



# CHATSWORTH STATE SCHOOL

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## Week 11 Term 2 – 22 June 2016

### SPORTS DAY

Congratulations to our entire school community on a successful 2016 sports carnival. Thank you to all staff and teachers who worked incredibly hard to make the two days a success. I would also like to thank the parents and grandparents who came out in support of our students across the two days, it was great to see (and hear!) so many of you in the grandstand. Several parents also helped out during the field events and we are very grateful for your contributions.

Our P&C were also hard at work running an excellent tuckshop and raised over \$1,000 for our school – thank you ladies.

Check out some photos from the day inside this newsletter. Here is a list of the results from the carnival, congratulations to these students:

### AGE CHAMPIONS:

5 YEAR OLD BOYS - SHEM CRAIG  
5 YEAR OLD GIRLS - LILLY KIRBY  
6 YEAR OLD BOYS - ROREY HINDS  
6 YEAR OLD GIRLS - TILLY BILLIAU  
7 YEAR OLD BOYS - BILLY MERTON  
7 YEAR OLD GIRLS - RAHNI MUELLER  
8 YEAR OLD BOYS - ZOLTAN GREENHALGH  
8 YEAR OLD GIRLS - MONTANNA DRAPER  
9 YEAR OLD BOYS - LOGAN McMURTRIE & RORY PAYNE  
9 YEAR OLD GIRLS - NINA FORD  
10 YEAR OLD BOYS - ZAC GARTON  
10 YEAR OLD GIRLS - SANTASIA TAU-MOGGS  
11 YEAR OLD BOYS - TYLER PAULL  
11 YEAR OLD GIRLS - MONIQUE MURNANE  
12 YEAR OLD BOYS - KIAN NEVIN  
12 YEAR OLD GIRLS - JU-CINTA JOHNSON

Nash – won the Ball Games

Kabi – Inter-house Sports Champions

Nash – best behaved House



## CHAMPION DAY & FREE DRESS

As you would know, tomorrow is our Term Two Champion Day. Congratulations to the vast majority of students who have behaved as *Safe, Respectful, Learners* this Term and have reached the target of 50 Rippin' Rewards to be invited to the celebrations. Tomorrow, the classes will be having a Movie and Games Day. Students are welcome to bring their favourite board game along to share with their friends. They will also be watching a Movie on a big screen with some popcorn at different stages throughout the day. As tomorrow is Champion Day and State of Origin Game II, we have decided that **students can wear their team colours to school tomorrow**. This is **not** a fundraiser and is just meant as a bit of fun for students who have worked hard all Term.

## PARENT OPINION SURVEY, 2016

The eldest child in each family has been sent home with an insert in this fortnight's newsletter which contains instructions for completing this year's School Opinion Survey. All families, school staff and a sample of students will be invited to take part. We encourage you to take this opportunity to have your say about the many things this school does well, and perhaps, how we could improve. The survey generally takes around 10 minutes to complete. The survey is online. If parents/caregivers are unable to complete it at home, they are welcome to complete their survey online at the school next week. You can phone the school at any time to make these arrangements or if you have any questions about the completion of the surveys.



Congratulations to Leah, Alyx and Abby-Rose who have been working hard for months in preparation for Creative Generation, a state-wide performing arts event. These three girls will represent our school at the final exhibition in Brisbane in the first week of Term Three. Good luck girls, I am sure you will do us proud.



## ELECTION DAY

Chatsworth State School will be a polling booth for the Federal election. It will be held in the library and the P&C will be cooking a sausage sizzle on the day for Year 5 camp. A note has been home to Year 5 parents who may wish to man the BBQ and help serve for an hour or two on the day, your help and time would be very much appreciated.

## HEAD LICE

Over the past few weeks a much increased number of head lice cases have been reported. As parents would know, we send home a letter to parents in the affected classes as soon as we see or hear of a case. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the parents who are vigilant in checking their child's hair and treating cases they may find. Unfortunately, some parents are letting this slip and are not checking or treating their children which keep the cycle of lice going. I would urge parents to be aware and treat your children if necessary – the health and hygiene of children is parents' responsibility.

## AFTER SCHOOL PLAYGROUNDS

A reminder to all parents that our school playgrounds are strictly out of bounds after school. In particular, we have had some students playing on the equipment in the Prep area after school. There is no staff member on duty in these areas and no accident coverage after school hours. After school is quite often when teachers have some quiet time in their classrooms to prepare for lessons and organise themselves for the following day and students playing in these areas make that difficult. If families are waiting to collect high school students off buses that arrive later, these students are more than welcome to play in the supervised bus duty area under C Block until these buses arrive. There are two teachers supervising this area with activities for all students. Thank you for your understanding.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 21/6/16 – P & C Meeting, 6.00pm - Library
- 23/6/16 – Broncos Challenge Day – Yrs 4&5
- 5/8/16 – Jean for Genes Day
- 12/10/16 – Prep Orientation, 11.30-1.00pm
- 28/10/16 – Day for Daniel
- 8/11/16 – Prep Orientation, 11.30-1.00pm

## STATEMENTS AND STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME FORMS

There have been a few queries regarding this, with some people saying they have already paid their fees, if this is the case, you will have only received the SRS Form to fill out and return to the office, as we need all these forms returned for Audit purposes. So if you received this form, could you please fill it out and return it ASAP to the office. If you received a blue Statement, this means you haven't paid your fees, so if you could pay them at your earliest convenience that would be appreciated. If you have any queries regarding if you have paid your fees or not, please contact Annette in the Office.



### STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

**Prep1/M:** Raydan S – for wonderful Writing.

Daisy M – for always being a polite class member.

**Year 1R:** Anastasia F – for terrific work and for being a great example in class.

**Year 2M:** Marcus – for achieving 7 duck levels of spelling words. Terrific!

Grace - Marcus – for achieving 7 duck levels of spelling words. Terrific!

Riley - Marcus – for achieving 7 duck levels of spelling words. Terrific!

Jarrold - Marcus – for achieving 7 duck levels of spelling words. Terrific!

Billy - Marcus – for achieving 7 duck levels of spelling words. Terrific!

**Year 2/3MM:** Clay F – for being so helpful on Sprots Day.

Bella D – for brilliant behaviour, manners and effort.

**Year 4/6H:** Caitlyn S – for writing a wonderfully details narrative.



In June and July 2016, students aged 15-18 years from over 25 countries will be arriving in Australia to study at local schools for 3-10 months. If you are interested in hosting a student call 1300135331 or visit

<http://studentexchange.org.au/host-a-student>

## Department of Transport and Main Roads CASUAL POSITION VACANT

A casual position exists for a School Crossing Supervisor at this school. The School Crossing Supervisor **may** be required to work five days per week in all *weather conditions*. The hours of work for School Crossing Supervisors are normally 1.5 hours a day and usually comprise of one hour in the morning and ½ hour in the afternoon.

The successful applicant is dependent on:

- The favourable outcome of a health assessment carried out by a Government Medical Officer or a duly qualified Medical Practitioner according to the guidelines in the “Notes for Medical Practitioner” on the School Crossing Supervisor Scheme – Health Assessment Form; and
- A Positive Notice Blue Card (This means you do not need to have a blue card to apply for the position)

Applicants are required to advise in writing of any charges that have been laid against them or any offence of which they have been convicted of.

Applications addressing the selection criteria as listed in the position description must be submitted in writing to the school. If you are successful in your application for this position, you can only commence employment with Transport and Main Roads if you hold a current Blue Card or are renewing your Blue Card and have submitted either a Blue Card Application form or Authorisation to Confirm Current Blue Card form to the Commission for Children and Young People and Child Guardian. Address application to:

Private and Confidential  
The Principal  
Chatsworth State School  
15 Rammutt Road  
CHATSWORTH GYMPIE QLD 4570

**Applications close at 3.00pm on 1 August 2016. For further information please phone the Principal on 54813777.**

### TUCKSHOP ROSTER

23<sup>rd</sup> June – Louise, Gillian, Diane



## June School Holiday Junior Tennis Hotshots Fun Tournaments

Gympie Junior Tennis will be conducting **2 Hotshots Fun Tournaments** for any junior players from beginner to advanced level on **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June and Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June at The Reg English Memorial Tennis Centre on Cartwright Rd.** All children that attend school coaching and hot shots programs are suited to these events. **Great prizes** and a **lucky player prize** drawn at each tournament. Members and non- members welcome.

The tournaments will run from **8.30am until 12.30pm** and **cost will be \$25.00 / player for 1 event \$45/ player 2 events including morning tea and lunch.**

**Family Discounts and multiple tournament entry discounts apply. Entries close 10.00am on the day prior to the event with Brett Cottrill 0417 746795 or Matt Watkins 0417 070129.**




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### Gympie Youth Mentoring Program

We are currently seeking volunteer community members to mentor young people in a one-on-one or small group setting to inspire students to achieve life, education and career goals. This program builds self confidence in young people and provides opportunities to develop vital decision making, problem solving and communication skills. Mentors and mentees work through structured activities and mentors are able to specialise in a topic that utilises their life skills and experience.

**If you are interested in becoming involved in this program, or would like more information please contact Cassandra Elstob on 0408 992 822 or email: [volunteer@chsn.org.au](mailto:volunteer@chsn.org.au)**

TV CASTING OPPORTUNITY  
NEW DOCUMENTARY SERIES



We're looking for kids who are currently in grade 6 and starting high school in 2017

From childhood to adolescence, moving from primary school to high school is a time of significant change.

It can be a time full of fun, excitement and new experiences, but can also be challenging and scary for some kids.

This new documentary series will tell the real story of the transition from primary school to high school told by the students who are going through it.

APPLICATIONS: <https://goo.gl/Vd0KYR> or email [casting@princess.net.au](mailto:casting@princess.net.au)




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