EVERY SATURDAY
8am - 1pm
180 O’Hea Street, Coburg North PS

Autumn Produce: capsicums, lamb, terrines, mushrooms, eggplants, pear, potatoes, beef, bread, apples, zucchini, eggs and much more!

Market Feed: Plan a long weekend lunch! Pick up a take home pie from Chef’s Fine Foods, or enjoy an Otway Prime Roast with chili ajvar from Plough to Plate. Summer is over but berry season doesn’t have to be – keep some Kookaberry Farm frozen berries in the freezer for delicious desserts all winter long!

UPCOMING MARKET DATES
14th May
21st May
28th May
4th June

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APRIL SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING SUMMARY

School Council met on April 27 and took some time out to celebrate the wonderful recent announcement that CNPS was one of 34 Victorian schools to share in $12 million for school planning in the 2016/7 State budget. This result wouldn’t have been achieved without a huge amount of work by both the school council and staff, along with the support of a determined local MP - so big thanks to the many who worked hard over several years to get this to happen. There will be plenty of opportunities to get involved in the planning process so look out in the newsletter for more info, or contact school council president Jo Harrison at harrison.jo.j@edumail.vic.gov.au to register your interest. Here’s a summary of the other things we discussed:

- The newly formed Strategic Funding Sub-Committee is looking for people with marketing, sales, finance, and accounting skills, and the Communications Subcommittee is looking for People Power Coordinators
- The financial position summary was reviewed and options for online payments were discussed
- Reviewed reports including Principal’s report, Education report, Communication report, Parents and Friends, OHSP
- The upcoming Education Sub-Committee meeting will focus on the development of a mental health and wellbeing assessment for the school in conjunction with Merri Health
- A group of parents led by Kirrily are working on a grant application to secure funding for the amphitheatre redevelopment project
- 100 people have signed up for the app and there are about 500 likes on the Facebook page
- The next meeting is on June 15 at 6:30pm on Wednesday night in the staff room - we’d love to see you there

PARENTS AND FRIENDS MEETING

A Parents and Friends meeting will be held on Monday, May 16 straight after assembly. Meet in the amphitheatre. We’ll be discussing the Bunnings barbecue, the next end of month lunch and our recent mother’s day stall among other things. Looking forward to seeing you all there. Any questions to cnps_pf@hotmail.com
MOTHERS DAY STALL - We couldn't have done it without you!
A huge thank you to all the talented mums who hand crafted and volunteered their time to this year’s Mother’s Day Stall Fundraiser. We raised $1,750 for the school. You can see more about the stall on the Parents and Friends blog page.

END-OF-MONTH LUNCH, APRIL 29
Three hundred ANZAC biscuits, almost 150 mezze plates and 450 slices of pita bread were the order of the day at the “end-of-term” lunch late last month which raised over $600 for the school.
A huge thanks to the parents who helped make it possible, particularly to Michelle L who churned out a mountain of ANZAC biscuits and what seemed like a few tonnes of hummus. Thanks also to Janine and Jenny who baked a couple of hundred biscuits between them, and to Meredith who did a sterling job with the preparation on the day.
Thanks to Jenny, Meredith, Kate, Michelle and Mike who helped with prep and serving on the day.

CNPS DADS DINNER AND DROP-IN NIGHT ON FRIDAY JUNE 3RD
Calling all CNPS dads to join us for a truly low-maintenance event … the Dads Dinner and Drop-in Night at The Old Cop Shop (160 Bell Street, Coburg) on Friday June 3rd – some tables are already tentatively booked for dinner from 7pm and we also welcome dads dropping in for cameo appearances too.
This event promises to be a good old fashioned pub-style catch up, where dads can have a relaxed chat to each other about everyday stuff (think Seinfeld, or perhaps even Cheers - sorry no Australian tv shows seemed to fit The Bill!) … as well as providing a safe environment for exchanging the lamest of lame dad puns. But don’t worry the spot that’s booked has a clear view of the tv too, so if the puns become too excruciating there’s always the footy!
If everyone could spread the word to as many CNPS dads as possible that would be much appreciated. To RSVP for dinner let Benjy know (benjy.lee@jemena.com.au or 0421 557 699) by Saturday May 21.

NEW SCHOOL BAG TAGS FROM JUST BAG TAGS
Just Bag Tags, a brand new local business, has kindly given each student and staff a CNPS bag tag…thanks Just Bag Tags! They are also offering a 10% discount if you order from their massive range of custom tags, plus $1 from each tag sold comes back to the school as a fundraiser. All you need to do is visit www.justbagtags.com.au before the end of May and enter the promo code CNPSTAGS.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – BUNNINGS BARBECUE
Parents and Friends is looking for volunteers to help at the Gaffney St Bunnings barbecue on Saturday, June 4.
All money raised on the day will go towards Coburg North Primary School programs.
We have four lots of 2/2.5 hour shifts to fill - 7.30am-10am, 10am-12.30pm, 12.30pm-3pm or 3-5pm.
We need four people per shift.
The barbecue itself runs from 8am-4pm so those on the early and late shift will be helping to set up and clean up as part of their shift.
Please email cnps_pf@hotmail.com to volunteer or for information – or just have a chat to Tamara (Ada and Camille’s mum) in the playground.
SCHOOL PHOTO DAY IS COMING
Your photo order form has been sent home with your child today

SCHOOLPIX will be visiting us on Tuesday 24th May

PHOTO DAY TIPS:

Dress: Clean and tidy as per school uniform guidelines

Hair: Neat and swept off face

Manual Orders: Complete your order form and return with payment to school before photography day

Online Orders: To pre-order online, take your personal Order and ID Numbers found on your order form and go to www.schoolpix.com.au. Orders can be placed online up to 2 working days after photography. You do not need to return the order form if you order online.

Sibling Orders: For a special photo of your children together, collect a Sibling Order Form from the office or download it from the SchoolPix website and return it on photography day. Alternatively Order Online by 10am on photography day.

Remember: All orders placed online will receive a free 20cm x 25cm black and white portrait print.

PO Box 5222, Hallam VIC 3803
Ph: 1300 766 055
Email: info@schoolpix.com.au

DIARY DATES

2016

MAY

18 DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY
2017 Foundation Evening Information Session 7.00 pm
19 OPEN DAY
STORYTIME - 9am
20 Walk Safely to School Day
24 SCHOOL PHOTO DAY
26 STORYTIME - 9am

JUNE

9 Grade 1-2 Melbourne Zoo Excursion
15 School Council Meeting 6.30pm in Staffroom
24 Carnevale

JULY

27 School Council Meeting 6.30pm in Staffroom

AUGUST

31 School Concert Performance 1

SEPTEMBER

1 School Concert Performance 2
OPEN DAY
Thursday 19th May, 2016

We are open all day for parents & visitors to come and see classes in action. Timetable will be available before the day

Contact the school on 9354 1660 for more information.

Tour times: 9am, 10am, 11.30am & 12.30pm
# RESPONSIBLE STUDENT AWARD

**Week 4 - ending Friday 6th May**

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<th>Student</th>
<th>Class</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<td>Harry</td>
<td>34C</td>
<td>Communally responsible - as much work as possible</td>
<td>collaborating and cooperating in group activities</td>
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<td>Tyler</td>
<td>34A</td>
<td>Personally responsible - as much work as possible</td>
<td>providing great examples of emotive language when writing his persuasive text</td>
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<td>Holly</td>
<td>1B</td>
<td>Personally responsible - as much work as possible</td>
<td>using time connectives in her recount</td>
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<td>Grant</td>
<td>2A</td>
<td>Personally responsible - as much work as possible</td>
<td>Settling into his new grade and school with ease.</td>
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<td>Oliver</td>
<td>1A</td>
<td>Personally responsible - as much work as possible</td>
<td>designing a robot using specific shapes.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Tilda</td>
<td>1C</td>
<td>Personally responsible - as much work as possible</td>
<td>Stretching out sounds in words, recording a letter per sound, and having a go at new words.</td>
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<td>Greta</td>
<td>FB</td>
<td>Communally responsible - safe and comfortable</td>
<td>Being kind and helping others both inside the classroom and in the playground</td>
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<td>Hamish</td>
<td>5/6 B</td>
<td>Communally responsible - as much work as possible</td>
<td>Working well with his peers in the classroom (peer nomination)</td>
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<td>Reggae</td>
<td>5/6 A</td>
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<td>Jude</td>
<td>FA</td>
<td>Personally responsible - safe and comfortable</td>
<td>For always being responsible, hard working and just an all round super star!</td>
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<td>Jean</td>
<td>FD</td>
<td>Personally responsible - as much work as possible</td>
<td>By using her learnt reading strategies during reading</td>
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Coburg RSL Band Night #22: Elizaband Single Launch Sat, 4 June, 7pm, $5!

Having celebrated our 2nd anniversary in May, we now have 2 single launches planned for punters tonight, from Elizaband and also Cougar Vox! Joining them are the excellent Fraudband, Secret Valley and Joel Jenkins. To top this off we welcome back into our fold Mrs Barb Wire for MCing and general mischievousness. Always only $5 with free nibbles, cheap drinks, friendly people, accommodating spaces, family friendly. Read on for more details on the talent!

ELIZABAND (11pm) is the sonic conduit of influential Melbourne based singer / songwriter Rory Patrick Cooke, founding member of 90’s Australian indie enfants terribles Gaslight Radio. ELIZABAND have independently released one full length album and three EPs, Enigmatic and rarely performing live, all dream-pop celebrations of the Australian outsider. Tonight they launch their double A Side single, “The Razor’s Edge” / “Junction Buds”. Watch this space for details on the digital download! For now lap it up here: theelizaband.bandcamp.com/album/three-flowers-for-you

FRAUDBAND (10pm) are an instrumental duo. Simultaneously atmospheric and driving, they craftily draw you in to their spiraling rhythms and live sonic trickery. Heaven sent, Hell bound. Hear this: fraudband.bandcamp.com

SECRET VALLEY (9pm) are a four piece band from Melbourne. ‘Music for boys & girls’ featuring male/female vocals, guitar and trombone and keyboards and drums, combine to make a unique pop sound. Secret Valley have been playing in Melbourne for a few years. Their most recent release is ‘The Glisten E.P.’ out through Alberts Basement and which you can hear here: https://albertsbasement.bandcamp.com/album/the-glisten-e-p

They’ve also got a video here: vimeo.com/105946936

COUGAR VOX (8pm) make a claim for posterity with the release of their/hers (?) first ever recording, despite claiming to have been performing under the moniker for nearly 40 years. Ms Vox has shied away from the limelight in suburban Melbourne for decades, now coaxed out of the closet by Emotional Response Recordings, she’s released a split single of ‘Odd’/Craigburn’ with Enemy Anemone, along with a video to celebrate it! Quite unlike Blondie, Cougar Vox is a band AND a person. With claims to a long family history of outsider art/beat poetry/punk happenings/grunge babysitting, Cougar Vox is a hard one to peg. These days, Coburgistan is about the only place she is likely to be seen playing live. See it & believe it. Watch ‘Odd’: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lW4CndoCI

JOEL JENKINS (7.15) opens the night with a mystery grab bag of singer-songwriter jewels. He may also serve you a drink at the bar later. Just ask him!

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