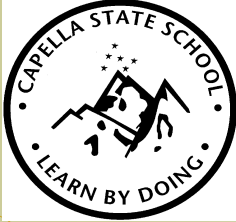


NEWSLETTER

TUESDAY 11TH OCTOBER 2016



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CALENDAR

Fri, Sat, Sun 14th, 15th & 16th October	Western 7's Rugby Union carnival
Monday 24th October 7pm Staff Room	P&C Meeting Note the change from our usual Tuesday night to a Monday night
Friday 28th October	Daniel Morcombe Day (Wear Red)
Mon—Thur November 7th—10th	Book Fair
Friday 11th November	Prep—Year 6 Swimming Carnival
Friday 21st November	Wear Pink Breast Cancer Fundraiser
Friday 25th November	Crazy Hair Day for CQ Rescue Chopper
Wed 30th November	Year 6 High School Transition Day
Friday 2nd December	Year 6—Graduation
Wed 7th December	End of year concert



Principal's Report

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Welcome back to Term 4. The children have all settled in well and are working hard in class and trying their best. I have enjoyed the many chats I have had with students in the playground re their holiday adventures.

This term will be a busy one with the commencement of the swimming program on Thursday 13th October (Week 2). Can parents please ensure that swimming notes are returned by Wednesday 12th October? The program will take place on a Thursday and Friday (Week 2, 3, 4 & 5) with a P-6 Swimming Carnival held on Friday 11th November at the Capella Pool.

Report Cards shall also be distributed this term, so students will be undertaking various assessment tasks. If parents could please talk to their children re trying their best at all times and ensuring best effort in all tasks, this would be greatly appreciated.

Just a reminder to parents that next Monday 17th October is a Pupil Free Day. School will resume on Tuesday 18th October.

I look forward to chatting with parents throughout the term.

Kind regards
 Trish Wilmott
 Principal
 Capella State School

Gotcha Awards

Macarthur: Kyra

Gregory: Tom

Leichardt: Mackenzie

Be a Learner

at school

and at home

Be Responsible

in the classroom



Principals Report Cont.....

Assembly Week 3 – Tuesday 18th October

As Monday 17th October is a Pupil Free Day, assembly shall be on Tuesday 18th October at 8.50am.

Student Enrolments for 2017

As we are now planning for 2017 I would like to ask parents to let the office staff know if their child/children are not returning to Capella State School next year.

If you have a child/children commencing Prep in 2017 could you please complete enrolment forms (available at the office) at your earliest convenience. We shall be working on class lists for 2017 over the next few weeks and it would be invaluable to have an idea of student numbers.

Acting Head of Special Education

Capella State School welcomes a new staff member this Thursday. Amanda Wischusen from Clermont State School will be commencing in the position of Acting Head of Special Education for the remainder of Term 4. Amanda shall be at Capella State School every Thursday working with our special needs students.

Change of Bell Times & Students before School

Parents please note that there has been a change in bell times as of Tuesday 4th October. The bell to start the school day now rings at 8.40am.

Our student's safety is paramount and therefore it is imperative that all students report to the undercover area when they arrive at school and remain there until dismissed by Capella State School staff.

Positive Behaviour for Learning

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) is a comprehensive, integrated whole school approach to student wellbeing and **behaviour**. PBL is a process that supports school leadership teams to create **positive learning** environments that enable student **learning** and wellbeing.

The focus for Week 1, Term 4 is "**Being a Learner in the Classroom**"

This includes:

- I will be an active learner and allow others to learn without disruption
- I will complete all tasks to the best of your ability

The Behavioural Expectation focus for Week 2, Term 4 at Capella State School is based on the premise of "**Being a Learner Responsible Before and After School and in the Playground**"

This includes:

Play Times

- I will follow the rules of the game
- I will encourage others
- I will be a gracious winner/loser

Before and After School

- I will complete homework on time
- I will be on time and ready to learn
- I will be a life-long learner

Teachers shall be discussing these 'Behavioural Expectations' with students in the classroom and it will also be addressed each week on parade. The process of following up with students after assembly is a vital link in ensuring that the children are aware of the focus and what that entails. Parents can assist by talking with their children re what the Behavioural Expectation is for the week (please check in after assembly on a Monday) and then revisit what role your child/children play in assuring a successful outcome.

Your support in this matter will ensure that we have a clear message re behavioural expectations both at home and at school.

Kind regards
Trish Wilmott

Students of the Week

Prep – Brock—For being focused and always ready to learn, and for filling lots of buckets.

Prep/1 –Sophie—for fantastic reading this week. Sophie you have been practicing and it really shows! Well done.

Year 1/2- Aiden—For being a Learner and completing set tasks to the best of your ability.

Year 3—Lara—Lara, you have shown effective written strategies to solve fact family problems in Math this week!

Year 4— Anthony—Tony you have been an active and keen learner this week, always ready to begin new tasks and topics.

Year 5— Talen - For improved behaviour and focus in class. Great work Talen, keep it up.

PE Sportsmanship—Riley—For displaying exceptional skills during PE and being respectful towards teachers and students in our school.



THINK PINK

October is
Breast Cancer
Awareness Month!

SUPPORT THE FIGHT!

Breast Cancer Fundraiser

Friday 21st October

Gold Coin Donation

Wear Pink

Messages.....



- Please note this years swimming carnival will now be held over 1 day on Friday 11th November (Week 6). A schedule of event and nomination form will be sent home today.
- **Instrumental Music Students** - Please remember your instruments for Monday 24th October - Week 4 instrumental lessons.
- Reminder to all **Eisteddfod** and **touch football** students please return your shirts to the office.



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KICK IT PINK

22ND OCTOBER

**\$ 50 PER PERSON
THREE COURSE ROAST BUFFET
CHAMPAGNE ON ARRIVAL
6 PM—MIDNIGHT**

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BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL PH 49849300**

**SILENT AUCTION
BEST DECORATED BRA COMPETITION
BRA TOSS
PHOTO BOOTH
ENTERTAINMENT / DANCING**

TO WEAR *PINK* IS A MUST

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NRL Development Sessions

During terms 3 and 4 Capella State School participated in a 3 day NRL development course hosted by Sally Galloway who is the CQ Development Officer for the NRL. Students had the opportunity to play within a team, develop their spatial awareness and ball handling skills and engage in modified rugby league games. At the completion of the course, all students received a football which was a huge bonus as students very much enjoyed the experience. We look forward to working with Sally again in the future.



Sign-on 2016/2017 Season

Capella Swimming Pool

Tuesday 11th of October

5pm – 6pm

**Uniforms, goggles available to
purchase**

Club will start's @ 6:15pm

CAPELLA STATE HIGH SCHOOL P&C



GOLF AMBROSE DAY – Saturday 29th October

Names in by 12:00pm – (tee off 12:30pm)

Children's activities to commence after 4:30pm

NOMINATE YOUR TEAM OR JUST TURN UP

\$10/Player (all ages welcome)

HOT FOOD AVAILABLE BEFORE AND AFTER GAME

Prizes for best dressed, Jumping Castle, Raffle, Music (Anna Forghuer), Kids Games and lots more.....

Attend and support the Capella State High School for a chance to win great prizes while having a great day out!



To register a team or for further information e-mail psv.dic@capellahs.q.edu.au or phone 0405 567683.

Capella State High School presents

BUCKSHOT and Blossoms



Thursday 20th October, 2016, 7pm start

Location: Undercover arena, Bridgeman Park

Tickets \$10 per person Pre-order tickets at the high school office Ph: 49887333

Food will be available for purchase on the evening