Dear Parents,

**Classes 2015**
Thank you to all the parents and students who have made the transition to new classes so easily.
We now have 2 Amber and welcome Ms Ellen Musumeci to our school family this year.
3/4Garnet has now been formed and the teacher is Mrs Kristina MacPhail.
The smaller class sizes will enable each child to receive more individual attention from the teachers which in turn leads to higher learning outcomes.

**Meet the Teacher Night**
We have organised these nights this year to ensure we communicate more effectively with parents about class expectations, units of work to be taught and general operational matters within each classroom. It is a great opportunity to meet your child’s teacher.

This evening -
- Kindergarten (Early Stage 1) 5.30-6.15pm
- Years 1 and 2 (Stage 1) 6.15-7pm

Tuesday evening -
- Years 3 and 4 (Stage 2) 5.30-6.15pm
- Years 5 and 6 (Stage 3) 6.15-7pm

**P&C AGM** – Friday, March 6 at 10am
Nominations are currently being called for the P&C Committee for 2015.
If you would like to support our school by nominating for a position, or nominating another person, please complete the slip attached to this Informer and return to the office.
Absentee votes will be counted if you are a Financial Member of P&C ($1).
School Reward System

Every second Friday, whole school assembly takes place in the hall at 9.15am.
An integral part of the assembly is the presentation of awards. When your child receives 5 Merit Certificates, please bring then to the office so that he/she can be presented with the appropriate Principal’s Award at Assembly.

The Grange Public School Award System
5 Grange Grinners 1 Merit Certificate
5 Merit Certificates 1 Principal’s Award
2 Principal’s Awards The Grange Achievement Award
3 Principal’s Awards P&C Award
4 Principal’s Awards Bronze Ribbon
6 Principal’s Awards Silver Ribbon
8 Principal’s Awards Gold Ribbon
10 Principal’s Awards Bronze Medallion
12 Principal’s Awards Silver Medallion
14 Principal’s Awards Gold Medallion
16 Principal’s Awards Grange Cup

NSW Police Safety Handbook
The Child Safety Handbook has been produced by NSW Police Legacy, in consultation with The Protective Behaviours Consultancy Group of NSW. It aims to raise awareness about the risks to children and the steps that can be taken to protect them and keep them safe. It is intended that, state-wide, all primary school students aged 5-7 years old will receive a free copy of the Handbook. Families with children in K-2 will receive a handbook with this letter.

Parking
We realise that parking is difficult around the school however we have had a number of complaints from residents about parents parking across driveways. For safety reasons please adhere to the signs at the school car park and do not park there to drop off or pick up students before and after school.
Best wishes for a successful partnership with our school this year.
Lynne Wilson Principal

Principal’s Awards
Tina Horton  Connor Bellamy
Falken Mataipule  Jayden Maarseeven
Thomas Draper  Taylan Pierce
Claire Lee  Katherine Hewat
Lauren Foley

Grange Achievement Award
Ryan Ali  Sahil Sajid

P&C Award
Jana Islam  Chad Geering

Bronze Award
Zac Hewat

Silver Award
Sarena Sakeander

Campbelltown Performing Arts High School

Each year, the school holds auditions for talented students with a strong interest in Dance, Drama, Vocal, Instrumental Music and Circus skills.

Auditions will be held at CPAHS on 16th, 17th and 18th March for Year 6 students entering Year 7 in 2016.

Application forms can be obtained from our office.

Applications close February 27th 2015.

INFORMATION EVENING 18TH FEBRUARY AT 6PM.
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Our incredible activities include:

- Cooking
- Human Body
- Weekly Activities
- Library
- Music
- Physical Education
- Paper Plate Crafts
- Healthy Eating/Art
- Indoor/Outdoor Play

Program Details

The Camp Australia Team

Care Rebal and can assist you with applications and enrollment information.

Customer Service Team know all about the Child Care Benefits and the Child Care Rebate. You can also call our Camp Australia Head office on 1300 105 933. The

Registration Fee is $50 of which

If you'd like to know how much you can save on the cost of our program, use

You'll see the Child Care Benefits and the Child Care Rebate, which can reduce the cost of our program as much as possible.

At Camp Australia, kids continue to come first in everything we do. But we also

Outside School Hours Care

Camp Australia

Middle School

Join a Tour of

Sarah Reffren High School

Open Night

Select class applications for 2016

Personal Development

Students are taught the highest standards of intellectual and practical skills. School is committed to ensuring students

attending the 2015 open night. Students and parents invite you to

The Principal's Karen, an excellent gathering with staff and students invite you to

Meet the latest students and Loch, a new high school.

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P&C COMMITTEE NOMINATION FORM

1. President

2. Vice President

3. Secretary

4. Treasurer

(Nominations can be for 1 or more positions)

Nominated by Child’s class

5 WAYS TO A HEALTHY LIFESTYLE

As part of a school initiative Live Life Well @ School, we are trying to promote a healthy and active lifestyle with our students. Attached to our school newsletter is a flyer containing information on how to keep your children fit, active and healthy at home. There are five simple ways to achieve this:

1. Get active each day.
2. Choose water as a drink.
3. Eat more fruit and vegetables.
4. Turn off the TV and get active.
5. Eat fewer snacks and select healthier alternatives.

Keep an eye out in our school newsletter for healthy food ideas

SATURDAY SCHOOL OF COMMUNITY LANGUAGES 2015

Information about Language courses offered at the Saturday School of Community Languages is provided at this website: http://www.sscl.schools.nsw.edu.au

Closing dates for all applications is February 20, 2015.

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