**Term 1 Week 8**  
**March 17, 2015**

**Principals’ Report:**

**Senior Citizens Luncheon**

Our luncheon today was a great success. A huge thank you to our P and C who have worked so hard in the last few weeks to organise and prepare for this event. Thank you also to Cheryl McLaughlin who did a fantastic job as the MC for the day. The items from Tracey Taylor’s dance studio were outstanding as were the school items from Kindergarten and K/1. As the theme this year was Get Creative we also had a walking Art Gallery where students from various classes were able to showcase some of the terrific art works they have created so far this term. Thank you to everyone involved in such a lovely day.

**Dracula Spectacular**

This year Woolgoolga High School is presenting the musical Dracula Spectacular. The high school is involving primary school students from our network to participate as part of the dance team. Earlier in the term I asked for volunteers from students in Years 5 and 6 who were interested in being part of our school’s dance team and we have 15 highly motivated students who have volunteered. A teacher from the high school and 2 students will come to the school and teach us the routine and then we will be given a You Tube link to use. Contract/permission notes have now been sent home to these students. Please return these by Friday.

**Extension Groups**

Our first Extension groups of the year will be in Creative Arts. It will be held on Thursday March 26. This year we have decided to have Stage 3 and Stage 2 groups. Mrs Jones from the high school will take the Stage 3 group and I will take the Stage 2 group. Classroom teachers have identified students to participate in these groups and notes have been sent home today. Please return these as soon as possible.

**Upcoming Events……..**

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**School Plan**

Our School Plan is nearing completion. On Movie Night (March 25) parents are invited to come along to a session in the library where I will present the School Plan for discussion. This information session will start at 6.30pm and will be finished to coincide with the end of the movie.

**Head Lice**

Head lice are around again. Please check your child/children’s hair regularly and treat with an appropriate treatment if eggs or lice are found. Please remove all eggs from the hair as this can cause reinfection if not removed.

**Garbi Class**

Congratulations to Year 6 who are this week’s Garbi class. Well done also to all students who received awards at assemblies this week. You can feel very proud of your efforts.

**Easter Hat Parade**

Our Easter hat parade will be held on Wednesday April 1st. This year we have changed the format slightly and are asking that parents make the hat at home with their children. More information about the running of the parade will be in next week’s newsletter.

Mrs Wright

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www.corindi-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
WEAR ORANGE THIS FRIDAY

to support Harmony Day and National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence.

Harmony Day celebrates the awareness of cultural diversity, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone.

National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence provides a focus for all schools to say
Bullying. No Way!

All students will participate in activities to raise their awareness of these important issues.

Mrs Bartlett

Year 3 News...

Homework has been given out for this week. Both the Home Reading Journal and the homework sheets are due in on Friday.

In maths we are investigating fractions, looking at halves and quarters, and fractions as part of a whole.

In Writing, we are writing stories about a Super Hero. Some of the stories so far have been very imaginative. Year 3 are learning about writing in paragraphs, and checking completed story drafts.

In grammar we have been looking at compound words and adjectives.

In COGS we are going to start building our robots from recyclable materials. We will start our constructions on Wednesday afternoon. Thankyou to all the people who have brought in recyclable materials.

At Swimming Scheme, Year 3 is improving so much in learning different swimming strokes and in building up their strength and stamina in the water. Again, thankyou to the parents who are also helping with our groups.

Mr Hasson

Students of the Week:
Oliver Corcoran, Emily Heeley, Avnee Singh, Phillip Johnson, Spencer Digby, Henry Greenberry, Benjamin Dunning, Jimi Francis, Eddie Dunning, Ocean Cowan, Skye Heiler, Ethan Sorbello, Byron Holland, Caiden Perry, Reve Debreuil, Jaye Smiles

Stars of the Week:
Levon Simmons, Jade Barnaby, Erica Munro, Chelsea Zelvis, Jett Williams, Trent Kearney, Bradley Reinecker, Harmony Swain-Davies
Year 5 News...
Spelling sheets were given out yesterday. Our project is due tomorrow. In maths we are studying division by 2 and 3 digit numbers. In literacy we learn about procedures and interesting adjectives.

Mr Taylor

MOOKIE NIGHT

WHEN: Wednesday 25th March
TIME: 5pm Dinner
      5.30pm Movie

MORE INFO WILL BE SENT HOME THIS WEEK

Silver Savers
This week’s heaviest jar belongs to K/1 – well done! Keep sending in those silver coins!! Every single coin makes a difference to our library!

Cake Stall
The P&C will be holding a cake stall at school on Saturday March 28 (Election Day). If you can donate any cakes or slices on the day it would be greatly appreciated. Thankyou!

Heather Wright
P&C President

A NOTE FROM THE LIBRARY...

NEW BOOKS
Last week 30 new books hit the library shelves. All were quickly borrowed!

DID YOU GET A GREEN REMINDER NOTE?
Thank you to parents and carers who found our library books and sent them back in.

LIBRARY SURVEY
Years 3 to 6 have completed a survey sheet which tells me their reading interests and suggestions for future buying of books and equipment for our library. I will use Silver Savers for many of these ideas!

Mrs Davies
**Canteen Roster**

This Week:
- **Wed 17:** Eve A
- **Thur 18:** Kerry Cox
- **Fri 19:** Kerry Cox

Next Week:
- **Wed 24:** Alicia D, Kerry Cox
- **Thu 25:** Christine D
- **Fri 26:** Kerry Cox

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**Canteen News....**

We are still looking for helpers if you can help pleased either fill in a volunteer slip or call or text Tania 0488 988 566

Tania and Rachael

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**ThemeParks.com.au Ticket Sale**

Village Roadshow Theme Parks is offering our school community a limited time ticket offer. Simply visit ThemeParks.com.au/promocode and enter our promocode “CPC014” to gain access to these ticket offers. *Terms & conditions apply, offer valid for a limited time.

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**CANTEEN HELPERS** - Join our team of cheerful CANTEEN HELPERS! Return this section to the school canteen.

I would like to assist on the School Canteen Roster as follows (please circle days & frequency).

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