



HAPPY Mother's Day

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PRINCIPAL'S CORNER



Hi Everyone,

I hope you had a wonderful long weekend and are enjoying this lovely change in the weather.

Athletics Carnival

Our Physical Education teacher, Miss McKean has started training our students in readiness for the school Athletics Carnival, to be held on the 10th and 11th June, the days before the Show Holiday. This year, we will be inviting the Port Curtis Road State School (PCRSS) to join with us for our sports day. Mrs Laidlaw and I have already met with staff from PCRSS to ensure a smooth and enjoyable day is had by all. We plan to have a half day at the PCRSS grounds on the 10th June, to hold the ballgames carnival and 800m. The following day, we will hold all other athletic events at the Depot Hill SS grounds. It should be a fun day of competition and comradery.



IMPORTANT

dates to remember

Monday 5th May
>Labour Day Public Holiday
Tuesday 6th May
Wednesday 7th May
>2:00pm-3:00pm School Sports Training
Thursday 8th May
Friday 9th May
>Indigenous School Hearing Review Date
Monday 12th May
>2:30pm Parade
Tuesday 13th May
Wednesday 14th May
>2:00pm-3:00pm School Sports Training
Thursday 15th May
Friday 16th May
>Interschool Sport – Yr5/6
Friday 6th June
>P&C Meeting @Cummunity Hub
Tuesday 10th June
>Athletics Carnival @PCRSS
Wednesday 11th June
>Athletics Carnival @DHSS
Thursday 12th June
>Rockhampton Show Holiday
Friday 27th June
>Last Day Term 2
Monday 14th July
>Term 3 Starts
Thursday 16th October
>School Photo Day

Student Absence Line

It's important to notify us if your child will be absent from school for the day.
Please call: 4930 7999

P & C

Last week, we held our Parents and Citizens Annual General Meeting. Congratulations to the following people who have accepted the executive roles

President: Jess Lee

Vice-President: Sandra Jones

Secretary: Renee Millar

Treasurer: Isabell Millar

Our next P & C meeting will be held on Friday, 6th June at 3pm at the Community Hub. All parents and community members are welcome. The P & C have decided that they will run the tuckshop for our upcoming Athletics Carnival on Wednesday, 11th June. Please let Jess know if you think you could donate any time to help with this fundraiser.



Principal's meeting

This Wednesday and Thursday all of the School Principals from Central Queensland will be meeting for business days in Rockhampton. I will be out of the school but Miss Huthnance is at school on these days and is the first point of contact if there are any concerns.



Interschool Sport

Interschool sport will begin next week for our Year 5 and 6 students. The students have received permission notes for the sport that they have chosen. All students in Year 5/6 will play a sport and both netball and football are mixed gender games. If your child has chosen football, it is mandatory for them to wear a mouthguard which parents will need to purchase. Please contact me if you have any difficulties with this. Permission forms must be returned by Friday, 16th May so that students can participate.



Have a great week.

Mrs Elizabeth Jacobson
Principal

STUDENT ABSENCES

If your child is or will be away, please contact the school to give a reason for the absence.

attendance
MATTERS
every student • every day



The school now has a dedicated number for absences. Parents can phone 49 307 999 at any time to inform the school of their child/ren absences.

Missing 1 day a fortnight =
Missing more than a year of learning over 12 years!

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PBL

DEPOT HILL STATE SCHOOL RULES

BE SAFE
BE RESPECTFUL
BE A LEARNER



PBL FOCUS FOR THE WEEK:

BE SAFE

by using the High 5 strategy to problem solve

Remember to...

High 5



1. Ignore



2. Talk Friendly



3. Walk Away



4. Talk Firmly



5. Report



UPDATE YOUR DETAILS

If you have recently moved, changed phone numbers or need to update emergency contact details or medical conditions, please update your details with the school as soon as possible.



**PLEASE UPDATE YOUR
CONTACT DETAILS**

ACCEPTED PAYMENT METHODS

CASH OR CHEQUE



Payments must be in a sealed envelope or snap lock bag with permission slip (when required), clearly labelled with your child's name, class and payment description.

EFTPOS

Payments can be made in person at the office.



BPOINT ONLINE



BPOINT

Payments can be made online by clicking the link at the bottom of the invoice or by phoning.

PHONE PAYMENTS USING BPOINT

1300 631 073

Phone payments can be made via the BPOINT number above. Follow the prompts and quote your CRN and invoice number from the invoice.



QKR! APP



Payments are made using the QKR! App. This app indicates all invoices active at the school and should not be used to determine what is outstanding.

QPARENTS APP

All invoices are available for payment using QParents. Invoices may take 24hrs after receiving the email to show on the app.



If you are experiencing difficulties paying for school invoices, you may be eligible for a Payment Plan. For more information, please contact the office.

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Lifeline Rockhampton Bookfest and \$2 Clothing Sale

16th & 17th May 2025

8:30am-4:00pm | Rockhampton Showgrounds | Robert
Schwarten Pavilion New Exhibition Road, Wandal 4700

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awaits...**



lifelineqld.org.au/bookfest



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ROMP IN THE PARK

children's festival

free ★ activities ★ entertainment
play ★ information ★ fun



Friday 23 May 2025
Panthers AFC Footy Grounds
(aka The Rockhampton Cricket grounds)
9:00am – 12:00pm



For further information contact the Romp in the Park Working Party

romprockhampton@gmail.com

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CHRISTIAN SCHOOL**

