Dear Parents, Staff and Friends

Athletics Carnival
The last couple of weeks have been exciting and challenging as we spread our athletics events over time to allow for fickle weather and teacher professional development days. Across all days I was proud to see our students’ sportsmanship and efforts! Our kids give everything a go and do it with a smile and a laugh and also give credit to those who achieve well in the sporting field. My thanks go to all our wonderful parents who supported our athletics carnivals. The success of the day comes from the people involved, staff, parents and especially the kids! My congratulations go to all of you and especially the students of CTK who showed so much spirit and effort in making the day very enjoyable.

I would like to especially thank Mrs Trish Blumke who spent many hours ensuring that the days would run smoothly. She even had to do it a second time after the wet weather day.

Congratulations to the winning House – Gold and to the age champions for their consistency in all events.

Congratulations to our students.
Our students not only impress me but also people who visit our school. Within the past week we have had two groups working with our students. Last week a gentleman visiting from the Australian Youth Choir turned as he was leaving through the door to say what a credit our kids were to the school. He said that he had worked with many schools and had not come across a more cooperate and well-mannered group. Today we had school photos and once again the company said that they could not leave without saying what a delight it was to work with our kids, that they were well groomed, well behaved and mannered and that they had had a delightful day photographing our students. Apparently that doesn’t happen too often. I hope that you’re as proud as I am.

Announcing the implementation of the Daniel Morcombe Child Safety Curriculum
For the last two weeks of this term and into next term, our school will be implementing the Daniel Morcombe Child Safety Curriculum with students in Years Prep to 7. The curriculum is based on principles of best practice in child safety education and centres around three key messages: Recognise, React and Report. Through a series of lessons, students will learn how to recognise, react and report when they are unsafe or find themselves in situations that can have a significant detrimental effect on their physical, psychological or emotional wellbeing.


Have a peace-filled week.
Trudy Walsh
Wishing all our Dads a lovely on Sunday. Make sure you spoil your Dads, kids.

Australia’s Catholic bishops have expressed grave concern at the humanitarian crisis that is continuing to worsen in Northern Iraq. We, as a community, are asked to pray for our fellow human beings whose lives are threatened because of their beliefs.

Mother Theresa
Prayer is not asking.
Prayer is putting oneself in the hands of God, at His disposition, and listening to His voice in the depth of our hearts.

Mass and Prayer Assembly Roster:

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AROUND THE SCHOOL

Lost Property
At the end of each term the Lost Property box is cleaned out and unclaimed, unmarked items are sent to St Vinnies or the Uniform shop. Each week the Year 6/7 students go through the lost property and return named items to their rightful owners. Please help us get your child’s items back to them by clearly naming their possessions (including water bottles, jumpers, hats etc). **There are a number of near new, unnamed hats that were left at the Athletics Carnival last Thursday. These can be collected from Mrs Blumke.**

Year 6/7 Leadership Camp
The Year 6/7 students will be attending camp at Emu Gully, Helidon from Wednesday 10 September until Friday 12 September. This is a very exciting time for our Year 6/7 students and the camp plays an important part in their development as school leaders and their preparation for high school. A letter outlining details and permission notes were sent home earlier this week. These notes are due to be returned by Wednesday 3 September.

Year 2 – 7 Athletics
Last Thursday we finally completed this year’s Athletics Carnival. Thank you to all the students who participated so enthusiastically in this event and a special thank you to staff and parents who helped to ensure CTK Athletics was a success. Outlined below are the Age Champions and House Champions for 2014.

Age Champions Athletics 2014

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Boys Champion Team: Red
Girls Champion Team: Gold
Overall Winning Team: Gold
Fastest 100m sprinter: Megan

Friday Interschool Sport
Interschool sport began last Friday for students in Years 5 – 7. The cricketers immersed themselves in skills sessions and the softball girls were straight into their competition games. Judging from the stories and excitement that were shared by the students on their return from interschool sport, the season was off to a good start.

Please note the following:
* Students are required to order their tuck-shop at morning tea on Interschool Sport days.
* Students need to bring along their interschool sport uniform etc. if they are dressing up for Book Week this Friday 5 September.
* There will be no Interschool Sport on Friday 12 September due to the Year 6/7 camp.
* No jewellery is to be worn for Interschool Sport (cricket or softball).

Year 7 Parent Graduation Meeting
Monday 8 September at 3pm there will be a parent meeting for Year 6/7 parents to begin the process of planning graduation. A note outlining details was sent home earlier this week.

LIBRARY NEWS

Happy Book Week

My favourite week of the year is finally here… It’s BOOK WEEK !!!
On Thursday our students in years 3 – 7 will be visited by Author Justin D’Ath. He will be holding some writing workshops in the library for the day. Then on Friday morning the school assembly is converted into a parade of colour and intrigue as all students in the school are invited to dress as their favourite book character. Personally, I can’t wait, so have started a little early (see pics). Each class will parade around and show other students and parents their wonderful costumes. Students are asked to return their character slip to their teachers before Friday 5th so they can be entered into the lucky prize draw. This form went home as a flyer last week. If you need another copy, it’s available for download from last week’s newsletter or you can ask for a hard copy from Administration.

On Friday after big lunch we will be visited by a special Book Week performance called ‘Worlds Apart’ for students not going to interschool sport (P-4). We always have fun on Parade Friday, so get those costumes ready and we’ll see you there.

Illese Smithwick
SPORT NEWS

Softball - 29th August, 2014

All CTK teams are playing in B division competition
CTK 6/7B lost against St Aidan’s B
CTK 5/6 Team B won against Corinda Team B: 10-9
CTK 5/6 Team A won against Corinda Team A: 11-5

Well done girls 😊
Kim Fannin

STUDENT BANKING

There are a number of 2013 School Banking Rewards that the children can still order:

- Blue Wallet
- Headphones
- Knuckles game
- Pat Moneybox
- Pru Moneybox
- Spen Moneybox

Also please note that the 2014 Penguin key ring reward is low in stock.

Children can order the rewards when they have earned 10 tokens by making 10 deposits in the year.

Remember that the school banking program rewards children for individual saving and no pooling or swapping of tokens is allowed.

There will be no school banking on Tuesday 16th September 2014 because of the school holidays. It will recommence on Tuesday 7th October.

TUCKSHOP NEWS

A huge thanks to Bronwyn Stephens for the fabulous cupcakes on Wed 27/8/14 and for swinging in to help out at the last minute, when it was going a little pear shape, Aaron Eastment popping in to save the day, thanks. For all my well organised team of Grandmas, Dads & Mums thanking you all. Thanks to Anne Fowler, Therese Reid, & Andrew Worthington. Friday 29/8/14. A large thanks for the gorgeous cupcakes Nicki Cuolahan, Kate Muller & for a backup emergency cupcake plan Jenny Manthey. Kind Regards as Always Heather.
**P&F NEWS**

**Father’s Day Stall – September 5**
Don’t forget to send along with your child/ren money for the Father’s Day Stall. There will be $5 and $7 bags for sale.

**Trivia Night Date Claimer**
It’s that time of year again! We are organizing a TRIVIA NIGHT to be filled with fun, laughs and loads of exciting questions and music. The theme this year is Cocktail/Black Tie, so dust off your gorgeous frocks girls, boys pull out your best suit or dinner jacket and let’s have a ball!
- **Date:** Saturday 11th October
- **Time:** 7.00pm
- **Venue:** Sherwood RSL
- Other details to follow soon.

**PARISH NEWS**

**MASS TIMES**
St Joseph’s, Corinda
Saturday 6:00 pm, Sunday 8:00 am

Christ the King, Graceville
Sunday 9:30 am and 6:00 pm
St Joseph’s Catholic Church, Cnr Oxley Rd & Martindale St, Corinda.
Christ the King Catholic Church, Churchill Street, Graceville

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**Sports Holiday Program**
**Wed 24th – Fri 26th September**

**Sports Holiday Fun**
Game On Australia is offering another 3-day multi-sport holiday program in September. This program will include lots of sports, games and activities to ensure an active holiday.
- **Years:** Prep - Year 7. All abilities welcome
- **Where:** Christ the King Primary School, Graceville.
- **Times:** Activities from 9:00am-3:00pm
- **Operators:** Game On is organised and run by qualified HPE teachers and coaches
- **Early Bird Specials** apply so be sure to book quickly.
For full details and to register online, visit: www.gameonaustralia.com.au

**DDJ Performing Arts**
Is your child looking for a new fun, creative and rewarding activity in 2014? DDJ Performing Arts provides an Instrumental and CHOIR program at your school with group MUSIC lessons starting at $17.95 for 30 minute lesson and CHOIR at $3.95 for 45 minute lesson. Let your child discover the joys of music, starting with a free, no-obligation first trial lesson. Contact DDJ on 1300 335 335 for more information, or pick up an information flier from your school administration office.

**Dunlop Park Swimming Club - Oxley Road, Corinda**
Come and join Dunlop Park Swimming Club for the 2014/15 season. All levels of swimming welcome. Sign up day Saturday 13th September from 9am till noon. Club nights commence Wednesday 8th October. We also have a great coach on site, squad training enquiries on sign up day welcomed or email Jeff Lee on lks8457@yahoo.co.kr.

**September/October School Holiday Art Workshops at Graceville Uniting Church Hall**
Creative Kids Brisbane has inspiring, educational, fun, skill based children’s art workshops for all levels of creativity on offer at the Uniting Church Hall on Oxley Road in Graceville these school holidays. Each day of the school holidays children aged between 3-12 will have the chance to learn a variety of art skills and techniques such as drawing, sculpture, free form clay work, mixed media and painting under the guidance of experienced arts educator Liz Austin-Glen. For more information go to www.facebook.com/CreativeKidsBrisbane or please contact Liz on 0405 641 363 or via email at liz.austinglen@gmail.com.

**Corinda PCYC**
It’s Spring Vacation Care time at Corinda PCYC, and these holidays we have an exciting line up for you. From plays to putt putt and prisons these holidays we’re providing plentiful priceless experiences.
We will have the opportunity to explore the famous Boggo Road Gaol and Whites Hill Reserve Parklands. We are having a troupe of actors come from Sydney to perform an interactive spectacular about life with the convicts. We get to learn about Australia’s rich nautical history, and explore the ships at South Bank.
Seniors, children in grade 4 and up, will have their own South Bank adventure at Streets Beach, Brisbane Airport Light Garden and on the Brisbane River.

All days are CCB and CCR approved. This means that for an in-service day it could cost you as little as $3.80 a day (108% CCB and 35% CCR).

If you have any further questions or concerns please don't hesitate to contact Emma at corindasac@pcyc.org.au or on 3379 3379.