Hello parents and caregivers,

Junior Swimming carnival

Last Friday Clermont State School held it’s very first swimming carnival at Capella Aquatic Centre due to the Clermont Pool closure. Our junior students travelled to Capella on buses and events kicked off at 10am. I am proud to say that despite the lack of swimming lessons, every student in attendance participated to the best of their ability. All 112 junior school students had the chance to participate at their ability level in a range of events, both in the pool and on land. A big thank you to Ms Arrowsmith for organising the day along with Ms McLaughlin and teaching staff. Thanks also to Capella Aquatic Centre management for allowing us to utilise their facilities.

Next Friday will be the upper school carnival. Buses will leave from the school at 9am with events to begin at 10am. There will be a combination of traditional as well novelty events to ensure that every student has the chance to have a go. Buses will again depart Capella at 2pm. Parents are most welcome.

Quiz night champions

Last year’s champions ‘My drinking team has a Trivia Problem’ again took out the coveted first prize at Clermont SS P&C’s annual quiz night on Saturday. The $1000 first prize brought the pundits in with 23 teams of eight contestants turning out. The roll up was even more impressive when you consider the torrential rain that hit Clermont only moments before the doors opened in the afternoon.

The night was a huge success thanks to the P&C President, Leah Archibald and helpers Bernie Selwood, Katrina Hamill, Katrina’s mother Helen Walker and a host of other people who put up their hands to assist. Well done ladies, it looks like your efforts will net the P&C around $8500 from the night! This will go directly towards the multi-media system for the hall.

Thanks again to everyone for making it such a great night and congratulations to the hospital team which came in second and the ‘Saints’ from St Josephs who ran a close third. It was really great to see the staff of Joeys come and support a worthy cause. I hope to see everyone again next year.
The Bombastic Class Award – congratulations 2W

The Bombastic Class Award is awarded to the class with the best behaviour choices for the week. This is determined by converting the number of students per class who finished the week on purple into a percentage. This week we focused on the class with the greatest improvement. The class that made the biggest improvement this week was 2W – well done kids! Congratulations kids, you’ve all done really well.

Next week we are again looking for the class who showed the most improvement with students attaining level 1 (purple). Good luck guys, can’t wait to see which class ends up on top!

Welcome to Ms Layton and Ms Gunns

Mr and Mrs Forrest are away at present attending to baby matters and have been replaced by Ms Layton and Ms Gunns. Many of you would recognise Ms Gunns from around town and Ms Layton has travelled up from the Gold Coast. Thanks ladies.

Numbers for next year

We are busily planning our school for 2016 and we need your help parents. We are trying to determine how many students we will have returning next year. Could I ask that anyone who is planning to leave the school next year contact the office to let us know? This will greatly assist in helping us to plan for classes in 2016.

Yours in education

Adam Poulus (Principal)

Principal
Hello everyone,

**Quiz Night Success**

We had a fantastic evening last Saturday. It was great to see family members of our students supporting the P&C to raise money. Best of all, we enjoyed seeing everyone having such a great time. Thanks, also, to our very generous sponsors.

**Spooky School Disco—Halloween theme!**

Not to be missed! This Wednesday, 5:30—8:30. The students are very excited about the “spooky disco” this year. There is a $2.00 entry fee ($5 a family), and sausages on bread and poppers will be available for $2.00 each. Also flavoured milk at $2.00 each. If you are dropping your children off—PLEASE SIGN THEM IN!

Thanks to Mekylie Munro, Dana Keene Barb Tuttle and Larissa Mahoney.

**More Thanks—Swimming Carnival**

Thank you Janelle Otto and her team of helpers, for providing the sausage sizzle at our Junior Swimming Carnival. There were many hungry mouths to feed—Well done!

**Volunteers Wanted**

We are very short of volunteers to assist in raising money to benefit your child. You can help by offering assistance in the tuckshop or at the occasional fundraiser.

Thanks to the wonderful people that are there to help every time. However, we need new people to come forward to ensure that we can provide services like tuckshop to our students. Please see me, or our office ladies if you can volunteer even a small amount of your time.

Best regards

Leah Archibald

(P&C President)
Wins are GRINNERS

Fun was had with play dough and garbage bags!
IT’S THAT TIME AGAIN

The Clermont State School P & C would like to invite you to participate in our annual fundraiser ‘Kids Art Works.’

Your children have been very busy creating their very own masterpieces in class to be transformed into beautiful gifts and keepsakes, which will be very handy for the upcoming festive season.

Art work and order forms will go home by Monday 2nd of November. These will need to be filled out and returned by Friday 6th of November, as we need to allow processing time ensuring they will arrive by the end of term.

Products on offer will include your child’s artwork transformed into either:

* Calendars
* Diaries
* Greeting Cards (blank)
* Mouse Mats
* Sketch Pads

All additional information will be provided on a note along with the order form and art work.

We can accept Cash or cheque along with artwork and order form.

We thank you for your support, as all funds raised will go to valuable resources that are required to improve our wonderful school.

Queries directed to Elise Lawrence 0427 832 354
QUIZ NIGHT HELPERS

You did a great job many thanks for your help!

Organisers
Leah Archibald
Adam Poulus
Katrina Hamill
Bernie Sellwood
Kaori Waerea
Donna Cook
Kitchen
Helen Walker
Julie Warren
Ruth Brown
Harry Waerea – setup & clean up
Kevin Archibald—setup & clean up
Crystal Watson—marker
Nea Hamblin—marker
Cam Frost— signage

Bar People
Helen Anderson
Megan Mellor
Terry Cook

Door Entry and Desserts
Jody Swaffer
Cindy Ladmore
Nell Otto
Ris Marney
Ange Grech
Sarah Broome
Barb Tuttle

Entertainment
John Appleton– DJ
QUIZ NIGHT SPONSORS

We really value your support and generosity. Thank you everyone.

BP Roadhouse
Upacutz
Clermont Motor Inn
Isaac Regional Council
Clermont Pharmacy
GR Motors
The Grand Hotel
Beales IGA
Landmark
JD’s Hair Affair
Ornabellas
Salon in Main
Mitre 10 Clermont
Portal Entertainment
The Commercial Hotel
Penny’s Plaza Coffee Shop
Clermont News
Lighthouse Financial Advisors
CRT—Clermont
Good Guys—Mackay
Amart All Sport—Mackay
BCF—Mackay
Harvey Norman—Emerald
Woolworths—Emerald
Coles—Emerald
Payne Packaging—Mackay
Misfuds—Mackay
Campbell’s—Mackay
Clermont Motors
Bella Barista’s
Clermont Butchery
Hello Everyone,

As the weather gets warmer, the Zings, icy cups and ice cream cups are proving very popular at tuckshop! However, our hot food is still the main seller, with party pies and chicken nuggets the front runners. I am keeping a tally of how many nuggets we cook until the end of the term, and the correct guess will get a free Zing - and yes, it will be a sour blue one.

This week we start to trial making our own mini pizzas, a nicer alternative to the prepared frozen ones. We will also trial a Mexican style Beef Burrito. The Chicken Breast Burger remains until the end of the month, but sadly the Crunchy Noodle Salad was not a great success and has been deleted.

A big shout out to all the volunteers who have helped me, with special thanks to the bevy of Mistake Creek beauties, Renae, Bindi and Trisha who saved my bacon last Friday.

Remember there are volunteers needed for tuckshop - if you can spare an hour or so, please check the roster and come on in.

Regards

Nea

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**TUCKSHOP ROSTER**

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PREP ENROLMENTS FOR 2016 are now being taken for children born between 1 July 2010 and 31 July 2011.

Come into the office and put your child’s name on our waiting list and pick up an enrolment pack. We will contact you about our information/transition days for preps happening in Term 4.

Phone: Office on 07 49834222

The Bombastic Class Award 2W

The Bombastic Class Award is awarded to the class with the best behaviour choices for the week.
### Class: Prep B
- **Student:** Mikayla B.
- **Achievement:** For a sensational first attempt at independently writing a letter.

### Class: P1W
- **Student:** Boaz M.
- **Achievement:** For remembering to use your finger spaces when writing sentences. Keep up the good work.

### Class: 1S
- **Student:** Ava B.
- **Achievement:** For achieving level 1 every week this term. You are an excellent role model for the class. Well done!

### Class: 2W
- **Student:** Remi R.
- **Achievement:** For completing her personal challenge in improving her behaviour. Excellent!

### Class: 2/3A
- **Student:** William N.
- **Achievement:** For improved written work. Well done William!

### Class: 3/4B
- **Student:** Abigail C.
- **Achievement:** For a great effort in constructing a poem and for working hard on all tasks throughout the week.

### Class: 3/4M
- **Student:**
- **Achievement:**

### Class: 4/5F
- **Student:**
- **Achievement:**

### Class: 5/6J
- **Student:** Ruby K.
- **Achievement:** For being a responsible and thoughtful class member. Keep up the great work.

### Class: 6C
- **Student:** Jackson C.
- **Achievement:** Making great choices within the classroom environment.

### Class: LOTE
- **Class:** 3/4M
- **Achievement:** For great team work and enthusiasm in singing ‘Days of the Week’ song in Japanese.
HALLOWEEN KIDS BALL

27th October 2015

THE HALLOWEEN THINGAMAJIG KIDS BALL
Oct 31st @ Grinders Night Club/Function Room (The Leo Hotel Motel)

$4.00 Entry per child
Drinks, nibbles, party games and prizes!!

Girls Best Dressed Comp
Boys Best Dressed Comp & goodies for all who come along.
Ages: Toddlers, Preschoolers & Primary School Ages only.

Security & Parental supervision will be through out for those parents who wish not to stay.
Drop off and pick up at side entrance.

If you wish to volunteer your time to help out please give Alisha Burns a call at The Leo Hotel to pop your name down.
Playgroup

If you have a baby or toddler and would like to get out and meet other mums and bubs come along to playgroup on Wednesday mornings at 9:30 in the school hall.

Remember to bring a plate to share and this is a nut to free school and playgroup

Call Katrina for more information: 0408721130.

Find us on ‘Facebook’ Clermont Playgroup

UNIFORM SHOP: the uniform shop will be open fortnightly on Wednesdays only. The best way to order uniforms is to complete your order online using Flexischool. Winter stock now available.

Sizes to suit older students, a new shipment now in stock.

Shop open - Wednesday 4th November 2015 - 8:30 to 9:00

Lisa—0431 111 387

School Hall
Wayne Bennett & Craig Hamilton

in Clermont

All Welcome

Clermont has been offered the unique opportunity to have breakfast with one of Australian Rugby League’s most famous coaches & leading motivational speaker - Wayne Bennett. Accompanying him will be mental health advocate & ABC radio announcer Craig Hamilton.

FAMILY MEET & GREET
BBQ Breakfast
7am-9am
Clermont Sports Grounds
14th November 2015

*Breakfast available for purchase from 7am.
*Both men will be available to sign books, footballs etc.
*For more information please call 0425 242 470.
**DATE CLAIMERS**

**27th October 2015**  
**Term 4 Week 4**

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### Clermont State School-Prep Transitions 2016

**Date Claimers**

**Transition Days:**

Clermont Daycare and Kindy: **Tuesday 10th of November and Thursday 12th of November.**

Please remember that **bookings are essential for the open days.**

If you have any queries, please phone the school office on **4983 4222**