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Star Gazing Success
A huge thank you for all families who came along last Friday evening to celebrate an evening under the stars. We had over 50 people attended and $500 raised for the P & C / Student council. Funds raised will go towards our new school playground. I would like to thank the following people for making the evening such a huge success. Lindsay Old Field from Tropical Star Gazers, Collinsville State School P&C Kelly family, Pyke family, Ansen family, Payne family, Murphy family, Illguth family, Nelson family, Milne family and Miss Corkill. To parents who manned the gate, cooked sausages, ran the tuck shop and donated goods for the evening.

Working Bee
On Saturday morning we held a working bee at the school to remove old garden edging to replace with block and relocate mulch into the gardens. We were extremely fortunate to have the services kindly donated by Barry McCarthy and his Bobcat. We were able to easily shift the mulch in half the time and with a lot less sweat. I cannot thank you enough Barry and your contribution to our school. I would also like to thank the following hard workers. Neil Widj, Justin Smith, Ash Murphy, Micheal Illguth, Jason Anson, Lauren Payne, Sharon Ansen, Kym Pyke and Beck Kelly. Your hard work and dedication has transformed our gardens. Thank you everyone!!

School Opinion Survey
A reminder to all families that the School Opinion Survey is due back to the office by this Friday the 29th of July. All forms will be sent away for our school data to be collated and later this year we will receive the results. This information will be shared with our school community.

Athletics Carnival
Congratulations to all our 4-6 students who competed in the interschool athletics carnival. I was extremely proud of our student’s exemplary behaviour and team spirit during the day. Thank you to Mr M, Mrs Vella and school staff for your efforts during the day. Congratulations to Scottsville State School. Winners on the day! We will notify students shortly who have made the Whitsunday level.

Reading Buddies
This term exciting reading program is taking place in the junior school for five weeks. Every Monday St Matt Pyke our adopt a cop and the Collinsville Queensland Country Credit Union branch have organised prominent community members to come and read to the children. Every week a child is donated a book and the school also receives books for our library. So far it has been a huge success. A high light this week was a visit from Crackles the pig. I would like to thank St Matt for organising this great program and the Queensland Country Credit Union for funding this event.

Transition to high school
This term we again commence transition for our Yr 6 students into high school. I would like to thank Heather Murry the Principal from Collinsville State High School and Melinda Daily for their organisation around the agenda for the visits. We have attached a calendar for the term 2 and 3 visits within this newsletter. The first visit will be this Wednesday Afternoon from 1:30pm -2:30pm. A reminder that children will be taken up to the high school on the community bus but will require picking up at the closure of transition from the high school.

Magpie Season
As the year roles on it is important to remember that shortly we will enter the Magpie breeding season. We are home to several breeding pairs and it is important to remember the following steps to avoid attack:
- Wear Sunglasses and a hat or carry an umbrella.
- Face the magpie, they attack from behind.
- Stay calm! Aggressive behaviour can provoke an attack!
- Keep alert and pay attention. Keep an ear open for distinctive calls.
- If being attacked whilst cycling. Stop and walk your bike.
- Do not provoke Magpies, they are very territorial and will protect their nest.
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**Student of the Week Award: Term3 Week 1**

**Prep—Yr 1:**
- David Monks settling in to your new school.
- Isabel Monks settling into your new school.

**Year 2—3**
- Tara Tabbi for enthusiastically participating in Science this week. Well done Tara!
- Cohen Poli for a huge improvement in his handwriting. Keep it up Cohen!

**Year 4-6**
- Colin Hearn for his enthusiasm towards his English play.
- Deacon Whatuira for his amazing depth in his “My Place” recount.
- Gina Monks for her excellent efforts to all her tasks at her new school.

**PRINCIPAL’S AWARD:** Bryce Harvey a huge improvement in his handwriting and effort in writing tasks. Well done Bryce!

**HPE SPECIALIST AWARD:** Mia Economidis

**BIRTHDAYS:** Keely-Rae Caddies, Lily Milne, Anna Honnery & Hannah Darr

**Student of the Week Award: Term3 Week 2**

**Prep—Yr 1:**
- Abby Caddies application to her tasks.
- Shaun Kelly Mathematical skills shown during the week.

**Year 2—3**
- Pheobe Murphy for great results in Maths Mastery.
- James Kelly for a fantastic effort in journal writing.

**Year 4-6**
- Hannah Darr for showing enthusiasm in her play for Chung-Ho.
- Keely-Rae Caddies for her efficient time management skills.
- Leighton Poli for his wonderful efforts in maths.

Keep it up.

**PRINCIPAL’S AWARD:** Caedyn Beauchamp his improved efforts towards maths! Keep up the good work!

**BIRTHDAYS:** Lacey Belfield
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**CSS Dates to remember.**

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Thank you to Barry Sheeran from First Aid Training for their kind donation of this wonderful first aid story book for our school library. Barry presented the book to us on Parade on Friday as seen here with Suneth Liyanage.

**Reading Buddies**

Reading is the **KEY** to learning.
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The children enjoying their frequent visits to the computer lab.

When: Every Tuesday & Thursday  
Where: 8-10 Devlin Street  
Times: 9:00 – 11:00am  
Who: 0 to 4 years welcome

Join a Playgroup Today!

GLENCORE

Applications for funding through the GLENCORE JUNIOR SPORTS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM are now being accepted. GLENCORE produces quality thermal and coking coal in Queensland and NSW.

The GLENCORE Coal Assets Australia Junior Sports Development program supports clubs and associations with projects that address the long term needs of junior (U18) participants.

Applications for funding of up to $7,500 through this program are currently being accepted from incorporated, not for profit sporting clubs or associations based in the following communities:

- Collinsville/Scottville  
- Glenden  
- Tieri/Capella  
- Rolleston/Springsure  
- Wandoan/Taroom  
- Clermont

To apply please complete the online application form by visiting: https://glencore smartygrants.com.au/JSDP2016round2

Applications close at midnight 8 August 2016
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**Aggregate Results:**

Winners: SSS 271
Second: SJB 263
Third: CSS 231

Average Trophy Winner:
Winner: SJB
Second: CSS
Third: SSS

Winners for the March past was SSS

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- Alana Goody SSS
- Kane Batchelor SJB
- 10yrs Aged Champion
- Taylah Atkins SJB
- Suneth Liyanage CSS
- 11yrs Aged Champion
- Gina Monks CSS
- Decy Jones SSS
- 12yrs Aged Champion
- No 13 years competed

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Sportsmanship Award

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Photos of students and faculty.
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Sometimes doing your best work or trying your hardest at something is difficult. It may have to do with homework for a subject that is not your favourite or is not your best. It may have to do with rugby league, soccer or netball training or a game. It may have to do with being the best classmate and friend.

As Hunter S. Thompson once said “anything worth doing, is worth doing right”.

Developing the H A B I T of trying your hardest and doing your best work is something that will help you SUCCEED throughout your life.

“Do your best when no one is looking. If you do that, then you can be successful at anything you put your mind to.”

DO YOU TRY YOUR BEST? The choice is yours.

Mrs Upkett (Guidance Officer)
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Student Council raised $75.30 for their FREE Dress PJ day.
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Collinsville State School
Pre Prep Information

Open Day Session

Tuesday 16th August
9:30am-11:00am

Term 4 Pre Prep Days
Times: 8:30am -11:00am

Friday 14th October
28th October
11th November

Friday 25th Nov
8:30am-2:30pm (all day)
47855338- Devlin Street
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**Student Money Saver – Kidz Club**

Did you know?
We have Student Banking in Collinsville!
The Kidz Club is a Club for primary school children aged 5-12.
To open an account, all you need to do is come into the QCCU Collinsville Branch with your birth certificate and Parent or Guardian.

It is free to open the account. You receive a Crackle’s piggy bank and deposit book upon opening the account. It is a great way to teach children how to establish regular savings.

We visit St John Bosco’s School and Scottville State School each Tuesday to collect student banking.

If we don’t currently visit your school, you are still able to come into Collinsville branch and deposit money into your account.

**The Kids Club Saving Challenge**
Between January 1 and December 31 of each calendar year, deposit at least $5.00 and make no more than one withdrawal in the same month over a period of 6 months within the same calendar year (January to December).
The Reward - All Members who complete the Kids Club Savings Challenge will receive a special reward in January of the following calendar year!

This year kids received special Smiggle packs.

Please feel free to call me if you have any questions on 4785 5307.

Kind Regards,

Leola Janz
Team Leader – Collinsville
Queensland Country Credit Union

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**Foster carer. Could you be one?**

Churches of Christ Care provide a vital safety net to more than 2,800 children across the state who often come from backgrounds of abuse or neglect, but we need your help.

If you have:
+ a heart for children in need
+ a desire to transform young lives
+ a willingness to open up your home

We'd love to hear from you.

For more information
4953 5097
fosterwithus.com.au

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**Faith’s Family Day Care**

Bowen / Collinsville
Family Daycare
Burdekin to Whitsundays

Quality home-based Child Care
Ages 0 to 12
After School Care available
Phone Faith 0475 891 767
CSCS Sunday Charity Bingo
This Sunday 31st July 2016. 11AM Bowls Club
"Pajama Day Special"
This Week:
$10,000.00 in 55 calls
+$2,300 in 56 & $300.00 in 58
Wear your pajamas and go on draw for a prize.
Donation to the National Pajama Day Foundation helping children in foster care.

Kerrie Day-Care Collinsville - Vacancy
Now Available
Childcare rebate available
Phone Kerrie on 0419 775 372

3 Ball Ambrose Fun Day
Collinsville Golf Club
Names in by 12:30pm - hit off at 1:00pm
30 July - sponsored by Honeycombes, Ayr
10 September - sponsored by Fletch's Butcher Shop
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The Workers Club is holding a Trivia Night on Saturday 30th of July.
There will be lots of great prizes up for grabs and nibbles will be provided. Entry is only $5 per person.
We would love for your business to enter a team!
If you would like to book a table please call 07 4785 5452 or reply to this email.

Tutoring
After-school tutoring available.
Monday - Thursday afternoons 3.30pm - 6.30pm.
Primary
Secondary:
English: Yrs 7 - 12.
Social Sciences: Yrs 7 - 12.
NAPLAN Tutoring available for English/Language/Literacy for Yrs 3, 5, 7 and 9 and Maths: Yrs 3 and 5.
$25 per hour.
Phone Debbie on 0401871576 for further information or booking.
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