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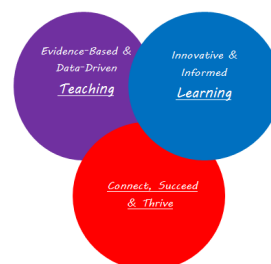
Corrimal East Public School Newsletter

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Term 2

Friday 19th June, 2020

Week 8

Upcoming Events

Term 2

Friday 3rd July

Last day for Term 2

Term 3

Tuesday 21st July

Students return to school

Monday 14th September

School Photo Day

Dear Parents / Caregivers

We were all very excited to be informed who the successful applicant was for the permanent Principal position (pending the 10 day appeal period). Jemima Gammone will be a valuable member of our school community and I know we will be welcoming her with open arms.

The students were very excited to fill the whole school reward tub at the end of last week. As a result we are organising a fun rewards day which will be held Friday Week 10 (the last day of school). There will be more information and details about the event coming soon.

Spanish lessons and scripture classes will resume in Term 3. It is good to see lots of routines/events starting back up again.

Unfortunately we have made the decision to cancel our Stage 2 camp. Camps are still not allowed to occur and we will not be told any updates about camps until some time in Term 3. We felt that this was not enough notice for the organisation of a camp and for payments to be received. Please fill out the reimbursement form and return it to the office so we can organise refunds. We are still crossing our fingers and toes hoping that the Stage 3 camp will still go ahead.

If your child is late to school, please ensure they go to the office to get a late slip before entering their classroom. This ensures our absence monitoring data is kept accurate.

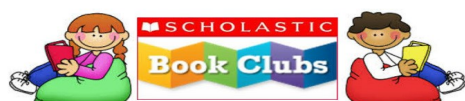
Kind regards

Michelle Munro

Covid-19 Testing

If you or your child is tested for Covid-19 please notify the school office immediately. Department policy states that all student/parent testing needs to be recorded with the department's incident hotline.

Your child is able to return to school once you notify the office of your child's negative results.



Book Club Ordering has now returned to normal for Term 2!

Catalogues have been sent home with your child. Please place any orders through the usual LOOP platform. *The closing date for this issue of Book Club is today, 19th June.*

Orders will be delivered to Corrimal East Public School as usual and will be sent home with your child.

Our Vegetable Garden

Photos from our wonderful vegetable garden. Thank you to Bunnings Bellambi for donating seedlings including snowpeas, beetroot, cauliflower and broccoli. They also donated garden tools, sugar cane mulch, fertiliser and seedling greenhouse. Our students love gardening.

Thank you Mrs Jansen for always keeping our garden looking beautiful and chasing up donations from companies.





The Back Page Mr Stanley

School Rep Sport On Hold Until 2021

Although community sport is nearing its return, sadly representative school sport will not be seen again until 2021. It is a huge decision that the Department of Education and School Sport Australia has had to make and not one that was taken lightly.

Schools have not had the opportunity to run their trials and this has made it extremely difficult, if not impossible for rep sport to continue on its original pathway this year. Please see statement below from School Sports Australia.

"The national body, School Sport Australia, recognised this issue and officially cancelled all national events for 2020 at the conclusion of term one (1).

We understand your disappointment and concerns in not being able to participate in these programs during COVID-19 restrictions in 2020.

It is anticipated that, where possible, participation based events will be scheduled and students and schools will have an opportunity to enter into sporting activities within their local school community."

I will be attending a North Wollongong PSSA meeting early next term to discuss ways in which we can still facilitate inter-school sporting opportunities such as gala days in Term 3 and Term 4. If you have any questions regarding the information in this article, please let me know.

Easties Heroes

Name Nate

Nickname Kerry Oates

Age 8

Favourite sport
Rugby league

What do you love most about rugby league?

Spending time with my friends. I love playing the game and scoring tries.

Sporting highlight
Scoring tries. My record is four tries in one game.

Most challenging thing about sport

Definitely tackling the fast people because you have to run fast and tackle them.

Favourite sports person

Mitchell Pearce. He plays halfback for the Newcastle Knights, they are my favourite team. When the other teams kicks, he always gets the ball. He also sets up heaps of tries.



Healthy Habits This week - Less Screen Time

Screen time is something we are all familiar with. Students in primary school, high school and adults are commonly engaged in screen time on a small screen. Things such as phones, tablets, laptops, televisions and gaming consoles are fun, but are they good for us? It can be challenging to limit screen time, especially during home learning and working from home, but it is very important!

- Students should aim to engage in screen time for no more than two hours a day. Some phones have a screen time app, check it out and test yourself. Parents too!
- Try breaking up long periods of screen time with physical activity. Go outside and burn off some energy.



Our School Canteen follows the guidelines as set out in the NSW Healthy Schools Canteen Strategy which means Everyday food **Green** makes up 75% of food choice and Occasional food **Orange** 25%.

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Please place your lunch order in the canteen slot by 9am, in a lunch bag. Correct money is appreciated. Lunch bags are available for an additional 10c.

Kindergarten Enrolment for 2021

We are taking enrolments for Kindergarten 2021 now!

If you have a child starting school next year

(or if you know anyone that is looking to enroll next year from our zoned area)

please call the school on 4284 4582

School tours and enrolment packages are available now



**THURSDAY
JULY 30TH**

**REGISTER THROUGH
THE SCHOOL WEBSITE
& FACEBOOK**



**ILLAWARRA
SPORTS HIGH
YR 6 TALENTED
SPORT PROGRAM
TRIALS**

**RUGBY LEAGUE
RUGBY UNION
FOOTBALL
BASKETBALL
NETBALL
HOCKEY
TOUCH, TAG & TACKLE
SURFING**



Illawarra Sports High School Year 6 Talented Sport Program Trials.

Illawarra Sports High School is excited to announce the date of the Year 6 Talented Sport Program Trials. Due to COVID-19 the original term 1 date had to be postponed. The trials will now take place in Term 3, on **Thursday July 30th**.

If you require further information please ask your child to see the office staff at Corrimal East PS for an information sheet. Please feel free to call Illawarra Sports High or email if you have any questions.

Parents who have previously registered do not have to re-apply. All registered students will receive an email confirmation outlining the detailed information they need.

SCHOOL PHOTO DAY HAS BEEN POSTPONED



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School photo day has been postponed! We have rescheduled to: Monday 14th September 2020

Please note the following:

- ❑ If you have placed an order online, that order is stored in our system and will be fulfilled on photo day.
- ❑ New envelopes will be issued to students that have NOT placed an order online. Students that have already ordered online will receive an electronic reminder about their upcoming photos.

UPDATE

New envelopes will soon be handed out to families who have not yet ordered their photos. If you have already paid there is no need to worry. The order will be transferred over to our new photo day.