



# COROWA

## Public School

# news

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## Thank you, Mrs Baily!

We are celebrating education all week here at Corowa Public School! Our celebrations on Friday will be especially important as we take the time to recognise the hard work of our Principal, Mrs Baily, on National Primary School Principal's Day. Thank you for all you do to make our school a wonderful place!







# Corowa Connects

*with Mrs Baily & Willow*

## Learning together in Education Week

This week we are celebrating education and reflecting on our achievements.

2020 began with devastating fires and drought condition across our state and we were well into our year when the COVID-19 pandemic disrupted our learning. In collaboration with parents and carers, we have worked tirelessly to ensure student needs are catered for.

The theme for this year's Education Week is 'Learning Together', which reinforces the role our school has in our community. It really is a team effort ensuring that learning is continuing and all students are known, valued and cared for.

## Honour Border control officers

Yesterday our school leaders, Willow and I visited our border control officers to honour them for the support they are providing our community. Today when I drove through the border I was greeted by the warm smiling faces of officers wearing our Corowa Public School beanies. We really are all in this together.

## Blue Earth

Today we are learning together through our Stage 3 Blue Earth activities. What better way to learn our self-regulative awareness and collaborative skills?

## Keeping our school safe and hygienic

Thank you to all of our families who are cooperating with us as we continue to follow our COVID-19 protocols. We are all working very hard to keep our school as hygienic as possible and take all the procedures very seriously.

Have a fabulous weekend and keep warm in this chilly weather.







## Working together to keep our community safe

The police officers and army personnel of the NSW border patrol have been working day and night to ensure our safety, so this week school leaders, Willow and Mrs Bailey delivered some school beanies to them to say 'thank you'. Keep safe and warm out there, guys!

## Making wombat soup

Koala and Possum students showed off their artistic abilities on Thursday when they made paper-bag puppets of the characters from the book, *Wombat Soup*.

Once completed, both classes participated in a read-along puppet show!



## Learning together with Blue Earth

Stage 3 students took control on Thursday afternoon when they ran whole-school Blue Earth sessions. Our seniors coordinated sport-based teamwork activities in promotion of learning together and developing collaborative skills.





# Front of school gets a face lift!

## NSW Teachers Federation Environment Garden

At the end of Term 2, students and staff completed an environmentally sustainable native garden at the front entrance to our school. The project, which encompasses the digital sign and gas tank was generously funded by the NSW Teachers Federation Tree Levy Grant. Through this project we will improve the health of the area by planting native trees, woody shrubs and groundcovers to encourage birdlife to the area. Corowa Public School acknowledges the funding contribution of the NSW Teachers Federation.

Thank you to our garden helpers Michael, Toby, Portia, Caleb, Riley, Benji, Regan and Eli who assisted Mrs Creamer, Mrs Munro and Mr Pfeiffer with our planting day.



## School Tree Day

Students in Year 3-6 participated in School Tree Day last Friday. They assisted staff and Corowa District Landcare members with the planting, watering and mulching of our Bpangerang Native garden along the front fence. This planting day was made possible by NSW Environmental Trust Eco Schools Grant Program and Corowa District Landcare.







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Where Kids love to be!

**Term 3  
Week 3**

**Next week's  
theme:**

**Science  
week**

**Monday 10/08**  
Buzz wire steady  
hand game

**Tuesday 11/08**  
Fingerprint science

**Wednesday 12/08**  
Magic milo cake

**Thursday 13/08**  
Making new  
crayons from old  
ones

**Friday 14/08**  
Red nose day

**COROWA THEIRCARE**

## **This week's theme: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Children's Day**

This week we decorated our classroom tree with leaves and birthday cupcakes. We even have a possum & lizard on the tree. Thank you again to the Men's Shed for helping us out!

We celebrated Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Children's Day by painting boomerangs and clapping sticks, as well as hand art, games and cave paintings. This week we also began adding items to our classroom's Indigenous display wall.

### **COVID 19**

During these challenging times, TheirCare will continue to offer before/after school care services at Corowa Public School. Please be assured that we are staying COVID safe by regularly cleaning and sanitizing the classroom as well as having a hand sanitizing station by the front door.

**Introducing Term 3 Coordinator**

**Lisa Gard**



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# SICK? STAY HOME

## COROWA PUBLIC SCHOOL

Please understand that there will be no exceptions.  
Thank you for your cooperation.

1

### Students who are sick must not come to school

Including those with coughs, runny noses, sore throats, etc.

2

### If you are unsure, please call the office

Call us on (02) 6033 1606 if you are not sure about sending your child to school.

3

### Students who are unwell at school will be sent home

Parents will be contacted and asked to collect students ASAP.



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# Hockey

Albury-Wodonga

## WE'RE READY TO START AGAIN!

*If your child's or your sport has been cancelled for the season, then get in touch.*

### ALL WELCOME

We cater from ages 7 to 70. Submit your interest or make an enquiry

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GET ENGAGED AND BENEFIT

HOPEFULLY THIS TIME!