



Northview State School

54 Pioneer Street, Mount Pleasant, Qld 4740
p: 4965 6888
f: 4965 6800
e: the.principal@northviess.eq.edu.au
w: www.northviess.eq.edu.au

MINI NEWS

No. 08 May 26, 2016

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Rugby League Team

Congratulations to our Northview Rugby League team who made it to the semi-finals of the John Paap Shield competition this week. This feat is truly remarkable as the team was nominated in the "big school" competition this year competing against schools with up to 800 students. In order to make the semi-finals the team needed to win all their round games which they managed with ease. Our team showed great character considering we only had 13 players but we lost the semi-final to Sarina SS. Many thanks to the players' parents for getting kids to and from the fields each Wednesday afternoon and for washing jerseys.



Northview Rugby League Team



Merit Badges

Congratulations to all P-2 students who received a Merit Badge on assembly this week for their excellent behaviour, attitude, attendance and adherence to our school rules. This Monday a select bunch of year 4-6 students will receive merit badges for diligently observing the following criteria:

- I listen to teachers and other staff members carefully.
- I try to do my best work.
- I am punctual for class.
- I attend every day unless I am sick.
- I speak politely and with respect.
- I remember it is a "hands off school" and I follow this rule.
- I look after school property, my own property and the property of others.
- I always complete my homework.
- I wear my school uniform with pride.
- I follow the "no hat, no play" rule and remember to wear my hat in the sun.
- I keep safe by not running on concrete and other hard surfaces.
- I know that it is right to report bullies so that our school is a safe and friendly place.

End of Term—key dates

Friday 17th June	School Athletics Carnival (Yr P-6)
Wednesday 22nd June	Report Cards go home Year 4-6 A+ Day
Friday 24th June	Year 4-6 Sports Gala Day Prep-3 A+ Behaviour Rewards Day

Radical Readers

Do you have half an hour a week to volunteer your time to come and read to our lower grade students?

Come and join our team of RADICAL Readers who are parents that volunteer each week to help spread the joy of reading.



If you would like to help make an impact on the reading at our school please find out more about becoming a volunteer reader and joining our wonderful team of parents and grandparents that make up the Northview SS Radical Readers.

We will be having a Radical Reader meeting on Monday morning at 8.30am before parade. Please meet Lisa Wayman in the hall and find out more on how you can volunteer your time.

Kind regards,

Paul Manttan
(Principal)

FROM THE P&C EMAIL: pandc@northviess.eq.edu.au

30th Anniversary Shirts

There has been a delay for our stock to arrive. We recently received a letter from our CEO supplier. They manufacture the 30th Anniversary shirts in Fiji. Due to the cyclones that devastated Fiji earlier this year, it has caused a major impact to production. They apologise for the inconvenience and are working incredibly hard until every order has been delivered. At this stage we are hoping they will arrive at the end of this term. We will keep you updated when we know of a definite arrival date.

School Banking

Thank you to Amelia Walters from Commonwealth Bank, Mt Pleasant Branch for attending our parade last week and presenting a cheque for \$406.52 to our P & C Treasurer, Katrina O'Hara. The Commonwealth Bank donates commission for every student who participates in school banking. Don't forget about our Consistent Saver competition this term. If you have deposited 5 times between week 3 and week 10 you are in the running to win great prizes. Winners will be drawn in Week 11 at parade.



P & C News cont.:

Monday Tuckshop Days – Term 3

Ashlee Calicetto our friendly tuckshop convenor is looking for volunteers for a few hours on Monday starting next term. You will be rostered once a month and the kids love seeing their parents lending a hand. Lunch is also provided to say thanks for your hard work and effort. Please call into the tuckshop to see Ashlee or contact her on 0439 742 353.



School Uniforms

We have clearance stock from PSW for sale at our uniform shop. That's right – we have brand new school shirts for \$10 each. The sizes we have are size 4, 14 & 16. We have only a few of the school jackets for \$20 each only in size 16. So come and grab a bargain off our lovely Marlene Bridger at the uniform shop, which is opened every Monday from 8am – 9am.

P&C Meeting

Next P & C Meeting is on **Tuesday 7th June 2016 at 6.30pm** in the hall meeting room. We would love to see new faces and it is a great opportunity to meet other parents and find out about upcoming events.

South Mackay Kindergarten Enrolments for 2017

South Mackay Kindergarten is currently seeking "Expressions of Interest" from families who are wanting their child to participate in a Kindergarten Program from 2017 to 2019.

South Mackay Kindergarten is proud to be affiliated with Lady Gowrie Community Kindergartens. Lady Gowrie is a community based not for profit organisation with a proud and substantial history of providing quality education for young children.

South Mackay Kindergarten prides itself on its partnerships with families and works towards promoting curiosity, resilience and lifelong learning within a play based environment.

South Mackay Kindergarten provides a high quality, affordable Kindergarten program based on the Queensland Kindergarten Learning Guidelines.

*For further information, please contact
Tanya Davies – Administration Officer
(Tuesday & Thursday)
Phone: 4957 8928
Email: sthmkykindy@bigpond.com*

SOFTBALL

PLAYERS WANTED

HAWKS SOFTBALL CLUB

MALE & FEMALE

11 TO 15 YRS

NEW AND OLD WELCOME.

TRAIN THURSDAY'S 4pm TIL 5 PM

PLAY SATURDAY AFTERNOON

THEO HANSEN PARK

BEACONSFIELD ROAD

GREAT FAMILY SPORT

CONTACT- CHERYL 0428182248

Email - hawkssoftballclub@outlook.com

TALKING ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S TALKING!



A **FREE** session for all parents and caregivers of children from birth to five

Presenter: Dr Pam Gargett. An experienced Early Childhood Practitioner

Venue: South Suburban Bowls Club,
39 Wardrop Street, West Mackay

Date and Time: Thursday 16th June 2016
9.30am to 10.30am

RSVP: CQEarlyYears@dets.qld.gov.au

NB: Please write in the subject line:

Parents/caregivers Oral Language Workshop - Mackay

Also include names of participants attending.

This workshop session is aimed at increasing knowledge for parents and caregivers about how children develop oral language and how we can help support this process. It will cover how the brain develops language understanding, how children's vocabulary increases and simple steps parents and caregivers can take to help support development. Several resources will be shared and demonstrated.

Your child's important health history – online, secure and easy to use.

The Australian Government is giving everyone in north Queensland a My Health Record - a secure, online digital health record. Parents will be able to keep track of their children's immunisations, developmental milestones, healthcare provider or hospital visits, and other important medical information. Doctors, specialists and hospital staff will be able to access it when they need to, like in the case of an accident or emergency. As a parent, you can apply to access and manage your child's My Health Record online. For more information visit myhealthrecord.gov.au or call 1800 723 471.



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

