FROM THE ADMINISTRATION TEAM

Thank you to all of the families who participated in our Parent-Student-Teacher Conferences last week. Our students get very excited when they have the opportunity to share their learning journey with their family. In our classrooms we believe your child’s progress is dependent on a partnership between home and school. We also believe that it is important that students are encouraged to take responsibility for their learning and behaviour. Therefore as part of our Semester 1 reporting process we offer all parents the opportunity to participate in our Celebration of Learning “Student – Teacher – Parent Conferences”. It was gratifying to have so many families take up the opportunity and to see and hear students giving a self-evaluation of his/her progress and outlining his/her personal goals for Semester 2. This process makes our students more responsible for his/her learning and behaviour. Responsibility increases true self-esteem and can only have a positive effect on your child’s progress.

**School Uniforms:** As the weather continues to be cool it is important to maintain our high standards of dress. We thank all parents for the way you have co-operated with the requirement for black shoes with our formal day uniform. We are seeking your co-operation from home in ensuring that our uniform is worn correctly and smartly at all times. A school of excellence displays its excellence in many ways and our uniform is one of the symbols of that quality. Please note that hooded jackets are not part of the school’s dress code and are not to be worn to school. Hair is to be of a natural colour and style. A full copy of our uniform policy is available on our school website.

**Excellence in Learning Assembly:** Last week we celebrated with almost 300 students and their families at our annual ‘Excellence in Learning’ afternoon assembly for year 3-6 students. At Clover Hill State School Newsletter
Hill our vision is ‘Expect Excellence’. Our staff expect excellence by stating clearly and fairly that we expect the best students can provide. Our staff are then able to challenge and guide the students in their work to get the best results from them and for them – by doing this we believe our students will strive to meet the challenges and in most cases succeed. Families more than anyone understand the effort and commitment their children have to their studies. We know that families contribute significantly to the success of students – providing them with nutrition, love and a safe place to live, as well as challenging them and supporting them to develop their resilience.

At this assembly we shared that whilst we are very proud of the efforts of these students – more importantly we felt that they should feel proud of themselves. A wise man once said that, “We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence then, is not an act but a habit”.

**P&C Twilight Fair:** On Friday 14 August, Clover Hill will hold a Twilight Fair on the school oval. This year’s Twilight Fair should be something to remember. The event, featuring a number of major rides, and various kids’ rides including a rollercoaster, will end with a spectacular fireworks display.

You can save money by pre purchasing your Unlimited Ride Wristbands from www.munchmonitor.com $25 pre-sale Unlimited rides OR buy on the day (unlimited rides $30, individual ride tickets $6 or 4 for $20)

There will be a huge rides line-up with fun for All Ages! Inc. Kids Roller Coaster, The Hurricane, Whizzer, Ghost Train & plenty of rides for the littlies. There will be live entertainment on centre stage, carnival games and more! Food & Beverages available for purchase and don’t forget **FIREWORKS Finale @ 7.30pm!**

Please note that on Friday 14 August from 2 p.m. **Prep students only**, who **must be supervised by their parent**, will have early access to the rides before the whole school is released at 3 p.m.

Many thanks to the P&C organising committee who have been working tirelessly behind the scenes to provide this wonderful event for our school community. Please come along, join in the fun and support our amazing school!

**Eisteddfod News:** Term 3 is a busy time for staff and students as they have been preparing for this year’s Eisteddfods. A huge thank you to staff who have been coordinating additional rehearsals and costumes. Thanks to Ms Ursula Carty, Mrs Martina French, Miss Joanna Isele, Mrs Jenny Hargraves, Mrs Benita Laird, Mrs Kylie Krick, Mr Heath Florey and Ms Kathi Armstrong. We wish all of our eisteddfod teams the very best in their upcoming performances.

**NAPLAN Results:** 2015 Year 3 and 5 student reports have arrived and will be distributed to all students this week. We are particularly proud of the achievement we have made – especially the number of students who achieved in the upper two bands. These results show that our focus on learning the basics is paying dividends when it comes to student performance. No doubt the tireless efforts and support offered by our teachers, school staff and parents are reflected in these
encouraging results. Over the next term, as a school staff we will be reviewing our school NAPLAN results thoroughly to identify opportunities and strategies for improvement over the next 12 months. It is however important to remember that NAPLAN is only part of the story – not the whole story. These tests represent just one measure of student performance.

**Prep 2016:** Our Prep Information Evening for this year has been set for the Wednesday 28th October. Although this is not till next term, parents are asked to make note of the date. Flyers will be distributed to the various child care centres to promote the Prep Information Evening. Also in Term Four it is planned to hold some Prep Orientation mornings for 2016 Prep students. More details will be provided early next term. Parents are asked to help promote Prep at our school and recommend that their family and friends visit Clover Hill to check out what a great school we have!

Stop, Drop, Go Zone Courtesy: In an effort to have a smooth departure from school, we ask the following:

- Collectors using the stop, drop and go area are to remain in their vehicle at all times.
- Collectors are to enter the stop, drop and go area near the crossing and proceed all the way towards the prep end of the area.
- Students will be required by staff to wait at the “Prep Gate” until collectors’ vehicles are nearby when duty teachers will release students.
- Collectors should exit the stop, drop and go area at the end of the area where they merge into traffic.

We ask that everybody remain calm and exercise patience in this regard. We also ask parents to exercise care and consideration when using this zone before school. Please do not park in this area – it is a stop, drop, go zone only. In the interest of student safety, your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated.

**Student absences – Family Holidays:** Of concern have been the number of students who are missing a significant period of school due to family holidays. Our Department advocates that parents have a legal obligation to ensure their child is attending school every day. Parents can apply for an exemption from this obligation when their child cannot attend or it would be unreasonable in all the circumstances for their child to attend school or participate in an eligible option for a period of more than 10 consecutive school days. Situations where an application for an exemption may be made include: Illness, family reasons or cultural/religious reasons. In these cases, our office staff can provide parents with an application form for an exemption and it is important that supporting documentation and evidence are attached to the application. When a decision about the exemption has been made, parents will be informed in writing whether or not the exemption has been granted and if any conditions have been imposed. If parents are not satisfied with the decision made, they can...
make a submission for the decision to be reviewed. Further information is available from our Parent Liaison Officer, Mrs Michelle Brown.

Have a great fortnight,

Kind regards

Regan Gant (Acting Principal)
on behalf of the 2015 Executive Team

WE ARE ACCEPTING ENROLMENTS FOR 2016 NOW.

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

PLEASE ENROL EARLY SO WE CAN ARRANGE STAFFING!

- 10 August       P&C Meeting
- 11 August       Gold Coast Eisteddfod - Junior and Senior Choir
- 14 August       P&C Twilight Fair – Senior Oval 2p.m – Firework Finale at 7:30p.m.
- 17 August - Ozrag - Year 5 & 6 teams
- 18 August       Gold Coast Eisteddfod - Junior Band
- 19 August       Gold Coast Eisteddfod - Senior Band
- 23 August       Pop - Up Science Fair at Robina Community Centre
- 25-27 August    Scholastic Book Fair
- 26 August       Gold Coast Eisteddfod - Senior and Junior Strings
- 27 August       Book character parade
- 28 August       Gold Coast Show Public Holiday
- 9-11 September  Year 5 Camp – Camp Goodenough
- 18 September    Last day term 3

Plastic Lids Needed
We have had a request to support a local artist with the collection of plastic lids to help with an art piece.

We are asking for water, softdrink and milk lids.

Please send in to the office washed.

Thank you

You Can Do It

**You Can Do It:**

**Examples of Resilient Behaviour**

- Does not get too down when schoolwork results are not good
- Keeps trying in the face of setbacks
- Handles teasing or social difficulties without getting too upset
- Manages frustration when he/she does not understand something right away
- Manages frustration of having a lot of work to do
- Controls anger when treated unfairly
- Manages nerves when taking exams or performing in public
- Is able to say “no” and stand up to negative peer pressure
- Calms down quickly after getting very upset

**Things to Say to Encourage Resilience Behaviour**

- “You didn’t let yourself get too angry.”
- “You’ve learned how not to get too nervous.”
- “You didn’t let that setback stop you from trying.”
- “Even though you didn’t do as well as you wanted, you are still positive.”
- “You seem not to have blown that negative event out of proportion.”
- “Keeping your cool helps.”
- “You see, you can get through the tough stuff.”
- “You chose not to upset yourself about what happened.”
QPARENTS

QPARENTS has launched! Invitations for parents to register for QParents have been distributed via email. If you didn’t receive your invitation or need it to be resent, please contact the school.

QPARENTS will allow parents to connect instantly with their child’s school to access and manage their child’s student information including:

- Attendance and absences details, including the ability let the school know of changes to normal routine, such as when a child is unwell or has to leave early.
- Academic report cards.
- Unpaid invoice details and payment history.
- Personal student details, including the ability to update information such as medical conditions.
- Enrolment details.

The benefits of QParents:

Convenience and time savings for parents

- Parents can view or updated their child’s details without having to contact the school
- Provides an opportunity to enhance the role parents to play in their child’s education journey.

Greater transparency of information

- Improves accountability between parents and schools by providing parents with timely access to their child’s information online.

Contemporary state-wide solution

- Secure 24/7 access online.
- Anytime, anywhere accessibility — access Qparents on your smart phone, tablet or computer.
- QParents is a scalable solution that has the potential to become a centralised information hub for parents to help them manage their child’s educational journey.

More information about QParents can be found at https://qparents.qld.edu.au/#/about

If you haven’t done so already, join Qparents today!

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN

Woolworths Earn & Learn is back and it is now easier than ever to earn valuable resources for Clover Hill State School.

It’s simple to participate. From Wednesday 15th July to Tuesday 8th September 2015, when you shop at Woolworths you can collect Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers from the checkout operator or
through an online order and place them on a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet. There’ll be one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every $10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco, and gift cards). Once completed, simply place the Sticker Sheet in the Collection Box, located in the office at Clover Hill.

Please remember there is one sticker to a square and stickers must NOT be overlapped.

THE READING TEAM

From the Reading Team: Why Should Children Read or be Read to Everyday?

Reading improves concentration. Children have to sit still and quietly so they can focus on the story when they’re reading. If they read regularly, they develop the ability to do this for longer periods. Reading also improves a child’s vocabulary and leads to more highly-developed language skills. This is because children learn new words as they read. It is also because they unconsciously absorb information as they read about things such as how to structure sentences and how to use words and language effectively.

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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. 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.
PERFORMING ARTS NEWS!

Gold Coast Eisteddfod – Bands, Strings & Choirs

The annual Gold Coast Eisteddfod is coming again this August. It is held at the Gold Coast Arts Centre, Bundall.

Uniform Shop Trading Hours: Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30am to 10:00am
The Junior and Senior will be performing on Tuesday the 11th of August.

Junior Choir: 10:30am performance (11th of August)

Senior Choir: 6:00pm performance (11th of August)

Notes have been distributed to all Junior Choir and Senior Choir members. If you did not receive a note please collect one from Mrs Laird in the music room. Permission slips for Junior Choir were due back on Monday the 3rd of August. Please return any Senior Choir permission slips ASAP to Mrs Laird in the music room. Thanks!

Additional Eisteddfod reminder notes for all Junior and Senior Choir members will be distributed this week.

Strings Green and Strings Blue will perform on Wednesday the 26th of August.

Strings Blue at 12pm (26th of August)

Strings Green at 6pm (26th of August)

Please return permission slips and/or payments to the office as soon as possible.

Band children will perform on Tuesday the 18th of August or Wednesday the 19th of August

Junior Band: 5pm (18th of August)

Senior Band: 6pm (19th of August)

Please return permission slips to the office or Mr Florey as soon as possible.

Spectator tickets for this event are available on the day through the Arts Centre Box Office.

We hope all spectators and performers enjoy this wonderful event!!

SCIENCE NEWS

CHSS SCIENCE NEWS

Clover Hill continues to shine the light on Science in term 3. National Science week is in week 6 and to celebrate our school will be holding a number of science activities to celebrate learning in Science. The theme for Science Week this year is “Making Waves – the Science of Light”.

CHSS TERM 3 SCIENCE ACTIVITES

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**SCIENCE WEEK 2015**

Clover Hill SS is celebrating National Science Week in Term 3 Week 4. The Year 4 – 6 classes are fortunate to be able to participate in the “A case of Emergency Forensic science workshops on Tuesday 4 August. Cost is $5 per student. Year Prep – Yr 3 will be participating in a school run forensic science activity in Week 4 which is free.

**GRIFFITH UNIVERSITY GOLD COAST SCIENCE COMPETITION 2015**

We have had over 150 students express their interest in entering this years’ Gold Coast science competition and have been given a letter and Competition booklet. To enter make sure that they are entered into the competition they need to follow the instructions on the letter and pay the $5 entry fee to the CHSS office and give the completed entry slip to Mr Maddock.

**SCIENCE CLUB**

Science Club continues on Thursday lunchtime for term 3. Science Club is free and open to all students from prep to year 6, and is held in the Science Lab with Mr Maddock.

Each week 24 students are able to come into the Science Club and do a range of activities from “Exploring the science lab", doing a science experiment, watching a science documentary or finding out about a science internet site.

Mr Maddock

Mr Maddock, Specialist Science Teacher

gmadd4@eq.edu.au

**SPORTS NEWS**

**DATES TO REMEMBER**
Oztag Gala Day: Monday 17th August

Extra-Curricular Handball Competition: Starting Thursdays Term 3

Year 4 Interhouse Sport: Every Friday Afternoon

Year 5 Interhouse Sport: Every Tuesday Afternoon

Year 6 Interhouse Sport: Every Thursday Afternoon

OCEANIC DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP DAY ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Last Thursday the 30th of July was the Oceanic District Championship Day Athletics Carnival. Clover Hill had 4 students who qualified for this carnival and they all performed at a very high level. So, congratulations to Jayden S, Shanae T, Keely M and Connie H. From these four students three have now qualified for the Regional Athletics Carnival in September, well done! Below are the Championship Day results:

Jayden S – 3rd in 200m
Shanae T – 1st in Long Jump, 2nd in 200m
Keely M – 1st in 100m
Connie H – 6th in Discus

OZTAG GALA DAY

Monday the 17th of August is the Annual Oztag Gala Day. This gala day involves students in Years 5 and 6 and is held at Mallawa Drive. Students who signed up to participate in the Oztag Gala Day will be receiving a letter this week.

On Monday we had the Junior School Athletics Carnival. It was a beautiful day to come together and watch our Junior School students display there 5 keys to success, as well as their athletic ability.

The final scores for the day were as follows:

1st Place - Koala - 428 points
2nd Place - Dingo - 419 points
3rd Place - Wallaby - 349 points
4th Place - Jabiru - 315 points

It was great to see so many parents and families supporting their children. Thank you for a great day!

BOOK FAIR
Scholastic Book Week—Book Fair

Tuesday 25th August—Thursday 27th August

A Celebration of literacy!

Literacy Legacy — Target 100

Located within the bookshop is our Literacy Legacy Bookstand, which includes a comprehensive display of highly sought after literature for young minds. By purchasing, then donating one or more of these books, you will be contributing to the Clover Hill Literacy Legacy. Our students will benefit from your generosity for many years to come. Our target this year is 100 books. Book donors will be recognised for their contribution with a commemorative label on the inside cover.

Book Character Parade

The book character parades will be held in the school hall on Thursday 27th August.

Coffee, muffins, cold drinks and snacks will be available to purchase from the TUCKSHOP before/after your child's parade.
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.

RSPCA Donations

This Semester Clover Hill will collect donations for the RSPCA rather than the AWLQ, which we have done in previous years. The RSPCA is a not-for-profit charity, and last year alone saw over 44,000 animals come through its door requiring help. They rely on community support and donations solely to assist animals in need. Urgent donations currently required include animal food, animal beds/blankets/towels, toys, food bowls, collars and leads. If you are able to assist, please drop your donation (big or small) to the front office at school so we can pass these on.

Thank you for your generosity and support.

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.

**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 and Year 1 students ONLY
- Middle playground, located behind the resource centre - Year 2 & 3 students ONLY
- Fitness circuit, located on the senior oval - Years 4-6 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.

**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.

**P and C NEWS**
The Clover Hill Twilight Fair is racing up and we need your help! Volunteers are needed to help set up the fair on Friday August 14 from 9 - 3.00pm. If you have time during the fair, we need help running Stalls and Catering outlets from 2.00-7.30pm. Alternatively, help with the clean up from 7.30pm would be great! We still need some equipment, temporary fencing is essential so if this is your area, please get in touch! The P & C fundraising team are small but dedicated and with superb support from the School, we really hope to raise vital supplies for our fabulous School. You can get involved by contacting us at pandc@cloverhillss.eq.edu.au or via the School Office.

Congratulations to our winners of the Twilight Fair poster competition.

Junior School poster competition won by : Samantha B 2D  2nd place was Finn V 2C and 3rd  Makenna B 2D.

Senior School poster competition won by : Luke B 4E 2nd place Hamish F 5D and 3rd place Hrannar 5B.

ROBINA STATE HIGH SCHOOL  KEY DATES

Important dates for families seeking enrolment in 2016

12 August 2015

Enrolment Information Evening

Japanese Immersion Information Session

(5.30pm – RSHS Performing Arts Centre)

Enrolment Forms Due (18 September 2015)

Once completed enrolment forms are received, individual enrolment interviews will be booked.

13 November 2015
Orientation Day

All students who have enrolled at RSHS in 2016 are invited to Orientation Day.

(9.30am – 2.30pm – RSHS Campus)

NB. All information sessions are held at the Robina State High School – Performing Arts Centre
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