Goodbye and Good Luck to the Grade 10 Class of 2015
From the Principal

Farewell
At this time of the year we have changes with both staff and students leaving Cressy while new people will be joining us in the New Year. Thank you to our Grade 10 students and other students moving on to new challenges.

Thank you also to the following staff members for their contributions to Cressy. Mr Jason Claridge, Mr Richard Goss, Mrs Kathleen Hodges, Miss Jo Beven, Mrs Bec Bardon, Mrs Cass Walsh, Mr Alister Austin, Mrs Patricia Godillon, Mr Greg King, Miss Cassandra Lawler, Mr Greg Titmus, Mr Jamie Rae, Jill Bloom and Debbie Pavia,

Start of 2016
A reminder that book sales are on Thursday 21st January.
Opening times: 9.00am until 12.00pm
Closed for Lunch 12.00pm to 1.00pm
Reopening 1.00pm to 7.00pm

Students will start classes on Wednesday February 3rd.

Uniform - Black Shoes and Boys Grey Shorts/ Trousers
The School Uniform Statement was updated earlier this year and will be fully implemented from the start of 2016.

A letter was sent home with all students in Grades K - 9 earlier this week with a copy of uniform requirements attached.

Parents /Guardians are to note the following points:

1. Plain black shoes (and black laces if required) with no other colours or markings are required for school.
2. Boys are required to wear plain grey shorts or trousers. Navy blue shorts/trackpants are NOT acceptable during a normal school day, but are suitable for Physical lessons.
3. Girls are able to wear plain navy blue shorts (no markings) as part of their uniform for a normal school day. This change to the statement was approved by the School Association.

As usual any families having difficulty getting uniform for any reason are asked to contact the School.

Families with questions or seeking classification are encouraged to contact the school.

Holidays
I hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable holiday. I look forward to a productive 2016 when students return in February.

Craig Brown

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Thank You
Debbie has been volunteering in our Uniform Shop since 2007 and has recently decided her time in this role has come to an end as she would like to pursue other things.

Over the years Debbie has spent endless hours ordering uniforms, liaising with parents, students and teachers, setting up for book sales day, stocktaking and opening the uniform shop after school and after hours. I am sure there are many more “jobs” that she does behind the scenes that we don’t know about!

On behalf of the Cressy District High School community we would like to extend our sincere appreciation for sharing your time and knowledge over the 8 years and we highly value your contribution to the school.

We have been very lucky to have you and wish you all best for the future!

Dearne Baker - School Business Manager
Christmas in Prep/1B - Oliver/Beven

Prep/1B have been creating Christmas artwork.
What clever growing artists we are.

Prep/1B Oliver Beven have been dreaming of a new cubby house for our playground this Christmas. And luckily our very own Christmas Elf, Mr Richard Goss, and his merry team of helpers, have made our wish come true. A HUGE thank you to you all for giving us a new piece of playground equipment to enjoy for many years to come. A special thank you also to Skyline Roofing for donating the roofing tin to help complete the project.

Mrs Beck Oliver - Class Teacher
Longford Netball Club

Club registration will be held at the Longford Sports Centre on Wednesday 20th January 2016 from 5.30pm – 7pm.

Selection trials on Wednesday 27th January from 5.30pm-6.30pm for ages 8-13 and 6.30pm-7.30pm for ages 14 to open.

If you have any questions please contact any of the committee below:

Kendra Perkins (President) 0427 866 926
Angela Cresswell (Secretary) 0408 973 415
Carol Spencer (Treasurer) 0409 973 564

If you are interested in joining our club as a coach or umpire please contact any of the committee.
PRIMARY AWARDS
Prize for Citizenship
Georgina Baldwin
Prize for Perseverance
Dimity Gibbons
Bonnie Bayles Memorial Prize for Co-operation
Johney Cross
Bonnie Bayles Memorial Prize for Service
Nathaniel Butler
Longford Rotary Club’s Literacy Award
Fareed Hassan
Councillor Mary Knowles “Outdoor Education Award”
Cooper Brazendale
The Gibson Memorial Prize for Grade 1
Monieka Bryant & Jude Hicks

KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 6 CONSISTENT APPLICATION & ACHIEVEMENT
Kindergarten
Georgie Tole
Prep /1A
Isabella Dougall
Prep/1 B
Shannan McCallum
Grade 2/3
Emily Hogarth
Grade 3/4
Riley Flood
Grade 5
Ella Mason
Grade 5/6
Maryanne Gleeson-Natoli

KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 6 OVERALL IMPROVEMENT
Kindergarten
Abby Reeve
Prep /1A
Thomas Cole
Prep/1B
Kian Smith
Grade 2/3
Emily Bowerman
Grade 3/4
Sharni Rowbottom
Grade 5
Tyler Reeve
Grade 5/6
Logan Brinckman

BUSARIES
Northern Midlands R & SLA Sub Branch Bursary for All-Round Potential
Daniel Butterworth
Perth Lions Club Bursary
Dyontae Barnes
Ricoh Pupil of the Year
Fareed Hassan
CDHS Reach Upward Scholarship
Logan Brinckman

SPORTS AWARDS
Athletics
Ty Kennewell & Dimity Gibbons
Football
Ty Kennewell
Hockey
Fareed Hassan
Cross Country
Ty Kennewell & Dimity Gibbons
Swimming
Jack Jones
NMPSS Sportsperson of the Year
Ty Kennewell & Dimity Gibbons
PRIMARY AWARDS CONTINUED

PARENTS AND FRIENDS CLASSROOM BOOKS
Kindergarten
Prep/1 A
Prep/1B
Grade 2/3
Grade 3/4
Grade 5
Grade 5/6

SECONDARY AWARDS

Prize for Character and Leadership
Prize for Service to the School
The Minister for Education and Training Respectful Student Award
The M & L Badcock Memorial Prize for Thoughtfulness and Willingness to Assist Others Year 10
Vocational Pathway Award - Outstanding Achievement
Vocational Pathway Award - Encouragement
Careers Leadership Award
The Terry Badcock Memorial Prize for Service to the School Farm
The Donna Ritchie Memorial Prize for Thoughtfulness and Willingness to Assist Others Year 9
The Donna Ritchie Memorial Prize for Thoughtfulness and Willingness to Assist Others Year 8
The Donna Ritchie Memorial Prize for Thoughtfulness and Willingness to Assist Others Year 7
Prize for Consistent Application and Achievement 7A
Prize for Consistent Application and Achievement 7B
Prize for Consistent Application and Achievement 8A
Prize for Consistent Application and Achievement 8B
Prize for Consistent Application and Achievement 9A
Prize for Consistent Application and Achievement 9B
The FJ Murfett Memorial Prize for Hands-on Learning Activity
Aussie Spirit Award (instigated by Roberts Real Estate - Longford)
The Lyons Shield (instigated by Eric Hutchinson)

SUBJECT PRIZES

English
Geography
Mathematics
History
Health and Physical Education
Art
Wood Technology
Metal Technology
Technology Construction
Food Technology
Child Studies

RECIPIENT

Hunter Norris & Isabell Norman
Madeline Hogarth & Daniel De Waal
Ollie Reid & Kinsey James
Jack McGee & Dekaya Bussey
Makayla Bryant & Chase Duggan
William Bowerman & Katie Cross
Emmi-Lou Bowerman & Jacob Donohue
Maddison Campbell
Brittany Goss
Lauren Spencer
Katelyn Cawthen
Corey Campbell
Alec Niekamp
Maddison Campbell
Bailey Freeman
Tiffany Mole
Zara Lowe-Blakeley
Tayla Luttrell
Rebekah MacKenzie
Matthew Carlson
Hayley Brooks
Zara Lowe-Blakeley
Michael Elliott
Declan Dwyer
James Spencer
Bianca Daley
Brittany Goss
Maddison Campbell
Corey Campbell
Jemimah Clifford
Toby Chugg
Xavier Cherdron
Katelyn Cawthen
Daniel McCullagh
Tristan Acheson
Jake Gibbons
Maddison Campbell
Angela Neitzel
TERM DATES FOR 2016

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Students commence Wednesday 3rd Feb | Friday 8th April - (Student Free Day)  
Students finish on Thursday 7th April |
| Easter | Good Friday 25th March to Tuesday 29th March (inclusive) | |
| Term 2 | Monday 26th April | Friday 1st July |
| Term 3 | Monday 18th July (Student Free Day)  
Students commence Tuesday 19th July | Friday 23rd September |
| Term 4 | Monday 10th October | Wednesday 21st December |
|       | Student Free Day - Friday 21st October |       |

SECONDARY AWARDS - CONTINUED

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Longford Rotary Books

Once again the Longford Rotary Club very kindly donated a book to all of our students Kindergarten to Grade 2. This is such a wonderful gesture that our families appreciate very much. We would like to thank Mr Ford, Mr McGee and the Rotary Exchange Student Matt (from Brazil) for coming along to present the books to our students. Books are such a precious resource and we hope our families enjoy reading their new books together.

Mrs Sandy Long - AST Primary

Merry Christmas and a happy and safe New Year from staff and students at Cressy District High School.

The School office will re-open on Monday 18th January 2016 from 9.00am until 3.00pm.