Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to week 5 Term 4.

Please note all the remaining key dates for Term 4 2015 included in the left hand column of this newsletter.

Thank you for a wonderful 'Halloween' fancy dress ball. We hope that the children enjoyed themselves. It was fantastic to see that everyone put into their costumes and into their dancing at this event.

Don’t forget the Trivia Night is on next Friday 13th November. We would love to see as many teams and people as possible at this event, supporting Clare State School and the Clare State School P&C. The flyer and the registration form for the trivia night is again attached to this newsletter. Nomination forms need to be returned to the school office by Monday 9th November. We look forward to seeing you there.

World Teachers’ Day

Last Friday was World Teacher’s Day. Clare State School hosted a small morning tea and certificate presentation for our teachers. World Teachers’ Day is just one opportunity throughout the year to acknowledge the efforts of teachers throughout the world, but especially in our school.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the teachers, and all of the staff at Clare State School (Admin, Teacher Aides and Cleaner) for the wonderful work that they do in ensuring that the education at this school is delivered to a consistently high standard.

End of Year Celebrations

With only five weeks to go we have started to organise the end of year celebrations.

- The Christmas concert and school awards night will be held at the school on 5.30pm Tuesday 1st December, Clare State School.
- The School Fun Day will be held on Monday 7th December. We will be going bowling in Ayr in the morning. We will be hiring a bus to take the students into Ayr and return them to Clare after the morning. We will organise platters of food for lunch at the bowling alley. The cost per child will be $15. The permission and payment form will come home with the next newsletter.

Prep Enrolments

Enrolments are open for Prep in 2016. We are asking for all families to ensure they have collected, completed and returned their enrolment forms by Friday 27th November. This will help us start planning for 2016. Please check with family and friends if they have enrolled. All children born between 01 July 2010 to 30 June 2011 are eligible to attend. Enrolment packs may be picked up from the office.

We will be conducting our final pre prep come and try morning on Friday 20th November from 9am—11am. If you are interested or planning on sending your child to Prep at Clare State School in 2016 feel free to come along.

Working Together to Combat Cyber Bullying


Specific resources for parents on cyberbullying can be found at: https://www.esafety.gov.au/education-resources/parent-resources. Additionally the cyberbullying poster provided to the school is attached to this newsletter.
Tuckshop—Swimming Carnival

Please find attached a copy of the tuckshop order form for this year’s swimming carnival. Please ensure you have returned the order form by Tuesday 17th November. Either print out the order form and attach it to the front of a paper bag or clearly write on the front of a paper bag the details for your order. Correct change is appreciated.

The swimming carnival is on Monday 23rd November. There will be more information about this event in the next newsletter.

Position Vacant

A vacancy exists at Clare State School for a part-time Schools Officer—Grounds for up to 5 hours per week. If you are interested in applying please submit your current resume and a cover letter, which details why you would be suitable for this position and/or why you are interested in this position to lbran29@eq.edu.au or drop your application into the school office.

Applications for the position will close on Tuesday 17th November. If you require further information please contact me on 4782 7133.

Thank you

Lee Braney
Principal

---

**Week 4**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Term 4</th>
<th>2nd—6th November</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Monday 2nd</td>
<td>SAS Year 4 9.30 to 10.30</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tuesday 3rd</td>
<td>PE—Swimming</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Wed 4th</td>
<td>SAS Year 4 9.30 to 10.30</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>LOTE</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Thurs 5th</td>
<td>Parade 2.00pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dale Last, Member for Burdekin, attending parade</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Friday 6th</td>
<td>SAS Year 4 9.30 to 10.30</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Please complete one order per child.

Please return the order and correct money inside a brown lunch bag to the school office by Tuesday 17th November 2015

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ITEM</th>
<th>PRICE</th>
<th>QTY</th>
<th>COST</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Phelan’s Pie - no peas</td>
<td>$3.50</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Phelan’s Pie - with peas</td>
<td>$3.50</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Phelan’s Pastie - no peas</td>
<td>$3.50</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Phelan’s Pastie - with peas</td>
<td>$3.50</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Phelan’s Sausage Roll - no peas</td>
<td>$3.00</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Phelan’s Sausage Roll - with peas</td>
<td>$3.00</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chicken &amp; Salad Roll</td>
<td>$3.00</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ham &amp; Salad Roll</td>
<td>$3.00</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tropical Juice Popper</td>
<td>$1.50</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Apple Juice Popper</td>
<td>$1.50</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**TOTAL COST** $
CORES Burdekin

Community Response to Eliminating Suicide

One Day Suicide Intervention Training
Saturday November the 14th
Bookings Essential

Imagine these faces to be family, friends, neighbours or work colleagues.
Can you pick which one is having troubling thoughts? Would you know?
If you did suspect something, could you deal with it?
What happens if a person can’t cope ... will someone be there for them?
This one day CORES training will give you the skills and confidence to recognise then assess a person who may be at risk of self harm or suicide.

Venue: Burdekin PCYC 164 Macmillan Street Ayr
Cost: Free - BYO Lunch
Time: 9am-5pm
Contact: Ross Romeo CORES Qld Co-ordinator
Mobile: 0427 455 313
coresqld@kentishrc.com.au

"YOU NEVER KNOW WHO YOU COULD HELP"
Face book: CORES Qld

Australian Government
Office of the Children’s eSafety Commissioner

How to report cyberbullying material

1 Report the cyberbullying material to the social media service

2 Collect evidence — copy URLs or take screenshots of the material

   If the content is not removed within 48 hours...


4 Block the person and talk to someone you trust

If you are in immediate danger, call Triple Zero (000).
If you need to talk to someone, visit Kids Helpline online or call them on 1800 55 1800, 24 hours a day, seven days a week.
Clare State School P&C Fundraising Event

First Prize $600 per team

A range of other prizes will be awarded throughout the night

Cost: $10 per player
Nomination forms need to be returned to the school by Monday 9th November
Don’t forget to bring along your gold coins for the alcohol coin toss game.
Come along and support the school.
Where: Clare Club
When: 7pm, 13th November, 2015
Dinner available from the Club from 6pm
Call Clare State School for more information on 4782 7133
Thanks to all the businesses who have sponsored this event.

Team name: ____________________________________

Contact name and phone number for team: ____________________________

Number of players on team: __________________

Registration Fee ($10 per player): Enclosed / Will Pay on the Night

Nomination forms need to be returned to the School by Monday 9th November 2015
Call Clare State School for more information on 4782 7133