



Corryong College

Keeping In Touch

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Dear Parents/Guardians, Capital Development - Exciting New Building to Come!

Last year we were very excited to hear that Corryong College were the recipients of \$2 million to improve building infrastructure that currently present the most need. This has been a huge push for many years from past Principal, Tony Valente and the many staff and parents of the college.

Through a lot of consultation between Department of Education representatives, staff and school council, we have had to evaluate our current learning environments and learning style to analyse our needs. Our buildings, including heating/cooling, maintenance of structural elements and effective learning environments, have been problematic for many years. Finally we are going to see improvement to the bricks and mortar of our brilliant college.

Our current learning model is formed on a basis of teacher collaboration, working as a whole community to support every child's learning with the belief that 'every child can learn, and every school can improve'. Student agency and student voice have our students from older years, supporting the younger students and students across the college having access to leadership roles. Continuing the cross year level communication between year groups, for students and staff, is vital for continued success. An area of focus has been pinpointed to the F-4 learning areas.

Another element of the evaluation is concerned with space entitlement. The Department of Education has carried out a 'space entitlement' audit. This includes evaluating the number of student enrolments over the space the college encompasses. On this level, we are well over-entitled in space, actually over half of the campus is over-entitled.

What does this all mean? It means that we are entitled to receive a new F-4 learning environment. This is exciting news! The new building will be erected on the Senior Campus allowing for greater collaboration between all staff and students in supporting our values around 'it takes a whole community to grow a child'. The turn around time for this will be approximately 12 months. We, as a community, will have the opportunity to come together to consult around the plans for this new building.

I can hear you all asking; what is happening to the Junior Campus? At this point in time, a definitive answer can not be given. The space will remain property of the Department of Education, however the college will not be able to utilise this space. For many, this will be upsetting as so many have emotional ties to these beautiful buildings and will want to see these continue to house our young learners. We empathise with this completely and this is where we are tied between emotional connections versus opportunities to advance in our learning environment. These spaces where we have first experienced our young years of learning, the development of lifetime friendships, stories of old teachers and the fond memories of childhood. We are faced with a dilemma, take up the opportunity to have a new building ensuring greater learning environments for our current and future students or hanging on to the older buildings of which we have not the funds to refurbish nor will be granted them and in Department terms as we are greatly over-entitled in space allowance. At this point in time, I ask you to be excited for what the future brings us in finally receiving a beautiful new learning environment for F-4s. I will be holding a community meeting to discuss this further, to ensure you are all heard and have the opportunity to seek out possible uses for this area after the completion of the new building. Further information will follow.

Congratulations to All That Demonstrated Comradery at the Swimming Carnival

Thank you to all the parents, students and staff that demonstrated their great support for our brilliant swimming carnival last Friday! What an awesome day! There were many who gave it a great go in earning points for their House by swimming as hard as they could in as many events as possible! Congratulations to Mitta who took the winning score for the day! There were many who had some great wins and these will be out in the swimming report. However, I would really like to acknowledge all those who really 'give it a go'. I love seeing the support the students give each other. It's what makes our college such a positive place to be.

Stopping those contagious nasties

Please let it be known that a few students have shown signs of conjunctivitis and school sores. If you do notice these appearing on your children, please keep them at home until they clear. These are highly contagious and make it very uncomfortable for the child. To ensure this does not spread to other children, we do please ask, seek medical advice when needed and refrain from sending your child to school. We thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Wishing you all a great week ahead!

Fran Heath
College Principal

CALENDAR OF EVENTS Term 1, 2018

Mon 19th Bogong Camp	Tues 20th Bogong Camp	Wed 21st Bogong Camp O & M Senior Cricket	Thurs 22nd Bogong Camp	Fri 23rd Bogong Camp
Mon 26th	Tues 27th	Wed 28th Year 7 Immunisation	March Thurs 1st OM Swimming	March Fri 2nd
Mon 5th	Tues 6th Year 12 Geehi Camp TBA	Wed 7th Hume Swimming (Junior) Year 12 Geehi Camp TBA	Thurs 8th	Fri 9th

PRODUCTION PRESS...



Announcing the Corryong College Production for 2018.....

Spamalot tells the legendary tale of King Arthur's quest to find the Holy Grail. Inspired by the classic comedy film, *Monty Python and the Holy Grail*, the musical also diverts a bit from more traditional versions of the legend. Instead, Spamalot features shenanigans including a line of beautiful dancing girls, flatulent Frenchmen and killer rabbits. Outside, there is a plague with a 50% chance of pestilence and famine. Throughout the show, Arthur, travelling with his servant Patsy, recruits several knights to accompany him on his quest, including Sir Bedevere, Sir Robin, Sir Lancelot and Sir Galahad. Besides the rabbits and farting Frenchman, they meet such characters as the Lady of the Lake, Prince Herbert, Tim the Enchanter, Not Dead Fred, the Black Knight and the Knights who say Ni.

Congratulations to the following students appearing in this year's production:

Jadzia Beagley; Emma Byatt; Cherrie Byrne; Belinda Chamberlain; Jaiden Detering; Malkara Farrell; Eliza Grenda; Emmatt Hammersley; Caitlan Klippel; Ethan Learmonth; Amelia Moers; Bailee Nicol; Dylan Turner; Rachel Paton; Hannah Paul; Barry Pearce; Angus Pilli; Ben Pitman; Blake Pryse; Scott Webb; Bridget Bailey; Caylin Bailey-Spicer; Madeleine Davidson; Abigail Davis; Stevie-J Ellis; Pippa Galbraith; Sophie Hewatt; Cheyenne Johnstone; Kady McCormick; Adelle McGrath; Bella McKimmie; Holly McLean; Erin Miles; Kelly Paton; Maisie Pilli; Jackie Whitehead.

Junior Chorus will be represented by the 2018 Grade 3 and Grade 4 classes.

Sarah Austin

Homework

Home Group	Subjects	Homework
9A 9B	Maths	Math Mates due every Friday

Corryong College Council Meeting

Due to unforeseen circumstance the School Council meeting scheduled for Monday 19th February has been unfortunately postponed. Miss Heath will advise all Councillor's on the next meeting date.



Corryong College Council Meeting Dates:

The next meeting for Term 1 2018 will be held TBA and Monday 19th March and Facilities and Finance Committee Meetings will be held during the week prior to Council Meetings.

F-4 HAPPENINGS



YEAR 3 STORIES

Last Friday we where at Swimming sports. Each team did a parade, we all sung the team song. Next we all jumped in the pool and we did the novelty events. Next we did swimming, first breaststroke then we did novelty events. I liked the Elliot song but I didn't like the day. By Angus Edwards

It was a mild Friday morning. We gathered at the pool dressed in our team colours. We marched around the pool singing our team song. We started the novelty it was over and under, finally the races started. It was breaststroke, I came 5th. We watched my brother and sister Jack and Shei do their stroke. It was freestyle and I came 4th. I had lots of fun at the pool. By Marlie McLean

On pancake day we went to the staff room to make pancakes. We cooked pancakes in groups of five. My group had Ollie, Sienna, Lauren, Brayden and Ayla. Nadia helped our group. First we made the batter for the pancakes, we used eggs, flour, milk and sugar. We cooked the pancakes on the frying pan. On the pancakes we had fruit, maple syrup and ice-cream. They were delicious pancakes. By Will Klippel



Our School will be participating in the Coles Sports for Schools promotion currently been run from 7th February—3rd April. Stickers can be dropped into the office or you can nominate our School for Online orders.

Thanks for your support



It was all systems go down the Junior Campus for Pancake Day. Some students cooked in their rooms, some in the staffroom and some students walked up to the Uniting Church. All the students were busy measuring and adding ingredient, stirring mixture and cooking beautiful pancakes. So many delicious topping to go on top. What a perfect day to be at school. I don't think their were any spare pancakes in sight. A big thank you to all the parents and friends that volunteered their time for this fun day.



School Vaccination Program: Corryong College

The first round of school vaccinations is being conducted at this school on **Wednesday 28 February 2018**.

The following vaccines will be offered on this day:

YEAR LEVEL	VACCINES OFFERED
YEAR 7 MALE & FEMALE STUDENTS	GARDASIL (HPV) DOSE 1 OF 3
YEAR 7 MALE & FEMALE STUDENTS	BOOSTRIX (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Whooping Cough) 1 DOSE ONLY

These vaccinations are funded on the National Immunisation Schedule. Should your child miss out on starting their vaccination course this year they will not be eligible to receive them for free in subsequent years.

Parent information packs were sent home recently.

The consent card (Part A) must be completed, signed and returned to the school even if your child is not being vaccinated.

To consent to your child being vaccinated with one or more vaccines, please tick and sign the relevant **YES** sections of the consent card.

If you **DO NOT** wish to have your child vaccinated with one or more vaccines or if your child has **already been vaccinated**, please tick the relevant **NO** section on the consent card and return them to the school by **Monday 26 February 2018**. Please return the card to the school even if your child is not being vaccinated.

If you have any enquiries about the program or your child's vaccinations, please contact Wodonga Council's Immunisation Team on 1800 655 360.



VCE Units 3&4 Information Session

When: Thursday 22nd February 7:30pm

Where: Senior Campus A Block (A2)

The purpose of this session is to provide Year 11 and Year 12 students completing Unit 3 & 4 subjects, and their parents, an informative session about VCE. This includes an overview of VCE jargon, ATAR predictions, work load for subjects and also study skills. Bring a pencil or pen.

SCHOOL MAGAZINE

If anyone is interested in purchasing a 2017 School magazine we have a few magazines from last year for sale – cost \$11.00

For all students that will be doing the Deb, training will be on Tuesday nights at 3.45 at the Anglican Church. A car will be available to take all students that have a 5.20pm Basketball match to Memorial Hall.



OP Shop Roster February/March 2018

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
19 Di Brennan PM Lorna & Sam	20 Rowie & Ann PM Julie Matheson Rowie & Lorna	21 Judi & Rowie PM Jane & Rita Rowie & Lorna	22 Redel & Lee PM Kate Butler	23 Redel & Lee PM Lisa Greenhill	24 Sarah O'Connor
26 Di Brennan PM :Lorna & Sam	27 Rowie & Ann PM Rowie & Lorna	28 Judi & Rowie PM Rowie & Lorna	1 Julie Farrell Sam Pryse PM HELPER REQUIRED	2 Bob & Barb PM HELPER REQUIRED	3 Sue & Judi
5 Di Brennan PM Lorna & Sam	6 Rowie & Ann PM Lorna & Rowie	7 Judi & Rowie PM Lorna & Rowie	8 Redel Whitehead PM Riccarda Brindley	9 SHS PM Lisa Greenhill	10 Lee Learmonth

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;

CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) APPLICATION FORM

School Name

School REF ID

Parent/legal guardian details

Surname

First name

Address

Town/suburb State Postcode

Contact number

Centrelink pensioner concession OR Health care card number (CRN)

- - - OR

☐ Foster parent* OR ☐ Veterans affairs pensioner

*Foster Parents must provide a copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS).

Student details

Child's surname	Child's first name	Student ID	Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	Year level

I authorise the Department of Education and Training (DET) to use Centrelink Confirmation eServices to perform an enquiry of my Centrelink customer details and concession card status in order to enable the business to determine if I qualify for a concession, rebate or service. I also authorise the Australian Government Department of Human Services (DHS) to provide the results of that enquiry to DET.

I understand that:

- DHS will use information I have provided to DET to confirm my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund and will disclose to DET personal information including my name, address, payment and concession card type and status.
- this consent, once signed, remains valid while my child is enrolled at a registered Victorian school unless I withdraw it by contacting the school.
- I can obtain proof of my circumstances/details from DHS and provide it to DET so that my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund can be determined.
- If I withdraw my consent or do not alternatively provide proof of my circumstances/details, I may not be eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund provided by DET.
- Information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to the Victorian Department of Health and Human Services and/or State Schools Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance.

You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child's school.

Signature of applicant

Date / /

CSEF ELIGIBILITY

Below is the criteria used to determine a student's eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

Criteria 1 – Eligibility

To be eligible* for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:

- on the first day of Term one, or;
- on the first day of Term two;
 - a) Be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the *State Concessions Act 2004*, that is, be a holder of Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
 - b) Be a temporary foster parent, and;
 - c) Submit an application to the school by the due date.

* A special consideration eligibility category also exists. For more information, see: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (a) or (b) above.

Criteria 2 - Be of school age and attend school in Victoria

School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and 17 years of age inclusive.

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and 18 years inclusive.

CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

Eligibility Date

For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (29 January 2018) or term two (16 April 2018).

PAYMENT AMOUNTS

CSEF payment amount

The CSEF is an annual payment to the school to be used towards camps, sports and/or excursion expenses for the benefit of the eligible student.

- Primary school student rate: \$125 per year.
- Secondary school student rate: \$225 per year.

The CSEF is paid directly to your child's school and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child.

For **ungraded students**, the rate payable is determined by the student's date of birth. For more information, see: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Year 7 government school students who are CSEF recipients are also eligible for a uniform voucher. Secondary schools are required to make applications on behalf of parents so please register your interest at the school.

HOW TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM

NOTE: ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN

1. Complete the PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN DETAILS section.
Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your concession card. You will also need to provide your concession card to the school.
If you are claiming as a Foster Parent or a Veteran Affairs Pensioner, you will need to provide a copy of documentation confirming your status as a temporary Foster Parent or provide your Veterans Affairs Pensioner Gold card to the school.
2. Complete the STUDENT/S DETAILS section for students at this school.
3. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office as soon as possible. The CSEF program for 2018 closes on 29 June, 2018.

CSEF payments cannot be claimed retrospectively for prior years.

Queries relating to CSEF eligibility and payments should be directed to the school.

Corryong Op Shop Volunteers

Thank you for your interest in supporting our Op Shop as a volunteer.

Our Op Shop supports our three local schools by providing regular, much needed funds for equipment that would not be purchased through the general budget, while providing a service to the wider community.

Please fill out your details below:

Name:

Address:

Phone: **Email:**

Please indicate below in what way you would like to be involved (Tick all relevant boxes)

- ☐ Working in the shop – shop
- ☐ Working in the shop – sorting
- ☐ Rag cutting
- ☐ Committee member
- ☐ Emergency relief
- (Your name and phone number would appear on the roster)

Your Preference for Work

- ☐ I like to work alone
- ☐ I like to work with others

What is your availability? (Tick all relevant boxes)

- | | | |
|-----------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Monday | <input type="checkbox"/> Morning | <input type="checkbox"/> Afternoon |
| Tuesday | <input type="checkbox"/> Morning | <input type="checkbox"/> Afternoon |
| Wednesday | <input type="checkbox"/> Morning | <input type="checkbox"/> Afternoon |
| Thursday | <input type="checkbox"/> Morning | <input type="checkbox"/> Afternoon |
| Friday | <input type="checkbox"/> Morning | <input type="checkbox"/> Afternoon |
| Saturday | <input type="checkbox"/> Morning | |
- ☐ Once a week ☐ Once a fortnight ☐ Once a month ☐ Bi-monthly ☐ Other

Please indicate any other special requirements; for example “I would like to work with ...”

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Thank you for your interest. Any enquiries should be directed to Sally Permezel, Roster Co-Ordinator
ph: 0418 474 995 sallypermezel@bigpond.com;

School Representative Name: Contact Number:



UPPER MURRAY GIANTS



Upper Murray Dance -

Classes have commenced for 2018 - offering a range of styles such as ballet, jazz, hip hop and contemporary. Come join in the fun! Enrolments are still open for term 1. A range of classes on offer on a Monday and Friday in Corryong and Tuesday in Walwa.

Please contact Bec Hamilton (0428 737 654), Quinn Obran (0400 720 266) or Kirsty Heinjus (president of the dance committee) on presidentumd@gmail.com, or you can check out the Facebook page - Upper Murray Dance

TRAINING MONDAY 4pm

Senior Campus Oval

OPEN TO ALL – NO MATTER

WHERE YOU ARE PLAYING!

Open invitation to all non-playing and current football players. If you are interested in a training run, we would love to see you there. If you are thinking of playing elsewhere, you are still welcome; you can use it as an extra training.

Bring your footy gear, runners, drink bottle and enthusiasm as we embark on a unique journey together.

Please contact Evan on 0432171927 if you have any questions.

MEET & GREET NICK JR.'S PAW PATROL

FIRE DOG MARSHALL & POLICE PUP CHASE



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Saturday 17th Feb 11am- 2pm

Meet and Greet
and many more activities!
Bunnings Wodonga

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