



# Corryong College

## Keeping In Touch

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

It has been a brilliant start to the term with the social being a hit for week 1. The costumes were elaborate and well thought out. I am always impressed with the amount of effort that all students, and staff, go to to make our events such a great laugh. From Dumber and Dumber, the chipmunks, Harry Potter characters, a nun, the tradies, the Village People, to students dressing up as teachers and each other. Everyone had a character reflected on the night. Thank you to all you parents, students and staff that make these events so great. There are many more photos on the college Facebook page.



We continue to keep supporting our Year 12s through the last weeks of their secondary schooling. All students have been busy chasing up their teachers for last bits of knowledge reinforcement and seeking out last edits of concepts learnt. This week saw the Indonesian students complete their oral exam. After much stress and angst, they did a great job in their efforts and should be congratulated in taking on such an amazing task. A sigh of relief was definitely heard as they ticked off one of their exams that will continue through to the end of November.

I was very taken by our young students, Cecilia Paton and Gemma McNamara, of whom have made it to compete in the Victorian Optus Junior Dolphin Meet Swimming Competition. This is amazing effort of which the girls have trained very hard. The two girls demonstrating their humble nature, have not taken on the enormity of such an achievement, but taking this on as just another challenge. Speaking to them, we are reminded of their innocence in their understanding around making it into a state team, whilst expressing such commitment and dedication to what they love. Well done Cecilia and Gemma.



### Student Led Conferences P-6

Wow! The P-6 students have done an exceptional job in addressing their stages of learning through the Student Led Conferences. These have been running over Tues, Wed and Thursday afternoons, and into the evening where students have delivered a presentation around what they have been learning, where they are in their learning and where they would like to be. These presentations are a strategy to empower students in their own learning journey whilst they build confidence in oral presentations. We look forward in continuing this process in following years. Thank you to all staff that have been the great support for this new program.

### Art Exhibition and Parent Teacher Interviews

Parents, please also remember that the Arts Exhibition will be on Wednesday 24th October. This is taking place of the normal Parent Teacher Interviews as a way of responding to our low parent attendance. All parents and community members are invited to this event. Teachers of students in Year 7-10 will be available if parents wish to chat about their child's progress between 5.30-6.30 and again from 7.30-8.30. The official opening of the Art Exhibition will be at 6.30. A free BBQ, art works and musical entertainment can be enjoyed by all.

### Sun Smart means hats over term 4 and 1.

A reminder that all students are to wear their broad brimmed hat for term 4 and term 1. Week 1 is always a reminder week, however it will be enforced that any student not wearing their hat will not be able to be out in the yard and will spend recess or lunch duty with supervising staff member. This is a rubbish pick-up penalty. Hats can be purchased from the front office.

### Your home internet set up - are your children safe?

I like to remind parents that whilst the school server is equipped with safety restrictions. Therefore students using their school devices whilst at school are protected from inappropriate and harmful sites. This is always being monitored as technology and websites change rapidly.

Whilst at home, these securities and safety restrictions do not carry with the device. It is your home internet set up that dictates setting. Therefore if you have not already, contact your service provider and speak to them about putting on parental controls and security setting to ensure your child is unable to access inappropriate or harmful sites. They can also be set up with time restrictions ensuring access to the internet is not around the clock. Remember, all children need that support in managing their down time, more significantly the amount of time they spend on devices. Screens need to be turned off well before bed time allowing brain and nerve activity to settle for a restful night sleep.

Wishing you all a great week ahead.

Fran Heath  
 College Principal

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS Term 4, 2018

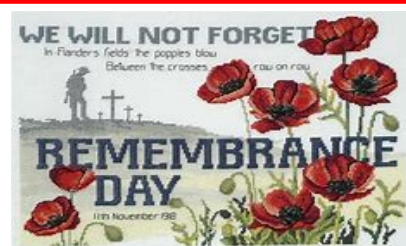
<b>Mon 22nd</b> Parents Club meeting 2pm Junior Campus	<b>Tues 23rd</b> Student Led Conferences (Jnr)	<b>Wed 24th</b> Art Exhibition 7-12 Parent Teacher Interviews	<b>Thurs 25th</b> Student Led Conferences (Jnr)	<b>Fri 26th</b>
<b>Mon 29th</b> School Council Meeting	<b>Tues 30th</b>	<b>Wed 30th</b>	<b>Thurs 1st</b> Walk to School day (Junior)	<b>Fri 2nd</b> Tuff Mudder (Snr) Kanga 8's Cricket Year 5 & 6  Prep Transition 9-11am
<b>Mon 5th</b> PUPIL FREE DAY	<b>Tues 6th</b> MELBOURNE CUP DAY	<b>Wed 7th</b> CFA Advance	<b>Thurs 8th</b>	<b>Fri 9th</b>

Corryong College will be holding a Remembrance Day service in the Hub. All members of the College community are invited to attend.

Date: 14 November,

Time: 12:10pm

Place: Years 5 to 8 Hub



### Corryong College Council Meeting Dates:

The next meeting for Term 4 2018 will be held on Monday 29th October with Facilities and Finance Committee Meetings been held during the week prior to Council Meetings.

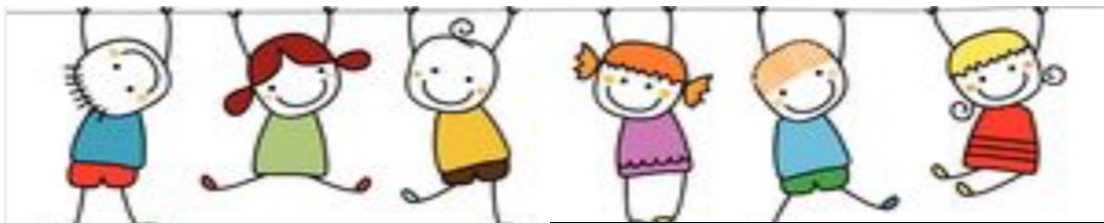
## Homework

Home Group	Subjects	Homework
9A & 9B	Maths	Maths Mate due every Monday
9A & B	English	Spelling words due Friday

### OP Shop Roster September /October 2018

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>24</b> AM Di Brennan  PM Lorna & Sam	<b>25</b> AM Colleen Wood  PM Julie Matheson Lorna	<b>26</b> AM Judi & Barb  PM Lorna & Bev Sarah Whitely Tayla Pierce	<b>27</b> AM Louise Middleton PM Diane Macdonald	<b>28</b> AM Bob & Barb Brown PM Nadia Edwards	<b>29</b> AM Kim Tight
<b>1</b> AM Di Brennan  PM Lorna & Sam	<b>2</b> AM Chris Gray  PM Lorna Sharon Daisley	<b>3</b> AM Judi & Barb  PM Lorna & Bev	<b>4</b> AM Redel  PM Heather Stockwell	<b>5</b> AM Lisa G  PM Colleen Wood	<b>6</b> AM Judi & Sue
<b>8</b> AM Di Brennan  PM Lorna & Sam	<b>9</b> AM Colleen Wood  PM Lorna Sharon Daisley	<b>10</b> AM Judi & Barb  PM Lorna & Bev	<b>11</b> AM Sam P  PM Heather Stockwell	<b>12</b> AM Bob & Barb Brown PM Kimb H	<b>13</b> AM Dee Lebner

## 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.

**Monday 22nd** we will have assembly start at 2.30pm as we have a guest speaker coming to assembly to talk about water.

#### Student Led Conferences

Tuesday 23rd and Thursday 25th October.

#### Art show - Wednesday 24th October

Corryong College will be hosting their annual Art Expo at the Hub from 5.30. See attached for more details.

#### Thursday 1st November - Walk to school

All students will meet at Attree Park at 8.45am to walk to school. Bus travellers will be dropped off at Attree Park. Students can wear crazy socks to school to celebrate the day. A healthy morning tea will be provided.



#### Bike ED

Every Thursday Year 2,3 & 4 students will be riding bikes inside the playgrounds. Students will be able to bring their own bikes and helmets each week. Bikes are available at school if you let us know that you need one. Students can store their bikes at school.

#### Thursday 8th November

Students will practise on quiet roads in Corryong

#### Thursday 15th November

Bike ride to Colac Colac Caravan Park

Coloac Colac Caravan will be hosting the school for lunch.

#### Monday 5th November - Pupil Free Day

#### Tuesday 6th November - Melbourne Cup Day

#### Friday 23rd November - F-2 Fruit Fly Circus

Students from Foundation to Year 2 will be travelling down to Wodonga for a special visit to the Fruit Fly Circus.

**Hats.** A reminder that Corryong College is part of a Sun Smart school and during Term 1 and 4 hats need to be worn for all outdoor activities. Hats are available to purchase at the office. Cost \$12.00.

#### Changes to Bus travel for Term 4

Could all parents please notify the college in writing of any changes in your child's travel arrangements due to sporting or personal commitments.



### PHONICS CODE OF THE WEEK

#### Rule 9 - 1:1:1

When adding a suffix (ending) to a one syllable word that ends in a cvc pattern, we double the last consonant before adding -ing, ed or er.

But if the word ends in either a w, y or x we do not double.

e.g.

shop = shopping

shut = shutting

plan = planned

rip = ripper

#### 2019 Foundation Transition Dates

Friday November 2nd 9-11am

Friday November 16th 9-1pm

Friday November 30th 9-1pm

Friday December 7th 9-3.20pm



All Scholastic book club orders are due back 26th October

#### SPOTLIGHT DATES FOR 2018

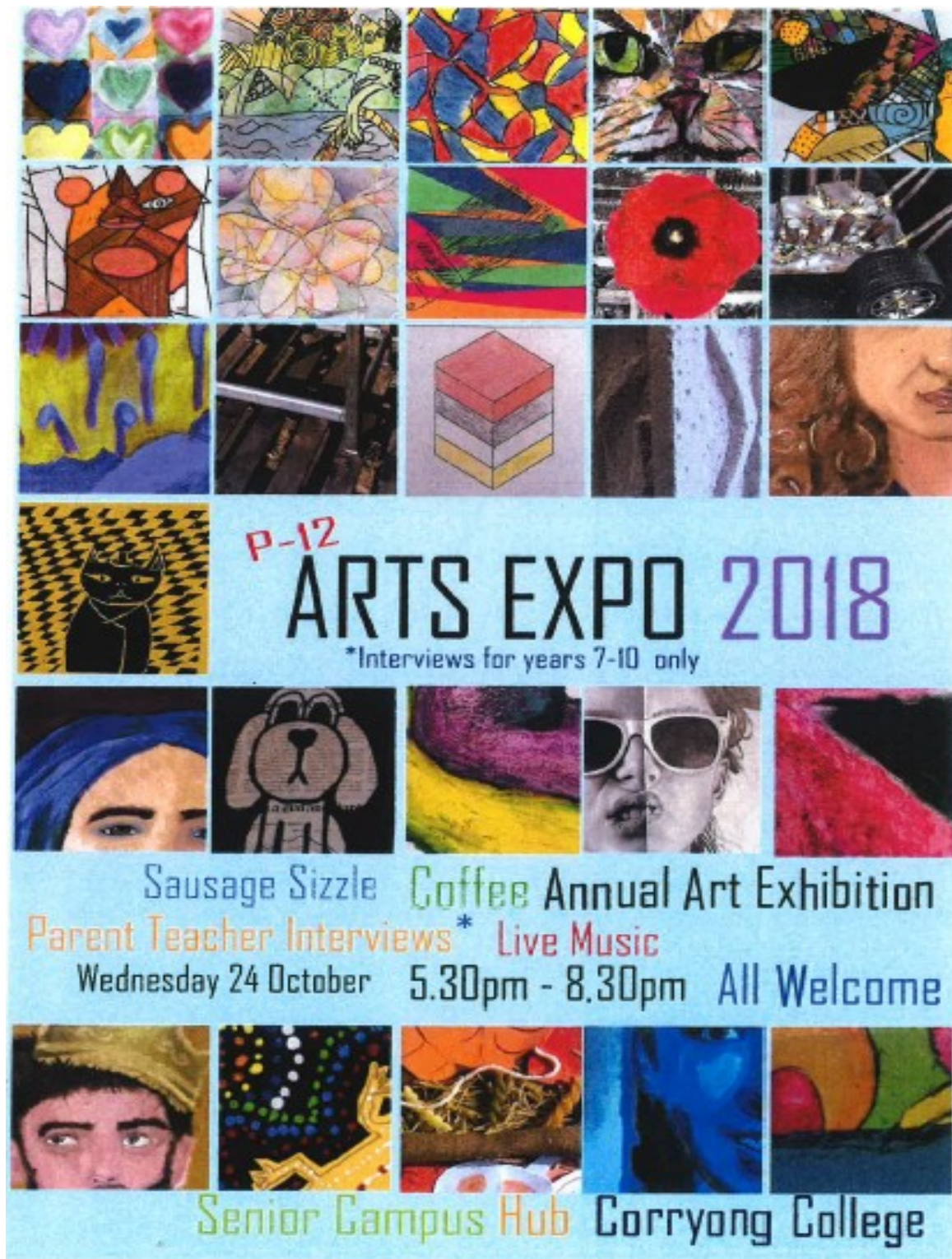
November 2 & December 7

Everyone meets at the quiet tree then walk to Uniting Church Hall. Five to fourteen year olds students are welcome to attend and enjoy afternoon tea, games, stories and craft activities.

Time; 3.30—5pm

When: 1st Friday of the month (not including school holidays)





## Corryong Gymnastics End of Year Events

Saturday 27th October - Circathon

First day of the new name that includes Circus + Gymnastics, Corryong Circastics

All day activities at the ECA centres 9.00am-9.00pm

Sausage Sizzle Lunch

Tuesday 30th October - Presentation Night

Starts at 5.00 at the ECA centre.

Meat provided for the BBQ

Class 1 and 2 bring a salad to share

Class 3 and 4 bring a dessert to share

