

Easter Message - A Special Spiritual Meal

During our Chapel Easter services this year we are going to do something different - something we have never done before. The Student Easter Planning Team and I have decided to offer the Middle and Senior School students a supper with some spiritual food on the menu. Yes, for the first time students will be given the opportunity to partake in Holy Communion.

In the Uniting Church tradition, there are only two sacraments. One is baptism and the other is Holy Communion. Some Uniting Churches call this sacrament 'The Lord's Supper' or 'The Eucharist'.

Basically, it is a sacred meal (or a mini-meal) of **thanksgiving and remembrance** which God invites us to so that we can share simple food together in God's presence. (Food always brings people together). The meal commemorates the last Passover meal Jesus shared with his disciples the night before Good Friday.



When reading the Biblical accounts, I found it interesting that Jesus somehow knew that this would be a special meal and he ensured every one of his disciples were included, even though they did not understand the meal's significance. Even Judas was personally fed by Jesus though Jesus knew he was well on the way of betraying him.

In the same way, every one of our students will be invited to participate including those who have a lot of faith and those who have very little. Students may of course choose not to participate if they (or their parents) wish not to do so. This type of invitation is what we call an 'open table' in the Uniting Church.

I do realise that we have a diverse college community representing many Christian traditions which may celebrate this sacrament differently in some respects. I also recognise that many families will be unfamiliar with any sort of Communion Service. Nevertheless, all students will be invited to participate as we believe it is important for students to experience this Easter service together as one diverse but unified community.

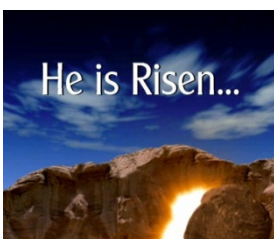
Traditionally for Christians, Easter is not a single event or a good excuse for a vacation. Rather, it is a journey. The Easter journey starts at Ash Wednesday with a 40 day period of prayer and fasting called Lent. The week before the Easter weekend, Holy Week is celebrated starting with Palm Sunday. On Thursday night, Maundy Thursday services will be held containing Holy Communion and at times foot-washing. Churches hold reflective and sombre Good Friday services followed by celebratory Easter Sunday services.

My suggestion:

Over the mid-semester break, it is easy to get caught up in holiday activities such as going away and spending time and having fun with family and friends. My suggestion is to spare some time for you and your family to reflect on God's great sacrifice which was made for you. Why not go to a church service or hold a special meal on Friday or Sunday to commemorate the holy day? (Please see Logan Uniting Church section for service times). Just as we remember the sacrifice of the Anzacs at Gallipoli, we need to remember the ultimate sacrifice made for all humanity.

I hope you and your family enjoy a restful and meaningful Easter holiday.

Blessings for Pastor Jim and the Chaplaincy Team





College Principal,

Cathy Hockey

Term One – Wrap-up

Term One has been an exciting and busy start to the year. This momentum has continued to the end of this term with student involvement in a variety of activities. In this edition, you will read about the enriching and extending student learning that has taken place over the last fortnight, providing a range of opportunities for students to explore and develop their gifts and abilities.

One highlight has been the reintroduced Music Camp which was a huge success in providing our musical students with benefits that will extend throughout the year in their music performance. The Year Five camp and the Middle/Senior School Camps and Activity Week are other highlights specifically designed to build teamwork, character and confidence, and facilitate leadership development. Other students have excelled in sport and extra-curricular activities. Skills being developed in our Year Ten students, in the annual Calvary Business Week program (CBW), are essential skills required for work in 21st century – innovation, risk taking, collaboration, and creative and critical problem-solving.

We congratulate Learning Enrichment teacher, Mrs Fiona Baker, who initiated this exciting Happy Hens Business learning program, and also acknowledge the huge effort of Mr Rob Evenden, from the Springwood campus maintenance team, who has been responsible for overseeing the practical aspects of this project. This project is one example of the extension activities that are happening at Calvary.

All of these experiences are made possible through the huge investment of time and effort of our teaching staff who have put in many extra hours of their time. We thank them for their dedication to our students and acknowledge the ongoing commitment and support of parents this term.

Being a Christian College, we are unashamed about Easter. Easter services have been celebrated by our students providing the opportunity for them to reflect on the true meaning of Easter - the death and resurrection of Christ. We thank all our College community for their contribution to what has been a very positive and productive term. We wish you a blessed and safe Easter holiday break.

“For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish but have eternal life.” John 3:16

Calvary teachers attend International IB Conference, 20-22 March 2014

Mrs Grotherr advised that Mrs Coles, our PYP Coordinator, did a brilliant job in presenting her educational paper at the International IB Conference in Singapore, last week. She had a full house and received lots of compliments on her presentation. She included photos of Calvary students and staff and generally did us proud. Congratulations, Mrs Coles.

Prayer Points

- The safety and wellbeing of families and staff during the Easter vacation
- The families of passengers and crew on the missing Malaysian flight MH370



Mini Open Day

Principal's Tours

Carbrook Campus
Childcare to Year Twelve

- **Friday 9 May Tour**
9:00am start

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The Principal's Tour will commence at 9.00am and conclude with a morning tea. RSVP to info@calvarycc.qld.edu.au or call 32876222.
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Calvary Christian College
A Ministry of Logan Uniting Church

Learning in the light of Christ



Memories of the water feature at Springwood

Towards the end of 1986 a water course was dug out at Logan Uniting Primary School. It was boxed, wired and cemented by thirty-one dedicated parents. When it was completed, children sailed a flotilla of yachts and boats down the new water course. In the 20 November, 1986 Newsletter school families were asked to donate at least one plant for the area. For many years, this water course was a feature of the College campus. At the end of one year's Celebrations and Year Seven Graduation, students went down to the watercourse and sailed floating candles on it.

Who remembers it and do you have any stories relating to this watercourse that you can share with us as we collect stories for our 30th Anniversary?



Calvary Christian College celebrates its 30th Anniversary in 2014

We are calling all past students and teachers, as well as existing families and staff of Calvary Christian College who would like to attend the 30th Anniversary dinner to please book

tickets through <http://www.trybooking.com/ENIF> < click here

The details of the event are as follows:

Date: Friday 2 May 2014

Venue: Logan Entertainment Centre, 170 Wembley Road, Logan

Time: 6:30pm – 10:30pm

Price: \$70 per person

Tickets are available via the College's website and Trybooking.com /ENIF. The evening will be a fun-filled night of nostalgia, a great time to reminisce about the good ol' days from the founding of Logan Uniting Primary School to the vibrant community we share across the two campuses.

Included in the price will be a three course meal, great entertainment, some surprises and loads of fun. **Watch this space for more information about the entertainment.**

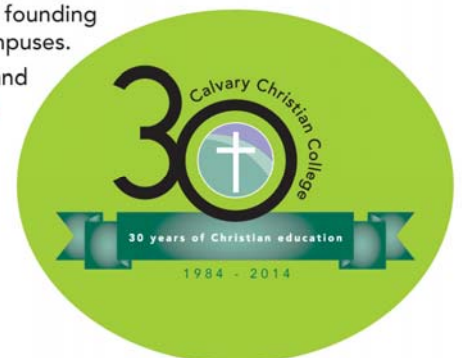
The banquet event will host tables of ten. Why don't you get a group together and book your seats. Seating is limited so book early to ensure your attendance.

For more information, email:

regan.verwey@calvarycc.qld.edu.au

We look forward to welcoming you to the 30th Anniversary dinner.

Don't miss out!



Grandparents' Day

Grandparents are indeed special people so it was with much excitement and joy that the children and staff of Kingdom Kids hosted Grandparents' Day. This was a day to celebrate and honour our wonderful grandparents and let them have a glimpse into the fun and learning that is Kingdom Kids. The day was huge success, much enjoyed by one and all.

Dramatic Play

In recent weeks the Pre-Prep children at Kingdom Kids have been enjoying some 'Police' role play. This learning journey began with the discovery of some police hats amongst the dress ups. The children have learnt that being a law enforcement officer means making sure that everyone is doing the right thing! Mrs Parsons and Mrs Stephens both received tickets followed by an 'arrest'. The children did not discriminate and issued tickets to Mrs Hockey and Mrs Collier for minor infringements as well. This dramatic experience has provided lots of fun for children and staff alike.



SPRINGWOOD JUNIOR SCHOOL

Book Fair Week

Book Fair week is an eagerly awaited event when the library is transformed into a book shop with merchandise from Scholastic and Koorong. Students are excited to be able to purchase books they can keep to read and reread. Owning a book makes reading more meaningful. Book Fair gives students practical experience in being a consumer, making choices and learning the value of money. However, it is not only the students who benefit from Book Fair.

The library receives a commission on all sales to further build its collection, enabling more resources to be made available to the entire school community. This year \$1500 was raised.

Many thanks to parents and grandparents for your support.



CARBROOK JUNIOR SCHOOL

2014 Book Fair on the Carbrook Campus

Book Fair at Carbrook had students buzzing with excitement. This is an annual event in our library where students can experience the excitement of going into a book store environment and choosing a new book. We had a large selection of books from Scholastic Books and Koorong for both parents and students to browse.

Our Preps to Year Sixes had an opportunity to browse all the new books and make a wish list which was not a purchase order, but gave parents an idea of which books their children were interested in. They were under no obligation to buy. Our Preps, Year Ones and Kingdom Kids all had a special visit from book characters, either Clifford the Big Red Dog or Geronimo Stilton. There was much excitement meeting the book characters in real life! Photographs of the visit can be seen in the library.

The College is given generous commission for all book purchases and thanks to the generous support of our students and parents, we were able to spend more than \$1400 on resources for the library.

Book Fair is always a great success and we look forward to it next year!



JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS SPRINGWOOD

Grandparents' Day

Grandparents' Day was once again a huge success at the Springwood campus. Many grandparents, aunts, uncles and special friends visited the College to spend time with our students. Our Prep, Year One and Year Two students gave special performances for the grandparents, while our older classes had special activities in their classrooms for grandparents to participate in. Grandparents are a blessing from the Lord and we are honoured to host this special day at the College. It is wonderful to see the special interactions between grandparents and their grandchildren and observe the blessing that they are to one another. Thank you to all parents who provided the delicious morning tea and for those parents who assisted to make it a wonderful day!



Ride to School Day

This term Our Year One classes' units of inquiry has been "Who We Are" and their central idea was "Being healthy involves body, mind and spirit." Our students are encouraged to initiate action in response to their central idea and as a result of this, planned a "Ride to School Day." Our Year One teachers and students, with the help of Mrs Baker, created a video clip that was presented on Assembly, inviting all students to ride their bike or scooter to school. Many children rode to school and had a healthy snack once they had arrived. The Year One teachers set up a special riding track for the children and Mr Dennett did a fine job as the Springwood campus policeman for the morning.



JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS CONT.

Music Concert

Lucas Proudfoot from Circular Rhythm recently visited the Springwood campus. Lucas is a member of the Tweed Coast Aboriginal/South Sea Islander community, with a background in surfing, contemporary Australian music and traditional Aboriginal dance. Lucas' presentation was highly interactive and informative and allowed our students to experience entertaining and contemporary indigenous Australian music. Lucas also provided our students with an education on Indigenous Australian cultures. The children thoroughly enjoyed Lucas' performance and participated enthusiastically throughout the show.



JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS CARBROOK

Eight of our Junior School students were selected and accepted to attend the "Great Questions in Science" workshops at The Southport School last week. This was a great extension opportunity for our students to work scientifically. These exciting science workshops posed a number of fascinating questions that stirred interest and curiosity. The students came back beaming with excitement and expressing their desire to go again next year. Well done to Ryley Lietzow, Cianna Horne, Nastaja Arjona, Samuel McDonnell, Cooper Ayson, Mathew Betham, Joshua Graham and Mackenzie Boyce.



Year Twelve Jerseys

Year Twelve excitedly received their senior jersey last week. The senior jersey is treasured attire as it provides a distinctive identity for Year Twelve in their final year.

The jersey was designed by a student committee and comes with the student's individual name or nickname.



Camp and Activity Week

All students in Middle and Senior Schools will undertake special activities in the last week of term. Years Eight, Nine and Eleven will attend camps; Year Ten will be engaged in Calvary Business Week and Year Twelve will have a combination of QCS preparation, service and careers activities. Year Seven students will host Year Six students and part of the Middle School transition program and also enjoy daylong Living History incursion.

This week is specifically designed to build teamwork, cohesion and character within year levels and is a purposeful and enjoyable conclusion to a successful term. Look for the photos in next edition of e-connections. (photos in next edition of Connections)

Japanese

Mrs Thompson has the Japanese students buzzing with sweet and sour challenges, chopstick races and origami, as fun additions to their food and language unit.



Happy Holiday and blessed Easter

Term One in the Middle and Senior School has been extremely smooth, productive and successful. I am particularly proud of the students' conduct and grateful attitude toward each other and their teachers. I wish everyone a deserved rest and a blessed Easter as we celebrate the gift of God's Son, Jesus in our lives.

This is what love is: it is not that we have loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the means by which our sins are forgiven. 1 John 4:10 GNB

Calvary First Business Master Class.

These one-and-a-half hour sessions will allow students access to Australia's leading entrepreneurs. The sessions are designed to inspire and educate young business people to live out their God-given potential.

The first Business Master Class will be held at the Calvary Community Centre on Tuesday, 6 May 2014 commencing at 1.45pm with refreshments and conclude at 3.15pm.

The faculty of Business and Technology is pleased to announce that Glen Gerreyn will be our inaugural guest speaker. He will be sharing his story of entrepreneurial success and offering wise advice for all who aspire to achieve the same.

Glen's Bio

At age of seventeen Glen, a champion athlete, was struck by an illness that quickly ended his Olympic dreams and sporting career. He triumphed over every challenge, and shifted his focus to community development. His efforts were soon recognised nationally when he was acknowledged as Young Australian of the Year for Queensland, Community Service.



For the past twelve years, Glen has made motivational speaking his career, and has spoken to over 500,000 people around the world. He works with high school students, businesses, sporting groups and community organisations. In 2012, Glen received international accreditation as a Certified Speaking Professional (CSP). He has spoken at the world famous TEDx events, appeared on the Today Show and Can of Worms, and written blogs for Mamamia.com. He has also been featured prominently on ABC national radio.

His businesses and initiatives include The Roar Effect, The Oxygen Factory, Men of Honour, The Hopefull Organisation, and Freedom House Publishing.

Glen challenges his audiences to test their limits, and to set and reach personal goals that they never could imagine, let alone believe to be possible. He has a remarkable ability to articulate and deliver a powerful and lasting message of empowerment and purpose. He has authored three books, Get Your Hopes Up, Oxygen: 102 Doses of Inspiration and Men of Honour. Glen lives happily in Sydney with his amazingly talented wife and three beautiful daughters.

All Senior School Business students will be attending but if parents and friends would also like to attend they are more than welcome. Tickets will be limited to 50 and are available at <http://www.trybooking.com/ELLF>.

Venue: Calvary Community Centre
Time and Date: Tuesday 6 May 2014, 1.45pm to 3.15pm.

Further information call Mr Bennett - HOF Business and Technology darren.bennett@calvarycc.qld.edu.au

Springwood 1-6 Cross Country Carnival

Congratulations Flynn House on taking out the Springwood Years One to Six Cross Country Carnival. The students ran remarkably well giving their best to gain maximum points for their house. Congratulations to the Age Champions and to the parents who took out the parent / teacher tug of war competition for the second year in a row. A huge thank you to all the parent helpers, Mr Lenton, teachers, Mr E and Henry for their hard work to make the event special for the students.

Year 1 Girls 3 rd – Cayla Fichardt 2 nd – Olivia Coles 1 st – Lily Cole Year 2 Girls 3 rd – Charlotte Badcock 2 nd – Laura Stojovic 1 st – Isabella Harding Year 3 Girls 3 rd – Chinara Lau 2 nd – Sian Van Blerk 1 st – Sariah Downman 9 Yrs Girls 3 rd – Zara Mearns 2 nd – Olivia Brown 1 st – Kirsten McEwan 10 Yrs Girls 3 rd – Jayde Howard 2 nd – Portia Littler 1 st – Samara Lau 11 Yrs Girls 3 rd – Emile Henderson 2 nd – Naomi Ross 1 st – Grace Burton 12 Yrs Girls 3 rd – Alisi Feao 2 nd – Ava deBruyn 1 st – Brianna Cliffe	Year 1 Boys 3 rd – Oliver Geer-Mulligan 1 st – Heath Geer-Mulligan 1 st – Jonathon Maris Year 2 Boys 3 rd – Anthony Hermansson 2 nd – Isaiah Noonan 1 st – Koen Bray Year 3 Boys 3 rd – Cameron Hermansson 2 nd – Seth Winton 1 st – Connor McIntosh 9 Yrs Boys 3 rd – Darcy Brown 2 nd – Xavier Price 1 st – Zane Ford 10 Yrs Boys 3 rd – Shaun Greener 2 nd – Daniel Trevor 1 st – Jayden Yassine-Burns 11 Yrs Boys 3 rd – Daniel Maris 2 nd – Izak Ford 1 st – Daniel McEwan 12 Yrs Boys 3 rd – Thomas Billion 2 nd – David Pearce 1 st – Max Mitchell
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Final Results

4th – 333 points – Liddell
3rd – 387 points – King
2nd – 486 points – Chisholm
1st – 685 points – Flynn



Carbrook 1-6 Cross Country Carnival

Chisholm coming home right behind the rest Finishing in 4th place but tried their very best King and Flynn both 2nd overall It's LIDDEL, LIDDEL - champions of them all Congratulations LIDDEL – 2014 Champion Cross Country house.... Thank you to all teachers and parent helpers for your efforts throughout the day, and a HUGE well done to all students for their amazing determination in today's heat. Thank you also to Springwood and Mr Lindsay Foster for hosting today's carnival

Year 1 Girls 1 st – Shyanna De Rysscher 2 nd – Ava Georgiou 3 rd – Sienna Long	Year 1 Boys 1 st – Jack Heron 2 nd – William Wearing 3 rd – Shannon Walker
Year 2 Girls 1 st – Mia D'Souza 2 nd – Catherine Hemmings 3 rd – Syrahna Kimlin	Year 2 Boys 1 st – Joshua Graham 2 nd – Clinton Davis 3 rd – Ewan Baker
Year 3 Girls 1 st – Anjeli D'Souza 2 nd – Imogen Arjona 3 rd – Sienna Rosenburg	Year 3 Boys 1 st – Micah Whitaker 2 nd – Balian Clarke 3 rd – Heath McPherson
9 Years Girls 1 st – Hayley Lawrence 2 nd – Jessica Ewan 3 rd – Natasha De Beer	9 Years Boys 1 st – Jayden Dinga 2 nd – Travis Pick 3 rd – Beau Matthews
10 Years Girls 1 st – Bethany Davis 2 nd – Ebony Geurts 3 rd – Alicia Wiggins	10 Years Boys 1 st – Preston Georgiou 2 nd – Michael Bartlett 3 rd – Keilan Long
11 Years Girls 1 st – Zara D'Souza 2 nd – Lara Walker 3 rd – Elizabeth Zemlyanoy	11 Years Boys 1 st – Noah Atkins 2 nd – Cameron Strydom 3 rd – Joseph Kirton
12 Years Girls 1 st – Sarah Costar 2 nd – Hannah Goodwin 3 rd – Angelena Kostovski	12 Years Boys 1 st – Bryce Begbie 2 nd – Callum Neilson 3 rd – Joseph Wilson

Final Results

4th - 383 points - Chisholm
2nd - 403 points - King
2nd - 403 points - Flynn
1st - 444 points - Liddell



JUNIOR SCHOOL SPORT NEWS

Logan District Cross Country

Our Springwood Cross Country Team ran brilliantly at the recent Logan District Carnival recording personal bests and securing places in the district team. Stand out performers included Daniel McEwan 1st in 11 boys, Izak Ford 4th in 11 boys, Samara Lau 4th in 10 girls and Brianna Cliffe 10th in 12 girls. All our runners ran hard and proudly represented Calvary.



Futsal - Springwood

Congratulations to our under 11 Boys Futsal team on winning the South-East Queensland Futsal Championship for the second year in a row. It was a great team performance to take out the **final 6-3** against Somerset College. Our Under 10 Boys were knocked out in the semis and the primary girls in the quarter finals. These are a great results considering it is our first year in the competition.



Futsal - Carbrook

Great result at the South East Qld Regional Futsal Championships last week. It was a massive week for both campuses. 80 students, 10 teams and over 50 games in 10hrs. The Carbrook Campus had 3 teams qualify for the Friday finals.

Primary boys - made it to Quarter finals

Primary girls - made it to semi-final

10 boys - made it to final

GO CALVARY!!



MIDDLE/SENIOR SPORT NEWS

Representative Students

Congratulations to Kieran McConville (Year Twelve) for being selected in the South Coast Regional Football Team. Kieran will now head to the state titles at Ipswich in late May. Fantastic effort!



Also Riley Brandenburg has been selected in Pacific District AFL team to compete at the upcoming regional trial.

Well done to our representatives!



Cross Country

A reminder that our College Cross Country will be held in the first week of Term Two (Wednesday). Training is scheduled for Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 7.30am – meet at the PE staff room.



Subway Supports Calvary Sports

Mr Dallas Mulholland (Subway Springwood and Subway Loganholme) has been a gracious supporter of Calvary sport over the past few years. This year he has contributed towards Calvary Netball, and on Saturday 22 March our Calvary players showed their support by making the effort to eat at Subway Springwood either before or after their games. It would be great if all of the Calvary community could also support his business whenever you are looking for a food option when you are in the Springwood or Loganholme areas.



QLD University of Technology - Year Ten Subject Selection

Year Ten students wishing to study science, health, engineering and mathematics degrees are invited, along with their parents, to a QUT subject selection event.

Information about careers, admissions, bonus points and degree-specific assumed knowledge will be presented, as well as subject selection information. Student representatives from relevant study areas will be on hand to answer questions.

**QUT Year Ten Subject Selection Event:
Tuesday 24 June 2014**

**Kelvin Grove campus - 5.30pm start
6pm Science/6.30 Health Science/7pm Mathematics/
7.30 Engineering**

For more information e-mail stem.school@qut.edu.au

QUT Law High School Mooting Competition

Students in Years Eleven and Twelve can register their interest to participate in the QUT Faculty of Law high school mooting competition. Students will tackle a fictional legal scenario with help from a QUT student mentor, preparing arguments over a three-month period to present to industry professionals at the grand finale in the Brisbane Banco Court, with in the Supreme Court complex. Places are limited!

For more information or to register your interest please contact Eddie Robinson by email e8.robinson@qut.edu.au by Friday, 9 of May.

A new degree offered by the Australian National University

The new Bachelor of Latin American Studies is the only undergraduate degree in Australia with a focus on Latin America. Students undertaking the Bachelor of Latin American Studies degree will gain all the benefits of a Bachelor of Arts or similar degree but also develop specialist knowledge of Latin America.

For more details about the program visit:

<https://studyat.anu.edu.au/2013/> Please mind there are no prerequisites to the program.

For further information contact the Australian National Centre for Latin American Studies administrator Claudia Villegas, claudia.villegas@anu.edu.au or visit www.anclas.anu.edu.au

Cultural Care Au Pair - Au Pair in the USA (18-25 years old)

Care for children full-time and live with an American host family-Cultural Care Au Pair can help you with that. They are one of the largest and most experienced au pair organisations in the world, having successfully placed more than 80,000 au pairs with families across America since 1989.

Cultural Care holds free information meetings every month across Australia. If you are interested please visit

www.culturalcare.com.au and if you want to sign up for their free information meeting in Brisbane, please book on www.culturalcare.au/join-info-meeting.

Careers Counselling

Mrs Schmidt is available for appointments on **Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays**. Please send an e-mail to Mrs Schmidt kinga.schmidt@calvarycc.qld.edu.au if you want to book a careers counselling session.

Calvary Launches Happy Hens

Calvary Christian College launched an egg-selling business this month, known as Calvary's Happy Hens, thanks to a NAB Schools First Seed Funding award of \$15,000. Twenty-five hens reside in the new chicken coop and students in the Environment Club collect and package eggs for College staff and families.

Students prepared an application for accreditation through Safe Food Production Queensland which will allow them to package eggs safely and legally. Their eggs are stamped with a unique identifying code (CHH for Calvary's Happy Hens) and they are packed in new cartons with the Happy Hens logo.

The project is run in partnership with the owner and manager of Rochedale Produce, who generously offer their time to visit the College to teach students in the Environment Club about poultry and their nutrition and care. It is also run in conjunction with a gardening and cooking program at the Springwood Campus.

Mr Brian Timms from Safe Food Production Queensland attended the grand opening of Happy Hens and commented on the work the students are doing. "I am very impressed," he said, "everything is very well set up and organised. It is a wonderful project for students".



MUSIC & ARTS



Music Teaches Empathy

The ability to empathise with others is a quality in great need of attention, particularly in today's high pressure world of immediacy. Someone who can empathise with those around them is more likely to live a successful and ultimately fulfilled life.

Recent studies have shown children who make music together are better able to recognise and understand the emotions of those around them. Researchers found learning music helps to develop the social self just as much as the academic self.

In my opinion, academic skills without social skills are greatly diminished ones. One of the habits of highly effective people is to understand someone before trying to be understood, in other words, empathy. Music develops this habit in a wide variety of ways.

The evidence for the benefit of music education grows more convincing by the day. Whether academic or social, music educates the 'whole' person. Encourage your child to become involved with music and experience the joys of the best investment you'll ever make in their future.

Music Camp a HUGE Success.

We were delighted to reintroduce Music Camp to our music calendar this year. Our students who attended found the camp a great musical experience and the benefits extended far beyond the music.

Forty of our dedicated and talented young musicians from Concert Choir, Senior Strings and Symphonic Band headed to the Queensland Conference and Camping Centre at Brookfield for two days of uninterrupted rehearsals and socialising with each other.

It was great for students to have this period of time to concentrate solely on their music. This back to back rehearsal time gives us a kick start to the year's music program; we can accomplish in these two days with nine hours rehearsal what normally takes a full term of rehearsals to cover.

This venue is well known for the food they serve and they did not disappoint. Italian Style Pizzas, Turkish Sandwich Platters, Cajun Chicken Maryland with Roast Potatoes and Seasoned Vegetables, Profiteroles with Ice Cream and Chocolate Sauce were just some of the dishes to tempt our palettes.

Mr Collins joined us for dinner and sat in on Thursday evening rehearsals. It was great to hear his words of encouragement to our students.

All-in-all Music Camp 2014 was a huge success. Ensembles worked on their repertoire and we look forward to performing our music for you throughout the year.

I'd like to thank everyone who attended for their support and a special "Thank You" to our teachers who continually provide our students with skills that will last a life time.

Music Support Group: Our first Music Support Group meeting for this year will be on Tuesday 20 May commencing at 7.00pm in the Rehearsal Studio in the Performing Arts Centre on our Carbrook campus. Please come along and help support our talented young musicians.

(For more detailed information on our Music Program and Music Support Group, please visit the following link where you can download a copy of "Centre Stage" our School of Music Newsletter.)

Barry Warden, Director of Performance Music





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Triple P Programs May 2014

The Triple P 'Positive Parenting Program' is one of the world's most effective parenting programs. Triple P doesn't tell you how to be a parent, but it does give you a whole 'tool box' of ideas!

Triple P works by giving parent's the skills to raise confident, healthy children and teenagers and build stronger family relationships, (regardless of a families culture, country or situation).

Triple P Seminar Series

(for parents of children 0-12 yrs)

Dates: Thursday evenings
15, 22 & 29 May
Time: 7-9 pm
Location: Logan Uniting Church
Cost: \$25 pp
Bookings: t (07) 3387 5705 or
e pitstop@luc.org.au

Primary Triple P

(for parents of children 0-12 yrs)

Dates: Saturday mornings
3 & 10 of May
Time: 9-12 noon
Location: Blue Care Room
Cost: \$25 pp
Bookings: t (07) 3387 5705 or
e pitstop@luc.org.au

Teen Triple P

(for parents of teens from 12 yrs & onwards)

Dates: Saturday mornings
10 & 17 of May
Time: 9-12 noon
Location: Cry Room
Cost: \$25 pp
Bookings: t (07) 3387 5705 or
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Wednesday 7:30am-10:30am / 1:30pm - 4:00pm
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SHOW TEAM

Warwick Show

Erin Lee (Year Twelve) was invited by the Warwick Show Society, along with her sister Georgia (2013 graduate), to be a meat sheep judge at the show. This is a considerable honour for Erin and is in recognition of her skills and achievements in the Young Judges Competition over the past few years. She is currently the State Champion Young Judge and will be defending her title at the Toowoomba Royal Show at the end of the term. Congratulations to:



- Michael Greijdanus – 3rd in meet sheep judging
- Bethany Johnston – 3rd in fleece judging

P&F NEWS

Springwood News

Thanks to all our P&F volunteers who helped make our end-of-term Hot Dog day a huge success. Fundraising days like this are dependent on the contribution of parent help and we're very grateful all events in Term One have been so well supported.

We'd also like to thank the College Business Manager Rodney Taylor for taking the time to speak at our last monthly meeting. This was an important time for families to understand how the College community runs and the role of the P&F within that community.

Next term the P&F is planning more fundraising events including a **Mother's Day stall** from 7, 8 and 9 May.

Preparations next term will also ramp up for the **Calvary Carnival** to be held on Saturday, 13 September. Please don't forget to mark this in your diary. Lastly we wish everyone a Happy Easter. May we all take time to remember that Easter is not all about eggs, hot cross buns and bunnies but a time to reflect on the sacrifice of our Saviour Jesus Christ who died, so that we may have forgiveness and eternal life. We pray you have safe break.



Carbrook News

A big thank you to all the committee members and parents who contributed to P&F events during first term. We would not be able to achieve the successes we do without your help. P&F Carbrook would like to remind all Junior School Parent Year Level Co-ordinators we are having another carnival meeting on the 29 of April so please come along, the stall convenor from Springwood will be there also to answer any and all questions you may have. We are still looking for a theme for this year's Middle School Ball so if you have one please email us as the 17 October will be here before we know it. As this is the last e-connections for this term on behalf of the Exec Team we would like to wish you all a safe and blessed holiday and we look forward to seeing you all next term.

COLLEGE EVENTS CALENDAR

April

Tuesday	22	First day of Term Two
Wednesday	23	MS/SS Cross Country
Thursday	24	S/C ANZAC Services
Friday	25	Public Holiday - ANZAC Day
Monday	28	Year Six Camp to Canberra (28/4 - 1/5)
Tuesday	29	Year Six Camp to Canberra MS/SS Parent Teacher Interviews
Wednesday	30	Year Six Camp to Canberra MS/SS Parent Teacher Interviews

May

Thursday	1	Year Six Camp to Canberra Principal's Tour - Springwood
Friday	2	Year Six Camp - Rest Day 30th Anniversary Dinner
Saturday	3	Marburg Livestock Show
Monday	5	Ambassador Induction JS-SWD
Tuesday	6	Parenting Seminar (C)
Wednesday	7	P&F (C) Mothers Day Stall (Wed - Fri) P&F (S)
Thursday	8	Ambassador Induction JS- CBK
Friday	9	Principal's Tour (C) District Cross Country
Tuesday	13	NAPLAN - Yrs 3,5,7,9 (Tues - Thurs) Parenting Seminar (S)
Wednesday	14	P&F (C)
Friday	16	MS/SS Calvary to Chisholm Run CC.
Tuesday	20	JS - Yrs 4-6 Athletics
Friday	23	Under 8's Day (C) Canterbury Cross Country
Monday	26	Prayer and Mission Week
Wednesday	28	MS/SS - PDC Round Robin
Thursday	29	MS/SS - CSSAQ Cross Country
Friday	30	MS - GROW Conference JS Prep - Yr 2 Praise Party (C)

June

Monday	2	SS Exam Block (Mon 2 - Fri 6)
	4	P&F (S) ICAS Science Comp
Monday	9	Public Holiday - Queens Birthday
Tuesday	10	MS/SS Regional Cross Country KK Parent Info Night
Wednesday	11	Principal's Tour (C) Gold Coast Finals P&F (C)
Thursday	12	Principal's Tour (S)
Tuesday	17	Yrs 8 and 10 Immunisations
Wednesday	18	MS/SS Athletics (Wed and Thurs)
Thursday	19	MS/SS Athletics
Friday	20	Last Day of Term - JS Free Dress Day

2014 Term Dates

Term One: Tuesday 28 January until Friday 4 April

Term Two: Tuesday 22 April until Friday 20 June

Term Three: Wednesday 16 July until Friday 19 September

Term Four: Tuesday 7 October until Friday 5 December.

For Public Holidays and Pupil Free days for 2014, please log onto: www.calvarycc.qld.edu.au

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