



JACOB AWARDED FOR EXCELLENCE

We are tremendously proud to announce that Year 12 student, Jacob Read, is a recipient of the 2020 Minister's Award for Excellence in Student Achievement.

The Minister's Award for Excellence in Student Achievement is a prestigious award presented to up to 40 NSW students each year who have demonstrated high achievement in academic excellence, leadership and commitment to the community.

Jacob has been recognised, not only for his outstanding academic results and contributions to our school, but also for his commitment to community groups including the Federation Youth Council and Corowa Rutherglen United Hockey Club.

Jacob is truly deserving of this honour and a wonderful asset to our school and community. Congratulations Jacob!

Congratulations to Jacob Read and Ellen Lavis on being nominated for the Minister's Award for Excellence in Student Achievement. Both were nominated by our school in recognition of their achievements.

We are very proud of Ellen and Jacob's accomplishments to date and look forward to hearing of their future successes.

What's Coming Up?

15 Sept	HSC Maths Standard 2 study day
18 Sept	World's Greatest Shave footy colours mufti day (gold coin donation) & hot dog sale
23 Sept	World's Greatest Shave day & bake sale
25 Sept	2021 School Captains announcement
25 Sept	Last day Term 3
12 Oct	First day Term 4





Principal's report

with Dr Joanne Bellette

Upcoming HSC examinations

Our Senior students have just completed their Trial examinations and the HSC is rapidly approaching. This year our Seniors will continue to attend school in the first week of Term 4, in recognition of the time lost during Learning at Home in Term 2, and the HSC exams will begin in Week 2 of Term 4.

What to do if are unwell during the HSC exam period

In order to mitigate the risk of COVID-19 during the HSC examinations, a number of practices will be put in place in schools across New South Wales. Students may not attend examinations if they are unwell with cold or flu-like symptoms. They must immediately present to a medical practitioner and seek a COVID-19 test (which will be 'fast-tracked' when they identify themselves as HSC students). Any student unable to attend an examination due to illness must get a medical certificate indicating this from a doctor and they must complete an 'Illness and Misadventure' form for NESA, which is available from our school front office. Those students who are well and able to attend the examinations will be screened before entering the examination, they will be socially distanced throughout the examination and hygiene supplies will be available at the start and end of the examination for sanitising hands and surfaces.

Aboriginal Education Consultative Group

At Corowa High School we are constantly striving to build positive partnerships with all of students and our parent community. Toward that end we are investigating the establishment of a student-led AECG (Aboriginal Education Consultative Group) across the Bpangerang

Learning Community which would include staff and student representatives from the following schools: Corowa High School, Corowa Public School, Corowa South Public School, Lowesdale Public School and Mulwala Public School. Our Aboriginal students at Corowa High School have had one short meeting to garner interest in this project and there was overwhelming consensus that the students were keen on establishing this initiative. Our next meeting will be with Cathie Egan, Aboriginal Community Liaison Officer at the Albury Education Office, who will support us in the creation and establishment of this body. Thanks too, to the following staff at Corowa High School who have offered to support and engage in this initiative: Mr Douglas, Mr Hawkesworth and Ms Allen.

Announcing our 2021 School Captains

Last week Corowa High School students viewed the leadership speeches of our aspiring school captains. Congratulations to all of the nominees for the cogent and heartfelt way they spoke about leadership and how they viewed the role of Captain at Corowa High School. The announcement of our 2021 School Captains will be made on Friday 25 September. Normally this announcement is made at our Leadership Assembly where we also announce those elected to our Student Representative Council. Unfortunately, due to COVID, we cannot hold this assembly and alternative method of announcing our next school leaders had to be found. On Friday of Week 10 students at Corowa High School will view a short film in Period 1 announcing our school leaders. This film will also be available to our parents and school community on the same day via our Facebook page and the school website.



Future captains on the campaign trail

Six Year 11 students have put their names forward this year in a bid to become our 2021 School Captains. Votes have been cast and are being counted, with the official announcement of our 2021 student leadership team to occur on the last day of Term 3! See our Facebook page on 25 September for results.

Good luck to all of our worthy candidates: Laura, Rebecca, Darcy, Angela, Ben and Max.

Students smash fundraising goals and prep for matching hairstyles

You may know that 12 Corowa High School students are fundraising for the World's Greatest Shave. What you may not know is that these legends have smashed their fundraising goal, with a current cumulative total of \$4640.72. They will continue to raise money through school and private fundraising efforts until the big shave on 23 September.



Year 7 jam session

Our Year 7 students have been making great progress in their Music studies this term. Many students are learning to play instruments for the first time, while others are increasing their musical repertoire by learning their second or third instrument.

This week they formed small groups to practice performing in an ensemble. Students pictured had a great time jamming together, playing some smooth jazz beats.





This week in Senior Food Technology...

The future chef's in Mrs Bridges Senior Food Technology class whipped up a delicious batch of mini lemon meringue pies last Friday. They have made pleasing progress in culinary abilities and are moving towards their HSC examinations with confidence.



BAKE SALE FOR A GREAT CAUSE

It's easy to support the future bald students in our Leadership Class by making a purchase at their World's Greatest Shave bake sale!

BAKE SALE

23 SEPTEMBER

Don't forget to bring some coins!





WORLD'S GREATEST SHAVE

23 SEPT AT COROWA HIGH SCHOOL

Students and parents are able to donate by following the link below or searching for the Corowa High School team on the World's Greatest Shave website.

Donate to our team here - <https://bit.ly/2EGMaRi>

Chemistry matters

Year 7 Science students have recently used string and either alum or copper sulphate to create crystals! It took a few days for the crystals to develop, but it was worth the wait!





CASUAL CLOTHES 'FOOTY COLOURS' DAY

18 SEPTEMBER

Gold coin donation supporting the Leukaemia Foundation.

Book pack orders due soon!

Please be reminded that orders and payment are due to the canteen by Friday 25 September. Contact the office on (02) 6033 1889 for further information or to receive a new book pack order form

Payments can be made to CHS Canteen by cash or cheque, alternatively by direct deposit to CHS P&C Association

Hume BSB: 640-000

Account Number: 111224172

Please use students name and 'Books' as your reference



Tell Them From Me

Parent Survey

Follow the link below to Corowa High School's 5 minute Parent Tell Them From Me survey. Have a say in the future of Corowa High School!

<https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/survey/splash/chs2>

COROVIAN NEWS

To receive a copy of our 2020 school magazine, the Corovian in Term 4, please ensure that school voluntary contributions are paid by Friday 25 September.

Term 2 Canteen Roster

Canteen Phone: 02 6033 1167

Commence 10.30 each day

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
14-18 Sept		M Miegel	L Van Leeuwen		
21-25 Sept	J Willett	M Miegel	K McKenzie		

The canteen is in desperate need of volunteers!

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



**Year 12 students to have
COVID-19 test results faster**

COVID-19

Protecting HSC students from COVID-19

HSC students will now have their COVID-19 test result fast tracked through pathology. They simply need to advise the nurse or doctor doing the test they are HSC students.

Results will be fast tracked to reduce disruption to their studies and exams. We also want to reduce potential anxiety around getting tested and ensure students self-isolate at home until results are known. This will help protect the whole community.

It is important that all HSC students:

- Stay 1.5m apart where possible
- Wear a mask if physical distancing isn't possible
- Get tested asap if they have even the mildest of symptoms
- Tell the clinician doing the test they are a HSC student and to mark the

referral 'Urgent - HSC student'

- Stay home and self-isolate until results are known
- Receive a negative test result before returning to school; showing the school a screenshot of an SMS result is sufficient
- Call the contact number provided by the clinic if results are not received within 36 hours

As social young adults, senior students may be at greater risk of COVID-19 than the younger children at school. They're also more likely to be out and about in situations which could put them at risk of COVID-19 if they don't stay vigilant.

Find the nearest testing clinic at : www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/how-to-protect-yourself-and-others/clinics



COROWA HIGH SCHOOL

URGENT CHANGE IN SCHOOL COVID-19 POLICY

In accordance with advice from NSW health, parents and carers are reminded NOT to send students to school if they are unwell, even if they have the mildest flu-like symptoms. Corowa High School students who present at school with flu-like symptoms will be sent home ASAP. Any siblings will also be sent home.

Effective immediately, all students and staff with flu-like symptoms will need to provide a copy of a negative COVID-19 test result before being permitted to return to school. This can be sent via email to:
corowa-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Further information can be found by following the link above.

If you require further clarity, please do not hesitate to call the school on (02) 6033 1889.

Regards
Dr Joanne Bellette, Principal

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NEWSLETTER

TERM 3 | WEEK 8 | SEPT 2020



Corowa School Holiday Activities

Want to keep the kids busy these school holidays? The Intereach Corowa Community Hub has activities for children aged 5-12 these school holidays!

COVID-Safe: All children must be signed in and out by a parent.

Booking are essential - Due to COVID restrictions we can take a maximum of 9 children.

WEDNESDAY 30 SEP

2pm - 3pm
Tree of Hearts



THURSDAY 1 OCT

2pm - 3pm
Hand Print Parrots



WEDNESDAY 7 OCT

2pm - 3pm
Fabric Strip Bunting



THURSDAY 8 OCT

2pm - 3pm
Christmas Crafts



Want more information?

Call Intereach Corowa Community Hub
109-111 Sanger St, Corowa NSW 2646
Ph: 1300 488 226



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- Rachael, aged 20

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NSW School Leaver Information Session

Supporting your pathway to post-school life

The National Disability Insurance Agency would like to invite school leavers and their families to attend a virtual information session.

This session will provide an opportunity to hear about supports available through the NDIS to support transition to post-school life and employment. Learn how to prepare for a conversation about your goals and things to consider when choosing the right provider for you.

This session is offered over multiple dates to allow flexibility for attendees. Each session will cover the same content, and will have a maximum capacity of 300 attendees. Sessions will be held via video-conference using Microsoft Teams. Details on how to log into the session will be forwarded to attendees two days prior to the session. If you would like to attend please register via Eventbrite.

For any enquiries regarding this session, please contact events@ndis.gov.au. Please include the session name in the subject line.

Where: Virtual Information Sessions via Microsoft Teams

Dates & Times:

Thursday 3 September 2020	5.00pm – 6.30pm (AEST)
Monday 7 September 2020	5.00pm – 6.30pm (AEST)
Thursday 10 September 2020	5.00pm – 6.30pm (AEST)
Wednesday 16 September 2020	5.00pm – 6.30pm (AEST)

RSVP: Please register via Eventbrite at <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/nsw-school-leaver-information-session-tickets-117609680721>

Additional information: Accessibility is important to us. If you have any accessibility, interpreter, live captioning or other requirements, please advise when registering. Please note - we need a minimum of five (5) business days' notice to book Auslan interpreters.



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WEP STUDENT EXCHANGE
Plan ahead for 2021!

AT A GLANCE:

- Choose from 28 countries
- Depart when borders re-open
- Attend school overseas
- Live with a host family
- Learn about yourself and the world around you
- Make international friendships
- Make memories to last a lifetime!

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NTX 'EXCHANGE' TO 0428 246 633 FOR A FREE INFO PACK!

NZ!

South Korea
I have been looking for a South Korea and I have found it! This experience was a different world to what I thought it was. I have already started my school, and I have made many friends in my new school.
- Yuna, South Korea

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