



# GYMPIE CENTRAL STATE SCHOOL

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## THURSDAY'S TIDINGS

6 August 2009

Turning young children into lifelong learners...

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

### Eisteddfod Results

All of the students who have participated in the Eisteddfod this week, did a tremendous performance. Well done!!

- Strings Ensemble - performed well and put in a great effort
- Recorder Band - 1st Prize
- Yr2/3 Choir - performed exceptionally well and bravely
- Junior Choir - 2nd Prize
- Senior Choir - 1st Prize and were awarded the Lions Club Perpetual Shield, which they have won 7 times in the last 10 years

### Student Illness

Reminder to parents:- With the high rate of illness in our community at the moment, I am asking that you please keep your child at home if he/she is sick, to avoid cross-infection. If your child has flu like symptoms, please see your doctor, just to be safe.

### The New Building

The new building seems to be progressing rather quickly. They are now ready to pour the foundations. The whole process has been working in well with our school routine.

Regards, Ken Wilkins.

### Indigenous Performance

You should have received a letter in regards to Lewis Parter coming to Central on Monday 7 September at 9.00am. Please return the permission slip and the \$3.50 per child to the office at your earliest convenience. Thank you to those families that have sent their money in already.

### Recorders

If anybody has a recorder at home that is not being used, please think of donating it to the school, as we could always make use of them.

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\* **SPRING FAIR** \*  
\* Saturday 5 September \*  
\* Only 4 weeks away!! \*  
\* **DONATIONS & VOLUNTEERS** \*  
\* **are still needed,** \*  
\* **please support** \*  
\* **your School!!** \*  
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**Next P & C Meeting**  
**Wednesday 12 August 5.30pm**  
**Everyone Welcome!!**

UPCOMING EVENTS	
August 3-7	Eisteddfod Week
Wednesday, August 21	Golf Lessons - 4W, 5M, 6G, 6/7L, 7W
Fridays, August 7 & 14, September 4 & 11	Interschool Sport Years 5-7
Wednesday, August 12	P&C Meeting, 5.30pm
Monday & Tuesday, August 24 & 25	Junior Cricket Association Visits Yr2-4
Thursday, August 27	Wide Bay Athletics
Thursday, August 27	Rugby League Day Years 3 & 4
Friday, August 28	Muster Holiday (Pupil Free Day)
Saturday, September 5	Spring Fair (Fete)
Wednesday, September 16	Broncos Challenge Day
Friday, September 18	Last Day of School for Term 3!

### Zone Cricket

Zone Cricket Trials

- Monday 17 & 24 August — 3.30-5.00pm at One Mile Oval Nets

Final team selections

- Wednesday 26 August — Boys 1.30-3.00pm, Girls 3.30-5.00pm

Zone Cricket teams travel to Hervey Bay at beginning of October for Wide Bay Trials. Students must turn 10, 11 or 12 this year to attend.

### Reminder: Update your Contact Details

There is an increasing amount of families whose contact details are not up to date, e.g. phone numbers, addresses and emergency contacts. We have attached a form for you to update these details, if you could please return it to the office as soon as possible, it would be greatly appreciated.

### **HEAD LICE**

**Head lice have been reported at the school. We are asking that all parents regularly check your child's hair and apply treatment if needed. Thank you for your support!**

### **Fundraising Trivia Night**

**(in aid of CAMP QUALITY)**

*Laughter is the best medicine*

**Every Tuesday Night**

Starts at 7pm sharp to approx 9pm

Jockey Club Hotel, Southside

\$8.00 per person includes

Trivia, Pizza, Dessert, Raffles & Games

Tables of 2-10 bring some friends/family

Book on Tel 5482 1270 for a fun night.

### **MUSIC GENERATORS**

Gympie primary school students have the opportunity of being involved in a series of song writing workshops to be held in Gympie. The **Music Generators** program will be taught by professional song writers and will be held in the AICM building, 26 Channon St from 9am to 12 noon on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday August 10, 11 and 12. The program has been co-ordinated by Education Queensland and funded by Arts Queensland. The professional songwriters (Jackie Marshall [www.jackiemarshall.com](http://www.jackiemarshall.com) and Chris Dale - [www.halfway.com.au](http://www.halfway.com.au)) have been supplied by Q Music ([www.qmusic.com.au](http://www.qmusic.com.au)) and the teacher (Dr Geoff Walden), the teaching and the recording facilities in Gympie are being supplied by the Australian Institute of Country Music ([www.aicm.org.au](http://www.aicm.org.au)). Places are strictly limited to 10 participants. For bookings and/or more information, please contact Debra in the AICM office on 5481 2355 or Dr Geoff Walden on 0418 792 159.



### **James Nash High School**

### **Yr 7 Transition Program**

At James Nash we appreciate the importance of choosing the right school for your child's secondary education. We wish to provide all prospective students and parents with the opportunity to see what James Nash has to offer. Below are our important dates to remember. We also have an informative website which displays important information and many other aspects of our school life. You are most welcome to call in and pick up an enrolment package and with a prior appointment, you can even tour our wonderful campus. Please don't hesitate to contact us on 5480 6333 if you have any queries.

- 5-9 October 2009 - Visits to primary schools. Enrolment packages handed out to students.
- 14 October 2009 - Year 7 Parent Evening
- 16 October 2009 - Enrolments forms due for all class groups due.
- 16 October 2009 - Enrolments due for Extension Plus.
- 11 & 12 November 2009 - Extension Plus Interviews.
- 7 & 8 December 2009 - Yr 7 Students Orientation day at James Nash.
- 7 & 8 December 2009 - Uniform selling day 9:00am-1:00pm
- 22 & 25 January 2010 - Uniform selling day 9:00am-1:00pm (student free days)

Visit our website - [www.jamesnashshs.eq.edu.au](http://www.jamesnashshs.eq.edu.au)

### **Gympie State High School**

### **Important Dates 2009**

Friday 16 October

- Enrolments for 2010 due
- Enrolment packages can be collected from Gympie High with a school tour or an appointment

Friday 30 October

- We will be taking enrolments for laptop classes up to 30 October
- You can register your interest in a laptop enrolment by ringing Gympie High on 54898333 (you still need to complete Gympie High enrolment forms by 16 October)

Wednesday 9 December

- Year 7 Orientation Day

### **St Patrick's College Interviews**

Families considering Year 8 at St Patrick's College in 2010 are advised that the final day for enrolment interviews will be Friday 7 August. To make an appointment for an interview please contact Mrs Helen Quirk on 54823816. St Patrick's college will be advising in subsequent weeks of enrolment offers.

# TUCKSHOP TALK



*Hello Everyone,*

*Congratulations to everyone who participated in this weeks Eisteddfod. You are all winners. It has been thoroughly enjoyable.*

***Fete is now only 4 weeks away.***

*Please consider convening or helping on one of our stalls. It is a great day for the school (and a lot of fun).*

*Bye 'til next week... Lesley*



## **ROSTER**

### **FRIDAY, 7 August**

Vicki Hutley  
Stephanie Butler

### **GROCERIES**

Lynette Schofield  
Sharon Collins

### **MONDAY, 10 August**

Ken Thorburn

### **GROCERIES**

Adielle Blok

### **WEDNESDAY, 12 August**

Carly Hextall

### **GROCERIES**

Leanne Sullivan  
Colleen Lilley  
Julie Austin

### **FRIDAY, 14 August**

Vicki Hutley  
Stephanie Butler

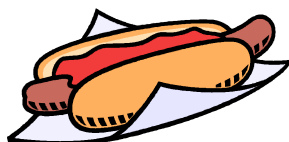
### **GROCERIES**

Vaine Areora  
Michelle Brook  
Cheryl Glover



## **SPECIALS** **MONDAY**

Pancakes with:  
Ice Cream & Syrup  
Or Lemon & Sugar  
Or Jam – Only \$1.00



## **SPECIALS** **TOMORROW**

- ★ Hot Dog & Cheese \$2.50
- ★ Ice Cream Cone 50c
- ★ Ice Cream & Jelly 50c

