FROM THE ADMINISTRATION TEAM

As the year draws to a close we have a very hectic time ahead of us, with a number of special occasions planned. I encourage all parents to attend as many of these events as possible and use them as opportunities to celebrate their child’s achievements as well as reinforce the important role that learning will play throughout their life. During these times the school will be a very busy place and I would like to remind parents of the importance of driving and parking safely in the school surrounds.

Enrolments: Our enrolments for 2015 are rapidly filling and to avoid disappointment any new parents who have not yet confirmed their enrolment, should do so as soon as possible. If you have any friends or neighbours who intend making Clover Hill State School their school of choice, please ask them to contact the school to finalise a place in 2015.

2015 Class Placements: In preparing our 2015 class lists, we have been meeting to decide on the best mix of students for each class grouping. In doing so we consider all aspects of each student from class data sheets in an endeavour to make up balanced classes. Whilst we consider any information provided to us by parents, it is not always possible to meet all parent requests for a certain teacher or friendship group, as this would upset the balance of the classes.

We hope as parents you can appreciate that, when ‘draft’ class lists are published during the last week of term, considerable effort has been expended to ensure a smooth transition from one school year to the next for every
student at Clover Hill State School. All staff approach this task with the best interests of our children so, if we all work together, everyone should be happy with the outcomes. As it is also not always possible to predict our 2015 enrolments there may need to be class changes early next year however we will endeavour to keep changes at a minimum.

Arts Excellence Awards Night: Thank you to everyone who attended and passed on positive comments about our wonderful “Celebration of Excellence” awards nights last week. As individuals, the recipients of awards on the night have demonstrated excellence across many curriculum areas. Collectively, these students have strengthened the ‘excellent’ reputation of Clover Hill State School. Thank you again to our very generous sponsors for the ongoing support they offer to our school and the education of our future generation.

Christmas Concert and Raffle: As the end of our school year is fast approaching we are also looking forward to our annual Christmas Concert! Every year we also hold a ‘giant’ raffle and this year we are asking each child to bring along an ‘item’ for our Christmas hampers—what a wonderful gift to win a basket of goodies for Christmas!! Donations will be collected by classroom teachers! Thanks for your support of a great night!

Gayle Alessio (Principal)
Regan Gant, Ursula Carty, Kathy Cavanagh and Jenny Tobin (Assistant Principals)

WE ARE ACCEPTING ENROLMENTS FOR 2015 NOW.

CONTACT: 55594111 or email mbrow78@eq.edu.au for a package

PLEASE ENROL EARLY SO WE CAN ARRANGE STAFFING!

DATE CLAIMERS

• Week 9

• 2 December Prep 2015 Orientation Visit 2pm – 2:45p.m.

• 3 December Bookpacks distributed from Hall. Parents of Years 1-4 (2015)

  Please collect between 2 – 4p.m.

• 3 December Bookpacks dispatched to students in year 5 and 6 (2015).

• 3 December Clover Hill Christmas Concert and BBQ

• 4 December Bookpacks distributed from Hall. Parents of Years 1-4 (2015)

  Please collect between 8 – 10 a.m.

• 5 December Junior Swimming Carnival Years 1-3 – Somerset Pool

• Week 10
• 8 December     Senior Swimming Carnival Years 4-7 – Somerset Pool

• 10 December    Distribution of Semester 2 report cards

• 10 December    Year 6 and 7 Graduation     5:15pm – 9pm

• 11 December    End of Year class parties / celebrations and Year 6 and 7 Big Day Out

• 12 December    Last day of the 2014 School Year – Clean-up day

UNIFORM STANDARDS

School Uniform Standards: Clover Hill State School’s uniform policy has been developed in conjunction with the Parents and Citizens Association to promote a sense of belonging and a positive image of our school within the community. Our uniform has been deliberately chosen with cost, health and safety, maximum participation in all educational activities and practicality in mind. All members of the school community need to accept responsibility for ensuring that dress standards are maintained. To clarify what is acceptable and what is not acceptable according to our uniform policy we have included a pictures of what items are acceptable and what are not. We ask that all parents support our school’s efforts by ensuring that your child wears the correct uniform on a daily basis in Term 2. Should anyone wish to discuss this or require further clarification about our uniform policy please contact the school to arrange an appointment with our Parent Liaison Officer Mrs Michelle Brown or one of our school administrators.
### Help us to maintain our Uniform Standards

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**Uniform Shop Trading Hours:** Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30am to 10:00am

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**Print friendly version for your fridge! - please click here**

**DROP OFF AND PICK UP REMINDERS**

Just a reminder to parents they need to drop off and pick up their children at the stop, drop and go zone only. All students are to enter and exit the school grounds from the main gate. The only exceptions are the bus and after
school care children, and children going to the bike rack. We have received numerous complaints from staff and parents about congestion, and unsafe driving and parking in both staff car parks. Staff carparks are off limits at all times inclusive of before school drop offs.

FAMILY INFORMATION

Please keep the office informed of any change to phone numbers, home address or email addresses. Mobile numbers are very important in case we need to contact parents during the day. Email addresses are required as we will trial emailing student reports at the end of 2014.

You can email any changes to admin@cloverhillss.eq.edu.au

PAYMENT WINDOW CLOSED WEEK 9 and 10

Please be advised the payment window will be closed the last 2 weeks of school.

Please make sure we receive all payments by Friday the 28th of November.

BLUE CARDS

Volunteers (parents) with a child attending Clover Hill do not need a blue card.

Grandparents, aunts, uncles etc. all need a blue card to volunteer in the school.

Please see the Administration office if you require a blue card form.

SIGNING IN & SIGNING OUT

Please be aware if you are on school premises (other than dropping off or picking up) you need to sign in and sign out at the Administration office. You will be supplied with a photo ID to be worn while in the school.

In the event of a fire / lockdown we need to account for all visitors.

Thank you

STUDENT AWARDS

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PARENT PARTNERSHIPS IN LEARNING (PPL)

Expression of Interest

Parent Partnerships in Learning 2015

2014 welcomed the introduction of the Parent Partnerships in Learning program. It has attracted parents who have engaged in classroom activities throughout the year. We have received terrific feedback from both the teachers and the parents who have volunteered their time. As a result of this feedback we are now planning to continue with this program in 2015.

If you are interested in volunteering a minimum of one hour per week, consistently over a school term we would like to hear from you. This program has proved to be a wonderful way for parents to re-enter the volunteer workforce, to build skills in working with children and to be a part of a team that meets a couple of times a term.

If you are a parent of our school you do not need a ‘Blue Card- Working with Children- Commission for children and young people and child guardian’, however if you know of someone from your family that may be interested for example a grandparent or a friend, they will need to apply for their ‘Blue Card’. We can assist with this via our school office.

If you have any questions regarding this program please call Katie Kee – Parent Liaison Officer. If you are interested, a letter will be sent to the whole school community later in this term. Please complete the details and return to the school office or email Katie Kee kkee2@eq.edu.au

Our mantra for this program is ‘Nurture and Support’ ‘Watch them Grow’ – We would love to welcome you to the team of 2015.

A MESSAGE FROM THE READING TEAM

From the Reading Team – Reading Aloud

Research shows that families play an important role in children’s reading success. By reading aloud with your children and encouraging them to read on their own, you are helping them become better readers, better listeners, and better students. You are also helping them build vocabulary and language skills, and helping them gain knowledge about the world around them. When you read aloud together, children learn quickly that reading is important. And most of all they learn that reading is fun!

BIKE SAFETY

Congratulations for making a healthy choice to ride to school.
Please ride with safety in mind – your safety and the safety of people sharing the same path. Everyone needs to feel safe, both bike riders and pedestrians.

Please feel free to discuss this with your Assistant Principal if you need any clarification of your responsibilities.

As Clover Hill State School students we would like you to:

• Exercise control of your bike when travelling down the big hill,

• Be observant of people, especially children, in your path. Children can run quickly into your path,

• Please get off your bike and walk past when there are people on the pathway. They have right of way, you don’t

• Please wear your helmet every time you ride your bike.

INSURANCE COVER FOR STUDENTS

Some school activities and physical education, particularly contact sports, carry inherent risks of injury. Parents are advised the Department of Education and Training does not have student accident insurance cover for students. If your child is injured at school as a result of an accident or incident, all costs associated with the injury, including medical costs are the responsibility of the parent or caregiver.

Some incidental medical costs may be covered by Medicare. If you have Private Health Insurance, some costs may also be covered by your provider. Any other costs must be covered by parents. Student accident insurance pays some benefits in certain circumstances should your child have an accident.

It is up to all parents to decide what types and what level of private insurance they wish to arrange to cover their child.

Please contact your insurer or an approved Australian Insurance Broker if you wish to take out student personal accident insurance cover for your child.

PERFORMING ARTS NEWS!

Senior Choir performance @ Mudgeeraba Community Carols

Firth Park - Sunday the 30th of November.

Our Senior Choir members have been invited to perform two carols at this year’s Community Carols held at Firth Park, Mudgeeraba.

A selection of schools from the community will be performing on the evening from 5pm. Following these performances, they will hold the annual Mudgeeraba Carols by Candlelight at 6pm.

Food and drinks can be purchased and don’t forget to bring a rug or chair to sit on…. And a candle or torch
We encourage everyone to come along and support this community event!!

**Senior Choir members need to meet at Firth Park at 4pm for a sound check.**

**Christmas Concert:** All students from Prep – 7 will be performing at this special event. Families please keep this date free…… **Wednesday the 3rd of December.**

A kids fun zone will be running from **3:30pm,** with food and drinks also available for purchase. Santa Claus will be visiting as well as a special guest appearance from Ros Bates.

The concert will begin at 6pm. (**All students need to arrive by 5:45pm at the latest.**) Don’t forget to bring a picnic rug or collapsible chair to sit on.

**Arts Excellence & Awards Evenings**

Congratulations to all students who performed or received an award at this years’ Arts Excellence and Awards Evenings!! What a wonderful night of achievements and entertainment!!

**Assembly Performances:**

Thank you so much to the Senior Choir for performing for our Prep and 3/4 assembly’s.

I think you will have inspired some little ones to become part of our wonderful Junior and Senior Choirs next year!! ;-) 

**Band/Strings/Choirs/Sing for Fun Club:**

Well done to all our Choral, Band and Strings students for their hard work and commitment to our music program this year!! What a talented bunch of students we have!!

**SPORTS NEWS**

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

**Junior Swimming Carnival:** Friday 5th of December 2014

**Senior Swimming Carnival:** Monday 8th of December 2014

* Somerset have advised us that the swimming pool car parks will be CLOSED for both of these carnivals.

**JUNIOR SWIMMING CARNIVAL**

As part of Clover Hill State School Health and Physical Education Program for semester two 2014, Years 1-3 students will be participating in the Junior Swimming Carnival.
Venue: Somerset Swimming Pool.

When: Friday 5th December 2014. (Timetable to be advised)

Transport: Students will walk to the pool with their class teachers, via the school crossing. Students will be walked back to school at the conclusion of the carnival.

What your child/children need:

Your child will need to bring the following item to each swimming lesson

- Swimmers (girls MUST have a one-piece, board shorts are acceptable for boys)
- A rashie or swimming shirt to go over togs
- Swimming cap and goggles
- Underwear to change into after carnival
- Sunscreen for sun protection while in the water
- A broad-brimmed hat for sun protection while not in the water.
- Students are encouraged to wear their team colours but must not paint their bodies.

A note will be going out next week - Please read the information contained within this letter, and if you have further questions please do not hesitate to contact the school’s administration. Clover Hill State School invites all parents/guardians to come and support their child/children in this carnival.

Time table will be advised as the year levels are separated due to the number of students we have in the lower school, and Somerset Pool’s ability to accommodate us.

CHAPPY NEWS

Chappy Newsletter Week 6 Term 4

Hi everyone, welcome to Chappy News

Well it has been a very busy term so far and I would assume it won’t be slowing down, but that is okay, there are very few other places I would rather be.

Some of my duties this term include running programs, such as boy’s club for the lower grades, energise club, rock and water for selected Grade 6 and 7 boys, Breakfast Club and co-ordinating the boost mentor program.

Each year the Chaplaincy program is able to source some much needed Christmas hampers for a few of our families in need. The organisation that supplies these amazing hampers has asked if we could help with
providing some much needed volunteers. They are after people to help with organising/ packing hampers (Robina Uniting Church) and for people to help with the gift wrapping service that they run every year at Robina Town Centre (the funds raised from this gift wrapping service goes towards the hamper drive).

If you can give anytime or would like to know more about this amazing service, please contact me.

My office is up in the Learning Hub and my days this year will be Monday’s, Wednesday, and Fridays. If you have any questions regarding my role or just want to chat, feel free to track me down. You can ask the wonderful ladies at reception or contact me by email. robertg@chappy.org.au

Cheers. Rob Greenwood. Ph. 0415615076

STUDENT COUNCIL

Humane Society International

RECYCLE YOUR OLD MOBILE AND HELP PROTECT THE MOUNTAIN GORILLA

The Student Council is proud to support the Humane Society International. HSI’s mission statement is to create an ecologically sustainable and humane world for all animals and their environments.

Every old/unused mobile phone and battery received by the Aussie Recycling Program (ARP) is credited to the Humane Society International.

Humane Society International will receive between $3 and $5 for phones sent.

Funds raised from recycling your old mobile will be used to support patrols in Virunga National Park, in the Democratic Republic of Congo, the home of the critically endangered mountain gorilla. Many have been killed by poachers and HSI is committed to helping the surviving gorillas, whose population is declining.

Please leave old mobiles/batteries in the silver box located in the front office.

Thank you in advance for helping to support this worthy cause.

Animal Welfare League

Student Council is continuing to raise awareness of the wonderful work that the AWLQ does each year in providing care, shelter, and re-homing of cats and dogs. The AWLQ doesn’t receive any government funding for welfare work so relies on the generosity of the community.

Student Council is asking for any donations of old blankets and towels or tinned pet food and schmackos.

Please place all donations into the yellow tub located in the front office.

Thank you for supporting the AWLQ.
PLAYGROUND USE

It is to be noted that all playgrounds and play equipment are out of bounds before and after school each day. All of our school playgrounds are built as per the recommended age groups corresponding to Australian Standards outlined below:

- Prep playground, located next to the multipurpose courts - Prep students ONLY
- Junior playground, located in the middle of A & B block classrooms – Prep, Year 1 & 2 students ONLY
- Middle playground, located behind the resource centre - Year 3 & 4 students ONLY
- Fitness circuit, located on the senior oval - Years 4-7 students ONLY

Any unauthorised persons seen using this equipment outside the supervised play periods will be asked to leave equipment immediately for workplace health and safety reasons.

HEALTH NEWS

Dental News

The Child and Adolescent Oral Health Service has completed routine oral health care for students attending Clover Hill State School.

Please consider attending your family dentist in-between offers of care by the Child and Adolescent Oral Health Service to assist in maintaining your child’s oral health.

A dental pain relief and trauma service operates between offers of care to provide emergency treatment only. In the case of an emergency, telephone the Oral Health Client Service Centre on:

1300 300 850

Monday to Friday 8.00 am – 4.30 pm, excluding Public Holidays.

CENTREPAY OPTION

As part of our continual review of processes at Clover Hill State School, we now have the opportunity for parents to pay school resources payments through the Centrepay option.

Centrepay is a free direct bill paying service available to customers who receive a Centrelink payment (eg. Pension, Newstart Allowance and Family Tax Benefit). You can specify a target amount and regular deductions will be made until the target amount is reached. You also have the option to change/suspend your fortnightly deductions.
If you are interested in this option, please contact the Business Services Manager, Ann St George, on 55594111 and an appointment can be readily made. The form only takes 5 minutes to complete and is then faxed to Centrelink. The deductions are then paid directly into the schools bank account with a specific identifier to then be receipted against allocated invoices.

We hope this new option is helpful to our school community.

LIBRARY NEWS

Please return any borrowed books.

Jo Dimond
Library Coordinator

P and C NEWS

CLOVER HILL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

When: Wednesday 3rd December

Starting at 3:30pm

Theme: Christmas around the world

Food vendors galore, BBQ tent, raffles, kids entertainment section and more!

Get in early to get the best spot!!

Come and enjoy a lovely evening watching the children getting into the Christmas spirit.

Santa and Mrs Claus will be visiting and handing out treats for the kids.

Items to note:

Donations for the entertainment section are due Friday 28th November (small items not exceeding $5, small toys, balls, cards, arts and craft, hair accessories, Christmas items, stickers, pencils, notepads, novelty items - anything and everything will be appreciated).

Donations to the raffle is due by 1st December - advertise your business or purchase a gift to donate (this is separate from your class donation)

Class hamper donations - see your class teacher for your theme and deliver the item to the classroom, all other donations are gratefully accepted at the admin office.
VOLUNTEERS are needed for this event to be smooth running and successful if you can spare any time that day (set up, event and clean up teams needed) we would love to hear from you. You can return your interest on your form or alternatively contact the P&C or the ladies in the admin office.

THANK YOU!

I wanted to take this opportunity to wish all the wonderful families at Clover Hill a safe and enjoyable Christmas and New Year holiday. We wish to formally thank our executive team, all the staff at Clover and you for all your contributions and time to assist us in our functions this year. We have been able to return a significant amount to the school to assist in purchasing much needed resources for the school. We could not have done it without all your help and support.

REMINDERS:

We are looking for more members for the P & C in 2015 so if you are interested in being involved in this service please either contact the P & C or keep an eye out for nomination forms early in 2015. We would love to see you join our team.

On behalf of the P & C Merry Christmas and Happy and Safe New Year and looking forward to seeing you all again in 2015.

TUCKSHOP NEWS

Keep your eyes open for notes about our yummy Christmas treats, which will be available the last week of term.

PLEASE remember the tuckshop is CLOSED the last day of term.

Have a great week,

Nicky & Kerry

Uniform shop

Old stock final clearance prices

Boys Shirts size 12 , 14, 16 $18.00

Girls Blouses size 6,8,10,12,14 + $18.00

Girls Dresses 10, 14,16 + $20.00

Sport Short screenprint sizes 10,12,14,16+ $15.00

Sport Polo size 10, 14,16 + $15.00

January Back to school dates
Tuesday 20th 8.00 am - 12.30pm

Wednesday 21st 8.00am-12.30pm

Thursday 22nd 12.00pm-4.30pm

Friday 23rd 8.00am - 12.30pm

**MUDGEERABA COMMUNITY CAROLS**

The 2014 Mudgeeraba Community Carols are on Sunday November 30th at Firth Park Mudgeeraba. Come down from 4.30pm and enjoy loads of Entertainment including jumping castles, face painting, McDonalds Farm and much more. Bring a picnic or buy from the local food and drink stalls. The Carols will commence at 5pm with performances from Division 9 local schools. Santa will be arriving at 5.50pm, then we will continue the festivities with all singing along to the Christmas Carols. Plenty of parking available, so we hope to see all the community out at this wonderful event to start celebrating the joys of Christmas.

**APPLICATIONS FOR 2015 BUS PASSES ARE DUE NOW**

**ALL NEW PASSENGERS FOR 2015**

To ensure timely distribution of bus passes in the New Year, please submit your application before the end of November 2014.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR EXISTING BUS PASS HOLDERS**

At the end of each school year, please ensure that the current pass is retained to be used in the new school year until the new pass is issued.

Students with an existing bus pass need only re-apply for a 2015 bus pass if your child

- is moving from Primary to Secondary School
- is repeating a grade
- is changing their home address or school

**ELIGIBILITY AND APPLICATION FORMS**


**PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO**

Surfside Buslines
Applications will be processed over the Christmas school holidays. Once applications are approved, bus passes are sent to school for collection. Please allow 10-15 working days from the start of Term One 2015.

Prior to Government approval of bus travel assistance, all students can travel by bus to school using a TransLink gocard.

REMINDER

A valid bus pass must be produced TO THE DRIVER or the relevant fare paid via cash or gocard. Information on fares, go cards, zones and bus timetables is available from TransLink http://translink.com.au/ or phone 13 12 30.