

Corndale

NEWSLETTER Public School



Term 3 Week 9

Monday, 17th September 2018

Dates to Remember

TERM 3

WEEK 9 SEPT

Mon 17th Gilbert Aboriginal Art

WEEK 10 SEPT

Fri 28th Last Day of Term 3

TERM 4

WEEK 1 OCT

Mon 15th FIRSTDAY OF TERM 4
Wed 17th Musica Viva
Thurs 18th Lismore Show

SUCCESSFUL WEEK 8

On Monday afternoon, Cheyne and Scott from the Lismore SES branch spent the afternoon talking about their roles and responsibilities with the kids. We wish to thank them for their time and thank the fabulous volunteers for assisting the community as they do.

On Wednesday, the Zoomobile was a great success, with students from Whian Whian, Upper Coopers Creek and Tunttable Creek joining us for a presentation of Threatened Species from Macadamia Castle. This was then followed by some interactive activities to reflect on our school environment and ideas on ways we can assist Threatened Species. Thank you to families who provided home cooking to sell. The students raised \$86.00.

On Thursday, 4 students represented the school at the Regional Spelling Bee final in Ballina. Congratulations to Georgie, Mack, Emily and Luka on their efforts at the competition.

On Friday, the P6 relay competed at the North Coast PSSA Athletics. After 'an officials' error' was declared in their first heat, the race had to be re-run. Aidan, Zafar, Luka and Emily came 2nd and have qualified to compete at State level early next term. Congratulations to the team!

MODANVILLE -FRIDAYS

Last Friday was the last of our excursions to Modanville. Thank you to The Channon, Modanville and Tunttable Creek schools, for inviting Corndale to take part in their Sporting Schools rotations and interrelate programs. It was fantastic for the students to develop stronger relationships with our sister schools. Thank you to Ryan Swift and Stephen Manser for their organisation.

FRONT RETAINING WALL

Last Wednesday, Shane Casson (relieving GA) and Scott Hosking, put in a big day replacing the timber sleepers at the front of the school. It was amazing to see what they achieved in one day. It looks fantastic! Work will continue this coming Wednesday to finish off the job. THANK YOU, SCOTT, for your thoughtfulness and generosity by volunteering your day to assist Shane as you did!

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PBL MASCOT

As part of our Positive Behaviour for Learning initiative, I am asking parents and community to assist students and staff with the selection of a Corndale mascot, which will be reproduced on posters, signage, certificates and 'gotch ya' tokens, when the program launches. I have selected the mascots below for consideration as they have a connection to our school. The FROG: we have an abundance of green frogs at school (especially in the toilets), the CORN COB: for Corndale, the LIZARD: we have many water dragons in our gardens and finally, the COW: to match the one on our happy cow logo. Please feel free to come up with other alternative mascot animals to the ones below if you can justify the link they have to our school. Please forward suggestions this week as we will send out a survey in next week's newsletter and make a selection.



NEXT P & C MEETING

Our next P and C meeting will take place on Today, 17th September from 4:30pm. All parents and community members are welcome to attend.

GILBERT - ABORIGINAL ART

This Thursday, Gilbert Laurie will spend the day at Corndale, sharing his knowledge of culture and language with the students and staff. The students will also commence a piece of artwork which we will then enter into the Lismore Show. Feel free to pop in and meet Gilbert and assist with some artworks.

LISMORE SHOW PREPARATIONS

A reminder about categories that students can enter home-made items into:

Chook Art Competition (5-10yrs, 10-16yrs) – Chook Sculpture

Textiles/Craft: Sewing Article, Knitted Article, Any other Article, Scarf

IOU's TERM 3

Please check attachments to last weeks newsletter in case your family has an IOU outstanding for Term 3.

There is also some IOU's from the Zoomobile which will be attached to this weeks newsletter. Please forward amounts by the end of term. Thank you!

HALF DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

On Thursday 20th September there is a gazetted half day public holiday for local schools and businesses in the Lismore District, for the Lismore Cup Race Day. **Corndale will be unaffected by this**, as staff have opted to keep the school open and remain operational for the day.

AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Due to the half day public holiday for Thursday there will be no After School Care. Apologies for any inconvenience.

HOMEWORK

Spelling: Unit 25 (or, ore, aw, au - **for**, **core**, **paw**, **saucer**) + Activity Page on Reverse

Mentals: Unit 25 (Both Pages Please!)

Project: Unusual Living Thing

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 honorable, 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.

Trustworthiness: is being worthy of trust. People can count on you to do your best, to keep your word and to follow through on your commitments. Others can rely on you. They can trust that if it is at all possible, you will do what you said you would do, even if it becomes really hard. When you are trustworthy, others can be sure of you and you can be sure of yourself.