



## GRADUATING CLASS OF 2019

Congratulations to our graduating class of 2019 on completing their exams and final year of schooling. Year 12 were joined by their parents and school staff members in celebrating this milestone with a formal dinner at the Corowa RSL Club last Tuesday.



### What's Coming Up?

26 Nov	Rixon Cup
2-6 Dec	Year 6 transition week
11 Dec	Achievement Assembly
13 Dec	Whole school rewards day
16 Dec	Presentation Day
17 Dec	HSC results released
18 Dec	Last day of Term 4 (all students expected to attend)



## Principal's report

with Dr Joanne Bellette

### 'Tis the season to be generous

Christmas is that wonderful time of year when we get to enjoy time with family and friends. For some, of course, there are challenges that arise with this season of celebration and it is for this reason that I'm pleased our Year 9/10 Leadership class, under the guidance of Ms Allen, will engage in a number of initiatives to help support our community. This Friday they will be hosting a mufti day in recognition of the Rural Fire Service and all it has done, and will do, for our communities over the coming months. Students can contribute through a gold coin donation and will also be able to buy icy-poles as a further contribution to the cause. The Leadership class are also running a 'Gift of Giving' campaign across the school encouraging staff and students to contribute non-perishable food items to the school, which will then be donated to the Salvation Army for distribution to those in need over the holiday season. It's a wonderful reminder to our whole school community that Christmas is a special time of generosity and kindness.

### Achievement Assembly

The end of the school year is rapidly approaching and planning is well underway for our two assemblies. On Wednesday 11 December, beginning at 12 noon, we will be holding our Semester 2 Achievement Assembly in the school hall. This assembly will be an opportunity to recognise those students who have received an award for either excellence in academic progress or consistent

and conscientious effort. A number of other awards will also be presented for achievements in debating, public speaking and sporting endeavours. All students will attend this assembly, however those who are due to receive an award will be issued an invitation for their parents and carers to attend the event. Of course, all community members are welcome.

### Presentation Day

Our Presentation Day Assembly is the major celebration that marks the end of our school year and recognises the outstanding achievements of our students, both past and present. The Presentation Day Assembly will be held on Monday 16 December at 1pm in the school hall. This assembly will include the presentation of various special awards including the Carpe Diem Award and our 2018 Dux amongst others. It will also include the presentation of major sporting awards including the Sportsperson of the Year and the House Championship Trophy. The assembly will conclude with the presentation of certificates for students who have achieved a first, second or third place in a subject amongst their year cohort. Again, parents of students who are due to receive an award will be issued an invitation, but all parents and community members are welcome to attend.

I look forward to these wonderful events and the opportunity to celebrate the conclusion of a busy but successful year for our students at Corowa High School.





## Mr Adamson retires

After a long and distinguished career, Mr Bryon Adamson has retired from teaching. His hard work and dedication to our school over the past 34 years has been remarkable and we would like to thank him for his tireless work.

Mr Adamson will be remembered for his sense of humour, his kind heart and his passion for teaching. We wish him all the very best for his retirement and look forward to seeing him again as a casual teacher next year.

## Excellence in Science

Jacob Read has recently had his passion and outstanding achievements in the field of Science recognised by the Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute. He was presented with this prestigious award by a representative from the Institute at the regional ceremony in Wagga Wagga on Friday 8 November.

Jacob was nominated for this award by Mrs Delaney as the highest achieving Year 11 student in the disciplines of Science and STEM.

The Victor Chang School Science Award celebrates young, gifted students and fosters growth in scientific studies.



## Business Studies sausage sizzle

Stage 5 Business studies cooked a delicious sausage sizzle for the students and staff of Corowa High School last Friday as part of their studies on commerce and business planning.

Students were tasked to organise a small business venture in which they could analyse cost, purchasing and marketing techniques.

They did a fantastic job and achieved their goal of breaking even.







## Cows Create Careers presentation

On Wednesday 6 November, Year 9/10 Agriculture students travelled to Wodonga to participate in the Cows Create Careers presentation day. Students participated in lots of activities designed to increase their knowledge of the dairy industry. They enjoyed themselves and won lots of prizes!

## Davidson Shield cricket report

Last Thursday Corowa took on Billabong High School in the Regional semi final of the CHS state cricket knockout.

Batting first, Corowa made a steady start with Angas McFarland and Ryan Beveridge putting on 47 for the first wicket against some quality bowling from the opposition. Ryan went just before drinks for a well-made 23.

After drinks, wickets fell steadily with Corowa attempting to up the run rate. Angas went for 20 followed by Bailey Minogue for 9. Luke Heagney and Will Seymour contributed 20 and 14 in quick time before Darcy Melksham made 13 to finish off Corowa's innings at 137.

Patrick and Darcy opened the bowling and bowled tight lines to put pressure on Billabong to keep up with the run rate required. Patrick took 1 for 10 off 4 overs while Darcy took 1 for 19 off 6 overs.

Will Seymour, Luke Heagney and Ryan Beveridge kept the pressure on with outstanding spells. Seymour taking 3 for 21 off 6, Heagney 0 for 13 off 6 and Beveridge 1 for 8 off 4.

Corowa won the match and will take on Tumut in the Regional final.



## Corowa RSL Club thank students

The Corowa RSL Club has recently contacted the school to thank students for their contribution to the Corowa Remembrance Day ceremonies this year. They made mention of student professionalism and the fine example set for the rest of our student body. All involved should be very proud of themselves.





## Tie dye tops in Textiles

Check out the fabulous tie-dye shirts and aprons that Stage 5 Textiles students made this week!

## Corowa High School Remembers

Corowa High School students were very respectful when they gathered on the school oval to honour Australia's fallen soldiers on Remembrance Day.

Thank you to our 2020 School Captains, Blake and Ellen, for being MC's at the ceremony.



## CHS at History Hour

Congratulations to Darcy, Angela, Lily, Max, Sophie and Matt on their outstanding performance at the Federation Museum History Hour on Thursday. Between the six students, they spoke for an hour about war and its effects on society.



## Hair raising Science

For their current learning module 'forces at a distance', Year 8 students are studying electrostatics.

During their lesson on Friday, they learned about static electricity by performing experiments with the van de graaff generator.





## A polluted Earth by Kaitlyn Jones-Clingin

Remember when you were in Year 8? You did that task where you envisioned the future and you were right. We did have new tech and flying cars and all the such. We all had tracking chips and futuristic homes. But then it ran out.

Life as we knew it came to a standstill because nobody cared to invest in those expensive solar panels or switch to the weird massive fan turbines that made wind energy. All the coal had been used up. We didn't have that source of energy anymore and half of the world plunged into darkness. Natural gas was gone and we were all left cold and shivering. Riots

As the years passed we slowly ran our resources like gold, titanium and diamond, rendering much of the technology unable to be made. Riots

And after all the years of toxic gases, the air was so polluted that by prolonged breathing, death occurred. Like asbestos slowly caused cancer, the very air we breathed caused us to die at our own expense. Or the expense of our grandparents and their grandparents before that. Riots

And most people were dead, graves overflowed with bodies and the stench was so bad that people had to evacuate. Riots

Bunkers were created, food was scarce and the world felt like a wasteland. This is the apocalypse. There was no meteor or natural disaster. It was us. It's our fault.



## X years ago by Carter Read

As the bright sun slowly dims and the Earth's temperature drops, the Earth is slowly freezing. With the recent breakthrough of technology resulting in the moon colonisation becoming a realistic option, a singular base was created.

The world's best scientists all travelled to the moon to populate this base so they could continue their research into how to save the sun from its undeniable end. With no solution found, Scientists came to the conclusion that they had failed in their endeavour.

Finally, one day the sun never peaked over the horizon. The world is plunged into total darkness. The earth freezes over, resulting in more than 99% of the human race to perish.

With a new purpose in mind, the scientists decided to build robots to help them with their continuation of the human race. Eventually the moon base runs out of food, resulting in the end of all human life.

As the silent moon base slowly turns to rust, the robots lived on. With no masters to direct them, they continue the daily tasks they were originally programmed to do until at one unknown time, a single robot breaks from it's commands and leaves the moon base.

As it was wandering the bare landscape of the surface of the moon, he finds something he has never witnessed. Life, in the form of a small flower.





## From Mrs Lake's Desk

CAREERS ADVICE, OPPORTUNITIES & NEWS

### Thinking of becoming a teacher?

Teaching or Education & Training is one of the areas with the healthiest job growth.

While the latest SEEK Employment Report shows a decline of 7.8% in jobs advertised (y/y to October 2019) which isn't too bad, and Community Services & Development (16.7%) led as the sector with the highest job ad growth for October 2019 (vs. October 2018), followed by Healthcare and Medical (5.6%) and Education and Training (5.6%).

Kendra Banks, Managing Director, SEEK ANZ said: "Frontline social services continue to make the greatest contribution to job ad growth across Australia with Healthcare, Community Services and Education & Training the top-performing sectors. In Healthcare there is a strong demand for aged care nurses; across the Community Services sector, there is a great demand for aged & disability support workers. Secondary school teachers remain in high demand.

"As in previous years ahead of the summer season, we see hiring activity for casual and vacation positions up compared to other months. Encouragingly, year on year these roles are up 6%, with most of this growth coming from the Hospitality and Tourism Sector."

The average advertised salary across Australia was up 2.0% compared to last year (y/y to October 2019) at an average of \$88,614. Salaries grew across every state and territory, apart from Northern Territory (down 0.8% y/y to October 2019). South Australia came in at number one in terms of growth, with an average salary of \$82,777 (up 3.6%) followed by Queensland, at \$85,921 (up 2.8% y/y to October 2019).

### Principal's Scholarship recipients

Congratulations to graduating Year 12 students Brooke Dutton, Noah Klies, Caitlyn Moir, Jye Nelson and Sydnie O'Toole in their success in being awarded the Principal's Scholarship for Wodonga TAFE courses.

This is a fantastic outcome as Wodonga TAFE present only 50 students with the Principal's Scholarship each year. Successful applicants will receive \$750 to be used to supplement their first year TAFE fees.

We wish all of our Year 12 students good luck with their future studies!

### More information at your fingertips

You can find loads of information about career options, university courses, apprenticeship opportunities and so much more on Mrs Lake's careers Facebook page.

Simply login into Facebook, search for 'Corowa High School 2019 Careers' and join!



## The gift of giving

To help celebrate the Christmas spirit, Corowa High School's Leadership class is promoting the 'Gift of Giving' campaign by hosting a food drive for the Salvation Army to be run in roll call classes during weeks 6 and 7 of Term 4.

Christmas can be a difficult time of year for families in need. The Salvation Army provide food hampers and gifts to bring hope to these families. Donations really do give hope where it's needed most.

Each item is worth a certain amount of points and will be collected over a two week period. **Where appropriate, please ensure items are brand named, have long expiry dates and are non-perishable.**

At the end of the collection period, the points will be tallied and a roll call awarded a prize.

Let's show our school and Christmas spirit by digging deep to help families in need!

### Term 3 Canteen Roster

Canteen Phone: 02 6033 1167

Commence 10.30 each day

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
25-29 Nov	B Lutz		G Aitken	M Meigel	B Lutz
2-6 Dec	B Lutz	K McKenzie	L Van Leeuwen	M Meigel	C Hughes
9-13 Dec	B Lutz		G Aitken	M Black	B Lutz
16-20 Dec	B Lutz			M Meigel	B Lutz

If you are able to assist in the canteen on any day, please call Lisa on (02) 6033 1167.



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## SCHOOL TRAVEL ENTITLEMENT

If your child is starting school, going into year 3 or year 7 or your details have changed – please login to:

<https://apps/transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/>

And either start a new application or update relevant details.

You will receive a confirmation email with the outcome of your application.

**PLEASE DO THIS PRIOR TO THE END OF TERM 4** to ensure your school has time to endorse your application.

Note: this is for NSW residents and eligible students only.

If you need assistance with the online application, please call Cann's on 6033-2249 and we will assist you.

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## ARE YOU AWARE THAT AMBULANCE COVER

## IS CHANGING NEXT YEAR?

**From next year ambulance cover for schools will only cover the state in which the school is located.**

What does that mean for Corowa High School students?

Corowa High School students will not be covered by the school's ambulance policy if they attend an excursion in Victoria (or any other state). If an ambulance is called and the students does not have private ambulance cover, parents will be required to pay the account which could potentially cost hundreds of dollars.

What should I do?

All Corowa High School families are encouraged to purchase private ambulance cover before 29 January 2019.

# WINE SALES



## COROWA HIGH SCHOOL WINES

### SHIRAZ DURIF FORTIFIED

\$4 per 375ml bottle

Why not treat your friends and family to Corowa High School's 2018 vintage this christmas! Call us now to place your order and arrange a collection time.

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## High School

### NEWSLETTER

TERM 4 | WEEK 6 | NOV 2019



COROWA BUSINESS CHAMBER AND EVENTS

## Christmas Festival

FRIDAY 29TH NOVEMBER

From 5pm onwards  
Santa, Carols, Food, Children's activities,  
Stalls & Shops open late  
Sanger street





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## ALBURY/WODONGA ADF CAREERS EXPO



The Albury/Wodonga ADF Careers Expo is an opportunity to get hands on with some of Defence's best equipment and learn about the careers available in the Navy, Army and Air Force.

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**Albury/Wodonga ADF Careers Expo, Public Day**

**Saturday, 16th of May 2020**

**9am – 3pm**

**The Cube, Hovell Street, Wodonga**

This event will promote an insight into the many career opportunities The Australian Defence Force has to offer as well as interactions with ADF members and equipment.

Come and Enjoy a day full of:

- Career Briefings & Presentations
- Opportunities to speak one on one with Military members
- Navy, Army and Air Force equipment, vehicles & capability demonstrations
- Interactive activities including Virtual Reality
- And much more!

This event is **FREE** to attend.

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### MURRAY FELINES

## COME & PLAY SESSIONS

With the introduction of an U16's competition in 2020 now is the time to give Footy a go no matter your age.

REGISTER ONLINE TO RECEIVE A FREE FOOTY ON ATTENDANCE!







**SESSIONS -**


- 18 NOV 4:30PM - 5:30PM (BARKLY PARK RUTHERGLEN)
- 25 NOV 4:30 - 5:30PM (BARKLY PARK RUTHERGLEN)
- 2 DEC 4:30PM - 5:30PM (JOHN FOORD OVAL COROWA)
- 9 DEC 4:30PM - 5:30PM (JOHN FOORD OVAL COROWA)

REGISTER ONLINE - <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/8YZMYHY>

For more information - [zac.hedin@afl.com.au](mailto:zac.hedin@afl.com.au)

## Girls...Come n Try



**FREE BBQ AFTER EACH SESSION!**

**MUST BE TURNING 11+ IN 2020**



COROWA HIGH SCHOOL

# YEAR 6 TRANSITION WEEK

2-6 December 2019



## COME AND EXPERIENCE A WEEK AT HIGH SCHOOL!

Year 6 students who have registered at Corowa High School for Year 7 in 2020 are invited to join us for an entire week from Monday 2 December to Friday 6 December.

- Wear primary school uniform
- Arrive at school by 8.45am and depart at 3.15pm
- Students will attend classes, follow a timetable and have full access to the school including canteen, library and playground.

For further information, please call Corowa High School on (02) 6033 1889.