CORINELLA SCHOOL CHAT

**Week 6**

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*Students:*
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*News Roster:*
Aaron & Charlie

**HAPPY 11th BIRTHDAY JACK!**

**Week 7**

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**It Takes A Village (ITAV)**

Bland Shire Council and Families NSW have joined together to provide members of the Corinella district an opportunity for community development. Their initiative, “It Takes A Village” will provide activities and resources tailor made to support and strengthen our small rural community.

On Tuesday 26 February, our “It Takes A Village” journey commenced with one local community family and three district families gathering to enjoy a few hours of friendship, fun, community spirit and pride.

The gathering caters for all ages and includes time for adults to participate in a variety of engaging activities which may include learning and training opportunities, local community interest groups or services for children.

Parents are encouraged to bring along their children and incorporate children’s playtime with supervised activities such as playdough, painting and construction.

Periodically, special guests will come along to share information about services and techniques that are important to our wellbeing, such as healthy eating, legal aid and child and family health.

Those within our community with a skill to share with the group are urged to contact Council’s Children’s Services Unit on (02) 69722795 or fdc@blandshire.nsw.gov.au.

The gathering is hosted monthly at our school; on the fourth Tuesday, between 10:00 am and 11:30 am.

Our next gathering will be on Tuesday 26th March, where we will learn some pottery sculpting techniques. You are all very welcome and encouraged to come along.

**Woolworth’s Earn & Learn**

Students were thrilled to receive approximately $350 worth of products from the Woolworths Earn and Learn Program. They received many boxes of Lego to plan, design and make projects at school. A lot of construction began, you wouldn’t guess that it would be motorbikes and cars!

We also received some sand play equipment for our playgroup children to use.

Thank you to parents and community members who saved their docketts and allowed us to gain such a great reward.

**A Microscope at Last**

In 2011, we had a visit from Forbes Lions Club members who were so impressed with what the students were doing in environmental studies they donated funds for us to purchase a microscope. Unfortunately, it wasn’t enough money. In 2012 the Lions members visited again and saw that we still hadn’t got the microscope so they presented us with another cheque and... WOW! Now we have a brand new digital microscope! It is on our special investigation table in the Library. You are welcome to visit and see how it works. You can even project an image on to the Interactive White Board for all to see, it’s wonderful.

Thank you to Forbes Lions Club for making this possible.

**Weekly Assembly**

**NEWS ITEM ROSTER**

Monday 18th March - Austin Fay & Jeordy Carty
*(Two minutes regarding recent global news)*