COORARA PRIMARY SCHOOL CARING HONESTY RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY TEAMWORK Newsletter

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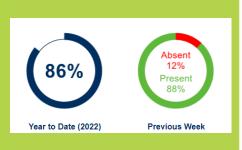
Term 2 Week 1

Thursday 5 May 2022

Diary Dates

- 9/5/22
 Little Book Worms
 NAPLAN commences
- 10/5/22 Play, Create & Connect
- 11/5/22
 BEAR HUNT for PreSchoolers
- 16/5/22 PUPIL FREE DAY
- 17/5/22 Play, Create & Connect Assembly 9.15am Hosted by Rm 20
- 20/5/22
 Walk to School Day & Healthy
 Breakfast
- 23/5/22
 Little Book Worms
 Governing Council Meeting

Attendance



Welcome back to Term 2

It was lovely to see the smiling faces of the children as they came back in. I did also note some relieved faces on parents too. I do hope the holidays were good for all of you.

The term has started with a 4 week mask wearing mandate. All staff will be following the covid rules, wearing their masks (unless they are doing instructional and phonics work), and supporting your child to wear one if they want to.

Assembly: As of week 3 they will lessen restrictions, and we will be allowed to have assemblies with parents in attendance. Our first assembly this term will be on Tuesday the 17^{th} May starting at 9:15am in the school hall, Room 20 is presenting.

Walk to School: Come and walk with us on Friday the 20th May. We will be meeting at Wilfred Taylor reserve at 8:30am and walking to school at 8:35am. There will be a healthy second breakfast at school for the kids once they arrive.

Break-in's at school: We have had increased break-ins at our school in the last two weeks. We have lost laptops and the some of our new TV's. This is devastating for both teachers and students as this technology directly benefits your children and their learning. If you are aware of any 'new TV's' being suspiciously installed anywhere, see strange cars outside the school in the early hours of the morning, or have any information that could lead to the apprehending of these criminals, the police and the staff of Coorara would be eternally grateful.

Playgroup: Our new playgroup started last Tuesday morning (9am- 11am) with a large number of parents and pre-schoolers attending. Huge thanks to Karina Carlisle for the organisation and running of this. It was such a happy event. It will continue every Tuesday in Room 5 for those families interested.

Bear Hunt: This is to be held on Wednesday next week for kindy children. We have the following kindy children attending (Coorara Kindergarten, Emu ELC and Good start Early Learning. If you have a kindy aged preschooler that you would like to attend this day and is not part of the above Kindy's, please contact Sandy in the front office.

Finally, have a wonderful Mother's Day to all those doing the role of 'Mum' at home. I hope the day is special for you.

Steph Tulloch

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Student Free Days

Monday 16th May & Friday 24th June



The Learning Pit







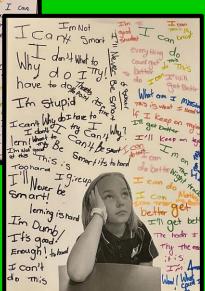
Easter Art: 3D Egg Pictures







It won't work! I have to try



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Positive and **Negative Self-Talk**





Jump Rope for Heart kicks off this term!

Jump Rope for Heart is a fantastic physical activity and fundraising program that has been run by the Heart Foundation for over 36 years. It's a great way for your child to keep fit and learn new skills, but it also helps raise funds for vital heart research and education programs.

Since Jump Rope for Heart started in 1983, schools like ours have raised more than \$104 million for the Heart Foundation's lifesaving work.

It's important you <u>register your child online</u>, so they can receive the full benefits of the program and participate in online fundraising, simply follow the link below to get started. www.jumprope.org.au/parents

Students will be skipping throughout term 2, during PE lessons, lunch and recess, during this time you can share their online fundraising page with family and friends to help raise money for this great cause.

We will hold our school Jump Off Day on the 7th of July, this will mark the end of the program and is a chance for everyone to come together to skip and show off their newly learned skills. More information will come later in term 2, regarding the jump off day.

Thank you for supporting the Jump Rope for Heart program!

FREE DENTIST visiting 30th May - 3rd June

If you wish your child to have a check-up with the school Dentist please collect an envelope pack from the front office to register

Year 6 Transition to High School
Transition information Booklets have been sent home with students

All Year 6 families will receive an email, please register your child for High School



What a fantastic 1st playgroup session held at the school. The children had a wonderful time playing with all the new toys and enjoyed our lovely outdoor area,







Walk to School Day Term 2 - Friday 20th May

Staff will meet your children at Wilfred
Taylor Reserve No later than 8:30am to
walk to school
Breakfast will be supplied
Children that arrive late will need to be
dropped at school



EASTER RAFFLE

Please return all Raffle books by Tuesday 10th May

Easter Raffle draw on Thursday 12th May