

IMPORTANT DATES

- ♦ Thursday March 2
Footy Colours Day
- ♦ Friday March 3
Assembly
- ♦ Thursday March 9
School Photos
- ♦ Monday March 13
Basketball Yr 3/4
- ♦ Wednesday March 16
High School Transition
- ♦ Friday March 17
Assembly
- ♦ Monday March 20
Basketball Yr 5/6
- ♦ Tuesday March 21
Harmony Day
- ♦ Thursday March 30
Assembly
- ♦ Friday March 31
School Cross Country
- ♦ Friday April 7

Important

P&C AGM

7th March

All Welcome

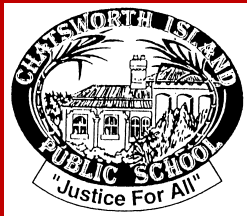
Canteen Roster

Wed: Katie Lake &
Renee Roberts
Frid: Kylie Shannon &
Tennille Wiblen

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in colour.

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WELCOME TO WEEK 6

FOOTY COLOURS DAY - Our SRC has organised a Footy Colours fundraising day for this Thursday March 2. All money raised will go towards cancer research. Students have been encouraged to come to school dressed in their favourite team's colours whether it be NRL, AFL, Rugby, soccer or even the team mascot. Each class will be participating in an activity on the day designed around a sporting code. A gold coin donation is required on the day.

SCHOOL PHOTOS-THURSDAY MARCH 9 - Envelopes have been sent home today for your consideration when purchasing school photos. Please take the time to look at all the options and packages available. Envelopes and payments need to be returned to school before next Thursday March 9. If you pay online, the envelope with your package selection still needs to be returned to school.

Family/sibling photo envelopes are available from the school office.

REMEMBER - If combining payments for more than one child please remember that each child still needs his or her own envelope.

EASTER RAFFLE AND HAT PARADE - Donations are now being taken for our annual Easter raffle. All eggs and other Easter goodies can be left at the school office. Our Easter Hat Parade and raffle draw will be held on the last day of this term, Friday April 7. This has become a wonderful family event and we would like to invite all parents, grandparents and friends to come in and help the students make their hats and then stay for the parade and a sausage sizzle.

P AND C ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - The Chatsworth Island Public School AGM will be held next Tuesday March 7 at 3.20pm. I encourage all parents to come along and become involved in the goings on at your child's school. Remember communication is the key.

SCHOOL FEES - A huge thanks to those families who have paid their school fees or have started making payments to the school office. There was a lot of thought and reasoning involved in structuring the fees to incorporate text books, online programs, dance, drumming, choir and ukulele and the response has been very pleasing. If you are experiencing difficulty with payments please don't hesitate to come and see me. Thank you once again.

ASSEMBLY - Our whole school merit assembly will be held in the Library this Friday March 3 beginning at 2:30pm.

Enjoy your week

GREG SPEIRS

CANTEEN ORDER FORM PLEASE RETURN ON WEDNESDAY

This Friday we will be serving (1) Crispy Chicken Wraps \$5

Order forms need to be in on Wednesday.

Childs name Class..... (1)

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Swimming Carnival Report

Last Thursday Lily Moresby, Morwenna Hogan and Hendrix Mahoney participated in the Zone Swimming Carnival at the Lismore Memorial Pool. As the three students walked through the gates, they knew straight away that it would be hard competition. There would have been at least 300 competitors, all of whom were the top swimmers from their districts.

Morwenna placed fourth in breaststroke and butterfly whilst Hendrix placed second in the 50m freestyle. Both of those students will be moving forward to Kempsey to participate in the Regional Swimming Carnival in a couple of weeks. Lily came first in her freestyle heat but 9th overall and 7th overall in backstroke. All of these students swam personal bests and had an excellent time.

By Morwenna, Lily and Hendrix.



WORK OF THE WEEK
Arana Carmichael

CANTEEN NEWS: A big thank you to all the mums, dads and grandparents that have volunteered to work in canteen this term. However, we still have a few days without volunteers so if you are able to volunteer please contact Tennille 0423 368 161 or Jenni 0428 494 424. Or fill in the sheet on this newsletter and return it to school, thanks. This Friday we will be serving crispy chicken wraps.

P&C NEWS—AGM ANNOUNCEMENT - The Chatsworth Island School P&C Association will be holding its Annual General Meeting on Tuesday **7th March** commencing at 3:40 pm. The General Meeting will follow at 4 pm. Afternoon Tea will be available from 3:20 pm for those attending to finalise membership and discuss ideas for fundraising events and projects we would like to support this year.

All positions will be declared vacant on the day with elections to appoint office bearers for 2017. If you cannot attend but would like to be involved please speak with a current member, send a note in to school or contact Sahnit on 0432439815.

Please consider becoming a member of the P&C this year to get involved with our great school. You do not have to take on a role on the committee to be a member. For the cost of \$2 membership entitles you to a vote regarding committee members, how the P&C spends funds and school projects that the association will support.

WEEK ENDING	WEDNESDAY	FRIDAY
17 th February	Melita Moresby	Fleur
	Lucy Strange	Tennille S
24 th February	Tennille S	Jenni
	Karen	Justin
		Tennille (1hr)
3 rd March	Katie Lake	Kylie Shannon
	Renee Roberts	Tennille W
10 th March	Sam Carlon	Rachael Bennett
17 th March	Michelle Philip	Anne Law
		Jenny Anderson
24 th March		Kylie Shannon
		Michelle Philip
31 st March	Michelle Philip	Anne Law
		Jenny Anderson
7 th April		Rachael Bennett
		Michelle Philip

'THE LOWER CLARENCE RELAY FOR LIFE'

We have set up a team "Island Wanderers" and am hoping to get some more people to join up and participate in the relay with me!

It is an all ages, family event held at the Yamba Public School, Angourie Road from 3pm Saturday 18th March until 9am Sunday 19th March!

The purpose of this event is to Raise Money for the Cancer Council NSW. A very worthy cause.

We are asking families to join our team for the night of the Relay, come along we will have tents set up for the kids.

If you can't make it, but would like to support us by making a donation, (every donation over \$2 is a tax deduction)

For donations and registering for the team head over to the website!

There is also Raffle Tickets \$2ea , available for the Major Raffle drawn on the night of the relay. If you would like to purchase a Raffle ticket contact Tennille Wiblen 0421825240 Please help us save lives!

