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Please read our newsletter—  
A Heap of information is enclosed!!!!!!



## Dear Parents,

Welcome back! We were truly blessed with some great weather for the holidays and the good weather looks like continuing. Hopefully it will last for the Tully Show next week.

The term ahead will be a very busy one for our school. **A calendar has been attached with this newsletter** but I would like to point out a few key events through the term.

The **School Fete will take place on Saturday August 30th**. The **District Athletics Carnival** for the upper school will take place at Lower Tully School on **Wednesday 30th (800 metres)** and on **Friday 1st August for all other events**.

### 2015 Prep Open Morning

This year we will hold a **Prep Open morning on Wednesday 30th July between 9am and 11am**. The open morning will be an opportunity for prospective enrolments to the school to have a look at what St Clare's has to offer for their child. As well as showing families around the school both Paula Brumley and myself will talk to parents about the school and about Prep. If you know of any families who may be interested in attending please let them know.

### Parent Teacher Interviews

Interviews will take place over the next few weeks. A note will go home seeking preference times regarding the interviews.

### Catholic Education Week

Catholic Education Week takes place in Week 3 from July 28th to August 1st. On Tuesday July 29th our whole school will be travelling to Innisfail to celebrate Mass and participate in activities with other Catholic schools in our region. A permission letter will be sent home within the next week regarding this.

### New Computer Software

This term we will commence an upgrade of our computer software applications in line with changes being made into all Catholic schools in the Cairns Diocese. This will consist of a suite of software applications across our whole network.

Rosanna will be involved in training for this upgrade in Cairns on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday this week. The new system will then be implemented into the school between July 21<sup>st</sup> and August 8<sup>th</sup>.

Whilst this changeover will cause some disruptions to the school I am hopeful however that these disruptions will be minimal.

### Parents and Friends Meeting

The next Parents and Friends Meeting will take place **this Friday July 18th at 9:30am in the meeting room in the front office**.

**TERM 3 WEEK 1 14th July, 2014**

### Staff

This week we welcome some new staff to the school. Belinda Adams will be teaching year 2 for the remainder of the year. Belinda replaces Sarah Campbell who is due to have her baby very soon. We also welcome Robert Corporal who is employed as a trainee groundsman at the school. Robert's employment has been organised through MEGT, a recruitment and management service for Indigenous employees. Robert will be working with Chris Weir. We also welcome Elish Venz, a student teacher, who will be working in year 1 for the next two weeks. This week Gita Sima has taken special leave and will return on Tuesday 22nd July. Marisa Papadimitriou will be teaching in year 1 during Gita's absence from school.

### School Board Policies

As part of its ongoing review of school policies, at the last School Board meeting the "Tuckshop" Policy and "Selection for School Representation" Policy were discussed. A copy of a draft version of these policies is included in this newsletter for your perusal. We would appreciate it if you could acknowledge receipt of these policies and provide any feedback about these proposed policies. This can be done by clicking:

<http://goo.gl/LK5400> - Tuckshop

<http://goo.gl/iFf8gk> - School Representation

or completing the hardcopy response form attached to the draft policy.

The online survey responses will remain open until 3pm Friday July 18th.

### School Board Meeting

The next School Board meeting will take place **next Monday 21st July commencing at 6pm**.

Have a good week

Greg Hoare  
Principal

### DATE CLAIMERS

JULY

18 9.30am ST CLARE'S P & F MEETING

21 6pm ST CLARE'S SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

25 TULLY SHOW HOLIDAY

28 ICAS ENGLISH TEST

28-1AUG CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK

29 WHOLE SCHOOL TO TRAVEL TO INNISFAIL

30 9-11am PREP OPEN MORNING





**From the APRE's Desk**

**Welcome\*\*\* Community\*\*\* Hospitality\*\*\***

**REPLY FROM LEADING SEAMAN NICK**

**Welcome...**

**Welcome everyone to Term 3**

**Lord God,**

**At the beginning of this new term teach us to  
be your hands and feet where we are,**

**At the beginning of this new term teach us to  
love as you love us,**

**At the beginning of this new term teach us to  
pray for those in need,**

**So that You are honoured and glorified.**

**Amen**


**Community...**

Thank-you to all those wonderful Mums and Dads who came along to the Christine Coop Emotional Energy Workshop at the end of last term. Living up to expectation, Christine was absolutely outstanding and I know that everyone who attended really enjoyed listening to her wisdom and felt inspired by this amazing woman... Thank-you again.

**Hospitality...**

Last semester our Year 3 and Year 4 students wrote letters and cards for troops serving in Afghanistan, one being Chris Weir's son Nathan. Chris told me recently that they had been received and the troops in Nathan's unit were very excited. Nathan told her that these cards really put a smile on their faces and do a great deal for morale. Recently, one of our students got a reply from her recipient, Leading Seaman Nick Gorman. With her permission I have attached his reply. It helps all of us remember that although there is no 'glory' in war, we honour those who serve selflessly with pride and courage for our country.

**May you have a blessed week...**



**POLICY SPOTLIGHT...**

**Winter Uniform:** Blue jumper, buttoned or zip style. **Blue pullover.** (Note: Blue track pants or black leg-ins are permissible on cold mornings)

**Footwear:** Sport Uniform: plain white ankle socks (**not anklet**) & white sneakers (or predominantly white)

**Regular Uniform:** Black lace-up shoes, black joggers or brown sandals.

(Uniform Policy – 2013) To view the full range of policies visit: [www.stclares.qld.edu.au](http://www.stclares.qld.edu.au)

To: secretary.tully  
Subject: For Drew

Good morning,

Could this letter please be passed to the primary school students who posted letters to the troops in Afghanistan. Kind regards.

My name is Leading Seaman Nick Gorman, I am currently deployed on operations at Kandahar airfield Afghanistan with the Australian Heron detachment.

I received an excellent letter today from a student named Drew, nickname DJ. Firstly I'd like to say thank you Drew you have brightened my day buddy and I appreciate all the effort that you put into writing the card, it looks amazing.

I am a communications specialist in the royal Australian navy however am deployed under a tri-service task group. At task unit Heron we specialise in operating UAV's (drones) unmanned aerial vehicles, they are basically a small plane that is remotely piloted. We specialise in reconnaissance missions however have a few other capabilities too.

I'll be heading home from Afghanistan shortly around the Middle of June, by the end of my tour it will be 8 1/2 months all up. We work pretty much everyday however, we do have facilities such as phones, internet and a gymnasium to keep us occupied.

Thank you once again for your letter it was very much appreciate mate. You take care and be good for your teachers

Gormo :)

**SEL STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

**TERM TWO— WEEK 10**



**BACK ROW:** Drew Lindsay, Kayla Cunningham, Gary Galletta, Abbey Edwards, Keely Smith, Darcie Griffin, Dakota Franich, Stella Berge

**FRONT ROW:** Jared Nash, Julian Dyer, Jake Cook, Dean Giardina, Peita Lindsay, Grace O'Kane, Charlotte Gilbert, Myah Sorbello, Taylor Edwards, Brydie O'Kane

**SCHOOL ASSEMBLY** - THIS FRIDAY at 8.40am

**Presented by:** - Mr Hoare

*All parents and friends are invited to attend.*



**OUTSTANDING SCHOOL FEES  
TERM TWO 2014**



*Payment of outstanding fees would be appreciated as soon as possible.*

Term 3 fees will be sent out in the next few weeks from our new school system accounting program .

*Please contact the principal if you have any issues or concerns.*

**See Attachments -**



- # Tuckshop Menu - Term 3
- # School Calender - Term 3
- # Policies - Selection for School Representation & Tuckshop

# Crippling Parenting Behaviours That Keep Children From Growing Into Leaders

**SCHOOL NOTICE BOARD**



- > BOYS, BOYS, BOYS– Understanding, Nurturing and Connecting to Today’s Boys
- > Ona Mission Multisport Adventure Challenge - 2014
- > BABINDA MUNRO THEATRE– Screening

**CALENDAR TERM THREE - 2014**



*Has been compiled and is attached to this newsletter.*



Welcome back for term 3!  
With God's Blessings  
St. Clare's Staff

**TERM 3 MUSIC LESSONS**

Music Lessons will be starting this Thursday for those students who are on the music roll. This term there will be 8 weeks of music lessons. It will be \$13.00 a lesson with a total of \$104.00 per student for the term. Payment would be appreciated by next Tuesday 24th July.

**\*\*\*\* Please notify the school office if your child is not continuing to receive music lessons this term.**

Any new students from years 3 to 7 are welcome to start this term.

**MUSIC SLIP TO BE RETURNED WITH MONEY:**



By next Tuesday 24th July for your child’s music lessons.

Payment is required by Week 2 Lesson.

CHILD’S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR LEVEL: \_\_\_\_\_

8 weeks at \$13.00 lessons = \$104.00 per student.

Amount enclosed: \$

Please indicate your payment method:

Circle option:

Cash / Cheque / D/D

Please Note:

Invoices will be sent out once payment has been received. Thank you.

**P&F NEWS - Turn to back page**

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St Clare's 'Country Hoe Down' Fete 30th Aug - 7 weeks to go!

**Fete Packs** – The notes in this pack request your assistance with our annual school fete. **Please return fete forms and raffle tickets (sold & unsold) to the school office ASAP.** We would like to send out an updated fete stall roster next week with as many names on it as possible!

**Fete sponsorship letters** Thank you to everyone who helped distribute letters seeking sponsorship for our fete. It is time to make contact with our local businesses again to collect donations. A big thank you to all who have made donations to date!

**We need your help!** Fete baking starts this week and we would love some more help! We are baking on Tuesday and Thursday this week. Start thinking about your year level hampers, selling your raffle tickets, selling tickets in town with a friend, filling your bags of bits, donating baking ingredients or chocolates.

**Tuckshop Menu for term 3 is attached, and a new roster for this term will go out this week.** A big thank you to everyone who baked, and helped with the running of the tuckshop on sports day!

Next P&F meeting  
Friday, 18th July at  
9.30am



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DR. EDWARD WILLIAMS  
DR. BARNEY GORDON  
DR. DAVID SMITH  
10 Watkins Street  
4068 1977

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TULLY'S 4068 1180  
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# ***Crippling Parenting Behaviours That Keep Children From Growing Into Leaders... By Kathy Caprino***

<http://www.forbes.com/sites/kathycaprino/2014/01/16/7-crippling-parenting-behaviors-that-keep-children-from-growing-into-leaders/>

I was intrigued to catch up with leadership expert Dr. Tim Elmore and learn more about how we as parents are failing our children today — coddling and crippling them — and keeping them from becoming leaders they are destined to be. Tim is a best-selling author of more than 25 books and is Founder and President of Growing Leaders, an organization dedicated to mentoring today's young people to become the leaders of tomorrow. Tim had this to share about the 7 damaging parenting behaviours that keep children from becoming leaders:

## 1. We don't let our children experience risk

We live in a world that warns us of danger at every turn. The "safety first" preoccupation enforces our fear of losing our kids, so we do everything we can to protect them. It's our job after all, but we have insulated them from healthy risk-taking behaviour and it's had an adverse effect. Psychologists in Europe have discovered that if a child doesn't play outside and is never allowed to experience a skinned knee, they frequently have phobias as adults. Kids need to fall a few times to learn it's normal; teens likely need to break up with a boyfriend or girlfriend to appreciate the emotional maturity that lasting relationships require. If parents remove risk from children's lives, we will likely experience high arrogance and low self-esteem in our growing leaders.

## 2. We rescue too quickly

Today's generation of young people has not developed some of the life skills kids did 30 years ago because adults swoop in and take care of problems for them. When we rescue too quickly and over-indulge our children with "assistance," we remove the need for them to navigate hardships and solve problems on their own. It's parenting for the short-term and it sorely misses the point of leadership—to equip our young people to do it without help. Sooner or later, kids get used to someone rescuing them: "If I fail or fall short, an adult will smooth things over and remove any consequences for my misconduct." When in reality, this isn't even remotely close to how the world works, and therefore it disables our kids from becoming competent adults.

## 3. We rave too easily

The self-esteem movement has been around since Baby Boomers were kids, but it took root in our school systems in the 1980s. Attend a little league baseball game and you'll see that everyone is a winner. This "everyone gets a trophy" mentality might make our kids feel special, but research is now indicating this method has unintended consequences. Kids eventually observe that Mom and Dad are the only ones who think they're awesome when no one else is saying it. They begin to doubt the objectivity of their parents; it feels good in the moment, but it's not connected to reality. When we rave too easily and disregard poor behaviour, children eventually

learn to cheat, exaggerate and lie and to avoid difficult reality. They have not been conditioned to face it.

#### 4. We let guilt get in the way of leading well

Your child does not have to love you every minute. Your kids will get over the disappointment, but they won't get over the effects of being spoiled. So tell them "no" or "not now," and let them fight for what they really value and need. As parents, we tend to give them what they want when rewarding our children, especially with multiple kids. When one does well in something, we feel it's unfair to praise and reward that one and not the other. This is unrealistic and misses an opportunity to enforce the point to our kids that success is dependent upon our own actions and good deeds. Be careful not to teach them a good grade is rewarded by a trip to the mall. If your relationship is based on material rewards, kids will experience neither intrinsic motivation nor unconditional love.

#### 5. We don't share our past mistakes

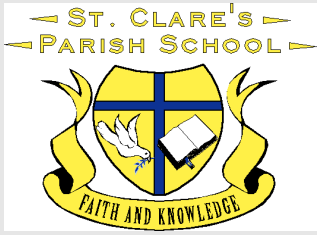
Healthy teens are going to want to spread their wings and they'll need to try things on their own. We as adults must let them, but that doesn't mean we can't help them navigate these waters. Share with them the relevant mistakes you made when you were their age in a way that helps them learn to make good choices. Also, kids must prepare to encounter slip-ups and face the consequences of their decisions. Share how you felt when you faced a similar experience, what drove your actions, and the resulting lessons learned. Because we're not the only influence on our kids, we must be the best influence.

#### 6. We mistake intelligence, giftedness and influence for maturity

Intelligence is often used as a measurement of a child's maturity, and as a result parents assume an intelligent child is ready for the world. That's not the case. Some professional athletes and Hollywood starlets, for example, possess unimaginable talent, but still get caught in a public scandal. Just because giftedness is present in one aspect of a child's life, don't assume it pervades all areas. There is no magic "age of responsibility" or a proven guide as to when a child should be given specific freedoms, but a good rule of thumb is to observe other children the same age as yours. If you notice that they are doing more themselves than your child does, you may be delaying your child's independence.

#### 7. We don't practice what we preach

As parents, it is our responsibility to model the life we want our children to live. To help them lead a life of character and become dependable and accountable for their words and actions. As the leaders of our homes, we can start by only speaking honest words – white lies will surface and slowly erode character. Watch yourself in the little ethical choices that others might notice, because your kids will notice too. If you don't cut corners, for example, they will know it's not acceptable for them to either. Show your kids what it means to give selflessly and joyfully by volunteering for a service project or with a community group. Leave people and places better than you found them, and your kids will take note and do the same.



# SAINT CLARE'S SCHOOL TULLY

## SELECTION FOR SCHOOL REPRESENTATION

**VALUES:** Witness, Excellence, Self Discipline and Justice

**POLICY:** School representation is a privilege that is afforded to all students who meet selection criteria and demonstrate appropriate behaviour. Students will be invited to represent Saint Clare's at events whenever the opportunities arise.

- GUIDELINES:**
1. Students will gain selection in events if their behaviour is deemed appropriate
  2. Parents will be notified of their child's eligibility/ineligibility for school representation prior to an event
  3. Priority for representation at interschool events will ordinarily be given to older students with younger students filling any vacant positions
  4. Representation at District Trial days will be based on suitability of age and student ability
  5. Appropriate training must be completed prior to representing Saint Clare's
  6. Students must wear appropriate protective equipment when representing Saint Clare's in sporting events.
  7. Students are expected to behave appropriately when representing Saint Clare's. If inappropriate behaviour is displayed, students may be withdrawn from an activity or returned to school

**Review closing date is this Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> July.**  
**Please forward to office or refer to link to access survey form.**

Please tick

I have read the policy and accept its implementation.

I have read the policy and have the following recommendations:

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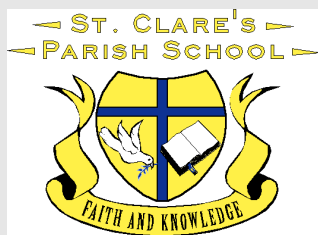
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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_



# SAINT CLARE'S SCHOOL TULLY

## TUCKSHOP

**VALUES:** Integrity, Service, Health Education, Responsibility.

**POLICY:** The Saint Clare's tuckshop is run as a service to the school community. It will promote healthy eating habits in children and provide affordable lunch alternatives for parents.

- GUIDELINES:**
1. All hygiene and safety measures must be adhered to as set out in the tuckshop helpers' handbook.
  2. Children are not permitted in the tuckshop (unless accompanied by a teacher).
  3. The tuckshop is run on a volunteer basis.
  4. The tuckshop convenor is responsible for the parent roster.
  5. The tuckshop convenor will create the menu in consultation with the Principal and the P&F.
  8. Tuckshop prices will reflect operational costs.
  9. All food preparation and hygiene standards will adhere to National Food Safety standards and the current QLD Food Act.

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Please tick

I have read the policy and accept its implementation.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_



# ST CLARE'S TULLY PARENTS CALENDAR

## Term 3 2014

JULY						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 <b><u>T3 W1</u></b>	14 Term 3 commences	15	16	17	18  P&F meeting 9:30am	19
20 <b><u>T3 W2</u></b>	21  Board Meeting 6pm	22	23	24	25  Tully Show Holiday	26
27 <b><u>T3 W3</u></b>	28 Catholic Education Week  ICAS English Test	29  Whole school to travel to GCC I'fail – Mass & Activities	30  Prep Open Morning 9am – 11am  District Athletics 800m	31  Assembly 8:40  TSHS Transition Day – Yr 7	→	

## AUGUST

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
					District Athletics  Movie Night P-3 5:30pm; Yr 4 -7 7:30pm	2
3 <b><u>T3 W4</u></b>	4 Artslink Performance 2pm (Crazy Science)  Parent Teacher Interviews	5	6  Skilling Day Out – Yr 6/7  Maths Competition 11:30 TSHS	7  Yr 4 Camp	8 Assembly 8:40	9
10 <b><u>T3 W5</u></b>	11	12  ICAS Maths  NAIDOC Celebrations	13	14	15 Assembly 8:40	16
17 <b><u>T3 W6</u></b>	18 Bookweek	19	20	21	22 Assembly 8:40	23
24 <b><u>T3 W7</u></b>	25	26	27	28	29 Assembly 8:40	30 <b>School Fete</b>

## SEPTEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
31 <sup>st</sup> August  <b><u>T3 W8</u></b>	1  Yr 6/7 Camp	2	3  Future Leaders Eco Challenge	4	5 Assembly 8:40 →	6
7 <b><u>T3 W9</u></b>	8	9	10	11	12 Assembly 8:40	13
14 <b><u>T3 W10</u></b>	15	16	17	18	19 Assembly 8:40  District T20 Cricket Day	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

# St Clare 's Tuckshop

## Tuckshop Menu Term 3 2014

Available Every Week:	
<b>Toasted Sandwich</b>	<b>\$2.50</b>
Ham, cheese & tomato, Ham & cheese, Cheese & Tomato, Cheese	
<b>Flavoured Milk</b>	<b>\$2.50</b>
Chocolate or Strawberry	
<b>Just Juice %100 pure juice popper</b>	<b>\$2.00</b>
Paradise Punch, Apple, Orange, Apple & Blackcurrent	
<b>Water</b>	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>Cupcakes</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Pikelets ( 2 ) - butter &amp; jam, or plain</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Popcorn</b>	<b>\$0.50</b>
<b>Frozen Yoghurt</b>	<b>\$2.00</b>
Raspberry, Strawberry, Mango	
<b>Icy Bites</b>	<b>\$0.50</b>
 <b>Mango to Go</b>	<b>\$2.00</b>

Ordering	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Order using a brown paper bag</li> <li>• Student name, class and order written clearly</li> <li>• Payment for the whole family in on students bag is fine, but please make a not on other bags</li> <li>• Correct money is encouraged, but change will be given where necessary</li> <li>• <b>Hot, Frozen or Cold food is unavailable for second lunch orders</b></li> <li>• Orders for both lunches will be given out at first lunch</li> <li>• <b>Orders must be in by Thursday morning (day before)</b></li> </ul>	
Charlie Brown Yr 5 First Lunch	
1 Ham & cheese pizza	\$3.50
1 just juice	\$2.00
1 cup cake	<u>\$1.00</u>
	\$5.00

Term 2 Mains		
18/07/14	<b>Pasta &amp; Gar-</b>	<b>\$3.50</b>
	<b>lic Bread</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>
25/07/14	<b>TULLY SHOW HOLIDAY</b>	
1/08/14	<b>Hot Dogs</b>	Full: <b>\$3.50</b> Mini <b>\$2.50</b>
8/08/14	<b>Pizza HCP. H&amp;C, Cheese</b>	<b>\$3.50</b>
15/08/14	<b>Chicken &amp; Gravy Roll</b>	<b>\$3.50</b>
	<b>or Sausage Dog</b>	<b>\$2.50</b>
22/08/14	<b>Pasta &amp; Garlic Bread</b>	<b>\$3.50</b>
		<b>\$1.00</b>
29/08/14	<b>FETE PREPARATIONS No Tuckshop</b>	
5/09/14	<b>Hot Dogs</b>	Full: <b>\$3.50</b> Mini <b>\$2.50</b>
12/09/14	<b>Pizza HCP. H&amp;C, Cheese</b>	<b>\$3.50</b>
19/09/14	<b>Pie Day - Plain or Cheese &amp; Bacon</b>	<b>\$3.50</b>
	<b>Party pie, Party Sausage Roll</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>

