coli in biology. The result was bacteria that glow green when exposed to ultraviolet light!

Measuring the effects of different wing areas on flight time and distance travelled of paper planes in physics.
Hannah Stephenson worked at Salon Classique in Lakes Entrance

Dechlan Tutty spent the week with Egan & Freshwater Electricians in Bairnsdale

Anna Crawford worked at Bairnsdale Police Station—she got to have a ride in a highway patrol car, divisional van and police boat!
CVBNC Health Promotion:
Check out - Women’s Health
healthdirect.gov.au/womens-health

Strategic Goals: To be a respected, functional and viable organization. Ensure that our community has access to quality healthcare. To value and support our people.

Did you know... There is currently a shortage of doctors in Orbost at the moment we have the last doctors visit for the year today Wed 20/12/17. A Dr’s day date in January has not yet been defined.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS — CVBNC will be closed Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Years Day. For emergencies call ‘000’ or Bush Nurse AH 51 586 274

Doctor: Approximately twice a month on Wednesday
20th December Dr Sharma
January TBC

Please note: The Dr may change at short notice.

Man Cave: every Friday
Free BBQ. 12:00pm
Come along for a chat.
Everyone welcome.

Bus to Bairnsdale: Fortnightly on Tuesday
2nd January 16th January

Please note: A $5 fee applies when booking
Seats for medical appointments are priority

Patchwork: every Tuesday
10:00am at CVBNC

Podiatrist: Nerida Manning
Next visit: Wednesday Feb TBC.
Member $15, Non Member $20 Concession $5

Massage Therapist: Jodie Box
Next visit: Tuesday 23rd Jan.
Ph: 0438 096 808 for appointments

Physiotherapist: Maddie Rosen
Next visit: Friday 22nd December
Member $15, Non Member $20 Concession $5

Dentist: Peter Favaloro
Next visit: Thursday 4th Jan.
Ph: 5154 6625 for appointments

Drug & Alcohol counsellor: Bryn Jones
Visits weekly as needed.
On Wednesday’s

Planned Activity Group: Gets together fortnightly
Usually on a Thursday

To make an appointment with the podiatrist, physio, doctor, counsellor, other allied health visitors or to book a seat on the bus, please call 5158 6210.

Other allied health visitors to our centre include.
Speech pathologist and Maternal and child health nurse

Annual Membership fees are due on the 1st of July each year - it’s never too late to become a member.
Family $30 Single $20 Family Concession $20 Single Concession $15

Cann Valley Bush Nursing Centre acknowledges the support of the Victorian Government
Community Centre

Community Centre and Centrelink Agency will be CLOSED

Mon 25 December
Tuesday 26 December
Mon 1 January
... but we’ll be open the rest of the time.

We will be SUPERVISING CHILDREN’S ACTIVITIES on TUESDAYS through January.

CHILDREN ARE WELCOME to use the community centre any day we are open. However we don’t take any responsibility for supervising their activity except on Tuesdays. It is up to parents to be aware of their whereabouts and their use of the Centre (particularly, their internet use).

Every Day 10—2:
Computers, Internet, Photocopying, Laminating;
Centrelink self-service terminal, phone and fax line;
Book Swap; Rotating Library collection;
Op Shop; Art & Craft Shop; ATO assistance;
Shire Outreach Services; Meeting and consult rooms for hire;
Community Bus for hire @ $88/day

January Activities

Mondays
Centrelink Agent 11-2

Tuesdays
drop-in kids activities 10-2
Centrelink Agent 11—2

Wednesdays
produce swap 10-12
IT help 10—12
gold coin lunch 12—1

Plus
Wednesday starting 17 Jan 1—2pm
GippSport’s “Get Moving” Adult Activity Program

Wednesday 10th and 24th Jan 10.30—11.30
Library Bus

Hairdresser is back on Wednesday 7 Feb
Community Centre

ph: 5158 6465
Email: cann.river@bigpond.com
Monday - Friday 10am - 2pm

Community Christmas Party
Fri 22 December    Mick Baum Park

Free BBQ

6pm “Visit Cann River Music Show” starring our local kids & musicians

7pm Visit from Santa
8pm Karaoke Christmas Carols

ALL WELCOME

Thanks to Sponsorship from
Over the weekend Cann River hosted a stage of the Alpine Rally. The staging area was at the Cann River Oval. Our brigade is fortunate to assist with safety during the rally particularly around the refuelling area when the cars come in to refuel.

This year thanks to the donations from the Cann River Community over the years, we were able to attend not only with the CFA Tanker but with the newly purchased Cann River Fire Trailer as seen in the photos.

The trailer and equipment is needed by the community and as you would be aware, the fires which surrounded Cann River over the last week has kept everyone very busy so having the trailer gives our community a little more security in fire protection.

Should the CFA Tanker be called out we now have the Cann River Fire Trailer to back up and assist in local emergencies.

The volunteers continue to work in fire protection within the community and surrounding areas of Cann River and thank everyone for their support.

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Come in and enjoy a relaxing meal at Relics Café with our BYO licence or take it back to your own home with our fine take-away menu

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of school staff and the Cann Valley community—thank you for all your help this year!