

Corryong College

Keeping In Touch

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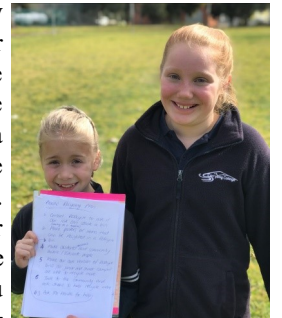
Dear Parents/Guardians,

This week started with the shock of hearing of Lombok's earthquake, 216km from Bali. Our college group of students, parents and staff currently in Bali, felt the tremors last Sunday night, however were not in an area where they were effected greatly or in high danger. After precautionary evacuations from the accommodation, all were returned to their rooms safe and sound. In ensuring the utmost safety of our college group, a couple of the activities were taken out of the itinerary; volcanic walk and boat ride out to one of the islands. Whilst our students were disappointed that these had been taken out, other great activities were put in their place. Another earthquake occurred in Lombok again yesterday afternoon however this was not felt by our college crew. It has been an absolutely brilliant week for them and we are so grateful for our staff; Sarah Klippel and Jose Miller for their great organisation, and all of the supervisors; these two and our two parents; Marcus Saxon and Stephen Norman, for the brilliant care they are demonstrating for our students and for the unforgettable experience that our students have had. What an awesome crew! We're all looking forward to seeing all the pictures and reports on their return late this Saturday night.



This week has been extremely busy in the school, particularly in the office as census and a large number of department reports have been due. I would like to take this opportunity to recognise the amazing work that our office staff continuously carry out and the great organisation that they demonstrate. Administration staff, at times go unnoticed, however it is these office staff that ensure our college infrastructure is well in place, allowing teachers, integration aids and education support staff to concentrate on our core business of ensuring the best education for each and every student. Thanks Gail, Lou and Vanessa for your great work!

Well done to the Year 5/6 for presenting the film Plastic Ocean to the community in the hub last Friday night. What a great job they did! Thank you for all those who came along. It was a great turn out. Their work over last term and early this term has really inspired many other students, staff, and parents to be more environmentally savvy. I have had students visit me asking for my support, of which I give whole heartedly. They are coming with great ideas to reduce our waste. Currently Paige Heinjus and Makayla Ardley are working towards facilitating the college with the soft plastic recycle bins of which we have phoned Coles Click and Collect to question if they are collecting soft plastics, of which they are. However, if anyone could offer assistance in collecting the soft plastics and exchanging them for their Coles Click and Collect orders, this would be greatly appreciated. Coles has stated that 'exchange between soft plastics and orders' is the only process of collection. Please contact the junior campus if you can assist. Paige and Makayla are photographed with their great proposal for reducing and/or recycling soft plastics.



The randomly selected parents have had their opinion survey letters with logon and password sent home, as well as those who have listed emails, will have also received the details in email form. The **2018 Annual Parent Opinion Survey** is a great resource we strongly utilise to create the goals in the following year's Annual Implementation Plan. If you are one of those parents who have been selected, we ask that you **PLEASE COMPLETE THE SURVEY AS SOON AS YOU CAN!** Your views are highly valued. This **closes 26th August**. This only takes 10-15 minutes, yet is so valuable to our consistent efforts in school improvement. If you are not able to access the internet, please phone the front office and we can arrange a time and private space with a laptop at the college.

To end this week, I was blissfully entertained by our very gorgeous young ukulele players. It was quite the performance on the 'stage' of the concrete stairs down to the oval. The six girls had a great time strumming and singing their recently learnt tunes. A couple of small little video clips have been put up on the Corryong College Facebook page.

Wishing you a great week ahead during the week of National Science

Fran Heath
College Principal



CALENDAR OF EVENTS Term 3, 2018

Mon 13th	Tues 14th ICAS Maths Competition Year 5-12	Wed 15th	Thurs 16th MAT Year 8 1.40-3.20pm	Fri 17th MAT Year 8 9-12.50pm
Mon 20th	Tues 21st	Wed 22nd Year 12 CSU Visit Lunchtime	Thurs 23rd MAT Year 8 1.40-3.20pm	Fri 24th MAT Year 8 9-12.50pm
Mon 27th Parents Club meeting 2pm Junior Campus	Tues 28th Year 11 Melbourne excursion	Wed 29th CFA Advance Year 11 Melbourne excursion	Thurs 30th Year 11 Melbourne excursion	Fri 31st



Faulty Towers is a training Restaurant for VET
hospitality students located at Corryong College

Faulty Towers **Asian Degustation**

Wednesday 22nd August 2018
Wednesday 5th September 2018
Wednesday 12th September 2018

Corryong College, 69 Towong Road

Students can dine for \$12 a head, general public \$25

Bookings essential!!

To reserve your table contact the College

0260 761 566

All money raised by our students pays for their ongoing education and training in
the Hospitality field.

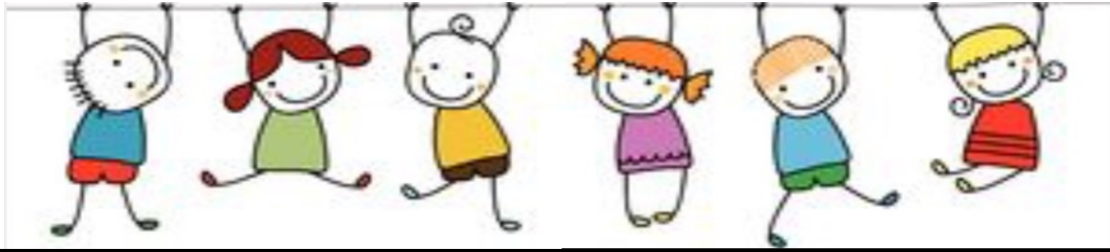
They are "earning to learn"



Homework

Home Group	Subjects	Homework
9A & 9B	Maths	Maths Mate due every Monday
9A & B	English	Spelling words due Friday
12	Psychology	Chapter tests 8-10

F-4 HAPPENINGS



Upcoming Events

Every Monday in Term 3

All students will have an assembly in the Library from 2.50pm—3.20pm. All parents are welcome to attend.

BOOKWEEK - 20TH—24TH AUGUST

The theme for this year's Book Week is "find your treasure". The Junior campus will be having a book character parade on Thursday 23rd August. All students will be visiting the town library for book week activities.

Tuesday 11th Sept - Parent Information night

Parents of 2019 Foundation students are welcome to join us for an information session at the Junior College Campus from 7-9pm

Wednesday 12th Sept—Year 2 Museum visit

Wednesday 12th Sept—Friday 14th Sept

Year 4 students will be going to the Snowy River camp.

Friday 21st September - Footy Colours Day

All students came dressed up in the favourite footy colours.



Sports time



PHONICS CODE OF THE WEEK

The Secret Codes – Whole School Phonics

Syllable Division:

When a reader knows how to divide a word into syllables, they read with greater accuracy and fluency which results in a comprehension increase. Syllable division also helps learners to spell with greater accuracy, as they only need to think about **small parts of a word** versus a long string of letters, which can often lead to cognitive (memory) overload.

So What is a Syllable?

A syllable is a small part or chunk of a word.

Every syllable has a vowel.

Word can be made up of 1 or more syllables.

Students need to know that there are different types of syllables. The three most common are:

- **open - the, hi, ra, ro, cu** (cv - vowels shout out it's name and says it's long 2nd sound).

- **closed - thes, hid, rag, rot, cut** (cvc - the vowel is trapped and says it's short 1st sound)

- **silent final e - these, hide, rage, rote, cute** (cvce - silent final e jumps the last consonant to let the vowel shout out it's name or 2nd long sound).

What can you do at home?

Grunt the number of syllables in a word and count each grunt on your fingers (grab = 1, grabbed = 2)

Hunt for words that have 1, 2 or more syllables

Break words up when reading and spelling into syllable parts.

Every Tuesday hot pies & sausage rolls

All students will be able to purchase hot pies and sausage rolls in Term 3 for \$3.00 every Tuesday for lunch.



FOUNDATION TO YEAR 3 LIBRARY TIMETABLE

F/1 N- Wednesday 2.20pm

F/1 B- Thursday 2.20pm

2L- Tuesday 1.40pm

3P- Friday 9.30am

It would be great to see all students borrowing books this term.

There's nothing better than cuddling up under a blanket in front of the fire during winter with a good book. Thanks for your support.

Wendy.

SUPPORT: PARENT, CARER AND EDUCATOR FORUM



The **SUPPORT: Parent, Carer and Educator Forum** is an opportunity for the broader school community to come together and learn from our team of expert presenters about the strengths and challenges of navigating the online world as a young person.

Our Head of Programs and lead presenters will share their in-depth knowledge of major social media platforms and the issue of (cyber)bullying, while also providing a range of hot tips and strategies that parents, guardians and carers can use to support young people online. This session also allows for an open Q&A at the end where we can answer all your burning questions.

The forum includes:

- The background behind PROJECT ROCKIT, Australia's youth driven movement against (cyber)bullying
- Some of our **key learnings** from working with over 300,000 students across the country in the past 12 years
- **Digital literacy** about what social media platforms are out there and how young people are using them
- **Credible tips and strategies** for how adults can best support their young person online
- **Additional resources** where they can learn more about different social media platforms
- **Q&A** at the end with our team members

We hope to see you at the Forum!



This forum is brought to you by Corryong College, headspace Albury Wodonga, Towong Shire, and Gateway Health's School Focused Youth Service.

When: Tuesday 4th September, 2018 6 pm to 7:30 pm, light refreshments provided

Where: Corryong College

RSVP on Eventbrite www.eventbrite.com.au/e/project-rockit-support-parent-carer-educators-forum-corryong-tickets-48725316734 (or browse Corryong Events) or via text to Sarah McQualter (School Focused Youth Service Coordinator) on 0429605617.

OP Shop Roster August 2018

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
13 AM Di Brennan PM Lorna & Sam	14 AM Chris Gray PM Lorna Kate Butler	15 AM Judi & Barb G PM Lorna & Bev	16 AM Tanya Costello PM Diane MacDonald	17 AM SHS PM Petrina Hewatt	18 CLOSED
20 AM Di Brennan PM Lorna Sam	21 AM Kirsty Heinjus PM Lorna	22 AM Judi Barb G PM Lorna Bev	23 AM Redel PM Kimb Heycox	24 AM SHS PM Melissa Humphrey	25 CLOSED
27 AM DI Brennan PM Lorna Sam	28 AM Colleen Wood PM Lorna Julie Matheson	29 AM Judi Barb PM Lorna Bev	30 AM Melissa Whitehead PM Diane MacDonald	31 AM Gabby Samwells PM VOLUNTEER REQUIRED	

If you can't work your roster day? Please arrange a swap with another volunteer or call an emergency worker from the list below.

Judi Mercer 02 6076 8382 Redel Whitehead 02 6076 8232 Joanne Bennetts 0427 762 276

Teigan Klippel 02 6076 2038 Mert Bennetts (Not Thursdays) 0447 761 294 Any queries regarding the roster call Sally Permezel 60760529 or email sallypermezel@bigpond.com;



Corryong College Council Meeting Dates:

The next meeting for Term 3 2018 will be held on Monday 3rd September with Facilities and Finance Committee Meetings been held during the week prior to Council Meetings.