



# Corpus Christi Newsletter

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## Acknowledgement of Country

Corpus Christi Primary School acknowledges and pays respect to the past, present and future Traditional Custodians and Elders of this nation and the continuation of cultural, spiritual and educational practices of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.



## Principal's Message:



Dear Corpus Christi Families,

Welcome back to Term 2! I hope you all had a joyful and blessed Easter, filled with peace, renewal, and the hope that the Resurrection brings. As we begin this new term together, I look forward to continuing our journey of faith, learning, and community.

It is with deep sadness that we acknowledge the passing of Pope Francis. As the spiritual leader of our global Catholic community, Pope Francis inspired millions with his message of compassion, humility, and care for the most vulnerable. His legacy of love, justice, and mercy will continue to guide and shape our faith for generations to come. We offer our prayers for the repose of his soul and for the Church as we mourn his loss and give thanks for his extraordinary service. On Wednesday we gathered as a community for a prayer service. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.



## Uniform

As we settle into Term 2, we understand that the transition into the cooler months can take some adjustment. With this in mind, there will be a three-week grace period at the beginning of the term for students to transition into their winter uniform. By Week 4, all students are expected to be in full winter uniform.

Girls are welcome to wear pants as part of their winter uniform if they prefer this option over the dress. **However, it is important that students are wearing the complete and correct school uniform, this includes appropriate footwear and accessories. Colored tights are not part of the school uniform and should not be worn.**

We appreciate your support in maintaining our high standards and helping students wear their uniform with pride. If you have questions about the uniform please contact your child's teacher or the office anytime.

## Term Two Events

*Friday 25th April,  
ANZAC Day, no school*

**Tuesday 29th April,  
22 Squadron, Year 5/6  
at Shrine of  
Remembrance**

*Thursday 1st May,  
School Photos*

**Friday 9th May,  
Mother's Day  
Celebration**

*Monday 12th-  
Wednesday 14th,  
Year 5/6 Camp*

**Tuesday 20th May,  
School Advisory  
Council**

*Monday 9th June,  
King's Birthday  
Holiday, no school*

**Tuesday 10th June,  
Staff Professional  
Learning, no school**

*19th June,  
Feast of Corpus Christi*



### **ANZAC Day Dawn Service**

We have been invited to participate in the ANZAC Day Dawn Service at the Glenroy RSL. It is an honour for our school community to be part of this important commemoration. Thank you to the staff and students who will be representing our school at the service. Your presence reflects the respect and gratitude we hold for those who have served and sacrificed for our country. Lest we forget. **A reminder that this Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April is a School Closure Day.**

### **Anzac Day Dawn Service Details**

Service Location: The Cenotaph, Glenroy RSL Sub-Branch, 186 Glenroy Road, Glenroy

Service Time: 5:45am

Breakfast Details: Gun fire breakfast available with a purchase of an ANZAC Appeal Badge



### **2026 Enrolments-Open Day**

We're excited to be hosting another Open Day on Saturday, 3rd May at 9.30am! This is a wonderful opportunity for prospective families to visit our school and experience the warm and welcoming community we're so proud of. We encourage you to spread the word, please let your friends and family know, and don't forget to share our Open Day post on social media to help us reach even more members of the community. We look forward to welcoming many new faces!

Do you know anyone who will be starting school in 2026? If so, please share the news about our wonderful school and encourage them to contact the office for a private tour. Thank you!

If you have a child starting school in 2026, please pick up an enrolment form from the office so we can include your family in our 2026 plans. Enrolments for 2026 are now open and will be closing soon!

### **Mother's Day**

Please save the date for our Mother's Day Celebrations on Friday 9th May, from 2.00pm to 3.30pm. This is always a special event in our school calendar, and we look forward to celebrating the wonderful women in our community. More information will be shared closer to the date. If any parent volunteers are available to assist with the Mother's Day stall, please email [vbarbetti@ccglenroy.catholic.edu.au](mailto:vbarbetti@ccglenroy.catholic.edu.au), your help is greatly appreciated!

As we reflect on the passing of Pope Francis, let us be reminded of his powerful words: *"Have the courage to swim against the tide, and also have the courage to be happy."* May we carry his message of love, compassion, and kindness into our daily lives, honouring his legacy through our actions.

Peace and Blessings

Ange Ferro  
Principal

## Deputy Principal School Improvement and Innovation Leader



Dear Corpus Christi Families,

Welcome back to what promises to be another action packed term at Corpus Christi Primary school.

### **Cromwell St Closure**

We have been informed that Yarra Valley Water will be closing Cromwell St from Monday 28th April for two weeks. During this time there will be no access to Cromwell St.

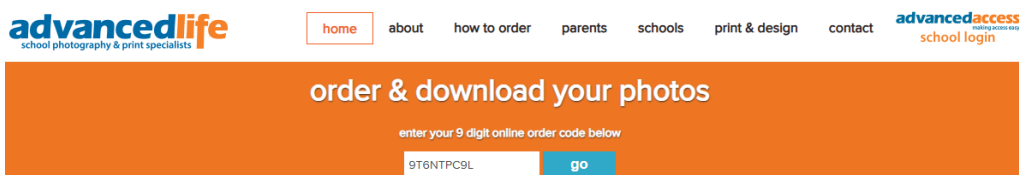
Therefore, at the beginning and conclusion of the school day, families and students will only be able to access Corpus Christi via the Melbourne Ave gate. Local traffic and parking may be impacted so please make any necessary adjustments to your daily routine.

We will keep you informed should the duration of the works change.

### **School Photos**

School Photos will take place on Thursday 1st May. **All students are to dress in FULL SUMMER UNIFORM.**

Students received an envelope for ordering photos or alternatively you can order online by going to [www.advancedlife.com](http://www.advancedlife.com) and entering the code **9T6 NTP C9L**. The website will look like the picture below. Follow the directions under the 'Order Photos' tab.



### **Year 5/6 Camp**

Our Year 5/6 students will be attending camp from Monday 12th May to Wednesday 14th May, and we are all looking forward to what promises to be a fun and memorable experience. A heartfelt thank you to the dedicated staff who are attending and making this opportunity possible for our students, it's a wonderful chance for them to grow, learn, and build stronger connections outside the classroom.

### **Walk Safely to School Day**

Walk Safely to School Day will take place on Friday, 16th May. We encourage all students and families to join us as we promote road safety, health, and environmental awareness. We'll be gathering at the ATC Cook Reserve, Daley St, Glenroy from 8.20am and walking safely to school as a group. Anyone who would like to participate is welcome and encouraged to meet us at the reserve. It's a great way to start the day together and show our commitment to safe and active travel!

### **Glenroy Festival**

The Glenroy Festival is happening on Sunday 4th May. It promises to be a great family day with lots of attractions and some terrific food. We will have a Corpus Christi Primary School stall at the festival so mark the day in your calendar and pop past to say hi. Thanks to Miss Vanessa Barbetti for securing our stall at this great community event.



### **Interschool Sport**

Interschool Sports program will commence on Friday, 9th May. This is a wonderful opportunity for our 5/6 students to represent our school and community in friendly competition. We wish our 5/6 students and their teachers the best of luck as they take part in this event. We are confident that they will show great sportsmanship, teamwork, and spirit. We look forward to seeing our students shine over the weeks!

Let's all work together to make Term 2 as great as Term 1.

God Bless

Shane Calthorpe

A promotional graphic for 'Teeth on Wheels' dental services. The top half has a purple background with the text 'EXCITING NEWS' in large, light blue, hand-drawn letters. Below this is a circular inset photo showing a dental professional in a blue coat and mask sitting on a blue dental chair, talking to a group of children. Below the photo, the text 'Teeth on Wheels will be visiting our School!' is written in white. At the bottom, there is a large QR code in a purple frame. To the right of the QR code is a cartoon tooth character with a face and arms, next to a speech bubble that says 'Don't miss out, Sign up today!'. At the very bottom, a blue button with white text says 'SCAN THE QR CODE TO COMPLETE YOUR FORM'.

# EXCITING NEWS



## Teeth on Wheels will be visiting our School!



Don't miss  
out, Sign  
up today!



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# Corpus Christi Primary School

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## Prep 2026 School Tour

## Saturday 3rd May, 2025

Tour commences at 9.30am

CORPUS CHRISTI  
SCHOOL



### BOOK A TOUR:

Call the office 9306 3062  
and speak directly with  
our Principal, Ange Ferro  
or Deputy Principal,  
Shane Calthorpe.

OR

Scan the QR Code below  
to book.



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