

# Corndale

## NEWSLETTER Public School



Term 4 Week 6

Monday, 18th November 2019

### Dates to Remember

#### TERM 4

##### WEEK 6 - NOVEMBER

Wed 20th Kindy Orientation - Day 3

##### WEEK 7 - NOVEMBER

Mon 25th - 29th Swimming Week @ Trinity

Wed 27th P & C Meeting @ 4.30pm

Tues 26th RRHS Yr 7 Orientation

##### WEEK 8 - DECEMBER

Tues 3rd- RRHS Yr 7 Orientation

##### WEEK 9 - DECEMBER

Tues 10th Year 6 Dinner 'Miss Lizzies'

Thurs 12th- School Concert- Corndale Hall

##### WEEK 10 - DECEMBER

Wed 18th Last day for students

### FREE AND FREQUENT TOKENS

Last week, we began a 5-week trial of staff handing out "free and frequent" reward token cards to students displaying positive behaviours in all settings within the school. These behaviours have been agreed upon by the students and staff and are advertised on posters throughout the school. Students placed their reward cards throughout the week into a container located in the office. Today, 4 cards were randomly selected from the box and those students received a small reward. Congratulations to Drew, Mack, Eva & Alexie for being selected as our week 5 winners.

### NAMING OUR PBL MASCOT

We had a minimal response last week when we asked our families to nominate a possible name for our PBL (Positive Behaviour for Learning) frog mascot. Students and staff have come up with a few options and we also called upon Uncle Gilbert to put forward the Bundjalung name for a green frog as well. This week, families are asked to preferentially vote for their favourite to their least favourite name. Please complete the attached voting slip and return it to school this week. Options include:

Freddo, Jarahny (pronounced jar-inj), Taddy and Bob.

### SWIMMING WEEK

Next week, beginning Monday 25th November and concluding on Friday 29th November, the students of Corndale will travel to the Trinity pool each day to undertake two intensive swimming lessons. We will join with the students and staff of Eureka PS to undertake the lessons. Travel will be by bus and the cost for each student will be \$40 each which covers the cost of the bus and the pool entry for the week. Students must bring each day: swimmers, towel and goggles(optional). Please transport these each day in a waterproof bag so wet items do not impact on other items in school bags. It is an indoor venue, so swim shirts are not necessary. Please return notes and payment to school this week. There is a possibility that I can organise a Friday lunch order from the Trinity canteen as per last year. If so, a note will be sent home as soon as possible.

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### CONCERT COSTUME REQUIREMENTS

To assist with this years school concert can we please ask families to provide the following items as part of the costume requirements.

#### The Bunyips Christmas

**Kindy to Year 3:** Black T-Shirt and black skirt or shorts.

#### Babies Revenge

**Year 3 to 6:** Dress in character and Miss McEwen will add accessories and props.

#### Cave Men

**Boys Year 5 & 6:** Black T-Shirt and black shorts to be worn underneath. Costumes will be made at school.

### NEXT P & C MEETING

Our next P & C meeting will take place next Wednesday 27th November at 4.30pm. All welcome!

### PARENT LUNCHESES- DATES AVAILABLE

There are dates available if parents wish to book in a date to supply lunch for the remainder of term 4.

Week 6- 22/11

Week 7- Swimming week

Week 8- 6/12

Week 9- 13/12

### HOMEWORK

**Spelling-** Unit 34 th th (thank that)

**Mentals-** Unit 33

A reminder that there will be a fabulous reward for all students who complete their mentals units by week 9 of this term!

### VIRTUES OF THE WEEK

**Honour:** is living with a sense of respect for what you believe is right. It is living by the virtues, showing great respect for yourself, other people, and the rules you live by. When you are honourable, you don't have to feel ashamed of who you are or what you are doing. You are worthy of respect. You set a good example.

**Idealism:** When you have ideals, you really care about what is right and meaningful in life. You follow your beliefs. You don't just accept things as they are. You make a difference. Idealists dare to have big dreams and then act as if they are possible

