

Corryong College

Keeping In Touch

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

School Council Elections 2018

School Council elections have to be held at the start of the school year and members serve a term of two years; As Executive Officer of School Council I have therefore called for nominations for 2018. Detailed information about council elections and the timeline are set out below. Please note that NOMINATIONS close at 4:00pm on Friday, 9 March and that nomination forms are available at the College. If the number of nominations is the same as the number of vacancies a ballot will not be necessary.

School Council is responsible for school policy and oversees areas such as the selection of the Principal, financial management and the approval of school camps and some excursions. It is comprised of parent, staff and community representatives – half of whom change each year. The following elected members of our current School Council retire at its final meeting scheduled for Monday, 5 March. On behalf of the school community I would like to thank them for their contributions.

Parent Members up for Retirement: Ms Nicole Martin, Mr Barry Cadle, Ms Sharon Nicholas, Mr Colin Low and Mr Colin Brown of which we thank him for the great work, high professional standards consistently demonstrated and the endless support he has given the College and School Council team over the many years in the position of School Council President. As Colin no longer has any children enrolled, his position has had to be relinquished. Thank you once again Colin, Nicole, Barry and Sharon.

DET Members up for Retirement: Mr Neill Nichols.

I encourage parents who have an interest in shaping the future direction of Corryong College to nominate for one of the four 2 year or one of the 12 month vacant positions. Please see the timeline below:

1. Notice of election and call for nominations – Friday, 2 March 2018
2. Closing date for nominations – Friday, 9 March 2018
3. The date by which the list of candidates and nominators will be displayed – Tuesday 13 March 2018
4. The date by which the ballot papers will be prepared and distributed – Friday 16 March 2018
5. Close of ballot – Friday 23 March 2018
6. Vote count – Monday 26 March 2018

Declaration of ballot – Thursday 29 March 2018 (Publication in KIT).

Renew, Refresh and Revive

Parents Club this year are turning their gatherings into an opportunity to come together in an environment that is not only supportive, but opens your mind up to the varying ways to find balance in your life, happiness and new horizons. Parents Club will be starting the year off with guest speakers; our own Jodie Grzeschka and Rebecca Paton, will allow everyone to be immersed in the emotional healing and stabilising, as well as fun nature of aromatic natural oils. Bec and Jodie are well-known for bringing flavour to foods using natural oils, aiding in supporting emotional and physical health as well as the positive uplifting oils bring to any individual (adult or child) and household. Come and join Parents Club for this lovely opportunity on Monday 19 March at 1:00pm. Venue to be confirmed.

School Camps - Bogong & Tathra

I would like to make note of how great all our Year 7 and Year 9 students were at recent camps; Tathra and Bogong. All students demonstrated our strong 'have a go' attitude whilst supporting each other in stepping out of their comfort zone. Moreover, I would like to make a very special acknowledgement to the staff members that went on camp. This may seem like a holiday to some, however the reality is that our teachers leave their own families behind, stay up with the last child to fall asleep and rise with the first child that opens their eyes. They get up even earlier to ensure students lap up the environment in which they're immersed for those wanting a bite on their hook from the ocean or

that morning run in the bush. They play parent to well over 30 children around the clock and continue to perform with enthusiasm in each varying activity. The teacher on camp then returns to work, sometimes the next day, to teach a full day without break. Why do they do it? They don't get extra pay, overtime or overnights. They do it because they love to see the development in each students social emotional development. They love to give our students the opportunity to have new experiences or to allow them to navigate social situations out of their norm. The dedication of our college staff goes beyond any other school I've been in. It's a privilege to have such an amazing team and this is demonstrated not only in the great events they coordinate, support and tirelessly supervise but in the outcomes that our students achieve.

Please, if you see any of the staff, give them a big thank you! It goes a long way! Just look at them (photo of a few of our staff at the swimming sports). Who could ask for a better crew!

Take a minute to ask yourself, what am I grateful for? Take these positive thoughts into a lovely weekend.

Fran Heath

College Principal



CALENDAR OF EVENTS Term 1, 2018

Mon 26th Upper Hume Swimming (Junior)	Tues 27th	Wed 28th Year 7 Immunisation	March Thurs 1st OM Swimming	March Fri 2nd Shooting Team (Grading Day)
Mon 5th	Tues 6th Year 12 Geehi Camp	Wed 7th Hume Swimming (Junior) Year 12 Geehi Camp	Thurs 8th	Fri 9th
Mon 12th LABOUR DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY	Tues 13th	Wed 14th	Thurs 15th	Fri 16th Wodonga TAFE VCAL Day

CFA Mt Beauty 16/02/18

The CFA youth crew year kicked off last Friday the 16th. The bus departed at 6am. Some new faces put on the logo, then we got straight into the drills after a brief breakfast. The Year 9s had their first insight on how the youth crew days unfold. For the day, we climbed fire trucks, experienced a burnoff briefing, learnt a little about the safety out of the field and used hoses in water drills. The start of the season is always hot in our yellows but then imagine in a bushfire. We have a few weeks until our next meet at Tallangatta on Wednesday March 28. Well done to everyone on a great first day.

Ryan



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.



Homework

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



Corryong College Council Meeting Dates:

The next meeting for Term 1 2018 will be held Monday 5th March 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

This week we have been working on using descriptive language in our writing so that the reader can visualize the character

Descriptive Sentences:

One day there was a wolf and he was a white wolf.

One day there was a hairy wolf.

One day there was a scary wolf.

One day there was a wolf who was musical.

Rory the Dog Hunter

Rory is a dog trapper, he has guns.

He cover the cages in dirt, this tricks the dingos.

Rory helps the people so the dingos don't eat their chooks.

Ted Byatt.



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

Upcoming Events

FOUNDATION STUDENTS

A School Nurse package has been sent home this week for all Foundation students to complete. It would be greatly appreciated if they could be returned as soon as possible.

Next Friday 2nd March the Junior Campus we will be having a **Bright Colours Day** in support of MJD (Machado Joseph disease). Students are encouraged to bring a gold coin donation to raise money for finding a cure for this disease. Some students will be walking up to the Senior Campus for activities at lunch time. Two students currently at the Junior Campus have families that are affected by this debilitating disease. Bec Lyons (also a former Corryong College student) is a family member who has been diagnosed with the disease and is planning to complete the "Ten Summits Challenge" to raise awareness about the disease. The challenge is to climb the ten highest peaks in Australia over five days with some of the most experienced Mountain Guides. You can follow her progress by logging on the www.tensummitschallenge.com website. For people that don't know much about this disease there is a description below:

MJD—also called spinocerebellar ataxia Type 3 (SCA3)—is one of approximately 30 recognized, dominantly inherited forms of ataxia. Ataxia is a general term meaning lack of muscle control or coordination. MJD is characterized by slowly progressive clumsiness in the arms and legs, a staggering lurching gait that can be mistaken for drunkenness, difficulty with speech and swallowing, impaired eye movements sometimes accompanied by double vision or bulging eyes, and lower limb spasticity.

MJD is a progressive disease, meaning that symptoms worsen with time. Life expectancy ranges from the mid-30s for those with the most severe forms of early onset MJD to a nearly normal life expectancy for those with mild, late onset forms. The cause of death for those who die early from the disease is often aspiration pneumonia.

BRIGHT COLOURS DAY

In support of MJD and the Ten Summits Challenge



Swimming 2018

Two weeks has passed since our 2018 Swimming Carnival and as our competitors gear up for both the Upper Hume and Ovens & Mitta Carnivals next week, it's time to look back and celebrate what was a fantastic day that truly displayed the team spirit that we pride ourselves on. The pool was awash with colour from start to finish as students competed in a huge variety of events, all striving to earn those extra points for their house. In the end Mitta reclaimed the title of House Swimming Champions, overcoming a determined Jeremal. It was a wonderful day, filled with many highlights, perhaps none more so that Tyler Humphrey breaking Craig Maglesdorf's 20 year backstroke record—it was an awesome swim. A huge congratulations to all our competitors and a massive thank you to all the staff, parents and community members that made the day so enjoyable.

Final Results

1st	Mitta	2848 pts
2nd	Jeremal	2123 pts
3rd	Elliot	2046 pts
4th	Murray	1631 pts

Age Champions

9 Years
10 Years
11 Years
12 Years
13 Years
14 Years
15 Years
16 Years
17 Years

Female

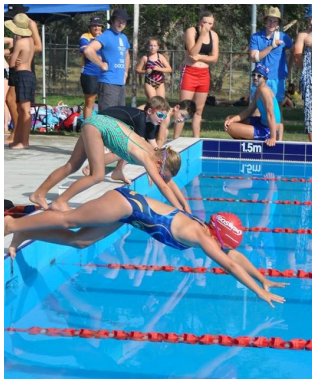
Sienna Moore
Tess Paton
Gemma McNamara
Hayley Whitsed
Bella McKimmie
Nicola Costello
Maddie McKimmie
Maiya Curven
Courtney Simpson
Claudia McKimmie
Molly Gilcrist

Male

Oliver Ross
Sachin Samwells
Beau Humphrey
Isaac Norman
Zac Whitsed
Tyler Humphrey
Hugh Saxon
Ryan Norman
Lachlan Brown
Bailey McKimmie

New Records

Jess Martin 13 Breaststroke 34.97secs
Hayley Whitsed 11 Butterfly 28.28secs
Hayley Whitsed 11 Freestyle 24.03secs
Zac Whitsed 13 Backstroke 54.78secs
Tyler Humphrey 14 Backstroke 55.01secs 20 Years
Lachlan Martin 13 Breaststroke 1min 02.07secs





YEAR 7 TATHRA CAMP 2018

"My favourite thing about Tathra camp was surfing because it was really fun" –Nicola

"I enjoyed surfing on the surf board and standing on the surf board." –Tim

"I enjoyed swimming through the waves and jumping over." – Jack H.

"I enjoyed going swimming and jumping through the waves. I also really enjoyed going surfing." –Amy

"Something I enjoyed on camp was swimming." –Catelyn

"I enjoyed mostly all of the camp. I enjoyed going to the beach every day. I also enjoyed having fun with all of my class mates." –Hayley

"I like the surfing and spending time with my friends and getting to know them a bit better." –Summer

"The sunset was beautiful as it hit the horizon on the ocean. The sky was a purple pink with a tint of orange." –Abi

"It was great to hang out with all my friends, get to see the ocean and swim and surf in it. My favourite part was learning about different environments." - Thalia

Tathra



The Student Leadership Team will be holding their first event of 2018 next Friday 2nd March. Bright Colours Day is back and this year we have a new cause. We will be supporting Bec, a former student of Corryong College and her family as they battle MJD (Machado-Joseph Disease). Check out the amazing Ten Summits Challenge that Bec has organised (visit www.tensummitschallenge.com). Students are encouraged to dress in their brightest clothes and bring a gold coin to donate in support of the Ten Summits Challenge. There will be a scavenger hunt taking place at lunchtime and of course a best dressed competition. Stay tuned as we bring you more information relating to MJD and why we should all support such a worthy cause.



The Student Leadership Team
Presents

BRIGHT COLOURS DAY

In support of MJD and the Ten
Summits Challenge

Don't know what the Ten Summits Challenge is? Visit
www.tensummitschallenge.com to find out more or tune in
during form assembly during the week.

FIRIDAY MARCH 2ND

dress in your brightest clothes
gold coin donation
lunchtime activities - scavenger hunt
best dressed competition

Corryong College Canteen Price List – Term 1 2018

Sandwiches and Rolls

	<u>Sandwiches</u>	<u>Rolls</u>
Buttered Roll		\$1.50
Ham /Chicken	\$3.50	\$4.00
Ham/Chicken with Salad	\$4.50	\$5.00
Salad	\$4.00	\$4.50
Egg	\$3.00	\$3.50
Vegemite	\$2.50	\$3.00
Cheese	\$2.50	\$3.00
Salad Tub	\$4.50	
Salad Tub with Chicken or ham	\$5.00	
Ham and Cheese Croissant	\$3.50	

Treats

Choc Chip Muffin	\$2.50	
Piece of Fruit (Seasonal)	\$1.50	
Yoghurt Tub	\$3.00	
Chips	\$2.00	Junior \$1.50
Pringles	\$3.50	
Cornito's	\$0.80	
Yogurt Tubes 5 for \$1.00	\$1.00	
Sunfruits Bag (Jellies)	\$1.00	
Donut	\$2.50	
Large Cookie	\$3.00	
Nacho's	\$3.50	
Noodles	\$2.50	

Drinks

Milk (Chocolate, Strawberry, Iced Coffee)	Sml \$2.50	Lge \$3.50
Juice (Orange, Apple, Orange & Mango)	Sml \$1.50	Med \$2.20 Lge \$3.00
Organic Juice	\$2.00	
Water Active	\$2.00	
Slushie	\$2.50	
Quelch 600ml	\$2.50	
PepsiMax 600ml	\$3.50	

SUMMER TERM 1
Canteen Daily Specials 2018

MONDAY -CHICKEN BURGER \$5.00 WEDGES'S \$3.50 PIZZA \$2.50

TUESDAY— INDIAN CHICKEN \$5.00, GEMS OR NACHOS \$3.50

WEDNESDAY - LAMB WRAP \$5.00, CHICKEN STRIPS/CALAMARI & SALAD TUBS \$5.00

THURSDAY - PASTA OF THE DAY \$5.00 PIE OR SAUSAGE ROLL \$3.00 NACHOS \$3.50

FRIDAY - CHILLI CHICKEN WRAPS \$5.00, MINI PIZZA \$2.50

ROLLS, SANDWICHES, FOCCACIA'S & TOASTED WRAPS AVAILABLE EVERYDAY (with choice of fillings) \$6.00,
Choice of fillings ; ham, chicken, salami, cheese, baby spinach, marinated capsicum, roasted pumpkin, mushroom, tomato, onion, feta.
Available every day for Lunch

RECESS FOOD Pizza Top Rolls \$2.50, Noodles \$2.50, Ham & Cheese Croissant \$3.50, Nacho's \$3.50
Toastie (Chick/Cheese/BBQ – Chick/Cheese/Mayo – Ham/Cheese/Tom) \$4.00 Chicken Pieces \$3.00

JUNIOR CAMPUS – No hot food available Monday to Thursday. Rolls, sandwiches, and salad tubs available.
Friday – PIZZA \$2.50, CHICKEN NUGGETS & SALAD \$4.00, Chicken Chilli Wrap \$5.

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.

MURAL DESIGN COMPETITION

Corryong College students have the opportunity to design and create a mural for the Khancoban Post Office.

Your design needs to revolve around the Snowy Mountain Scheme in some way.



ENTRIES CLOSE THURSDAY, 29 MARCH

Please see Mrs Krstic to submit entries or if you have any questions

OP Shop Roster February/March 2018

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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
12 Di Brennan PM Lorna & Sam	13 Rowie & Ann PM Rowie & Lorna	14 Judi & Rowie PM Rowie & Lorna	15 Meredith Higman Sarah O'Connor PM Kimb Heycax RECYCLING	16SHS PM Kelly Jarvis	17 Dee Lebner

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.