

# Cohuna Consolidated School

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Dear Families and Friends,

## MALLEE/REGIONAL CROSS COUNTRY/WELL DONE JASPER:

On Tuesday the 31<sup>st</sup> of May three runners represented our school at the Loddon Mallee Regional Cross Country held in St Arnaud. All of the children ran very well and should be proud of their effort! **Congratulations to Jasper Clifford who came third 9/10 year old boys and qualified for The State Cross Country!** Well done also to Zahra Vasko 18<sup>th</sup> and Evie Green 32<sup>nd</sup>. All three children should be extremely proud of their efforts. The children have to compete against the runners from our region which includes large centres like Bendigo and Mildura.



Jasper Clifford

## WINTER GALA:

Our Grades 5 and 6 had a wonderful day at Kerang last week for the first Winter Gala. T-ball, netball and football were played on the day, with inter-school-teams giving everyone the opportunity to mix and get to know other students. I would like to thank the organisers for a fun- filled day.

## PUPIL FREE DAY & PUBLIC HOLIDAY:

Please note that tomorrow, Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June will be a Pupil-free day and that Monday is a Public Holiday. I hope you stay well and enjoy the Long Weekend!

## ENJOY THE BREAK, MR WEST:

I am sure you will join me in wishing Rob West all the very best as he prepares to take extended leave at the end of the term. Rob has been a highly regarded staff member at our school for many years, covering a range of roles as a member of the Leadership Team. Rob's excellent classroom teaching as well as his passion for Sport and his sense of humour will be greatly missed. The Classroom Teacher position is currently advertised and we will let everyone know when the appointment is finalised.

## PARENT-TEACHER-STUDENT INTERVIEWS:

Interviews will be conducted on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> from 1:00pm to 7:00pm. We will be using Compass to arrange bookings. A Compass notification will have been sent to families TODAY to inform them that they are able to start making online bookings. Bookings can be made by Following the 3 step process.

**Step 1: Click on the 3 small lines in the left hand corner (Menu)**

**Step 2: Open Conferences**

**Step 3: Follow the prompts**

A paper booking form can also be sent home on request. **Please note that bookings will close on Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> June at 3:00pm.** Attending interviews helps to strengthen the home-school partnership and it is an important way of showing your child that you are interested in their learning. It also gives you the opportunity to seek further feedback on your child's progress or discuss any concerns.

**This is NOT a pupil free day. Student will enjoy an afternoon of Tabloid Sports.**

## JOIN OUR PARENTS CLUB

Would you like to be more involved in your child's school? We would love you to consider joining our wonderful Parents Club.

Parents Club facilitate parental participation in their child's school and work together with staff and the school council to ensure the best possible educational outcomes for the benefit of all students.

Parents Club not only benefits students, but also can enrich and contribute to the wellbeing of the whole school community through their positive interactions and support.

Parents participating in the club activities can gain an understanding of the operations of a school, can use, and build on, existing skills and expertise, develop friendships and work collaboratively with other parents interested in supporting the school, whilst helping to raise valuable funds for our school.

If you would like to join our wonderful Parents Club, please come along to their meeting that will be held on **Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm at the Bower Tavern.**



### JUNE

**Friday, 10<sup>th</sup>** – Pupil Free day (No students at school)

**Monday, 13<sup>th</sup>** – Public Holiday

**Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup>** – Parents Club meeting 6:30pm at the Bower Tavern

**Friday, 17<sup>th</sup>** – Bookings close for Parent-Teacher interviews

**Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup>** – Prospective Preps 'Come & Try Day' 9am to 10am

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**Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup>** – A further payment of \$100.00 is required for payment of the Grades 3/4 and 5/6 camps by June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022.

**Friday, 24<sup>th</sup>** – Last day of Term 2 (Early dismissal TBA)

### JULY

**Monday, 11<sup>th</sup>** – Term 3 commences

**Friday, 15<sup>th</sup>** – Canteen closed

## CURRICULUM CONTRIBUTIONS/CAMPS

In regard to Curriculum Contributions please refer to the information in the 2022 Parent Payment Policy that you received last year and at the commencement of this year on Voluntary Financial Contributions and User Pays Basis.

Please note: The Curriculum Contributions supplies your child with the necessary activities, materials and equipment that are 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 or in person as we can bring our Eftpos machine outside to you.

**Years Prep – 2 \$100.00**

**Years 3 – 6 \$140.00**

### **BALLARAT & KOOKABURRA CAMPS:**

A further payment of \$100.00 is required for payment of the Grades 3/4 and 5/6 camps by June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

If you are unsure of the amount you owe for the camp, please contact the school's office.

## CCS 2023 FOUNDATION COME & TRY DAY

Our school is holding a 'Come & Try' Day for any prospective Foundation students on Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> June between 9am and 10am in Room 4. If you know of any prospective Foundation students, please share this information with them.



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

### JUNE

**11<sup>th</sup>** Twiggy Douglas, **12<sup>th</sup>** Noah Hollingworth, **14<sup>th</sup>** Miley Dehne, **17<sup>th</sup>** Jobe Anset, **18<sup>th</sup>** Brooke Priest, **21<sup>st</sup>**, Pippa Worthy, Anne Searle & Jackson Turvey, **22<sup>nd</sup>** Lexi Traynor