

Corpus Christi Primary

GROWING TOGETHER AS THE BODY OF CHRIST

Newsletter

Term 2

Week 10

4 July 2019

Dear Parents,

Once again we have had a wonderful term filled with learning opportunities. The children have continued to apply feedback in their learning to reach their learning goals. They have participated in extra curricular events such as Sports Gala Days and AFL Clinics. We have seen children go on excursions to the Zoo and the Farm and have hosted incursions with Jarrara. The children have continued work on their Science Projects and have helped others learn when they have presented to them across the school.

Our Staff have continued their Professional learning is all aspects of our school goals. We have worked closely with CEDP Teacher Educators and Academic Partners such as Michael McDowell and Edward Sri. Our Year 1 team have completed the trial Learning Cycle in the development of the new Religious Education Curriculum.

We have welcomed new families for 2020 with our Kindergarten Interviews and continue to welcome new families across the school for next term.

It has been encouraging to see so many families participating in our Three Way Interviews this week and celebrating the achievements of their children.

We will celebrate all of our achievements at our School Dance Fever Disco tomorrow! Thank you to our Parent Representative Group for organising this occasion for our children.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a lovely holiday together.

Yours in education,

Sarah O'Rourke Principal





From Term 3 our School Assembly will be held on a **Friday**, each fortnight on even weeks throughout the term. We invite you to join us every **second Friday**. *Our first Assembly for Term 3 will be 2nd August 2019*.

ASSEMBLY

2019 SPRING MARKET SATURDAY 26TH OCTOBER 10AM-2PM



We are excited about our 2019 Market! We will have lots of activities for children and families- an inflatable obstacle course, jumping castle, mini netball and sport comps, mini golf, art competition, cake competition, CC LEGO Masters competition, and more! We have lots of delicious food options and great stalls!

To make our Market a success we need your help! We ask you to invite potential stallholders to join us; the application form is attached to this week's newsletter. We also invite you to send your ideas for the Spring Market to corpuschristi@parra.catholic.edu.au.



PRG DISCO TOMORROW!

Students can wear <u>Mufti Clothes</u> (Casual, comfortable clothing, closed in shoes)

* Snacks & Glow Sticks on sale at Disco from \$1.00

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Dear Parents,

Faith Formation

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C Gospel Lk 10:1-12. 17-20 Jesus sends forth the seventy-two.

Who has been sent on an errand? What did you have to do? In today's gospel Jesus sent his followers out with his message of good news. What was the good news that they brought to the people they met?

We are also followers of Jesus who are sent out with the good news. How can we be Jesus' messengers this week?

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Catholic Culture and Tradition

New Curriculum Update

Year 1 this week have been working on their final benchmark 'How does individual prayer help me to show love for Jesus and others?' They have been working with the prayer scaffold and finalising their work on prayer. The teachers this week have been working on inquiry in Religious Education. The teachers in Year 2 and 6 have had time to work on Knows and Need to Knows with the cycles they will be working on in Term 3. The Year 1 teachers and myself had the opportunity to listen to Dr. Edward Sri speak on the gospel of Matthew and we have also had the opportunity to work with Michael McDowell



Understanding Faith Online Resource

We are able to use an online resource to support our religious education. Why not check it out for yourselves.

https://primary.understandingfaith.edu.au/log-in

user : ceo.parra.6735 password : ceo.2019.parra



Social Justice

This term we have been focusing on gathering our donations for the St Vincent de Paul winter appeal. The scarves, beanies, gloves and socks for all those who will be suffering through the winter months are very much appreciated. These donations will be given to St. Vincent de Paul to distribute. A special thanks to Kate Crameri and her family, in particular her grandmother Eileen who has been very busy knitting beanies.

Vinnies Return and Earn



The NSW State Government launched the Return and Earn Container Deposit Scheme (CDS) in late 2017 in an effort to address drink container litter, which makes up 44% of the volume of all litter in the state. Vinnies paticipation in the scheme expands on its ethos and ongoing commitment to recycling, and is an extension of their retail store philosophy of reuse – helping to divert waste from landfill and supporting those in need at the same time.

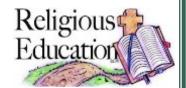
The program provides Vinnies with an additional revenue stream to help fund its Good Works within communities across NSW, receiving a handling fee for every container processed.

As part of our ongoing commitment to sustainability we will be supporting the return and earn scheme through Vinnies. Two bins will be established in our school for the collection of preserved will be going directly to Vinnies.

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Have a peaceful week,

Sharon Shahoud Religious Education Coordinator



RINCIPA

AWARD



Imogen Tierney - 3B Harrison Hotchkiss - 3E Rhys Ryan - 3G Gareth Cochran - 5B



Absent: Rhys Ryan

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

Benjamin Makhoul - 1B Sarah Bolton - 1E Lachlan Vella - 1E Emily Cropper - 3B Harrison Hotchkiss - 3E Nevin Vinu - 6B Lily Duhig - 6G Chelsea Shanahan - 6G



CO-ORDINATORS AWARDS

Darcie Baldwin - 1B
Zac French - 1E
Nicholas Benson - 2B
Coby Newman - 2B

Gabrielle Harvey - 3B Mikayla Macmorran - 3E Havahna-Eve Ale - 3G Sharni Cremen - 4E Abby Andrews - 5B Caitlin Medak - 5B Sophie Vella - 6G



MERIT AWARDS – Showing Care for the Environment



Xavier Cathcart - KB Hayden Britton - 2G Lachlan Monteleone - 5B Alysha Paz - KB Cailtin Xiberras - 2G Nelvia Vinu - 5B Flynn Vinton - KE Nathan Couto - 3B Ollie Mosbey - 5E Mele Kaufusi - KG Andre Markas - 3B Noah Rogers - 5E Brax Tengdahl - KG Tahlia Braithwaite - 3E Caitlin Dilley - 5G Lachlan Monteleone- 5G Jessica Fokes - 1B Charlotte Bryan - 3E Skye Daly - 6B Isaac Meigan - 1B Delilah Heterick - 3G Zac French - 1E Rhys Ryan - 3G Emily Tempone - 6B Larissa Morcombe - 1E Olivia Phelps - 4B Harley Davidson - 6E Chris Gerges - 1G Sienna Tunaley - 4B Charlotte Wilson - 6E Aleisha Grant - 6G Isabelle Squassoni - 1G Ryder Duggan - 4E Max Nappa - 2B Ivy Galea - 4E Lindsay Chong - 6G Ruby O'Brien - 2B Cassandra Hader - 4G Ava Ashmore - 2E Bailey Lean - 4G Dawid Jakubowicz - 2E

Oral Language at Corpus Christi

What's been happening for the staff members at CC?

On Monday the 24th of June 2019, the staff at Corpus Christi engaged in a Staff Development Day focusing on *Oral Language* across the different Key Learning Areas. The teachers were 'students' for the day, learning about the different strategies and ideas to implement in the classroom to build the oral language capacity of our students. We engaged in a professional reading around "Talk Moves" and used strategies for sharing the main idea such as *Concentric Circles*.

Oral Language looks like..... "Drama Literacy Workshops"

Some of the teachers showcased the Drama Literacy workshops the Year 3 students have been doing: Postcards, Tableaux, Neutral and Mirroring. All of these drama skills link into writing ideas, vocabulary building, active listening and speaking clearly. Whilst some of the skills were challenging, staff participation was engaging and practical for the classroom.





Mirroring



Tableaux

Concentric Circles

Oral Language looks like......"Talk Moves"

Strategies of Adding On promotes speaking and active listening; Reasoning explains thoughts and ways of thinking; Repeating is active listening; Revoicing is checking what the speaker is saying and restating this; Turn and Talk shares ideas with a partner; and Waiting is thinking or processing of ideas to problem solve. Talk Moves are being used in many Key Learning Areas across the school including English, Mathematics, Science and Religious Education.



Talk Moves

So.....let's talk, listen, reason, popcorn and mirror our ideas everyone! Ask your children what this looks like, what they think, have a conversation, actively listen and see if students can explain their thinking!!!

Miss Archer, Mrs Bray & Mrs Hamilton Leaders of Learning

MEDICAL ALERT - INFLUENZA A & B

We have been informed of confirmed cases of Influenza A and Influenza B at our school. These are highly contagious strains of the flu. If your child is diagnosed with Influenza please do not send them to school until they have recovered. Recovery is usually a week or so. Please see your doctor if you have any concerns.

<u>Year 6 Project Based Learning (PBL)</u> <u>Excursion to Taronga Zoo</u>

On Wednesday 19th June, Year 6 went to Taronga Zoo for PBL to study about the Green and Golden Bell Frog - why it is endangered and how we can help its survival. There were many other endangered animals too, for e.g. Sumatran Tiger, Sumatran Rhino, Koalas etc. We learnt what was making these animals descend rapidly in numbers. There were many highlights of the day but my top 3 highlights were:

- 1. Koala Photos: There were a group of five that stand underneath the koala and the teachers took photos.
- 2. Habitat Classrooms: We went in an enclosed room and saw many birds, lizards and bilbies. We discovered how a scientist keeps track of the animal (how it behaves) on a chart. I went in the Desert Classroom was better! whereas others went in the Woodland Classroom. I bet the Desert Classroom was better!



3. Free Time Around The Zoo: We saw many animals around the zoo my favourite would definitely have to be the tigers! Everything was great until the Bush Chickens AKA the Ibises stole some of our food!

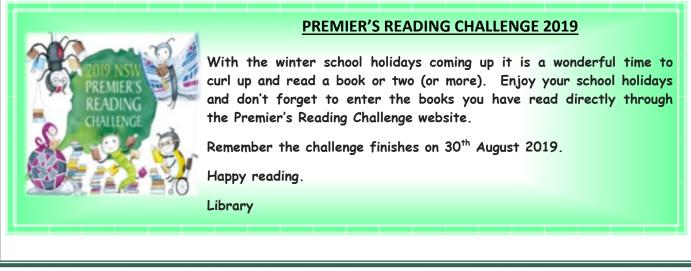
I loved the day out we learnt so many valuable lessons, I know I will definitely use those lessons again! It was the best trip I've ever been on!

By Sandra 6G



On Wednesday the 19th of June, all of Year 6 from both Corpus Christi and Trinity in Kemps Creek travelled to Taronga Zoo as part of our PBL unit: The Zoo Project. Whilst we were at the zoo, we had a blast and even had the opportunity to get koala photos, visit zoo classrooms, which aren't anything like the classrooms we have here at Corpus Christi, because they don't have any chairs or tables just a floor and some open animal habitats. We also got to listen to a few TED talks about Koalas. TED talks are basically information talks about a specific topic. Overall my favourite parts of the day were probably the koala encounter and free time. During free time we wandered around the zoo in groups. My favourite part of free time was by far the 3 sumatran tiger cubs. On the way to the sumatran tiger cubs we had to board an "Airplane" to Sumatra. Sure we had to wake up super early to get on the buses but in the end it was all worth it!

By Eloise 6B



SPORTS NEWS

ATHLETICS

At Assembly on Monday 1st of July, the children were awarded Age Champion and Runner Up Age Champion Awards. The children achieve these awards by placing either 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in majority of the events at the Athletics Carnival. Congratulations to the following children:



Christopher Xibberas Senior Boys Age Champion



Callum Donald Runner Up Senior Boys Age Champion



Ciarrah Henry Senior Girls Age Champion



Lily Duhig Runner Up Senior Girls Age Champion



Ryan Campbell 11Yrs Boys Age Champion



Nate Galea Runner Up 11Yrs Boys Age Champion



Ainsley Giampietro 11Yrs Girls Age Champion



Ellora Zorzo Runner Up 11Yrs Girls Age Champion



Mitch Dunk Junior Boys Age Champion



Connor Pryke Runner Up Junior Boys Age Champion



Liana Peachey Junior Girls Age Champion



Millie Gilmore Runner Up Junior Girls Age Champion

HOUSE POINTS RESULTS

Congratulations to **BROLGA** who were the winning House Colour on the day.

TAMAROO730ptsBANJORA930ptsARINGA940ptsBROLGA1105pts

CONGRATULATIONS

PD SPORTS JACKETS

Please be advised that PD Sports Jackets or any PD sports clothing e.g. hats, socks etc are **NOT** to be worn to school as they are NOT part of the school uniform. Please refer to the school uniform policy if you are unsure of the correct school uniform.

YEAR 5 & 6 BOYS SOCCER GALA DAY

Yesterday, boys from Year 5 and 6 competed in the Stage 3 Soccer Gala Day at Jamison Park Soccer Fields. The children represented Corpus Christi with pride, demonstrating excellent sportsmanship and team spirit. Well done to all the children on such a great day!

A huge thank you to our parent helpers on the day. Gala Days can not run without you, so your help and support is greatly appreciated.

Year 5 Team Manager Belinda Brischetto Year 6 Team Manager Laura Alderton





YEAR 3 & 4 BOYS AND GIRLS SOCCER GALA DAY

The new date for the Year 3 & 4 Boys & Girls Soccer Gala Day is **Tuesday 30th July**. Permission for this Gala Day still stands from the last note. Please inform Mrs McGrath by <u>Tuesday 23rd July</u> if your child is **unable** to attend this Gala Day on the new date. We still require a Team Manager for the Girls and Year 3 Boys Teams. If you can assist in fulfilling this role on the day, please complete the parent helper slip on the note and return it to your classroom teacher at your earliest convenience.

NETBALL

Trials for the Boys Netball teams will be held in Week 1 Term 3. Notes will be handed out Thursday Week 1 to the children participating in this gala day.

ZONE ATHLETICS

Notes will be given out to the children who have made the Zone Athletics Carnival Week 1, Term 3.

UPCOMING SPORTING EVENTS					
TERM 3					
30/7	Stage 2 Boys & Girls Soccer Gala Day				
9/8	Zone Athletics Carnival				
28/8	St Nick's Netball Gala Day				
13/9	Stage 2 Boys & Girls Touch Football Gala Day				

Melissa McGrath PE Teacher & Sport Coordinator



REGISTRATIONS ICAS ONLINE

Registrations for ICAS Online are now open. Please click on the following link and enter the Access Code provided:

Link: https://pay.unswglobal.com.au

Access Code: 73d86b1698

SUBJECT	CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRY	SITTING DATE	COST
Science	Monday, 26th August	Thursday, 5th September	\$14.50
Mathematics	Wednesday, 11th September	Thursday, 19th September	\$14.50
English	Wednesday, 11th September	Tuesday, 17th September	\$14.50



SCHOOL FEE INFORMATION

Instalment 2 (term 2) school fees were due 5th June 2019. Please make sure all outstanding fees are paid before the end of term. School fees can be paid via bpay/ postbillpay or eftpos. Please do not pay via cash (*this applies to Thursday 4th July and Friday 5th July only*).

If you are coming into the office to pay your account, please make sure you bring all the relevant documentation ie school fee statement.

KINDERGARTEN EXCURSION TO CALMSLEY HILL FARM

This term for Science, Kindergarten have been learning about living things. As our entry event for our PBL unit, we went to Calmsley Hill Farm! We got to see lots of different animals and explored the basic needs of animals. In our small groups, we were guided around the farm by our tour guides and learnt about their habitats. We also got to milk a cow, go on a bumpy tractor ride, watch a farmer shear a sheep and observe the farmer dogs rounding up sheep. The children enjoyed their day gathering new information which made them develop wonderings about their unit Living things.













As part of our celebrations for Grandparent's Day we will also have a Bookfair in the Library. Scholastic will have on offer a range of books to purchase with prices starting from \$4. Students have the opportunity to purchase a book for themselves and/or can select a book to donate directly to the Library. Your support by purchasing a book is a great way to raise money for the School Library, so that we can continue to add many more high interest books that the children love to borrow.

Adults can visit the Book Fair with (or without) their own children between 8.30 and 11.30. All students that do not have adults attending on the day still get to come to the Book Fair after 11.30. These students will be collected from their classrooms to go to the Book Fair once the parents/grandparents have left.

Happy Reading Mrs Micallef & Mrs Pethybridge

Friday, 26th July

Open Classroom

8:30am-9:15am

Book Fair in the Library

8:30am-12:00pm

Grandparent's Day Liturgy

9:30am-10:30am

Grandparent's Day Morning Tea 10:30am-11:00am



SPRING FAIR - Saturday 26th October 2019

We would like to invite you to attend this year's Spring Market. Please complete the application form attached and make a payment to secure your place.

Market Date: Saturday 26th October 2019

Time: 10-2pm

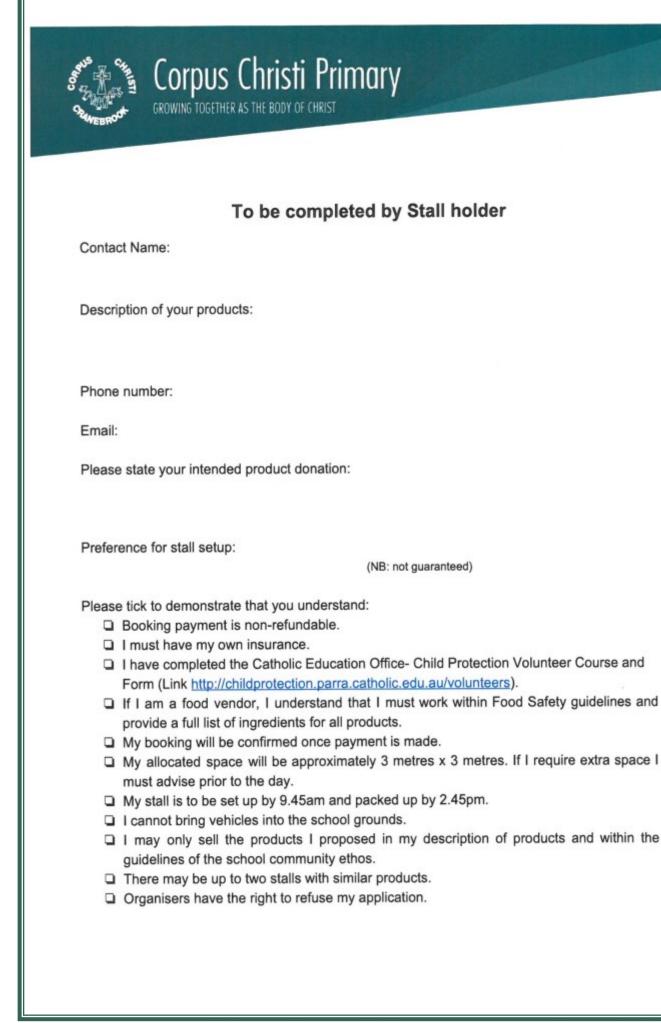
Location: Corpus Christi Primary School Andromeda Drive, Cranebrook

Cost: \$50 per stall A donation of a product to the Corpus Christi Fundraising committee (please include a description below of your donation which can be brought on the Market day).

Contact: Renee Blyth reneeblyth@hotmail.com 0417 261169

Payment Due: Monday 24th July 2019 Payment Details:

- Account Name Corpus Christi Primary School
- BSB 067 950
- Account Number 000 007 84
- · Reference Spring Market and 'stall name'



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY/
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