

# Cohuna Consolidated School

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5<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Dear Families & Friends

I would like to welcome everyone back for a short but busy term ahead. We are also welcoming back Genna Gordon who is teaching PE every Monday. A number of events are planned including the Cross Country this Friday, Education Week, a Leadership excursion for our school leaders, the Grades 1/ 2 Melbourne Zoo excursion and The Winter Sports.

### WITH SYMPATHY:

The CCS staff would like to send their condolences to Karen, Isabella, Alexander and Emily Clavin on the passing of Paul. Paul was a much valued CCS parent helper, whilst Karen was a School Council President for many years. He will be sadly missed and fondly remembered by all.

### ANZAC MARCH:

Thank you to Mrs Harbinson and our Grade 6 students for preparing and leading our ANZAC Assembly last week. I would also like to thank Geoff Dale and other RSL members for joining our commemorations. Thank you also to everyone who was able to join the March in Cohuna on ANZAC Day and who represented our school so well.

### OPEN DAY & 2024 FOUNDATION INFORMATION EVENING:

As part of Education Week, we are looking forward to welcoming you as well as grandparents at CCS on our Open Day on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May. All prospective 2024 Foundation parents are also welcome to join us for our Information Evening on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May.

### COVID19:

With flu season upon us, here is a timely reminder about current Covid regulations:

Students who report a positive result are recommended to isolate for a minimum of 5 days and not attend school until their symptoms have resolved. Please let the school know via Compass if this is the case. Please note that schools do not need to notify the relevant classes anymore.

It is recommended that rapid antigen tests (RATs) are used by students and staff:

- If you have symptoms of COVID-19 infection, no matter how mild
- If you are a household or close contact of someone who has COVID-19
- If you are a social contact of someone who has COVID-19.

RATs are available from the front office if needed. The Department of Health recommends that masks should be worn by a person who is a close contact of someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 when leaving home.

Additionally, the Department of Health recommends that masks should be worn by a person who has COVID-19 for at least 7 days after a positive test when they need to leave home.

### PARENT SESSIONS

Please refer over the page for information an upcoming very informative and special evening on "How to Raise Resilient Kids".

*Valerie Lobry*

## PARENTS SESSION

You are invited to join other parents for a special evening on "How to Raise Resilient Kids" on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May, at 6.30pm at CCS. Triple P will be presenting thanks to funding aimed at flood-affected communities. **I hope you are able to attend and can register to ensure the session goes ahead.**

### FREE PARENTING SEMINAR HELP YOUR CHILD HANDLE UPS AND DOWNS

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May, 6:30 – 8:00PM, Cohuna Consolidated School**

We all want our children to be resilient and learn how to cope with and bounce back from setbacks and disappointments. This Triple P – Positive Parenting Program seminar offers tips on how to develop your **child's** ability to cope with problems, now and in the future. The seminar is only 90 minutes, fun and friendly, and it's **FREE!** It'll help kids AND parents take the drama out of family life and find ways to deal with issues calmly and more confidently. **REGISTER NOW:** <https://www.triplep-parenting.net.au/vic-en/contact/find-a-session/2023-05-11/seminar/raising-resilient-children/112141/> to learn more and book your free spot.

## CURRICULUM CONTRIBUTIONS

Thank you to the families who have already paid their Volunteer Curriculum Contributions for 2023.

The Curriculum Contributions supplies your child with the necessary activities, materials and equipment listed in the Parent Payment Policy .

Payments can be sent in with your child, made over the phone by contacting the office on 5456 2361.

**Years Prep – 2 \$100.00    Years 3 – 6 \$140.00**

### CANTEEN ROSTER

12:40 - 2:00PM
<b>Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> May</b> – Kym Priest
<b>Tuesday, 16<sup>th</sup> May</b> – Gayle Roberts & Janelle Ladson

**We are an  
eSmart school**

[esmart.org.au](http://esmart.org.au)



## COMPASS INFORMATION

Please note: If you child has a medical appointment and will be coming to school late, please **enter on Compass Late Attendance NOT absent.**

This will ensure that your child is not marked absent for a whole day.



### MAY

**Friday, 5<sup>th</sup>** – Education Week Special Lunch order due back to school (Due to ordering purposes no late orders will be accepted)

**Monday, 8<sup>th</sup>** – Mother's Day form & money due

**Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup>** – Mother's Day stall

**Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup>** – Raising Resilient Children evening

**Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> – Friday 19<sup>th</sup>** – Education Week

**Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> – 2024** Foundation Information evening

**Tuesday, 16<sup>th</sup>** – Education Week Open Day: 11.20-1.20pm. Special Lunch order day

**Wednesday, 10<sup>th</sup> May** -GRIP excursion (selected Grade 6s)

**Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup>** – School Council meetings

**Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup>** – Gr. 1/2 Melbourne Zoo permission notes and payment due

**Thursday, 25<sup>th</sup>** – Gr. 1/2 Melbourne Zoo excursion

## UPDATED INFORMATION

With upcoming events such as camps, excursions and winter sports it is extremely important to have updated information if there have been any changes to your child's health, families address, mobile number, email address or work contact details.

Please notify the office as soon as there are any changes that take place.

## PARENTS CLUB

Thank you to all the families who supported our Easter raffle with donations of Easter Eggs and purchasing of tickets. The Easter Raffle made a profit of \$979.64.

A special mention to our Parents Club members Hayley, Janelle and Shannon who worked hard wrapping the hampers.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

**2<sup>nd</sup>** Jensen Fehring & Tilly Curry, **4<sup>th</sup>** Bella Ferris, **6<sup>th</sup>**

Jessica Barker & Imogen Thies,

**7<sup>th</sup>** Bentleigh Stone, **8<sup>th</sup>** Gabriel Dayag, **12<sup>th</sup>** Mitchell

Stone & Xavier Watts, **17<sup>th</sup>** Reyner Webb



# COHUNA CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

## 2024 PROSPECTIVE FOUNDATION PARENTS SCHOOL INFORMATION EVENING COME AND HEAR ABOUT OUR WONDERFUL SCHOOL



**Principal Tours -  
Please ring the  
school on  
54562361 to make  
a booking.**

**Monday May 15th  
onsite commencing  
at 7pm - 8pm**

Child minding facilities  
will be available.



After the presentation  
please join us for tea,  
coffee and slice.

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**EDUCATION WEEK  
22ND MAY - 26TH MAY**

**OPEN DAY- FOR PARENTS, GRANDPARENTS AND THE  
COMMUNITY: TUESDAY 23RD MAY-11.20AM - 1.20PM**



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