Dear Helensvale Community,

Road Safety Plea – before a child is killed!

In a recent Homelines, I detailed the dangers of crossing over Lindfield Road from the Prep gate entrance. Given that we have two patrolled crossings on Lindfield Road, one 67m and the other 90m from the Prep gate, the ongoing behaviour of some parents to cross the road at this point is not only dangerous, but models to our children a complete disregard for the road safety message instilled at school. It is evident from the hesitant reaction of some of these students crossing with their parents, they know that this is not the right thing to do. The photo below highlights unsafe practices which could result in an accident leading to serious injury or death of a child or adult. The short distance to walk using the patrolled crossings is not worth the life of a child or adult. Life is precious, so please use your common sense and at least respect the right of your child to stay safe, even if you do not respect your own life.

PLEASE DO NOT CROSS LINDFIELD ROAD FROM THE PREP GATE

Other factors which need parent attention to maximise the safety of ALL children:

In Cannington Place, opposite the Prep gate there are 9 marked parking spaces. When these are full, many cars drive onto the grass section in front of the bays which endanger the students walking home via this route. The reversing and manoeuvring of vehicles in an area not marked as a road / parking area further increases the risk for students accessing their parent's vehicles parked in the bays or walking to their home.

The corner of Lindfield Road and Cannington Place is not a safe place to perform a U turn or collect your children when your vehicle is in a line of traffic.
Important cyber safety tips for parents

The Department of Education and Training has recently been alerted to random users contacting children using the social media app ‘Instagram’. We share the following tips with parents:

1. Know which social media your child uses.
2. Discuss with your child who their online friends and followers are. Only be friends with people online who you know in the real world.

Take a proactive approach and establish clear and agreed rules for your child’s internet use.

The Department of Education and Training has released an online awareness information booklet for parents and Caregivers. The link is below.


Michael Shambrook
Principal

Quote of the week

"Road safety is not a set of rules, it is a state of mind."

Homestay Families Wanted

At various times throughout the year, Helensvale State School hosts international students. We look for families from our school community to provide a good caring home for those students.

If you might be interested in becoming one of our Homestay families in the future, please let us know.

Homestay Families Wanted

Share your home with an international student

Homestay families are required to provide a good, caring home for our international students.

- Introduce your family to another culture
- Learn another language
- Make long term international friends
- Share our Australian culture and lifestyle
- Students will attend Helensvale State School

For your opportunity to be part of this cultural exchange experience please complete this form and return to the Helensvale State School office.
From Ms Brown’s Desk

Attendance
The change to cooler Gold Coast weather has seen a significant drop in attendance rates of late. Two cohorts, Year 2 and Year 4 take the lead in best attendance % for the past fortnight. Our whole school attendance currently sits on 93.9%.

Sports Days
Our Junior Sports Days for students in Prep – Year 4 will be held on Monday 13 June.
The carnival commences at 9am with the Prep program finishing at 11am and the years 1 and 2 program finishing by 1:00pm. Students are expected to wear their House colours. We look forward to an exciting day of fun and laughter with many families in attendance.
Should the weather turn on the waterworks, we will advise you of changes via Facebook on Sunday night.
Senior Sports Day for Years 5 and 6 is on Friday 17 June. We are really hoping the weather is kind to us next week. If you intend to sign your child out early, please see the class teacher who will have a sign out sheet on the oval for your convenience.

Snugglepot and Cuddlepie
Students in Prep and Year 1 will be attending the stage performance of Snugglepot and Cuddlepie on July 25. All buses transporting our children are fitted with seatbelts for added safety. If you wish to attend, tickets may be purchased from The Arts Centre Gold Coast. I urge you to book as soon as possible if intending to go as tickets do sell quickly.

Through research, it was found that the most significant inhibitor to schools attending activities at The Arts Centre Gold Coast was the cost of bus travel. This cost means many young people miss out on the valuable learning opportunities that the performing and visual arts provide.
The Jock and Beverly McIlwain Arts Bus Fund was subsequently set up as an initiative to assist in reducing the cost of bus travel to the Centre. Our excursion has been made possible by the McIlwains who are committed to ensuring that there are fewer financial barriers for our future generations who have a genuine passion for the arts and the courage to pursue their dreams. We are very grateful for their generous support of our students.

2 LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY
1. Ready Readers PD for Parents
Location: PAC at Helensvale State School
Date: Tuesday June 21
Time: 12noon – 3pm
Presenters: Vanessa Kibbey and Nancie Brown from Helensvale State School
RSVP: Monday 20 June
If you would like to learn more about helping your child with reading and the value of follow-up conversations, this is the workshop for you.

2. Learning Differences – SPELD for Parents
Location: PAC at Helensvale state School
Date: Tuesday August 2
Time: 2:00pm – 3:00pm
Cost: nil
Presenter: Marion McMahon, Executive Director of SPELD
RSVP: Friday July 29
http://www.speld.org.au

What are Learning Differences?

Students who have learning differences are those who learn differently to typical students in the classroom because of a neurologically-based difference in their brains, making it difficult to acquire core literacy and numeracy skills. The number of students with this neurologically difference is estimated to be between 10 and 15%, meaning that in every class, there will be at least 3-4 students who will struggle to learn when taught with conventional methods. Learning Differences may also be known as Learning Disabilities or Specific Learning Disabilities. LD are not the result of laziness or poor intelligence.

Early identification of learning differences is important to allow provision of support for the student. Lack of identification and poor management of learning differences can cause severe anxiety in children, even leading to depression in students as young as 7 years of age. Identification of a learning difference is usually liberating for a child because there is a reason for their difficulties, and they come to understand their brain works differently to others - they are not “dumb”, “lazy” or “stupid”.

We look forward to having you join us for these presentations. Please don’t forget to let the school know if you intend coming so arrangements can be made for seating and resources.

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Premier’s Reading Challenge 2016

Week 4

The Premier’s Reading Challenge is not a competition, but aims to improve literacy and encourage children to read for pleasure and learning. Students in Prep to Year 4 are asked to read 20 books whilst students in years 5 and 6 are required to read 15 books.

With 12 weeks to complete the challenge, I hope all students are starting to add book titles and authors to their forms. Please encourage your children to participate in the challenge as our goal is 100% participation for 2016.

For further information contact Ms Ros Moore at school or http://education.qld.gov.au/schools/readingchallenge/

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From Mrs Austin’s Desk

Behaviour Management Parent Session

Over this Semester, the SWPBS (School Wide Positive Behaviour Support) Team which is comprised of a teacher from each year level, teacher aides, behaviour support staff and Deputy Principals have been reviewing and redesigning our behaviour processes at school. There were a number of priorities we wanted to achieve, including:

- raising the behaviour expectations to reduce low level, high frequency behaviours that disrupt the teaching and learning in classrooms
- creating whole school consistent processes and language
- embedding more positive recognition and incentives for students who consistently display the expected behaviours
- establishing a “Reconnect Room” which assists the students by reteaching and developing appropriate behaviours.

We would now like to invite the community to attend Parent Sessions to present the new behaviour system that Helensvale SS will be introducing in Term 3.

Behaviour Management
Parent Session
When: Thursday 23 June
Where: PAC – Green Room
Time: 9am & 6pm
Who: All families welcome to attend
Year 2-3 Sector Assembly

Below is an overview of our final Year 2-3 Sector Assembly for Term 2. All families are welcome to attend.

**Year 2-3 Sector Assembly**
**When:** Tuesday 14 June  
**Where:** PAC  
**Time:** 2:15pm  
**Class Presenting:** 2E  
**Ms Izod & Mrs Yates**

Parent Survey

This week all families should have received an email displaying the results from our recent survey. If you have not received your email, please contact the school Administration Office to check your current contact details to our system.

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**School Calendar**

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School Payments

Commencing from Term 2, there was a change to the finance window opening days and hours. The new days are Mondays and Wednesdays with times of 8am – 9.30am.

Please assist us by adhering to these times.

All excursions and incursions have closing dates to make payment. Please ensure you pay by the due date as no late payments will be accepted.

Thank you for your assistance.

Leonie Foster
Business Services Manager
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News from 4E

4E created posters to represent the school rules of 'Be Safe', 'Be Respectful' and 'Be a Learner'. Here is an example of each:

By Daisy, Hollie and Sydney
Student Success

Congratulations to Madison M on finishing third in the recent South Coast Regional Cross Country. Madison now qualifies for the State Cross Country Championship to be held in July at the Maryborough showgrounds. We wish Madison all the best at this event.

Sports Day Uniform

Next week our annual School Sports Day will be held. On this day students are encouraged to wear their House colours. This is not a free dress day to wear any colour they want, but students can wear sunsafes (no singlets) and shorts that show their House colours. Students can also wear sporting shoes/runners for this day. All students must wear the school wide-brimmed hat. The newer versions of these hats can be worn inside out to show their House colour.

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Championship Events for Senior Sports Day

The Senior Sports Day for year 5/6 students will be held on Friday 17th June. All year 5/6 students compete in all events. Selected students who have been to the lunch time trials will compete in the "Championship" events. These Championship events go towards Age Champions and are used as a selection process to select a team for the district Athletics. As some year 4 students were born in 2006, they have also been offered the opportunity to trial for these events with a number of students making it to this level.

SENIOR SPORTS DAY PROGRAM – Friday 17th June
Students born 2004-2006 (All Year 5/6 Student and Championship Year 4 students)

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Lunch 1.45-2.15pm
An Assembly will be held at 2.25-3.00pm in the PAC to announce winning houses and age champions.

VENUES
- High Jump - Main Oval (Centre of oval)
- Long Jump - Long Jump pit (Oval near Senior Playground)
- Shot Put - Shot Put circles (Environmental Area)
- Sprints/Relays - Marked running track (Main Oval)
- Ball Games - Multi-purpose courts
Chappy Corner

Are you needing to work or just looking for something to occupy your children during the upcoming June/July holidays?

There are many organisations that offer holiday programs such as the Gold Coast City Council. Check out this link to see what is available http://www.goldcoast.qld.gov.au/active-healthy-program-booklet-28396.html

Other organisations that offer camps to meet various interests such as surfing, fishing, footy, the arts, technology and so much more are:


SU Qld (click on Find A Camp once on the site) http://sucamps.org.au/

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact School Chaplain Long Bradley at school on Tuesdays and Wednesdays or via email at lbrad49@eq.edu.au

HOST FAMILIES REQUIRED FOR JAPANESE STUDENTS

Helensvale Primary School will be welcoming students from the Kokuren Study Tour from 25 July – 3 August. Students are between the ages of 10-14.

The programme provides both the visiting students and the hosting families with a wonderful opportunity to share experiences and cultures and to develop life-long friendships.

You will be required to supply 3 meals a day, transport to and from school and a warm, friendly, home.

If you are interested in hosting a student or you would like any additional information, please contact Naomi or Judy on the following number

The Japanese Advisory Service
(07) 5592 0575

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Advertising Space is now available within our newsletter

Please phone Michelle on 0409992479 or send an email to michelle.m@austrnews.com.au if you are interested in advertising your business.

Upcoming Event: Hangouts!

Book Now

Trauma Focused Adolescent Group Work
Six Sessions - 2 Hours – Weekly
10th May to 14th July - 6pm to 8pm – Tuesdays

This Program is designed for Teenagers - 13 through to 18 years old.

Outdoor Adventure Based Activities, incorporated with Psychological Strategies covering:

- Psycho-education
- Stress Management
- Social Skills Training
- Challenging of Schemas
- Problem Solving Skills
- Relaxation Strategies
- Communication Training

The Flourish Team blends Experience with Adventure as therapy; focusing on adolescent development and trauma, and follows the Australian Practice Guidelines for the Treatment of Complex Trauma.

An additional 4 Sessions (10 in total) are available in August if desired, to further continue the work.
Location: Oxenford Youth Centre
25 Leo Graham Way, Oxenford, Qld 4210

Information for Participants:

DESCRIPTION:
Every week you will join a small team with great leaders at one of a number of adventure locations for the evening.
The team will remain the same over a ten week period. Here you will get to know one another's strengths and abilities and gain confidence as you move up the skill ladder.
You will learn how to work successfully as a team, how to lead, how to make good friends, and how to support and guide others.

PRICE INCLUDES:
- Food ingredients (yes, you will be cooking!)
- Games
- Problem Solving Activities
- Photos (Access to our online community)
- Certificate of Completion
- Poster of the Group and Challenges

DON'T FORGET:
- Each of the Challenges are your choice, you will not be forced to finish any of the tasks. Each step of the Program is a real Challenge, they are built to make you think and feel, and stress in a fun way, and accomplish.
- You will do lots of things you have never done before!
- The most important tool to bring with you is respect. This will help a lot.

OUR TIPS:
- Make sure you wear comfortable clothes that you could do sports in, including sneakers.
- Since we'll be outside, bring a hoodie.

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Jarjums
Free Playgroup
And Family Gathering

Where: North Gold Coast Early Years Centre
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When: Wednesday and Friday Mornings
Starting 3rd February 2016

Time: 9.30am - 11.30am

Indigenous playgroup for children aged 0-5 years and their families.
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With an opportunity to establish social and support networks within your community.

For more information call North Gold Coast Early Centre
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If transport is required please phone prior to the day. Thank you.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
Mental Health First Aid Course

We respectfully acknowledge the traditional custodians of the beautiful land in which we live, work
and play on, and pay our deepest respect to our Elders past, present and future.

This two day course is conducted by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Service, Gold Coast Hospital and Health Service and on occasions may be co-facilitated with other services.

Mental health first aid is the help provided to a person who is developing a mental health problem, or who is in a mental health crisis, until appropriate professional treatment is received of the crisis resolved. Mental health first aid strategies are taught in evidence-based training programs authored by Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) Australia and conducted by MHFA instructors across Australia.

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Mental Health First Aid Course is designed as a 14 hour course, typically conducted in 6 modules but we are holding it over two days. This course teaches health professionals and community members (18 years and over) how to assist an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander adult who is developing a mental health problem or in a mental health crisis.

Who can attend the course?
This course is targeted to Gold Coast Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community members over 18 years old.

However, if there are vacancies the course will be made available to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community members from outside of the Gold Coast, Non-Indigenous Community members and staff of services working with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander clients. Please contact the service to confirm availability.

What the course covers
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander social and emotional wellbeing
- Mental health problems in communities
- Mental health first aid strategies for working with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.

Developing mental illnesses:
- Depression
- Anxiety
- Gradual onset psychosis
- Substance misuse

What the course covers (Continued)

Mental health crisis situations:
- Suicide thoughts and behaviours
- Aggressive behaviours
- Severe effects of drug or alcohol use
- Severe psychotic states
- Traumatic events
- Non-suicidal self-injury (suicides called soft-ware)

Course Format
The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Mental Health First Aid Course is designed as a two day face-to-face course conducted in 6 modules.

Course participants will receive a Certificate of Completion.

Cost
Attendance at the course is free. Tea/Coffee, morning tea and Lunch provided.

2016 Course Calendar
8:45am – 4:30pm

KIRRA HILL COMMUNITY CENTRE
1 Coral Street, Coolangatta (see map)
- 15 & 22 April
- 10 & 17 June
- 19 & 26 August
- 21 & 28 October

SOUTHPORT COMMUNITY CENTRE
6, Lawson Street Southport 8:45am – 4:30pm
- 17 & 18 March
- 22 & 29 July
- 9 & 16 September
- 2 & 9 December

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NORTHERN GOLD COAST
COMMUNITIES FOR CHILDREN
Oxenford and Coomera Community and Youth Centre (OCCYC)
25 Leo Graham Way Oxenford
P: 55 356 0878/ 566 9355


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<td><strong>Parenting Made Easy</strong></td>
<td>This is a free workshop program for parents of children aged 0–12. It will help you understand your child's moods, and provide you with strategies to develop and foster emotional, respect, resilience, cooperation, and responsibility in your child.</td>
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<td><strong>1,2,3 Magic &amp; Emotion Coaching</strong></td>
<td>A 12-week program designed to help parents/careers and educators of children aged 2–12 years to manage challenging behaviors. Strategies are also suitable for children with ADD or ADHD. The program works equally well as a preventative tool and for early intervention. A great framework that prepares the dignity of the child and the adult.</td>
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<td><strong>Tuning in to Kids</strong></td>
<td>This 6-week program teaches parents and caregivers of 3–5 year old children how to become their children's coach. Help your child build resilience through understanding and managing their emotions.</td>
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<td><strong>Assertiveness</strong></td>
<td>This is a 4-week workshop program designed to build self-esteem by supporting you to feel better about yourself, increase your confidence, and help you fulfill your goals in life.</td>
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<td><strong>Relationship Rescue</strong></td>
<td>This one day program offers an opportunity to explore ways to have a successful relationship, repair a ruptured relationship, and understand why a relationship may not be working.</td>
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<td><strong>Anger Management/Conflict Resolution</strong></td>
<td>A 4-week program designed to help parents understand the importance of our emotional and relationship skills and strategies to manage anger, feel happier, and improve the quality of our lives and relationships.</td>
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<td><strong>Babysitting Training</strong></td>
<td>For 12–17 year olds, this 4-week course offers a practical and fun approach to babysitting. The course covers interacting with kids, basic first aid, basic child development, and tips on managing difficult behaviors.</td>
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7. Are willing to accept a volunteer home visitor if they are asked to

For this study, it is not possible to include families where there are current issues of abuse and neglect, domestic violence, unmanaged mental health issues, or unsuitable parenting arrangements.

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