



# The Gum Tree Newsletter

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## Dates For Your Diary

**17-25 Nov:** ASOC Art Show, Kingston  
**Thu 22 Nov:** 11am P&C Meeting  
**Mon 3 Dec:** Yr P-2 10-11am Firefighters Display  
Yr 3-6 9:30-10:30am Diverse Baseball  
**Tue 4 Dec:** 2-2:40pm Volunteers Thank You  
Afternoon Tea  
**Fri 14 Dec:** 11:00am-12:30pm Graduation

Dear Cranleigh Families,

Come, See & Celebrate @ Cranleigh was an absolute success! We had over 300 people come through the doors including families, community friends and staff. This event really did showcase the amazing teaching and learning that takes place every day. Special thanks to Kippax Fair for donating \$1000, Weetangera Primary for their talented band and choir performances and to Radford for their pianists who entertained us while we enjoyed the sausage sizzle. Special thanks to Tina Bowes and Will Coman for coordinating the event and to all those who supported us in making this event the success it was!

On Saturday I had the privilege of joining the dynamic duo of Robyn and Brionie to celebrate the ASOC Spring Art Exhibition at the Fitters Workshop in Kingston, where the four specialist schools were invited to exhibit student art works. The Cranleigh component was a display of student 'self portraits' and they were certainly a talking piece! Congratulations to the following five students who were the recipients of the 'Young Artist Achievement Awards':



Lachlan Swan  
Gianmarco Vrkic  
Teodora Das  
Ethan Peter &  
Samson Noy



Cranleigh School also won First Prize for 'Best Group Artwork', which is a fabulous fruit basket! We were awarded a \$200 voucher to Eckersley's Art & Craft. Special thanks to our extremely talented Art teacher Ali Aedy and to the energetic Robyn McFarlane for coordinating this event on behalf of Cranleigh. Finally, thank you to the students from Cranleigh for their contribution and to those parents who joined us on Saturday to celebrate. For those families who haven't made it to the exhibition, it is running daily throughout this week, 10am-5pm until Sunday 25 November.

As you can see from the various reminders about upcoming events and celebrations, we are certainly heading into a busy time in the school calendar. Please take note of dates and times.

Kylie



*The Artists Society of Canberra's  
2018 Members'*

**Spring Art Exhibition  
Fitters Workshop, Kingston**

November 16 - 25, 10am to 5pm daily -  
come see and buy some amazing examples  
of quality **fine-art** and **sculpture**.

Featuring 'Young Artists Achievement  
Awards' for paintings by kids from  
Specialist Schools.

More at: [www.asoc.net.au](http://www.asoc.net.au)  
**(02) 6282 5085**  
ASOC, PO Box 3629  
Manuka Post Office  
Manuka, ACT 2603

**ASOC'S NEXT MAJOR EVENT:**  
Summer Art Experience (SAE),  
January 7 - 11, 2019 at Canberra College, Woden.

 **CELEBRATING  
90 YEARS**

## P&C News

Hello Cranleigh parents and carers,

Raffle tickets will be sent home to families shortly to support our Christmas Raffle. You can purchase the book or sell them to family and friends. We have 3 wonderful hampers as prizes. And don't forget our Cranleigh 2019 Calendars featuring colorful creations by our students. They are available for sale through the P&C, or you can call the Front Office if you need an order form.

Also, a reminder that our next P&C meeting will be on Thursday 22nd November at 11:00am, here at Cranleigh School. All are welcome to attend. Hope we see you there!!

Regards,

Paul Edwards, President P&C Cranleigh



# Class contribution

# 4-6JL

Students in 4-6JL have been having lots of fun getting out and exploring parts of Canberra. So far, we have been to Black Mountain Tower, The National Carillon, Boundless and Yarralumla Play Station. In a couple of weeks, we are looking forward to going on more exciting adventures with our friends in 3/4KG.



# JFL

## Shopping List

- Bread
- Tomato Paste
- Garlic
- Red Capsicum
- Parsley
- Cheese



Our JFL team are all working daily to develop their literacy skills through reading, writing, and inquiry-based learning tasks. They are all also developing their digital literacy skills by using technologies to research topics of interest, read stories from a range of sources, and create shopping lists for delicious cooking lessons!



Canberra  
Symphony  
Orchestra

## Come along to Shell Prom, Summer and Song

Welcome the start of summer with Canberra Symphony Orchestra on Saturday 1 December for *Shell Prom, Summer and Song*.

Held on the lawns of Government House in Yarralumla, this evening concert will feature Mendelssohn, Puccini, Bernstein, Gershwin and Tchaikovsky classics and more. There are many favourites, familiar to everyone, including *Midsummer Night's Dream*, the *Nutcracker* and *Summertime* from *Porgy and Bess*.

Guests can pack a picnic or purchase food and beverages from a variety of vendors, stretch out under the trees and enjoy beautiful music in a relaxed, family-friendly environment. There is plenty of room for children to play and outdoor activities are welcome. For the full program, please [click here](#).

Tickets for student, group of 10 or more (\$20 each) and family passes (two adults and all your children under 15) are available for \$70. For more pricing, event information and ticket purchase, please visit our website at [cso.org.au](http://cso.org.au) or call us on 02 6262 6772.

Patrons are welcome to bring their own food, tableware, seating and activities. Water filling stations will be available on-site. Please allow time for bags to be checked on entry. For more information on what is and is not allowed on the premises, please [click here](#) or see our website.

Gates open at 4:45pm with the concert starting at 6pm. Parking is available off Dunrossil Drive. For disability-parking (accessible off Lady Denham Drive), please call us on 6262 6772 before Wednesday 21 November to secure your permit.

Launch your summer season in style with Canberra Symphony Orchestra!



Thoroughbred Park Lyneham  
Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December  
From 10:30am until 2:30pm

There will be lots of rides, jumping castles, face painting, yummy food and of course, Santa and presents. Children attending our school are eligible to attend.

Children must be accompanied by a parent or carer (maximum of 2 adults).

**Please note that tickets are available for Cranleigh enrolled students only. We cannot provide tickets for siblings.**

Invitations to the party were sent home last week. Don't forget to return the completed slip to Cranleigh by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November. Tickets will be sent home the week prior to the event.