As learners we will: Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be Responsible

From the Principal

This week Ms Cottee is on LSL and currently somewhere in Mongolia. She has left a city with a population of 32 million. Hard to imagine when our whole country has a population somewhere in the 20 million.

We had a lovely week last week. Children were settled and on task.

Athletics
The children who attended the Regional Athletics did very well. Congratulations Levi, Shakaya & Chloe.

School Stream
Don’t forget our new School Stream app for your phone. We are continually putting alerts & notices to assist you to organise your school calendar.

Woodburn Gala Day
Please remember that the Gala Day on this Thursday 11th is a whole school activity and there will be no teachers at Coraki School on this Day. All teachers and students will be attending. Please also remember if you were too late to order lunch from Woodburn, you must pack lunch, recess and plenty of water for your child.

Reading
Please continue and encourage your child with reading daily. It is so very important that children learn to read and understand what they are reading. This in turn helps with spelling, vocabulary, grammar and understanding of literacy based maths questions. With reading imagination thrives.

Solid Mob Performance
This Friday we will be hosting a dance workshop from the Solid Mob Quit Smoking campaign in association with IHHP (Indigenous Hip Hop Projects).

Have a great week!

Chesne Olive.
Relieving Principal

Weekly Awards

KCT
Jalarna Buchanan—Trying hard in class
Tenitra Williams—Great effort in writing

1/2 CO
Amber Pollock—Quiet classroom worker

3/4MM
Logan Brien—Working well in Maths
Ushtahlia Mercer—A kind and thoughtful class member

5/6 JC
Cooper Olive—Working independently
Shakaya Williams—Excellent bookwork

Ms Hayes Group
1/2 LP Wonderful work on their film making
Chat time……
Please feel free to contact the office to arrange a suitable time to chat about any concerns or questions you may have, or if more convenient please email me at: jane.cottee@det.nsw.edu.au

Office Notes

Head Lice
Once again head lice seem to be very active. Please check your child/ren’s hair for any signs of lice or eggs. Remember to wash all the bed linen, pillows, blankets, towels etc if you find head lice. Putting them in the sunshine for a couple of hours is also a great idea to make sure no lice are lurking.

Uniforms
We have a pile of unnamed uniforms in the school Lost Property. Please put your child’s name on all their hats, jumpers etc. Anything left over at the end of term will go the Op Shop.

Enrich Your Home With A WEP Exchange Student

World Education Program (WEP) is inviting Australian families to experience another culture within their own homes by becoming volunteer host families. Choose a student from Italy, Belgium, France, Switzerland, The Netherlands or South America and get a glimpse into the life of another culture without having to leave the comfort of your home! Our exchange students are just as excited about sharing their own culture and life experiences as they are about becoming a member of an Australian family.

Arriving in January:
Ilaria (17) from Italy tells us that she is incredibly fond of animals, and that if she had her own way, she would turn her house into a zoo! She enjoys drawing in her spare time, as well as travel. She believes that living so far away from home will help her broaden her mind, and she can't wait to live with a welcoming family.

Marco (17) from Italy is an animator at his local church group and enjoys playing both football and basketball with his friends. He also enjoys staying active by going to the gym for an hour or so after school. He is looking forward to sharing his Italian culture with you, and hopes you will share your culture with him here 'down-under'.

+ MANY MORE

Find out more!
Getting to know your student before he or she arrives brings fun and joy to everyone involved. Take the next step and contact WEP today to receive a full information pack for your family, including student profiles.

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Coraki Public School - Smart Start

The aim of this inventive class is to prepare your child for kindergarten in 2015. Kindergarten can be an exciting, scary, or a daunting experience for both parents and children.

Our focus is to make your child comfortable in the daily routines of school life, so that their transition into kindergarten will be as carefree as possible.

Smart Start - Pre Kindergarten Classes will be run Fridays in Term 4 from 9.10am – 3pm – starting Friday 17th October and finish 12th December.

Your child’s first day of kindergarten will be Wednesday January 28th 2015.

For further information – contact the school on (02) 66832073.
**Youth Off The Streets**

Ashley, Shakaya & Jo-Leigh have been discussing a two week program called “Give Your Change To Make A Change.”

This program aims to get all children to ask their mums and dads and other relatives for their loose change - 5c, 10c, 20c and even 50c! With this money we will donate to the charity “Youth Off The Streets.”

We will be holding this program from the 1st of September to the 16th of September. There will be tins and buckets around the school to collect the money.

Please help us raise money for The Youth Off The Streets.

Sincerely,
Ashley, Shakaya and Jo-Leigh.

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**Brain Teasers for Kids.......**

Last weeks answer -
A farmer had 20 cows, when it was sale time, the farmer sold all but 11 cows.
How many cows does he now have?

A: 11 cows – ALL but 11 cows died – 11 cows survived

*This weeks teaser..........*
When you add two letters, the five letter word becomes shorter.
What is it?

Answer next week

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**When lunch comes home ... again**

Almost nine out of 10 Australian parents say children’s resistance is a major obstacle in their efforts to provide a healthy diet, and in many cases school lunches are one of the battlegrounds. But it’s a battle families can do without and there are some simple steps to help avoid it.


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**School Canteen - a tool for learning**

As part of the school environment the school canteen is an education resource.
The children are learning about the Australian Guide to Healthy eating:

The children are learning in class about having every day foods most of the time and sometimes foods (chips, confectionary, muesli bars, pies etc) only sometimes.
Lismore Performing Arts
Our students had a wonderful night at the Performing Arts in Lismore, it was great to perform so early and have a chance to see the other acts.
We were very proud of our students—they were one of the better performances (we are NOT biased though!)