



Caboolture State School Newsletter

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PRINCIPAL'S PAGE

PARENTS' CODE OF BEHAVIOUR:

We have developed the Code of Behaviour, a copy of which is later in the newsletter, for parents who help out in our school. The three points that are highlighted apply to parents when they are on the school grounds for events or to drop off or pick up children.

COMMUNITY BREAKFAST:

We will be holding our first Community Breakfast for 2018 on **Wednesday 27th June** from **8.15 am**. Our School Band which won a Silver Award at the recent Fanfare Festival will perform for your entertainment. The breakfast will be followed by the final day of our senior athletics carnival. Everyone is welcome.

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS:

Semester One reports on student progress will be provided to parents at interviews to be held on **Wednesday 25th July**. Class teachers will provide a separate memo in relation to times for interviews closer to the event. Interviews will run from **12.00 pm to 6.00 pm**.

ATHLETICS CARNIVALS:

This year we are holding two separate athletics carnivals. The seniors – **Years 4 to 6** will participate in athletic events on Tuesday **June 26th** and Wednesday **June 27th**. The **Preps to year 3's** will have their

own carnival on **Thursday 28th June** which will include running events and a games program. Please see below for the programs for both athletics carnivals.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS:

This will be the last newsletter for this term. The holidays will commence on Saturday 30 June. School will recommence on Monday 16 July. I wish everyone a happy and safe holiday.

CONGRATULATIONS:

I would like to congratulate Kianu from 6A for successfully gaining a position in the regional rugby union team for the state championships and also Kasey in 6B for also being successful in gaining a position in the regional rugby league team for the state championships. Well done!

Saying of the week:

Learn from the mistakes of others.

You can never live long enough to make them all yourself!!!

DEPUTY'S CORNER



Flu season reminder

With winter truly upon us it is a good time to remind everyone not to be complacent about flu as it is a highly contagious and serious disease.

Symptoms include sudden fever, dry cough, muscle aches and pains, fatigue, headache, sore throat and a stuffy or runny nose.

If your child has flu-like symptoms, the following is advised:

- Keep your child at home; don't send them to school.
- Avoid letting them visit aged care facilities and hospitals, if possible, so that they don't pass the infection to others who may be at risk of complications.
- Ensure your child washes their hands regularly with soap and water or uses a disinfectant wipe or sanitiser gel.
- Encourage them to always cough into a tissue.
- Make sure they dispose of tissues quickly.
- Use soap and water to keep surfaces such as door handles, kitchen bench tops, phones and toys clean.
- Ensure they drink plenty of fluids and get lots of rest.
- Paracetamol is useful for a fever, but please consult your GP or call 13 HEALTH (13 43 25 84) if you are concerned about their symptoms.

Remember, hygiene is the key to reducing the risk of spreading or catching the flu.

For more information contact Queensland Health on 13 43 25 84.



Keep safe and warm over winter

Parents and carers are reminded about the potential hazards when keeping the family warm this winter.

The colder months carry greater risk of scalds and burns as families keep warm with electric blankets, heaters, hot water bottles and fire places.

The Office for Fair Trading has set out a number of practical steps that parents can take to keep the family safe this winter, including:

- installing guards around heaters, fires and stove tops
- supervising young children whenever a heater or open fire place is in use
- checking hot water bottles for damage before filling with water
- checking the condition of heating appliances such as heaters and electric blankets before use, including electrical plugs and cords
- switching off products when not in use

Winter is also a time that children rug up in pyjamas, night dresses, dressing gowns, bathrobes and infant sleeping bags.

Parents are reminded that some clothing styles and fabrics are more flammable than others and are encouraged to choose low risk children's nightwear with a low fire damage label.

For more information on product safety and labelling standards for children's clothing, contact the Office of Fair Trading on 13 13 04 or visit www.fairtrading.qld.gov.au



Keep a watch on our school these holidays

With the holidays fast approaching, we need you to look out for after-hours crime in our school.

If you see anything suspicious, please remember to call the School Watch number – 13 17 88.

The School Watch Program is a partnership between Education Queensland, the Queensland Police Service and the State Government Protective Security Service. It aims to reduce vandalism, theft and arson in Queensland schools.

If you do see something suspicious, please don't attempt to intervene. Call the School Watch number and let the local police or State Government Protective Security Service deal with the matter.

Keep the number handy – **13 17 88** – and let's work together to help create a safer school community.

If you would like to know more about the School Watch Program, please call Education Queensland's School Security Section on (07) 3237 0874.

STAFF PROFILE: Stephanie Asprey

Hi Everyone,



My name is Stephanie Asprey and I am new to Caboolture State School this term. So far I have really been enjoying getting to know all the children in Year 3. I have been working across Year 3 as a Support Teacher as well as teaching PE and Health. I have been a teacher for sixteen years and really enjoy the time I spend teaching children.

I was born and raised in the Northern Suburbs of Sydney in New South Wales and moved with my family to Queensland two years ago. I live on the Sunshine Coast and absolutely love living in Queensland. The weather is so much nicer than Sydney!

When I was teaching in Sydney I worked mostly in the Northern and Eastern Suburbs. I have taught all year levels and love working in the classroom but also enjoy seeing students achieve on the sporting field.

As a child my passion was sport, particularly tennis, gymnastics and athletics. I have played tennis since I was ten years old and still play several times a week. I have represented Australia and also New South Wales and Queensland state teams in tennis competitions. I still regularly compete in tournaments and competitions. My favourite player of all time is Roger Federer! My dream came true four years ago when I went to France to watch the French Open and England to see Wimbledon. If you see me in the playground maybe you can come and tell me about your favourite sport.

Another passion of mine is my dog Hugo. He is a yellow Labrador who is really mischievous even though he is four years old. He loves to get up to all sorts of tricks. One of his favourite tricks is stealing my socks and shoes so I have to chase after him. I really enjoy walking and running Hugo. Hugo's favourite pastime, besides playing tricks is running, swimming and digging at the beach.

I love spending time with my two grown up children. My son is 25 and he lives and works in London and my daughter is 23. They also love Queensland and they miss Hugo when they are away.

I really enjoy teaching the children at Caboolture State School and hope I will be teaching here for a long time.

STUDENT PROFILE: Kasey



Hi my name is Kasey and I'm Cawley House Captain for 2018.

My hobbies are rugby league, basketball and athletics. One of the highlights of this year is having Miss Harmer as a teacher.

I live with my mum, dad and two brothers Jake and Hunter. I have three pets. My two dogs are Jax and Tia and my bird is Freckles.

The things I am looking forward to this year are sports days and year 6 camp.

Student Council



A big thank you from the Student Council for supporting us on the free dress day last Friday 15th June. We raised \$344.05 towards our project for this year to buy new water bubblers for the school. Thanks so much!

Chappy News



Holidays? Again? Already? YAY!!! It feels like the term has only just begun but I can see the students and teachers are looking a little tired and definitely ready for the holidays. Do come and support them at the athletics carnival and feel free to send chocolate in to your child's teacher to help them through the last week.

There will be no God Spot or volunteers helping with reading over the last week of school. Breakfast Club will run on Monday and Thursday mornings with the Community breakfast on the Wednesday. If you see the managers from Coles, please thank them for their generous support of Breakfast Club and their volunteering.

Have a relaxing break over the holiday period. See you next term.

Sports Days Tuckshop

The canteen will be open at the COLA on the oval for the sports days. The menu is below. Food will be available as usual from the tuckshop.

Senior Athletics Days Program

Day 1 – Tuesday 26 th June 2018				
	Year 4's (Born 2009)	10 years (Born 2008)	11 years (Born 2007)	12 years (Born 2006)
8.40-9.00	Roll Call in Class			
9.00- 9.30	March Past & War Cries			
9.30 - 11.30	Girls – 100m Sprint, 200m Sprint Boys – High Jump			
11.30-12.00	Eating Break			
12.00-1.00	Long Jump	Discus	800m	Shot Put
1.00-2.00	Discus	Long Jump	Shot Put	800m
2.00-2.30	Eating Break			
2.30 -2.50	Relay Races			

Day 2 – Wednesday 27 th June 2018				
	Year 4's (Born 2009)	10 years (Born 2008)	11 years (Born 2007)	12 years (Born 2006)
8.40-9.00	Roll Call in Class			
9.00- 9.30	March Past & War Cries			
9.30 - 11.30	Girls – High Jump Boys – 100m Sprint, 200m Sprint			
11.30-12.00	Eating Break			
12.00-1.00	800m	Shot Put	Long Jump	Discus
1.00-2.00	Shot Put	800m	Discus	Long Jump
2.00-2.30	Eating Break			
2.30 -2.50	Presentations			

PARENTS' CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

At Caboolture State School we value the assistance of parents in a range of events such as: classroom volunteers, sport supervision, excursions, tuckshop assistance and fundraising events to name a few. To assist you in the provision of support for our students and to ensure your experience is enjoyable we have provided the following Code of Behaviour:

- Familiarise yourself with the school's Responsible Behaviour Plan
- Ensure you are aware of the teacher's/supervisor's requirements in relation to your role
- Remind students of school expectations in relation to behaviour in a positive way i.e. *Is that what you should be doing?* or *Is that giving a positive image of our school?*
- Refer any issues of concern to the class teacher or supervisor
- Use appropriate language i.e. no swearing
- Smoking in front of students is not appropriate
- Take care of your own safety, follow safe work practices and ensure you do not cause harm to others
- Remember you are a school representative and we like our school to have a positive public image

**IF IN DOUBT ALWAYS SEEK ADVICE FROM A
TEACHER / SUPERVISOR**



How you can protect your child from infectious illness

Many childhood diseases can be prevented with vaccines. Make sure that your children are immunised according to the schedule. Talk to your doctor or call the helpline at 13 HEALTH (13 43 25 84)

Let's work together to reduce the spread of childhood illness.



Useful links

Queensland Health
www.health.qld.gov.au/public-health/topics/immunisation/default.asp

Immunise Australia
www.immunise.health.gov.au
 or call 1800 671 811

More information

Link to Staying Healthy – 5th edition:
www.nhmrc.gov.au/guidelines-publications/ch55

Australian Government website:
www.healthdirect.gov.au/childhood-illnesses

Queensland Health website:
<http://disease-control.health.qld.gov.au>



Use this QR Code to access an electronic copy of the Time Out poster.

Or visit: www.health.qld.gov.au/publichealthact/contagious

For advice contact your local Public Health Unit:

www.health.qld.gov.au/system-governance/contact-us/contact-public-health-units



Time Out

Why do I need to keep my child at home?



Information for parents about infectious diseases and exclusion periods in Queensland early childhood education centres and schools



Time Out

Keeping your child and other kids healthy!

The best way to prevent the spread of germs is to get your kids to wash their hands often, even when they feel well.

Keep your child at home if they have any of the following:

- fever (temp over 37.5°C)
- stomach ache with vomiting
- stomach ache with diarrhoea (3 or more times in 24 hours)
- cough with fever
- body sores or rash with fever
- sore eyes with pus or thick mucus
- sore throat with fever
- no appetite, are tired, pale, cranky, or not feeling well.

Viral illnesses are often contagious **BEFORE** your child shows any symptoms of being sick.

Take your child to the doctor if you are worried.

Working with your early childhood education centre or school

Your child care centre, kindergarten, preschool or school is required by law (*Public Health Act 2005*) to exclude children with certain infectious diseases until the child is well and/or has been cleared by a doctor to return to care/school.

Exclusion protects children from getting diseases from a sick child.

Exclusion rules will help your own child to stay healthy.

Keep surfaces and toys clean.

Gastroenteritis occurs often in young children. It is highly infectious and can be passed from person to person very easily.

What to do if your child has gastro:

- Look after your child at home.
- Keep your child away from other children until the diarrhoea has stopped.
- Your baby or child is infectious so wash your hands well with soap and warm water, particularly before feeding and after nappy changes.

Your child cannot return to care for at least 24 hours or longer for some gastro illnesses.

Junior Athletics Day Program – Thursday 28th June

8.40- 9am – Arrive at classroom for roll

Hat and NAMED water bottle only to be bought down to the oval. Class teachers are to remind the children their team colour the day before. 😊

9-9.20

Class teachers walk their class to the oval. Walking past parents to wave.

Children are to sit under their team tent.

House leaders will lead children with war cries.

Morning Session 9.30 - 11am

Sprints Prep and Year 1

Prep Girls

Prep Boys

Year 1 Girls

Year 1 Boys

Prep and Year 1 Finals

9.40

*Year 2 Girls
Ball Games

*Year 2 Boys
Long Jump

*Year 3 Girls
Bulls eye

*Year 3 Boys
Spoon & Sack
race

10.00

*Year 2 Girls
Spoon & Sack
race

*Year 2 Boys
Ball Games

*Year 3 Girls
Long Jump

*Year 3 Boys
Bulls eye

10.20

*Year 2 Girls
Bulls eye

*Year 2 Boys
Spoon & Sack
race

*Year 3 Girls
Ball Games

*Year 3 Boys
Long Jump

10.40

*Year 2 Girls
Long Jump

*Year 2 Boys
Bulls eye

*Year 3 Girls
Spoon & Sack
race

*Year 3 Boys
Ball Games

First Break 11-11.20

Middle Session 11.20- 12-40

Sprints Year 2 and 3

Year 2 Girls

Year 2 Boys

Year 3 Girls

Year 3 Boys

Year 2 and Year 3 Finals

11.20

*Prep Girls
Ball Games

*Prep Boys
Long Jump

*Year 1 Girls
Bulls eye

*Year 1 Boys
Spoon & Sack
race

11.40

*Prep Girls
Spoon & Sack
race

*Prep Boys
Ball Games

*Year 1 Girls
Long Jump

*Year 1 Boys
Bulls eye

12.00

*Prep Girls
Bulls eye

*Prep Boys
Spoon & Sack
race

*Year 1 Girls
Ball Games

*Year 1 Boys
Long Jump

12.20

*Prep Girls
Long Jump

*Prep Boys
Bulls eye

*Year 1 Girls
Spoon & Sack
race

*Year 1 Boys
Ball Games

Second Break 12.40-1 – Sausage Sizzle available for purchase on the day.

Afternoon Session 1.10 – 2.20

Teacher Vs Student Relays

Presentation of Finals winners

Presentation of Team overall winner (Junior School)

Play Break – 2.20 – 2.55 – Parents must sign children out if taking them home.

2.55- Children return to their classroom for roll

2018 NAIDOC CELEBRATION

Caboolture Family Fun Day

Tuesday 10 July 2018
10am–2pm

St Columban's College
Auditorium and Grounds



Staff, patients and community members are invited to come together to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people during NAIDOC Week.

The 2018 theme – *Because of her, we can!* – will celebrate the invaluable contributions that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women have made – and continue to make – to our communities, our families, our rich history and to our nation.

The family fun day, held at St Columban's College at Caboolture, will feature a Welcome to Country, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander dancing and singing, cultural workshops and plenty of health stallholders.



BECAUSE OF HER, WE CAN!

8-15 JULY 2018

PROGRAM

10am–10:30am

Welcome to country and official opening

10:30am–11:30am

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander dancing

11:30am onwards

Sausage sizzle and lunch from food vans

11:30am–12:30pm

Conversations with Metro North
Cultural workshops
Basket weaving, artefacts display, dance
workshops and face painting

12:30pm – 1:30pm

Emergency services presentation,
sports clinics and Indigenous games

2pm

Event closure

For further information contact (07) 3139 32135 /
A_TS@U_MNHHS@health.qld.gov.au

PLUS

- A FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE, FRUIT AND SALAD ROLLS • HEALTH & COMMUNITY STALLHOLDERS
- ANIMAL FARM • JUMPING CASTLE • TRADITIONAL GAMES AND SPORTS CLINICS

The event is proudly supported by the MNHHS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Unit, Community, Indigenous and Subacute Services and St Columban's College



Sports Days COLA Canteen Menu



26, 27, 28 June



Sausage Sizzle	\$2.00
Bacon & Egg Roll	\$3.00
Hamburger	\$5.00
Real Coffee & Hot Choc	\$4.00
Soft Drinks	\$2.00
Slices	\$2.00
Iced Cupcakes	\$2.00
House Coloured Muffins	\$1.00
Lolly Bags	\$0.50



Normal Tuckshop at Main Tuckshop



School Calendar

June 2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
				1 <i>Parent/Carer Morning</i>	2	3
4	5	6 <i>Yr 4A Moreton Bay Environ Educ Centre</i> <i>Yr 5 Mary Cairncross</i> <i>Junior</i>	7 <i>Yr 4B & 4C Moreton Bay Environ Educ Centre</i>	8 <i>Caboolture Show (This is NOT a holiday)</i>	9 <i>Caboolture Show</i>	10 <i>Caboolture Show</i>
11 <i>Prep 12th Night Theatre</i>	12 <i>Yr 6 QUT Alternative Energy Incursion</i>	13 <i>Senior Assembly</i>	14	15	16	17
18	19 <i>Fluoride Program</i>	20 <i>Prep & Yr 1 Library Visit</i> <i>Yrs 4-6 Incursion Robotics</i> <i>Yr 6 Refugee Day— Memorial Hall</i> <i>Junior Assembly</i>	21 <i>Fluoride Program</i> <i>Yrs 4-6 Incursion Robotics</i> <i>Yr 6 Tullawong High Exc</i>	22 <i>Yr 4 QUT Earth Under the Microscope Incursion</i> <i>Yrs 4-6 Incursion Robotics</i>	23	24
25	26 <i>Yr 4—Yr 6 Athletics Carnival</i> <i>Yr 1 Fire Education</i>	27 <i>Community Breakfast 8.15 am</i> <i>Yr 4—Yr 6 Athletics Carnival</i>	28 <i>Prep—Yr 3 Sports Day</i> <i>Yr 6 Rewards— Centenary Lakes</i>	29 <i>Last Day Term 2</i>	30	

July 2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16 <i>First Day Term 3</i>	17	18 <i>Junior Assembly</i>	19	20	21	22
23	24	25 <i>Parent Teacher Interviews 12—6 pm</i> <i>Senior Assembly</i>	26	27	28	29
30	31					

August 2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
		1 <i>Junior Assembly</i>	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 <i>Senior Assembly</i>	9	10	11	12
13 <i>Ekka Holiday</i>	14	15 <i>Junior Assembly</i>	16	17	18	19
20	21	22 <i>Senior Assembly</i>	23	24	25	26
27	28	29 <i>Junior Assembly</i>	30	31 <i>Last Day to Pay—Swimming</i>		<i>Last Day to pay for Yr 6 Camp 21st September</i> <i>Last Day to pay for Yr 5 Camp 31st October</i>