



CHATSWORTH STATE SCHOOL

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Week 5 Term 1 – 22 February 2017

PARENT INFORMATION AFTERNOON

Thank you to the many parents who came along to the class information sessions on Monday. Parents play an important part in the education of our students and your attendance this afternoon shows us you are keen to be a part of your child's school journey here at Chatsworth. If you were unable to make in on Monday, you are able to discuss your child's progress with their teacher at any stage during the year by making a time to meet with them or by using the communication diaries. We look forward to continuing to work with you in 2017 and in the future.

LITERACY INFORMATION AFTERNOON

Who: Prep and Year 1 Parents

When: Tuesday, 28th February, 2017

Time: 3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Where: P/1 Classroom (B Block, downstairs)

What: Explanation of our literacy program and how to help your child at home with reading and writing

Mr Scott will be on hand to supervise children on the oval so that parents can participate in the session.

PREP VISION SCREENING

A Registered Nurse will be visiting the school this Friday the 24th of February to commence free vision screening for all Prep Year children. If you wish to have your child participate in this vision screening program, please complete and sign the consent form sent home with your child and return this to your child's class teacher as soon as possible. You will be advised in writing of the outcome of your child's screening. Good vision is important for a child's educational, physical and social development. Vision screening is therefore vital in early childhood, particularly for conditions such as 'lazy eye', which if not detected early can lead to blindness.

BANGERS AND MATHS DAY

Please find inserted an invitation to *Bangers and Math* evening. Chatsworth and a number of other local schools are supporting an initiative to support parents understanding how to help their child with mathematics. More information is on the flyer attached. HOWEVER, I am **offering the tickets for free** to Chatsworth families who go along on the night. From next week, you can collect a free ticket from the office if you and your family would like to attend the evening.

Josh Scott – PRINCIPAL

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 1 – 6/3/17 – Life Ed Van
- 9/3/17 – Year 6 – Primary Leadership – CCC
- 9&10/3/17 – Mr Scott – Principal's Conference
- 15/3/17 – SWD – Cathy House – Tin Can Bay
- 17/3/17 – Shave for a Cure
- 30/3/17 – X-Country

GYMPIE DISTRICT SPORT

Just a reminder that the **biggest day** for Gympie District nominations is coming up on Friday March 3 which is Friday next week! Sports that need to be nominated on this day include **U11 and U12 Rugby League, Touch Footy, Basketball, Tennis, Hockey, Soccer and Netball** need to be returned to the office by Thursday the day before. Any students who play golf or participate in club swimming should see Mr Martin to nominate in these sports. Nominations already made can be checked outside the upper classrooms.

Andrew Martin – PE TEACHER



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

P/1L: Grace B – for listening and following all instructions excellently. A true Chatsworth Champ!

Mason S – for being a responsible learner who is a great listener in the classroom. What a Chatsworth Champ!

1/2R: Abigail M – Amazing way you have settled into being a true Chatsworth Champion.

Sam F – for showing great leadership and help to your classmates.

2RM: Isabelle S – for being persistent in doing your nasty to nice sums...well done.

Hannah C – for being persistent in doing your nasty to nice sums...well done.

2/3MM: Jason A – for much improved effort on the obstacle course.

Amelia M – for a great start to homework.

Sofia D – for a great start to homework.

Ingrid B – for a great start to homework.

Harlen T – for being helpful, respectful and a learner.

Jay M – for great thinking and explaining in Maths.

Jordan W – for a great start to homework.

Zoe M – for excellent manners, behaviour and effort.

3/4B: Matylda – for always walking respectfully and peacefully about the school.

Bianca - for always walking respectfully and peacefully about the school.

3/4H: Ella P – for using sensational sounding strategies when reading. Stupendous!

Ella B – for completing all of your spelling activities for the week.

Brooke B – for completing all of your spelling activities for the week.

4/5C: Ji M – Fantastic improved effort and concentration in Maths this week.

Alexcia - Fantastic improved effort and concentration in Maths this week.

Caitlyn S – for an amazing start to the year. Fantastic organisational and listening skills. Well done!

6B: Hareth C – for displaying a fantastic learning attitude in all areas and for being a great school captain with your fine behaviour. Well done!

Matthew B – for showing fantastic application and persistence during mathematics and generally in class across your subjects. Well done and keep it up!

LIFE ED PROGRAMS



The Early Primary programs focus on: Basic physiology; Importance of nutritious food, water, fresh clean air, exercise and sleep to maintain health;

Sun protection; Safe and unsafe use of medicines; Identifying potentially unsafe aspects of the environment and ways to safely deal with them (eg. finding a syringe in the playground). Middle School programs focus on: Basic physiology; Safe and unsafe use of medicines; Bullying and communication skills; Cyber safety; Making informed choices. The Upper Primary programs focus on: The effects of non-medical legal drugs (eg. nicotine and alcohol); How children can effectively deal with influences to join in unsafe situations; Dealing with potentially harmful substances; Making informed choices. It is most important that your child participates in Life Education every year as the program builds on itself in a cumulative fashion.

TUCKSHOP ROSTER

23.2.17- Bec B , Melinda, Kim, Rowena

27.2.17- Kylie G

2.3.17 - Chris, Kim, Gillian, Shaylee

6.3.17- Rowena

9.3.17- Melinda, Trish, Vicky

13.3.17- Dee

16.3.17- Bec, Gillian, Kim, Rowena

20.3.17- Shaylee

If you can't make it please let me know ASAP. Thank you for everyone's help, without volunteers there would be no Tuckshop. Thanks Louise

TUCKSHOP NEWS



Pack 1

Ham/cheese sandwich
or Vegemite
Cookie
Apple
Custard cup
Cheese & crackers

Pack 2

Ham/cheese sandwich or Vegemite
Cookie
Grapes
1 slice raisin bread & butter
Sultanas or cheese & crackers

Pack 3 term 1 special only
Ham/cheese sandwich or Vegemite
Fruit cup in natural syrup
Hot cross bun
Popcorn
Cheese & crackers

All packs available every day to purchase at tuckshop
between 8.30- 8.50am. The cost is \$5.00 and starts
Thursday 23.2.17.

Get involved in the School Banking program

Chatsworth School is excited to offer the Commonwealth Bank School Banking program to all students. School Banking is a fun, interactive and engaging way for young Australians to learn about money and develop good savings habits. Children who deposit money into their Youthsaver account through School Banking earn Dollarmites tokens, which they can save up and redeem for exciting rewards. The rewards available during 2017 are:

- Cyber Handball
- Colour Change Markers
- 3D Chalk Set
- Tablet Case
- Smiley Emoji Keyring
- Volt Handball
- Pencil + Tech Case
- Epic Earphones

School Banking is also a great fundraiser for our school. Our school receives \$5 when a student makes their first ever School Banking deposit and 5% on every deposit made through the school (to a maximum of \$10 per individual deposit).

Getting involved in School Banking is easy!

All you need to get involved in the School Banking program is a Commonwealth Bank Youthsaver account. You can open an account for your child in one of two ways:

1. Online

Visit commbank.com.au/schoolbanking and click on the link to open a Youthsaver account.

2. In branch

Visit a Commonwealth Bank branch with identification for yourself and your child, like a driver's licence and birth certificate.

If your child has an existing Commonwealth Bank Youthsaver account they can start banking straight away. They just need to bring their deposit in every week on School Banking day using their Dollarmites deposit wallet. School Banking day is **Wednesday**. Each



week you need to **take your deposit book up to the office and hand it in to the office**. If you would like to know more about School Banking, please ask for a 2017 School Banking program information pack from the school office or visit commbank.com.au/schoolbanking

Thank you

Sam Korn
School banking Co-ordinator

WANTED – MILK BOTTLE CAPS



HOUSE TO RENT – 3 bedrooms, double carport on 5 acres, 10 mins to town, Ph: Judy 0404491900

Bangers & Math Night



Wednesday 8th March
Gympie Civic Centre

5.15-6.00: Parent information session and family mathematics games
 6.00-6.45: Family sausage sizzle and jumping castle

THIS IS A COMBINED SCHOOLS EVENT.
 PROUDLY SUPPORTED BY: Gympie West, Central, South, One Mile, Two Mile, Jones Hill, Chatsworth State Schools, Gympie State High, and James Nash State High School.

Tickets can be purchased at any of the schools listed below until Monday 6th March 2017 (UNLESS SOLD OUT)



Guest Speaker: Mr Rob Proffitt: While practical work you can help your children improve in and enjoy mathematics

New games and activities fun for the whole family

\$5 cost includes sausage sizzle for the family and a gift bag.

Drinks will be available for purchase on the night



\$5 per family

Contact person: Rachael Peeling
 1941006446



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Handpainted or Vinyl cut
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