Welcome back to Term 3. I hope you had a safe and happy holiday break and enjoyed the opportunity to spend more time with your family. Term 3 is already looking busy with excursions being organised, District Athletics fast approaching and preparations for Education Week well under way. Already in Week 1 of Term 3 we have a P&C Meeting and the whole school celebrating NAIDOC Week with a day of fun and learning.

Before we talk about what is coming up, I would like to congratulate all the students who attended our SRC Disco at the end of last term. What a great way to celebrate the end of Term 2. DJ STYX certainly kept the audience fully entertained with his high energy and diverse mixture of songs that made for a fun night. I would also like to thank our parents who assisted on the night with our BBQ. Your support is greatly appreciated.

I have some wonderful news, Mrs Caldwell delivered a healthy baby girl during the holidays. On behalf of our staff, students and school community I congratulate her family and proud older brother, Lucas, on the birth of Ruby Louise Caldwell. We wish Mrs Caldwell all the best as she adjusts to a busy, but exciting time in her life.

I have some other exciting news. During the holidays I was notified that Mrs Griffiths has been appointed to our school to fill the vacant School Administration Officer position (3 days per week - Monday, Tuesday and Friday). Mrs Griffiths is an extremely professional member of staff and is a huge asset to our school. Her enthusiasm for her role is infectious and I congratulate her on this permanent appointment. Well done!

You may have noticed that there have been some changes throughout the holidays. In the two weeks since school concluded, tree loppers have been into the school and done significant work to prune trees and branches that were a potential risk. We have also had the area around the tree leading to the bottom playground encased, with mulch to fill that area to be spread in the coming week. This will now double up as an area for seating as well as take away the safety concerns I had and clean up an area that was quite unsightly! Finally, our K-2 students will also be provided with new opportunities, with both the K-2 sandpit and the K-2 Cubby House now open and fully furnished with new play equipment... It is going to be a busy and exciting few weeks as our students settle into some of the changes that have taken place around the school.

Education Week will be held during Week 3 this term - 27th July to 31st July. Education Week is an opportunity for public schools to showcase some of the fantastic things that happen on a regular basis in our schools and to invite our school community to come in to our school. This year we are holding a “Grandparent Day - Open Day” where families are encouraged to visit classrooms between 10am and 11am on Thursday, 30th July. Also, from 11am onwards please bring a picnic blanket and we encourage families to join their children for a Year 6 fundraising BBQ.

Monday to Thursday of Week 2, I will be heading North to Coffs Harbour to take the South Coast Boys Touch Football team to the State Championships. During this time Mrs Strauss will be relieving in my position. I will return to school on Friday, 24th.

Mr Tim Fisher
Principal
### Canteen Roster

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### Gymnastics starts Week 2!!

A reminder that gymnastics for all students K-6 begins next Tuesday 21st July 2015.

All students are to wear their Sports Uniform every Tuesday and Friday of Term 3.

A Gymnastics note is attached to this newsletter, with payment required by Wednesday 15th July.

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### Woolworths Earn and Learn is Back!

Woolworths Earn and Learn is back and it is now easier than ever to earn valuable resources for Corrimal Public School.

From Wednesday 15th July (that’s tomorrow!) until Tuesday 8th September 2015, when you shop at Woolworths you can collect Woolworths Earn and Learn Stickers from the checkout operator and place them on an Earn and Learn Sticker Sheet. There’ll be one sticker for every $10 spent. Once completed, simply place the Sticker Sheet in the Collection Box located in the School Office.

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### Kinder 2016

Our school has already had a number of visits regarding parents wishing to enrol their child for Kindergarten 2016. This is great news!

Please find attached to this newsletter, a “Kindergarten Enrolment 2016” form that I encourage you to fill in and return to school, at your earliest convenience, if you have a child that will be starting in 2016 but are yet to make contact with the school.

If you know of a neighbour, friend or relative who will be enrolling their child at CPS in 2016, please encourage them to make contact with our school office.
MERIT AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students for displaying excellence during Week 10:
KINDERGARTEN - TYLA, HARRISON F, HARRISON G AND ALANA
AKAMA - KEYE AND ANGUS
BIRRUNG - ARCHIE AND ABBY
ARINYA - ALICE AND AARON
ILLUKA - ELLA AND KRISTAL
TULANG - BRAEDEN AND BRANDON

VALUES FOCUS

In Week 1 teachers are looking for students

FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS

VALUES TOKENS

In Week 10, students achieved 863 tokens! This has taken our whole school tally to 1536!!

The whole school will receive an additional PE session as a reward for reaching 5000 tokens very soon!!

BONUS VALUES TOKEN DRAW

Congratulations to Ellie, who was our most recent winner. Ellie received a Dragons Hat for her bonus prize!

VALUES TOKENS

Week 10 - Arinya

UPCOMING ASSEMBLY ITEMS Week 1 - Arinya

BANKING AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students for reaching milestones with their banking:
BRONZE: ALYSSA, TAHJ, BETHANY, OSCAR, ANGUS, HARRISON AND CIENNA

SILVER

JACK, CHELSEA-LEE, ISAAC, BETHANY, SAMUEL, SCARLETT, SARAH, ANNABEL, BADEN, CADENCE AND JAYDEN

GOLD

RUBY-LEE AND TAHLIA J

KINDERTGARTEN SUPPLIES RUNNING LOW!

As we are half way through the year it is becoming apparent that it is time to replenish our supplies. The children are running low on Glue Sticks, White Board Markers and Tissues. If you are able to send in these items for your child by the end of the term that would be great. We have had a busy first semester and anticipate that the second will be just the same!!!

Thank you kindly,
Kindergarten Teachers

Akama and Birrung News!

Welcome back. As part of our Science unit Material World we will be exploring how different materials change. In Week 2 the students will be investigating how heat changes raw materials by making pancakes. The ingredients are flour, sugar, baking powder, salt, milk, egg and oil. Please let us know if your child has allergies or intolerances to any of these foods. We look forward to eating some yummy pancakes!

Mrs Giesajtis and Miss Mulrooney
Stage 1 Teachers

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Last term, School Photo packs were sent home with your child. School Photos will take place on Wednesday, 29th July 2015. If you would like a Sibling Pack, please contact the School Office.
Please do not send your School Photo money to the office. Money is to be sent with your child on the day of photos and can be handed directly to the photography company.

RESPECT          SAFETY          LEARNING

PRINCES HWY, CORRIMAL 2518 | P 42844231 | E CORRIMAL-P.SCHOOL@DET.NSW.EDU.AU
P&C MEETING – 14th July
Our next P&C Meeting is this Tuesday 14th July at 6pm in the School Administration Building (enter via Wilga St driveway). Everyone is welcome!

If you have something you’d like the P&C to consider and you can’t make it in person on the night, we’d still love to hear from you. You can leave a note at the office or email us at cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com with a brief explanation of your ideas.

URGENT! SCHOOL BANKING HELPERS NEEDED!
We are currently seeking two parents to assist with the school banking program for the remainder of the year. The positions will require roughly an hour or two of your time Friday mornings. No problem to do with younger kids along. All that's involved is counting money and giving out tokens. One person drops cash off at the bank, and the other enters deposits on the computer & orders banking awards. If you are interested or require more information please see Kindy mum, Karen B. You can also leave your name at the school office or email cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com

FROM THE UNIFORM SHOP…

Stock Clearance Sale! All of our Grey track pants (from sizes 4-16) are now marked down to $5 each; that is more than 50% off their original retail price! Hurry now and grab a bargain before stock runs out. Once gone we will not be ordering anymore more.

Think Warm Thoughts: Now is the time to start checking out your children’s closet to see if they will need some new summer uniform items for this year. In the next few weeks a pre-order form for summer items will become available.

The uniform shop is open every Tuesday morning (8:45am - 9:15am) and Friday afternoons (2:45pm - 3:15pm). If you are unable to attend at these times you can also place an order (to be delivered to your child’s classroom) using our order form; available to download from the school’s website or grab a copy outside our shop’s entrance.

BE PART OF THE SOLUTION - 8th Sept
On 8th September the P&C will be having our Annual General Meeting. By regulation, all 5 positions on the executive committee (president, 2 vice presidents, secretary, and treasurer) become vacant at the AGM. Why not consider joining our P&C and making a positive contribution to our school. Our P&C can only function effectively if you (the parents) actively participate.

In order to run for a position and vote at the AGM you must be a financial P&C member. To do so you need to apply for membership, at any time before August 11th and pay a membership fee of $1. Please note if you help in the canteen then you are already considered a financial member.

P&C membership is open to everyone; parents, caregivers, grandparents, teachers, and members of the whole community interested in the welfare of Corrimal Public School. Descriptions of the various executive positions that will be available can be found on the school’s website in the P&C Section. For more information or you wish to join please see Lenora or email us at cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com

HAVE A CHILD STARTING KINDERGARTEN NEXT YEAR??
The Kindy Starters Playgroup is for any child starting Kindergarten at Corrimal Public School in 2016 and their parents/carers. Younger siblings are welcome to come along and join in the fun. Our 9 week program is free and will run from 9:15-11am once a week, starting in Term 4. Enjoy some storytelling, school-oriented crafts and make some new friends in an informal setting. A great way for your child to prepare and make the transition to “big” school easier. For more information or to RSVP your interest please contact Lenora C at cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com
HELP NEEDED!
If you would like to be involved with the school fete, there are plenty of things to be done. Are you interested in being a stall coordinator? Would you like to help out on a stall on fete day? We will need everybody’s support, (large or small), on the day and also in the planning stages. If you are interested in volunteering an hour or two of your time in the following areas:
- Photo booth Stall
- Cake Stall
- Fairy Floss Stall
- P&C BBQ
- Badge Making Stall
- Bubble Stall
- Soccerama Activity
- Set Up Crew
- Flyer Delivery
- Clean Up Crew
- Rides Ticket Booth
- Raffles/Auction

Please email cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com or leave your name on the signup sheet at the school office.

PROMOTE YOUR BUSINESS!
If you have a business how about considering donating your product or services as a prize! Donations will be used for our raffles/chocolate wheel at the Fete. It’s a great way to promote your business and support our school at the same time. Goods, services, vouchers, and financial contributions made to the fete will be greatly appreciated and acknowledged. Donations can be dropped off at the school administration office. If you would like more information please contact Lenora at cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com

RIDES n SLIDES
Children will be able to enjoy themselves on 5 amusement rides during the night thanks to PNP Amusements.

Once again we will be offering a prepaid early bird price of $25 on “unlimited rides” wristbands. A pre-order form will become available in the next few weeks. You’ll also be able to buy single ride tickets @ $5 each or an “unlimited rides” wristband @ $30 on the night.

SPONSORS & DONORS
We’re getting an excellent response from businesses to our request for donations for our raffles on Fete night. Our generous donors so far include:

Tuesday, 22nd June 2015

Gymnastics Program - 2015

Dear Parents/Carers

As a compulsory component of the NSW Board of Studies PD/Health/PE Syllabus, all students at Corrimal Public School will be participating in a Gymnastics Program run by qualified Gymnastics coaches. The program will run on Tuesdays during Term 3, 2015, beginning Week 2, for a total of 8 weeks.

The cost of the full program is $18 for the term. Please note that actual cost should be $32, but $14 per child for this program has been funded through The Australian Sports Commission, which is a government grant. Please forward your money and completed permission note to the Administration Office by Wednesday 15th July 2015. If you require more time to make your payment in full, you may do so by the end of Week 2 of Term 3, however, please send in your permission note and see your classroom teacher and/or the Administration Office regarding payment.

Students need to wear their sports uniform every Tuesday in Term 3.

This is both an enjoyable and rewarding program for the students and we look forward to seeing their Gymnastics skills develop.

Thank you.

Mrs Everson
Coordinating Teacher

Gymnastics Program - 2015

I, ___________________________ give permission for my child ___________________________ of
Parent/guardian name
child's name
child's class

to participate in the School Gymnastics Program on Tuesdays during Term 3, 2015.

Student's Medicare number: ___________________________

☐ I have enclosed $18.00 for the full payment of the program.

☐ My child has medical requirements ___________________________

Signed ___________________________ Date ___________________________

Disclaimer: As the cost of this activity is calculated on the approximate number of students attending, the school is unable to refund the amount of the activity due to any illness or absence.

Thank you.
Kindergarten Enrolment 2016

As we begin our preparations for 2016, we need to know our local/sibling Kindergarten enrolments for 2016.

If you have a child already enrolled at Corrimal Public School and have a child who will begin Kindergarten in 2016, please complete the information below and return to the office. A ghosted enrolment form, pre-filled with the information we already have, will be sent home.

If you have relatives, friends or neighbours who live in our local area and will be enrolling a child for 2016, please ask them to contact the office.

If you have already enrolled your child for 2016, there is no need to complete the attached form.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Tim Fisher
Principal

Corrimal Public School

Kindergarten Enrolment for 2016

Please provide an enrolment form for:

Family name: ____________________________

First name: ____________________________

Second name: __________________________

Male/Female (please circle)

Date of birth: __________________________

Sibling’s name: ________________________
Rewarding regular savers with amazing prizes.

We’re bringing the exciting news that an intergalactic Prize Portal has appeared on Planet Savings, giving students who demonstrate good savings behaviour the chance to win amazing prizes.

- 75 x iPad minis Wi-Fi 16GB
- 125 x Beats by Dr. Dre Solo2 On-Ear Headphones
- 200 x $30 Booktopia Gift Certificates

Help the Dollarmites activate the Prize Portal for a chance to win

To activate the Prize Portal, students must simply make three or more School Banking deposits during Term 3 and they will automatically be entered into the competition for a chance to win one of hundreds of prizes. Students can also complete a Money Mission at [commbank.com.au/prizeportal](commbank.com.au/prizeportal) to double their chance of winning a prize. (Please note, students can start the Money Mission at any time, but are required to make three deposits by the end of Term 3 to double their chance of winning).

Win books for your school library

We’re also giving schools participating in the School Banking program a chance to win one of 75 sets of children’s books for their school library, valued at $200.

For more information, visit [commbank.com.au/prizeportal](commbank.com.au/prizeportal)