

Corndale

NEWSLETTER Public School



Term 1 Week 8

Monday, 18th March 2019

Dates to Remember

TERM 1

WEEK 8 - MARCH

Thurs 21st Environmental Day - Rocky Creek Dam

WEEK 9 - MARCH

Tue 26th Year 6 Orientation Day - Richmond River HS

WEEK 10 - APRIL

Tues 2nd Life Education Van

Tues 2nd P & C Meeting from 4.30pm

WEEK 11 - APRIL

Fri 12th State Swimming Carnival

Fri 12th Last day of term 1

TERM 2

WEEK 1 - APRIL

Tues 30th First day of Term 2

HARMONY DAY- ROCKY CREEK DAM

This Thursday 21st March, all student K to 6, will travel by bus with the staff, to Rocky Creek Dam. Students will rotate in groups, with students from our larger learning community to engage in environmental activities with local environmental organisations- Lismore City Council, Rous Water, Envite and Dorroughby EEC. Children must bring their fruit, morning tea, lunch and a **WATER BOTTLE**. All Corndale students must wear their green and white Corndale shirts and must pack their hat.

YEAR 6 ORIENTATION DAY

The Richmond River Orientation day for year 6 students, has been locked in for Tuesday 26th March. The day will commence at 10am and conclude at 2pm. Transport is by private means. Please return the permission note for the orientation visit.

NORTHERN STAR- KINDY LIFTOUT

On Wednesday 27th March, the Northern Star will be publishing a Lift-Out of all Kindergarten classes from schools on the Northern Rivers who have elected to participate. Check it out as our delightful Kinders will be representing Corndale. A fabulous memento to keep.

LIFE EDUCATION VAN

On Tuesday 2nd April, Corndale will be hosting students from Whian Whian and Tuntab Creek to take part in a Life Education Visit. This will be a great Health and Personal Development opportunity and a social opportunity to interact with students from our learning community. The cost to enter the Education van is \$10 per student. Please forward this amount and the permission note to school as soon as possible.

LIFE EDUCATION VAN- HOME BAKE SALE

To assist the student council to fundraise, we would like to provide a morning tea everyone involved in the Life Education Day. If all Corndale families could provide a plate of home cooked morning tea- cake, slices, biscuits etc, we shall hold a 'HOME BAKE SALE' and sell our delicious treats. Thank you in advance.

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LPAF SMALL SCHOOLS CHOIR

We are seeking interested students in years 4/5/6, who would like to take part in the Small Schools Choir and perform on stage at the Lismore Performing Arts Festival in Term 3. There will be a cost of \$20 per student, which includes a CD, songbook and a choir T-shirt. Students who wish to take part must be willing to practice the songs at home as well as at school, participate in cluster practices and be available to perform on stage during the festival. Please complete the permission note as the cut off to be involved is the end of this week.

LPAF DRAMA ENSEMBLE

The call is out for interested students in years 4/5/6, to take part in the Lismore Performing Arts Drama Ensemble for 2019. The ensemble will be run by Cathy McEwen each Monday afternoon from 4pm-6pm at the Lismore Library commencing Week 4 Term 2 (May 20th) and conclude during Festival week in Week 7 Term 3. Students will be expected to perform at 2 nights of the Festival as well as Curtain Call (Term 4 Week 4). Cost for participation will be \$30 per student, covering the cost of rehearsals and a drama T-shirt. If your child is interested, please complete the expression of interest form attached and return it to school.



NRPSSA SPORTING TRIALS

NRPSSA Opens Rugby League and Hockey (boys & girls) trials for students in years 5 and 6 have been recently advertised. Trials for rugby league will take place in Yamba on April 5th and trials for Hockey (boys & girls) will take place in Goonellabah on Tuesday 9th April. If you wish your child to take part, please request a form from the office asap to take part.

WHOLE SCHOOL PARENT CONTACT LIST

Thank you for the great response to sharing parent contact details. Please find our 2019 Contact List attached to this newsletter.



TENNIS NET FREE TO GOOD HOME

Our old tennis net is up for grabs if anyone would like it. It does have a couple of holes in the net, if you are interested in taking this please let us know.

PARENT LUNCHES

Thank you to Sana and Jed for our delicious Hotdogs and birthday cake last Friday. It was delicious. If any other parents wish to provide a parent lunch, it is much appreciated. Available dates for the remainder of Term 1 include:

Friday 22/3-

Friday 29/3-

Friday 5/4-Chelcee Dauscher (for Miera's Birthday)- TBA- \$5

Friday 12/4-

Of course, if Fridays do not suit you to take part in this program, we are flexible with dates.

NEXT P AND C MEETING

Our next P and C meeting will take place on Tuesday 2nd April from 4:30pm. All welcome.



AFTER SCHOOL CARE CLOSING

We have been informed that the Corndale After-School Care service will remain open until the end of the term, closing on Friday 12th April. A P & C sub-committee are continuing to investigate alternative options for families requiring after school care unless an increase in permanent bookings takes place with Rainbow Region Kids to save the service.

SAVE THE DATES

As term 2 quickly approaches, it will soon be time for our school community to once again host our two cross country events. Please save the dates on your calendars for the following dates: Dunoon District Cross Country- Friday 10th May and the Zone Cross Country- Friday 31st May. Many hands make light work.

HOMEWORK- Year 1-6

Spelling: Unit 8 **f ff ph** (fat, puff, phone)

Maths Mentals: Unit 7 (2 pages)

VIRTUES OF THE WEEK

Confidence: is having faith in something or someone. It is a kind of trust. When you have self-confidence, you trust that you have what it takes to handle whatever happens. You feel sure of yourself and enjoy trying new things. When you are confident in others, you rely on them and confide in them.

Gentleness: is acting and speaking in a kind, considerate way. It is using self-control, in order not to hurt or offend anyone. You can be gentle with people and animals in the way you touch them and the way you speak to them. You handle things carefully so they will not break or be hurt. When you think gentle thoughts, it makes the world a safer, gentler place.



