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2015 Logan Schools Maths Team Challenge



On Tuesday September 1, eleven students from Years 7 and 8 competed in the Logan Schools Maths Team Challenge, held at Kingston State School.

The students were split into two teams to compete in both a team event and a relay event.

In the team event the students are issued with 10 questions and given 45 minutes to answer them. All members of the team are able to work together to help complete the challenge.

The second event is a relay. The students are seated in pairs and must work together to answer each question. They are awarded more points if they give the correct answer on the first attempt and fewer points on each subsequent answer.

Both of our teams were wonderful and the teachers from other schools commented on the fact that the students worked very well together and were very creative problem solvers.

At the end of the session, points were tallied and Team 1 were awarded second place in the competition, with very few points separating them from the winning team. Team 2 were only a few points behind and came fourth overall in the competition.





What's On

September

Friday 18
Multicultural Festival
Last day Term 3

October

Monday 5
Labour Day Holiday

Tuesday 6
1st day Term 4

Monday 26
Sports Award Evening –
Community Hall - 6:30pm

Tuesday 27
Principal's Parade –
Community Hall - 8:30am

Presentation Night –
Community Hall – 6:30pm

Well done to all of the students involved: Hannah Barker, Freya Barber, Kezia Hilkieah, Julian Lilly-Howe, Ryan Khatri, Alyssa Norris, Lynda Peterson, Habin Son, Hamin Son, Deanne Stonehouse and Austin Xie.

South East Region (SER) Training Awards



The annual SER Training Awards were held at Movieworld on Wednesday night and Cleveland High was well represented in all of the categories. Regional Director, Sharyn Donald, welcomed schools from across the Redlands, Logan, Scenic Rim and the Gold Coast to these prestigious awards. The audience was entertained by the CDSHS Senior Dance Team (pictured below) who performed an energetic contemporary dance routine.

These awards recognise the hard work and dedication of students who combine paid employment and training in the form of School-Based Apprenticeships and Traineeships with the rigours of Year 11 and 12. They also recognise the commitment of staff and schools in facilitating these pathways.

We are very proud of the following students and staff who were finalists:

Taryn Ruska-Fisher (pictured above middle)
School-based Apprentice of the Year (Redlands) - Winner
Achievement Award - Finalist
Indigenous School-based Apprentice or Trainee of the Year - Winner
SER School-based Apprentice of the Year - Finalist

Sarah Austin (pictured above left)
School-based Trainee of the Year (Redlands) – Winner
SER School-based Trainee of the Year – Winner

Justine Anderson (pictured above right)
School-based Apprentice of the Year (Redlands) – Finalist
SER School-based Apprentice of the Year – Finalist

Ms Heather Booth
Industry Liaison Officer (ILO) of the Year - Finalist

We are looking forward to recognising more of our apprentices and trainees in the 2016 awards. If you would like more information on how SATs work in the Senior School, please contact Ms Booth (ILO) or Year 11 Deputy Principal, Mrs Abraham.



Annual Music Industry Concert



On September 7, students from Years 10, 11 and 12 Music Studies performed in the annual MIC Concert. This was the final opportunity for our Year 12s to perform in a professional setting, with sound and lighting set up by the Year 11 class. The selection of songs ranged from Jimi Hendrix to Ed Sheeran, played by soloists, small ensembles and high-energy larger bands.

The cohort of Music Studies students farewelled the Year 12s in style, with consistently high quality performances across the night. The Year 10s who were invited to perform provided a glimpse of the talent to come in future years and the Years 11 and 12 cohorts contributed cohesive and meaningful performances.

Special thanks to Mrs Lisa McDuff for her tireless efforts with the Year 11s, including the setup for the show. Thanks also to Mrs Justine Noble for providing assistance and Carissa Macfarlane for acting as lighting engineer with no prior experience - an impressive effort!

It was wonderful to see such strong support from family and friends, as well as the community of prior students, who were treated to a great night of music.

Breakfast for Seniors Sitting the QCS Test



On September 1st and 2nd, the Junior Student Council hosted the QCS Breakfast for the seniors.



Year 12 Last Week Activities

Year 12 students are currently working exceptionally hard in their last semester at Cleveland District SHS. As the last week of school

steadily approaches, please find below a link to the organised activities for the Year 12 Cohort.

<https://clevdistshs.eq.edu.au/Supportandresources/Formsanddocuments/Documents/General/Year12/last-week-overview.pdf>

Art Department News

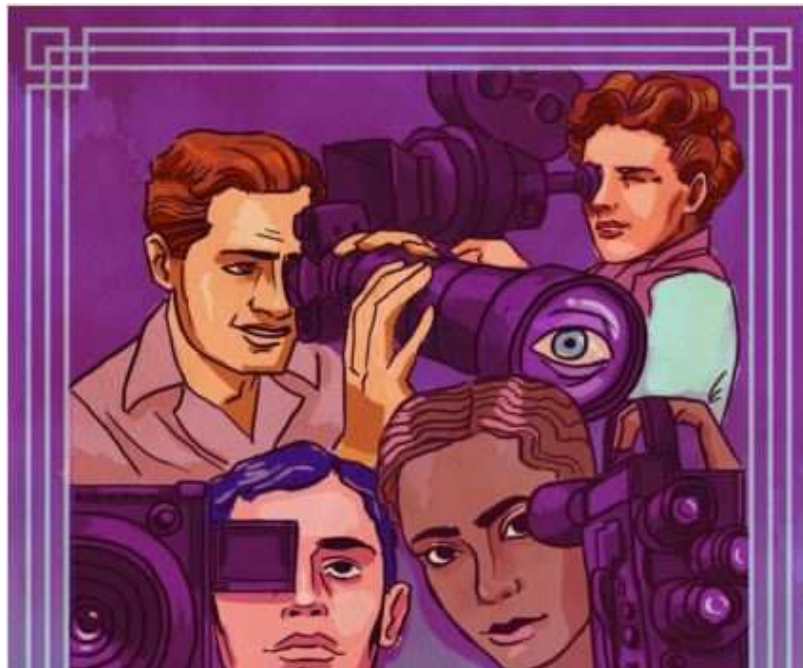
CDSHS Annual Art Exhibition

Preparations are underway in the art block for our annual 'Excellence in Art Expo' held on Wednesday October 21. All students, parents and friends are invited to come and see what our amazing visual art students have been up to this year. There will be the Year 12 Exhibition in the 'D4 Gallery', all art studios spaces will be open and students work from all year levels will be displayed. There will be several multimedia displays as well as installations and live entertainment provided by our talented music students. The evening starts at 4:30pm and entry is free.

Excellence in Visual Art Recognised

Recently, two of our Year 12 Visual Art students were selected to display their work in the Creative Generations - Regional Exhibition at the White Box Gallery at Griffith University on the Gold Coast. Abigail Burgess's and Lachlan Randall's major pieces were selected and displayed with other students' artworks from all over the region. Abigail's photographs were awarded a Commendation Award and Abigail was invited to participate in a special artist run workshop. Lachlan's concept designs were admired by many at the exhibition for their creativity and skilful digital rendering. Well done to Abigail and Lachlan.

Film Gala 2015





Film Gala 2015, being held on Friday October 9, showcases the work of CDSHS's film students. The night features Year 10 trailers and scene re-creations, Year 11 music videos, Year 12 genre films and documentary films.

Water Taxi for Sports Award Night and Presentation Night

A water taxi will be provided to take families who live on Stradbroke Island back home after Sports Award Night on Monday 26 October and Presentation Night on Tuesday 27 October.

If you wish to use this service, please ring the school office on 3824 9222 by Wednesday 21 October to make your booking.

The water taxi will depart promptly at 9.15pm.

Music Program



The Instrumental Music Department have had a very busy term with school performances.

Some highlights have been: Senior Citizen's Week; Awards with Redlands Eisteddfod; Jazz Concert featuring Ingrid James and The

Brisbane Contemporary Jazz Orchestra; Wind Ensemble workshop and concert with the students from our primary cluster; Ormiston House and Redfest.

Please make sure you book your seat at the upcoming Showcase concert at Redlands Performing arts Centre on Thursday October 22. Visit www.rpac.com.au or phone 38298131.

This concert will feature all our Instrumentalist and Vocalist Ensembles. It will be an amazing night, culminating in a presentation of a year's work in these ensembles.

Sports Report



It has been a busy time for the HPE department as Metro Finals are underway, as well as Metropolitan East athletics trials. Last week our football and Year 7 netball teams played their semi-final games. Our 9 boys, 9 girls and Open girls' football teams were impressive during their games and won their semi-final matches. These teams progress to the Grand final matches to be played on Wednesday, 16th of September. Unfortunately our 8 boys, 10 boys and Open boys' football and Year 7 netball teams did not progress to the final, all narrowly being beaten in their semi-final game.

Our Year 10 boys and girls basketball teams had their semi-final and grand final, both played on September 9 at Insports Cornubia. The boys' team narrowly defeated Yeronga State High School in the semi-final 45-43, progressing to the grand final where they won their game 44-37 against Craigslea State High. The girls' team played Bremer State High in the semi-final and won 31-21. They went on to defeat North Lakes State High 59-10. This is an outstanding result, having both the Year 10 boys and girls basketball teams named Metropolitan Champions! A big thank you goes to their coach Mr Avi for his constant support and guidance. (Teams are pictured above with Mr Avi.)

The Metropolitan East Athletics trials took place on September 3 and 4 at QSAC and Cleveland High had 32 students participating. The following students gained selection into the Metropolitan East team to compete at the State Championships:

Justin McKillop (2nd 100m, 3rd 200m, 2nd 400m), Luke McCutcheon (1st 1500m, 2nd 800m, walk), Khiani Garton Dodd (1st High jump), Bianca Stevenson (1st Triple jump, 2nd Long jump), Nelson McCutcheon (2nd Discus, walk), Laura McKillop (3rd High Jump), Zion Niha (1st High Jump), Maibre Grenfell (1st High Jump), Savannah Rhind (2nd High Jump), Sheikh Friske (Shot put), Kirra Stonehouse (walk), Ethan Clarke (walk), Jamie McCutcheon (walk), Danielle Burdfield (High Jump), Will D'Arcy Miles (High Jump).

While not qualifying for the team, the following students placed in their event and their achievement should not go unnoticed:

Caelem Finlay (2nd Triple Jump), Lauren Spreadborough (3rd High Jump), Tylah Niha (2nd Triple Jump), Kelsey Parkin (3rd Triple Jump).

Congratulations to all students who participated. We are very proud of you and we wish those who are participating at the State Championships the best of luck!

BYOD 2016

Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) is a new pathway supporting the delivery of 21st century learning. It is a term used to describe a digital device ownership model where students use their personally owned mobile devices to access the department's ICT network.

In 2016, BYOD will continue to be offered to Year 7, 8 and 11 students. After consultation with staff, parents, students and other key stakeholders; the 2016 Year 10 and 12 students will be given the option to choose either the 1-to-1 or BYOD program. Year 9 students are continuing to operate under the school 1-to-1 program.

Before acquiring a device to use at school the parent or caregiver and student should be aware of the school's specification of appropriate device type, operating system requirements and software. The specification must be met to ensure the device connects with the school network. The device information document, 2016 BYOD Program Information (PDF, 875 KB), can be located on the school website.

Online Safety

Holidays are on their way! Did you know the use of digital technology increases by 4 hours a day when children are on holidays? Take a moment to follow the link and make sure your family are eSAFE and can enjoy the break knowing you have all the facts about safely using technology.



<https://esafety.gov.au/esafety-information>

Year 7 Camp

In week 5 of Term 3, 232 excited Year 7s went to Camp Maranatha in Yandina. There were many activities and challenges to be completed. There was lots of yummy food to be eaten and games to be played. There was a lot of fun in store.



After a pleasant two hour trip on the bus, we arrived. We had morning tea and then settled in. There was a happy, bubbly feeling in the air.

There were many activities; Archery, Challenge Trail, Bridge Building, Mid-Ropes and Abseiling, Bush Craft and Possum Pull (our favourite) and Rocket Ball. Some of these activities really tested us but others were just fun.

In Possum Pull there was one 'possum' and ten 'donkeys'. The possum was attached to one end of the rope and the donkeys were harnessed to the other end. The rope was attached to two trees, high above the ground. On the count of three the donkeys ran to the other end of the area, causing the 'possum' to fly up 14m into the air. During the time between dinner and lights out, we did lots of different activities. The first night we had a disco and played Knights, Mounts and Cavaliers and the second night we did an Amazing Race which was organised by the camp co-ordinators. In the Amazing Race we were placed into different teams/countries. I was in the Jamaican team. Each team had to complete a set of challenges. If a team did something wrong, they got a roadblock. If a team did something really well they got to give another team a roadblock.

Camp was a great opportunity to meet some other Year 7 students and teachers and get to know them. Who knew that Mr Burley is such a good singer or that Mrs Forsyth has psychic powers? All in all, we had a wonderful time and we were all disappointed when we had to go home (that said, I think we were all looking forward to some sleep!). We had fun, but fun things don't last forever. I hope that next year's Year 7s have as much fun as we did.

A big thank you to all the teachers for taking time away from their families to take us.

Isabella Summerville 7RLB

Chappy Chatter





Sign up for Spin Off! – register online at spinoff.org.au
For further details – contact Chappy Neale next term.

Chappy Heather and Chappy Neale would like to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday. We look forward to continuing to support our school community next term.

Ubuntu (School Magazine)

This year's Ubuntu (School Magazine) will be bigger and brighter than ever before with over 100 full colour pages.

Ubuntu is an amazing keepsake for all students, highlighting the many school activities that have taken place during 2015. This is "a one off" opportunity to order this year's publication. Secure your copy by pre-ordering and paying \$12 (see the order form for payment details). Pre-orders close on 17 September 2015.

The order form can be downloaded from the school website and is available at the school office. It has also been emailed to parents and students.

If you have any enquiries please email Lynn Finimore (lfinn3@eq.edu.au).

Payment Window

Please be aware that those students on Student Resource Instalment Payments need to make sure their third instalment has been paid as soon as possible. Arranged Payment Plans need to be paid in full by the end of October.

Just a reminder that our payment window hours are as follows:

Monday – CLOSED

Tuesday – 8:00am – 10:45am & 12:45pm – 3:15pm

Wednesday - 8:00am – 10:45am & 12:45pm – 3:15pm

Thursday - 8:00am – 10:45am & 12:45pm – 3:15pm

Friday - 8:00am – 10:45am & 12:45pm – 3:15pm

We accept payments via direct deposit into our account:

BSB: 064 138

ACCOUNT: 00090051

Payments can also be made via BPAY, Centrepay (by arrangement), Credit/Debit Card over the phone and now BPOINT (Q Parents).

It is also important for you to send an email to:

accounts@clevdistshs.eq.edu.au outlining your payment details including student's name, year level and homegroup and what the payment is specifically for, so it can be applied correctly.

A copy of your bank transfer is not specific enough to provide these details and is inefficient.

Please note that due to the large volume of payments we receive, we are unable to reply to emails. This also applies to requests for receipts to be mailed/emailed.

If you require proof of payment, please send your student to the payment window to collect a receipt.

Are you a parent of a child with type 1 diabetes?

Every day thousands of Australian children suffer the effects of type 1 diabetes, and families struggle with illness management and children's behavioural and emotional adjustment.

Positive Parenting for Healthy Living is an adaptation of the successful Triple P - Positive Parenting Program, offering practical ideas and support for parents of children with type 1 diabetes. This innovative group program is designed to help parents manage their child's illness, assist children in coping with their illness and emotions, and prevent and manage difficult child behaviour.

Over the next few months and for a limited time only, parents of 2-10 year old children with type 1 diabetes are able to access Positive Parenting for Healthy Living Triple P free of charge as part of a University of Queensland research project. Contact Dr Amy Mitchell on



(07) 3346 1202 or email diabetes.healthyliving@uq.edu.au or visit <https://exp.psy.uq.edu.au/t1diabetes> for more information.

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