



Caboolture State School Newsletter

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PRINCIPAL'S PAGE

STUDENT REPORTS:

Student academic reports for Semester 2 will be issued on Wednesday 12th December. If you have any questions after receiving your child's report please see their class teacher.

2019 CLASS LISTS:

Class lists will be available on the final Wednesday of the term (12th December).

YEAR 6 GRADUATION:

Our Graduation Ceremony for our current year 6 students will be held on Tuesday 11th December. All year 6 students will receive a separate note regarding this special event. I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our year 6 students – they have been a truly amazing group of young people. I would like to wish them all the best for the future.

AWARDS ASSEMBLY:

The annual Awards Assembly acknowledging student achievement for 2018 will be held in the quadrangle from 9.30 am on Wednesday 12th December. Our School Captains for 2019 will be announced at this assembly. All Welcome!

DROUGHT RELIEF SUPPORT:

Whilst the media focus on the impact of the drought on our farmers in Western Queensland has diminished our families in the west are still experiencing significant hardship.

To support these families we have decided to conduct a collection of non-perishable food, toys, etc. to send to the Moreton Regional Council's sister town Winton. If you would like to donate to this cause please place your donations under the tree in the front office and we will send them off to Winton before the end of the year.

PREP 2019 - MEET YOUR TEACHERS:

On Thursday 13th December from 9.30 am to 10.30 am our 2019 prep teachers and teacher aides will be in their rooms and running an introductory session. Please feel free to come along and meet your child's prep teacher for 2019.

CONGRATULATIONS:

I would like to pass on my congratulations to Nick from 6B who won a silver medal at the Boys National Softball Championship as a member of the Queensland team. Well done Nick. (See separate report in this newsletter)

Saying of the week:

**WISE MEN SPEAK BECAUSE
THEY HAVE SOMETHING TO SAY.
FOOLS BECAUSE THEY HAVE TO
SAY SOMETHING!**

DEPUTY'S CORNER

We are now in the final weeks of term 4 and this is an opportune time to reflect on the year **2018**.

As a whole school we have started to focus on the area of Oral language with a particular interest in active listening and speaking, this area will continue to be a focus within the New Year and a target for our teachers.

The support model implemented in 2018 with a team approach of teachers and teacher-aides has shown some significant improvement in student results and will be an area to strengthen and continue in **2019**.

In semester 2, the admin team became involved in a Community of Practice (COP) with an opportunity to review data and establish goals in the area of Early Years Learning. This COP network will engage with our Early Childcare Education Centres and build on our Pre-Prep program.

Thank-you to all the families that came to our **PRE-PREP SESSION** in **2018**. It was a delight to meet you and share what our school is all about. If you have any further questions about Prep in 2019 or

haven't arranged an interview for your student pop into the office or give us a call.

**LASTLY A BIG SHOUT OUT
TO OUR STAFF YOU ARE
AMAZING AND WE
APPRECIATE YOUR
COMMITMENT!**

**TO OUR WIDER
COMMUNITY -**

THANK-YOU

**YOUR SUPPORT MEANS A
LOT!**

STAFF PROFILE: Jarrod Greedy



Known as Mr Greedy to students, I am a newly graduated Primary Teacher here at Caboolture State School. In Term 4, I commenced my teaching career, appointed to the wonderful 5A class after training with the same students in the twelve months leading into the appointment. I learnt a considerable amount of the craft, under the expert mentorship of Mrs Jenna Sulter who went on maternity leave.

Aside from that of the school ethos, the values and behaviours I promote in the classroom are from a humble upbringing in the small country town of Gloucester in New South Wales. I was brought up by my mother and older sister, who is 13 years older than me, so I was very much the single child at home. A love of sport occupied most of my time, later representing Australia as a

Wheelchair Basketball official at the U25 World Championships. I am also now a passionate basketball coach, coaching high level junior and senior women's teams for the Sunshine Coast. Basketball is not the only sport I enjoy however, having now coached the school AFL teams and being a strong follower of all forms of footy on the weekends.

I relocated here to Queensland 3 years ago, and have absolutely loved it. I was successful in applying for the Morayfield Teaching and Education Excellence (MTECE) program where I achieved a range of Professional Development and mentoring opportunities over a 12 month period, additional to my degree. I am extremely appreciative to the school and all my colleagues for their support towards the development of my teaching skills. Hence, I have a strong passion to care for as well as pass on this knowledge to my students, and anyone else willing to learn.

STUDENT PROFILE: Melody



Hi, I'm Melody and I'm the Band Captain in 2018. I live with my mum, little brother and little sister. My brother is 3, my sister is 1 and I am 12.

I love to dance and I got in to the top 5 in 2018 with my two best friends, Katy and Miranda in the school Talent Quest.

I also love every school subject, especially the ones that challenge me to think and work harder. The best part of this year was camp. We did so many fun things and it was like a two night sleepover with friends.

Thanks for a great year.

Softball Championships – Nick

As reported by his mum

Last week saw Nicholas compete at the U12 Qld School Boys Softball Tournament which

was held in Canberra. Nicholas had an awesome time playing against other states and his team came away with a silver medal losing to NSW. Nicholas has learnt so much more from this experience and is now hoping to strive further with his softball by trialling out for his association and hopes to be picked in the U14 Representative Side. He also wishes to one day be able to follow in his sisters footsteps and make the Qld State Team for that. Nicholas enjoys playing and loves being able to help with the younger children, so they too can have the same opportunities as himself



TUCKSHOP

The tuckshop will open on Wednesday 23rd, Thursday 24th and Friday 25th January for all of your uniform needs.

Chappy News



Breakfast Club

Thank you to all the volunteers, parents and students, who have helped to toast and spread hundreds of loaves of bread this year for the Breakfast Club. The time and effort you have put in has been greatly appreciated by many students and some little brothers and sisters.

Gift Wrapping

Today a group of friends have helped with a gift wrapping fundraiser at the Morayfield Shopping Centre. On Thursday the 6th from 3pm to 9pm I will need some more helpers to wrap gifts to help raise money for the Chaplaincy service at our school. If you are one of those rare people who love to wrap presents, let me know what time you would like to come and play with a group of like-minded people. If you don't like to wrap presents ... feel free to nominate someone who does.

Art Carnival

This year again we have our Art Gallery open

during Celebration Week to showcase the artistic talent of our students. We will also have class artworks to sell via a silent auction. The Art Gallery will be open on the Wednesday morning during the Community Breakfast and Musical Celebration. The Arts Extravaganza will be on Friday from 1:30 – 3:30. The silent auction will finish at 3:30 and parents can pay for and take their purchases or organise to collect them at the Christmas concert or from the office in the final week.

Happy holidays!! We aren't there yet but there's not much time until the Christmas holidays. Enjoy your time with family and recharge your batteries. I will be heading up to the Bundaberg area to visit family.

You are invited to the Caboolture State School Art Gallery

Where: the hall

On: Friday 7 December

From: 1:30 to 3:30.

It will also be open for parents to view the artworks and bid on the class masterpieces by silent auction, on Wednesday morning, during the community breakfast. Lucky door prizes are also available.



SPC Netball Sign On Day

Netball player's aged 5 to 18 years needed for
Saturday Winter Competition 2019

Date Saturday 2nd February 2019
Location Caboolture Netball Association
Time Saturday 8.00 am to 4.00pm



Or

Contact us on 0402 024 331 and we can step you through our
online registration process.

For information contact Kathy on 0402 024 331

Email spcnetballclub@hotmail.com

Facebook [SPC Netball Club](#)

Website www.spc.qld.netball.com.au



You're invited!

7-8 December 2018

Reddacliff Place, George St, Brisbane

Meeanjin Markets are the largest ever Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artisan market and cultural festival held in Brisbane's CBD. This two-day event is a great opportunity to buy authentic Indigenous products straight from the artisan.

meeanjinmarkets.com.au

The markets are a free event with an exciting program of cultural dance, music, artisan workshops and the delicious flavours of native Australian foods.

- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Arts & Crafts
- Traditional Dance
- Native Foods
- Artisan Workshops
- Live Entertainment



Morayfield participant info session + prep for planning conversation

The National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) will soon be available in the Moreton Bay region.

To support the roll out of the NDIS in this area, free information sessions are being held for families, carers and people with disability within the community.

This session will provide general information about the NDIS and how you can access it as well as information about getting ready for your planning conversation.

Join our team to learn more about how the NDIS will be delivered in your region.

Morayfield Community Hall – Supper Room,

298 Morayfield Rd, Morayfield 4506

Friday 7 December 2:00pm – 4:00pm

Registration:

Click this [link](#) to register.

Alternatively, email engagement.qldcentral@ndis.gov.au noting names and email addresses of attendees and any accessibility requirements. Children under adult supervision are welcome.

Back to Bethlehem

Christmas Carols

9th Dec

• FOOD • RIDES • FUN • FREE ENTERTAINMENT • CAROLS •

AFTERNOON FESTIVAL 4:30PM

CAROLS 6:45PM

CABOOLTURE
BAPTIST CHURCH
CORNER GRANT & TORRENS RD

FREE back to school health check for kids! 15, 16 and 17 January 2019

Foot checks

- Footwear and orthotic advice
- Foot/ankle pain
- Heel pain
- Knee pain

Vision screening

- Squinting
- Headaches/dizziness
- Difficulty concentrating

Nutrition assessments and dietary advice

- Fussy eaters
- Healthy lunch box tips
- Allergies or intolerances

Education and development assessments

- School readiness
- Reading ability

Registration essential
Phone 3138 9777 to register or for further information.

Free parking

www.healthclinics.qut.edu.au
44 Musk Avenue, Kelvin Grove QLD 4059



School Calendar

December 2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
					1	2
3	4	5 <i>Senior Assembly</i>	6 <i>Yr 6 Caboolture State High School Orientation</i>	7 <i>Last Day to Pay Year 6 Graduation</i>	8	9
<i>Celebration Week</i>						
10	11 <i>Year 6 Graduation</i>	12 <i>Awards Assembly</i> <i>Student Reports Issued</i> <i>Class Lists for 2019 Available</i>	13 <i>Year 6 Rewards Day</i> <i>Students Meet Teacher for 2019 Prep—Year 6</i>	14 <i>Last Day Term 4</i>	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

January 2019

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21 <i>School Office Reopens</i>	22	23 <i>Tuckshop Open for School Uniforms 10 am -2 pm</i>	24 <i>Tuckshop Open for School Uniforms 10 am -2 pm</i>	25 <i>Tuckshop Open for School Uniforms 10 am -2 pm</i>	26	27
28 <i>Australia Day Holiday</i>	29 <i>First Day Term 1</i>	30	31			