Big welcome to our new students and families to the Coorabell school community. Rafael will be joining our Kindergarten class, Bodhi to our year 1 class, Emma, Teo and Soreya to our 2/3 class. Welcome back also to Annabel (2/3) and Zoe (5/6).

Massive thank you to all our helpers and workers who have performed an amazing transformation to our school grounds. Their achievements during the holidays are nothing short of incredible as our school has never looked better. Please feel free to come and have a look around at their wonderful work and also check out the photo page attached.

This Thursday is our Flash mob and picnic day. All our Coorabell kids will catch the bus to some prominent Byron Bay locations to perform our spontaneous song and dance. We will then return to school by approximately 12.30 for a whole school picnic to celebrate our student’s outstanding achievements, creativity, sportsmanship and peer support. All parents are most welcome to attend and participate in the flash mob and the whole school picnic. Please make sure you return the permission note for bus travel attached tomorrow.

This Friday Year 2/3 and Year 3/4 will be attending a massed choir rehearsal at Mullumbimby Public School as part of the Lighthouse Valley Fest to be held on the evening of July 29th. Students in these classes will be sent home a note with more information and a permission note for the rehearsal.

On Thursday July 30th we will be conducting an Information Evening for families enrolling in Kindergarten for 2016. Please see attached flyer for details.

Congratulations to all our competitors in the Small School Athletics Carnival who represented Coorabell Public School in true sportsmanship and spirit. See photos attached.

Please note that we are no longer affiliated with the North Coast Conservatorium of Music.

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There will be no Tuesday Assembly this week.

UPCOMING EVENTS!

TERM 2

July  
14  FIRST DAY of TERM 3  
20  Gymnastics (Week 1 of 8)  
20-24 Year 5/6 Snow Trip  
28  ICAS - English  
30  Information Evening for 2016 Kindergarten  
31  District Athletics Carnival

August 7  Open Day - 9.10 -11.10am  
10  Life Education Van (K,1,5/6)  
11  Life Education Van (2/3 & 3/4)  
11  ICAS - Mathematics  
19  Whole School Photos  
20  Kindy Orientation - 9-11  
27  Kindy Orientation - 9-11

Sept 3  Kindy Orientation - 9-11  
14  Whole School Concert  
18  LAST DAY of TERM 3

REMINDERS

Year 5/6 snow excursion - Final payment for Snow trip was due last week, please forward immediately.

Gymnastics commences Term 3 Week 2 - permission note & money due by 15/7.

Ukulele Term 1/2 /3 Tuition fee $25 per term due (or $100 for year)

Whole School flash mob permission note due by tomorrow.

Voluntary Contribution - $30 per student or $50 per family now due.

Please make sure notes and money are forwarded in a sealed envelope with correct money and marked with childs name & activity.

whole school ukulele program

TERM 3 Ukulele commences next Friday. Please fill in the permission slip below and send into school as soon as possible.

The cost is $25.00 per student for the term.

I give my child……………………………… permission to attend the ukulele program.

I understand the cost is $25.00 per child

Signed………………………………………………

Enclosed $ ………………………

Could you please also ensure payment has been made for Term 1 and enclose with this Terms payment. If you are unsure please contact Jenny or Karen in the office.

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However Danielle and Guy will continue their tuition and band lessons independently and therefore we are expecting no change in the current timetable. Danielle and Guy will be in contact with further details as soon as possible.

Thank you so much to all the parents and community who have spread the good word about our outstanding small school. Keep up the great work as although we have had fantastic exposure in the media recently, I still believe the best form of advertisement is word of mouth. Please pass the word around about our Information Night (July 30) and Open Day (August 7).

Thank you to Lisa and Nigel for the delicious Nori rolls on the last Friday of Term 2.

Many thanks

Geoff Coghlan
Whole School Gymnastics Program - Term 3 Week 2

Once again this year the whole school will be undertaking a Gymnastics program commencing on Monday July 20 (Term 3 Week 2).

This year the program will run for 8 weeks (2014 was 6 weeks) and is provided by School Gymnastics which is Australia’s leading provider of in-school gymnastic programs with a firm reputation of providing programs of the highest quality that are lots of fun.

The cost of the eight week program is $45.00 per child.

This is a whole school physical education program which will steadily progress from week to week to teach our students specific gymnastics skills whilst developing overall fitness, core strength, flexibility, and enhancing spatial awareness. School Gymnastics programs are delivered by gymnastics specific coaches using the very best equipment available.

Every student participating in the program will be individually evaluated and will receive a certificate showing their level of achievement.

Please sign and return the permission note below. If you are having difficulty in meeting the cost of this program please contact the school office.

Permission Note

This note needs to be handed into the classroom notes/money box by Wednesday July 15.

I give my child/children..............................................................permission to attend the whole school gymnastics program to be held at school in Term 3.

I understand the cost of the 8 week program is $45.00 per child. Enclosed $...................

Signed:.................................................................................................Dated........................................................

Print Name:..........................................................................................………………………………....
P & C LUNCHES - ROSTER

TERM 2

P & C LUNCHES - Cost $4.00 per lunch

Thanks to all the volunteers for Term 2 with lots of yummy lunches for the kids! Volunteers now needed for Term 3 roster. Please put your name down by returning the details to the school office. Thank you!

For all new parents please feel free to contact Jenny or Karen in the office to find out about our Friday lunches. All expenses are reimbursed by the P&C. Just remember to keep all your receipts. Lunch suggestions: burritos/veg and meat, pizzas, soups, nori rolls, pasta dishes, lasagna, sausage rolls/cheese and spinach rolls, sausage sizzles......or try something new!

Please provide a vegetarian alternative.

Lunches need to be ready at 1.10pm.

Kindergarten will be served first at this time with the rest to follow from 1.15pm.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR TERM 3 ROSTER

TERM 3 ROSTER

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LUNCH ORDER  Friday July 17

P & C Lunches this week will be hosted by Jen Djula & Ian Colvin. Cost of Lunch is $4.00 which includes a healthy treat. Please have money & order handed into the classroom notes/money box by Wednesday morning.

Sausage - Meat.............................................. Sausage - Vegie............................................

Name.................................................................. Class ........................ Enclosed $ ...........

Please note: OHS- Students are not allowed to help with food preparation in the canteen.
Coorabell Public School Flash Mob and Picnic

All students and staff have been rehearsing their performance for this exciting event that is going to take place in the very first week of week one next term.

Thursday 16th July ... make note of this very important date!

Departing school at 9.20am and returning when we are hungry!

The students will be bussed to a few different locations where they will surprise and delight the crowds by spontaneously breaking into song and dance. After performing students will get back onto the bus and move on to another location and repeat the performance. It is going to be so much fun!

No cost is involved. The school will pay for the bus.

At the conclusion of the ‘flash mobbing’ we will return to school and have a celebratory picnic and all families and wider community are invited to join us.

What can you do to support us?

We really need each child to have

- a shower cap for the event. A colourful one would be great. They need to have it in their pocket so wear a school uniform with a pocket.
- full school uniform. Fully Coorabell green, and neat and tidy. We want to create the very best impression out there in the community and nothing does that better than full school uniform and well-groomed kids!

Do you have contacts in the local media that might be able to cover the event on the day? Please let us know if you can assist in this way.

Do help to help us make this day something the children and our wider community will enjoy and remember forever.

Colleen Crawford

Coorabell Flash Mob and Picnic Day

Thursday, 16th July 2015

I give permission for my child/ren …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………… to attend the Flash Mob day in Byron Bay on 16/7/15. I understand travel will be by bus (departing 9.20am and returning by approx. 12.30pm) and the school will cover the cost.

My child will be in full school uniform and have a colourful shower cap in his/her pocket.

I will/will not be attending the picnic afterwards.

Signed …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….. Dated………………………………………………

PRINT NAME: ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..
My favourite destination is school. School is a place where you make new friends, it keeps your mind off worries you have in your life, it builds up your skills and I don’t know about you but I actually sleep better after school than on the weekend. If I had to name a school it would be Coorabell, the nicest most best school you could ever go to. Coorabell is a great school because it gives you a chance just one chance in life to do something you could never do at another school, and I am so glad I go to Coorabell because they have the nicest teachers (and principal) you could ever ask for.

Thank you for listening to my speech and I hope you agree with me.
WOW!!! LOOK AT OUR BEAUTIFUL SCHOOL!!!

A heartfelt & enormous thank you to the team of incredible hard workers who made our holiday working bee(s) such a HUGE success.

Tia, Zack, Ellana, Ayla, Edie, Banjo, Jethro, Jasper, Eden, Ella, Tea and families

And the amazing Cornell Family and their Farm Boys – who worked so hard for days and days – THANK YOU

Come join us for the next working bee – lots of fun!
Coorabell Public School
Information Evening
For families enrolling in Kindergarten in 2016
Thursday July 30  5pm - 6pm

Come along and find out how happy we are!
Meet the Principal, Kindergarten teacher, staff and students.
Learn about how Kindergarten works.
Enjoy some light refreshments and entertainment by some of our talented students.
Find out everything you need to know about joining one of the best schools on the North Coast!

Register your attendance by calling 66847281