



# COROWA

## Public School

# news

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## SWIMMING CARNIVAL!

Well done to all students who participated in our Swimming Carnival on Tuesday. As you can see, we had lots of fun!



## What's Coming up?

12 Feb	Assembly (Attendance by invite only)
12 Feb	Book Club Issue 1 due
15-19 Feb	Swimming Program for year 2,3 & 4
23 Feb	Zone Swimming Carnival



# Corowa Connects

*with Mrs Baily & Willow*

## Swimming Carnival a success!

We finally got to complete a carnival! Our swimming carnival was held on Tuesday on a lovely summers day which was perfect for an event we thought may never happen. I must congratulate all our participating students who were a credit to our school and their families as their persistence was evident through out the day. They got in and had a go and never gave up. Congratulations to the winners and we look forward to hearing how those that got through to the next level went. I am very happy that swimming lessons are on next week because we have a lot of children who are not confident in the water and are unable to swim to the side of the pool to help themselves if something was to happen. I am also encouraged to hear the local pool will be complete this year and we look forward to working with council and the swim club to promote swimming as much as possible. Living on the river makes it essential for all members to have swimming and water knowledge available to them and I encourage all families to book their children into swimming lessons once they are available.

## Drop off and pick up

A quick reminder about drop off and pick-up times at the front of the school. Please do not stop in the bus lanes and if the kiss and drop park is full please move along to a space. The kiss and drop off section is not for parking, it is literally a drop off only. Please respect the guidelines to ensure everyone is safe. Teachers are still out assisting with children crossing the road and we encourage parents to wait over near the cars and we will walk the students across. This also helps with our social distancing requirements.

## School leader's Induction

Captains induction ceremony is tomorrow and we cannot wait to formally induct our leaders. This assembly is by invite only and all guests need to RSVP and sign in via the QR code. Please have the service NSW app for easy access. For our indoor events we are invite only and we hope you all understand the situation and support us in

keeping everyone safe.

## War on waste

We have some exciting events coming up for the students including an environmental session where we continue our war on waste. A quick reminder to limit the rubbish in your child's lunch boxes by providing reusable containers and we will assist by monitoring their safe return (fingers crossed we can remind students to be responsible and not need reminding).

## Cricket Success

Congratulations to our cricket boys who made it through to the Albury team and will be off playing the other zones in trialling for the Riverina team. Our tennis players are next off the rank for trials. Good luck to you all.

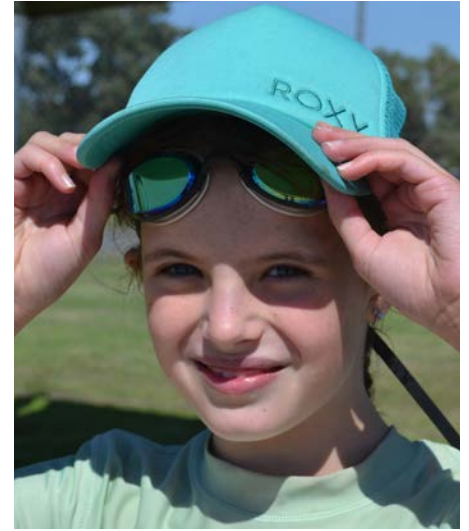
## Lets get hydrated

We are asking you to help with a project that will benefit us all. We have noticed in the past couple of weeks the number of students who are not drinking water through the day. We are having many cases of headaches, upset tummies, lethargy, vagueness and distractions. Most of the time we ask if they have had a drink and the answer is often NO. Last year we had two water bottle stations installed to help fill the water bottles, but some children are not bringing water bottles in. So, to reboot our healthy learning we are pushing hydration. Not only does this benefit our health but also supports brain development and our ability to focus and learn. We ask you all to provide a drink bottle and ensure the children bring them to school labelled and ready to use. We will remind students to have a drink throughout the day and especially after they come back from the playground. Let's get this flowing and keep the hydration going. We can all do this together.

Have a great weekend.

Mrs Baily and Willow









## Creative Gliders!

Squirrel Gliders have been working hard on some creative artworks.



## Bluearth!

Kindergarten students participated in their first Bluearth lesson with their fellow Possom and Quokka classmates.



## Human Adaptations!!

Koala students learnt about adaptations to the human body. Students used masking tape and timers to complete simple tasks with and without their thumbs such as writing, picking up counters and tying their shoe laces.







## Cricket Success!

Well done to Rhylee Barber, Eli Lavis and Toby Hanrahan who have successfully made it onto the next stage of Cricket trials where they will continue to train and be tested in other areas such as fielding. Congratulations boys!

Absent from photo: Eli Lavis

## THIS WEEK'S ASSEMBLY ITEM...

**CAPTAINS, PREFECTS  
& HOUSE CAPTAINS  
INDUCTION**

PARENT ATTENDANCE BY  
INVITATION ONLY **11:45AM**

**FRIDAY 12 FEB**



## Mystery Creature!

These little guys have been hiding away in Mr Strachan's office munching on carrots. Did any of you guess this week's mystery creature correctly? If you guessed a Mealworm, then you were correct!





## P & C NEWS!

### *Save the Date* 2021 P & C AGM

MONDAY 1st MARCH

### P & C Meeting

All new and existing members are invited to our AGM for 2021. Come along, meet the current members and introduce yourself at 6pm, Monday 1st March at the school. We look forward to seeing you there to share upcoming events and ideas!

## Order lunch online!

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## BANANA SMOOTHIES

**RECESS Special**

**Wednesday 24th February**

\$3 each

Online Orders only at  
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Orders open from  
Monday 8/2/21 to Friday 19/2/21  
(Strictly no orders after 19/2/21)



## CAN YOU HELP IN THE CANTEEN?

PLEASE GET IN  
CONTACT WITH  
NARELLE BY  
CALLING THE  
SCHOOL ON  
(02) 6033 0616



# SWIMMING PROGRAM

**YEAR 2, 3 & 4**

**MON 15 – FRI 19**

PLEASE BRING: RECESS, LUNCH, DRINK BOTTLE, SWIMMERS & RASHIE, GOGGLES, 2 TOWELS, SUNSCREEN, THONGS, SCHOOL HAT & JUMPER IN A SWIMMING BAG



## Stay informed with the SkoolBag App



The SkoolBag app is the easiest way to stay up-to-date with school events, last minutes notices, newsletters and all school communications.



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### Download the app

Search for the free SkoolBag app in the Apple App or Google Play Store

**2**

### Create an account

Sign up in seconds with your email address

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### Add your school

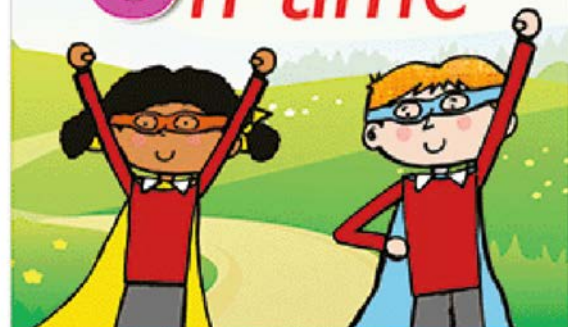
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## NEW YEAR NEW JOB?

Are you looking for a fresh start in 2021? Do you want to work for a family owned company that empowers and encourages its staff?

In 2021 Joss Facility Management are looking for cleaning staff to work at local Government sites across regional NSW. At Joss we value our diverse and committed workforce and we are regularly recruiting for cleaning positions across NSW.

PPE, Training and Uniforms provided.

Applicants need to provide a valid Working With Children Check upon application and successful applicants will be required to undertake a pre-employment medical prior to commencement.

Please contact Joss Facility Management via email on [careers@jossgroup.com.au](mailto:careers@jossgroup.com.au)



Check us out on Facebook Joss Cleaning

or visit our webpage  
[www.jossgroup.com.au](http://www.jossgroup.com.au)



**Under 14  
Players wanted**

Girls born 2007,2008,2009,2010

No experience necessary

## MURRAY FELINES

Female football  
Club

Based in Rutherglen

**Message Murray  
Felines Facebook  
page for details**

**Or call 0433782646**



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Choose clothing that:

- Covers as much skin as possible
- Is made of tightly woven fabric
- Is a dark colour.

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## Did you know that you can pay for school costs online?

It is called a Parent Online Payment (POP) and it's easy!

Go to <https://corowa-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/> and click on the 'MAKE A PAYMENT' button on the utility bar at the very top of the page. From there, a Westpac QuickWeb payment page will open. Simply fill out the required information and have your credit or debit card ready.

### Things to remember:

- Payments for multiple students need to be processed individually.
- Students still need to return the permission notes to the front office - an online payment does not constitute permission to participate.
- Late payments can affect cut off dates/times for events. Please be aware that any payments made after 6pm on a business day will not be received at the school for 48 hours. Payments made before 6pm will be received the next day.

**Please take advantage of this fuss-free payment option!**