



# Chinchilla State High School

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NEWSLETTER

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# Personality Quest Entrants 2018



7-1 Lucia



7-2 Sophie



7-3 Brooke



7-4 Skyla



7-5 Courtney



8-1 Cobi



8-2 Chloe



8-3 Lyric



8-4 Phoebe



8-5 Michael



9-1 Bryton



9-2 Breanna



9-3 Gabrielle



9-4 Caitlyn



9-5 Althea



10-1 Poppy



10-2 Lauren



10-3 Amelia



10-4 Maegan



11-1 Ellie



11-2 Tawnie



11-3 Rishabh



11-4 Shannon



12-1 Kaleb



12-2 Romada



12-3 Emma



12-4 Matthew

These students will be representing their Form Class in this year's Personality Quest.

After facing the judges on Wednesday 25 July, the Junior and Senior Winners and Runners-Up will be announced at the Personality Quest Ball on Friday 27 July.

Tickets are \$10 each and must be pre-purchased from the School Office before 3.00pm Friday 27 July. Doors open at 6.00pm.

## From the Principal...

Dear Parents, students, staff and community supporters,  
Welcome to Term 3. I hope that all of our students and families were able to spend some quality time together at some stage throughout the holiday period.

### Staffing

- ❑ Welcome to the following new non-teaching staff members who have joined our team this week:
  - Mrs Leah Voll (Cleaner)
  - Mrs Angelina Mullins (Administration Officer - E Block)
- ❑ Welcome back to one of our English / Humanities teachers, Ms Marilyn Benson, who has been on extended leave. Ms Benson brings with her a wealth of teaching experience and we are very happy to have her back in our school.
- ❑ Baby news:
  - Congratulations to Mrs Kellie Richards and her husband Dane on the recent birth of a baby boy, Wyatt David. We wish them all the very best for this special time.
  - Congratulations and best wishes also to Mrs Vicki Bock and her husband Stephen on the recent birth of their second child, a baby girl. I am unaware of her name at the time of printing.
- ❑ Congratulations to the following staff members who are celebrating their recent engagements:
  - Mr Ben Howard and Miss Alexandra Gath;
  - Miss Natalie Herbert and Mr Jake Thiele;
  - Miss Joanne Mulligan and Mr Anjil Manandhar;
  - Miss Brabrook and Mr Hill.

### 2018 NAIDOC Celebrations Assembly

Congratulations to the students who participated in the NAIDOC Assembly on the last Friday of Term 2. A special well done to the students who helped to lead the celebrations by performing a dance at the start of the program. It was really pleasing to see so many of our indigenous students leading the

way and sharing with the audience some of their family origins. Some students also outlined their goals for their future. The information shared by the students was very interesting and was more evidence of the many and varied backgrounds of all our families within our school and local community. Thank you to Mr Frank Roma for his involvement in the program and for sharing his positive comments on how we will all benefit if we work together regardless of our backgrounds. Congratulations to Miss Amy Young (Beyond the Broncos) and Mr Bret Bowman for their work in co-ordinating this assembly and for their work in encouraging the students to take ownership for NAIDOC Celebrations.

### Digital School Newsletter

*(Repeat from last Newsletter for those who may have missed it)*

In Term 3 our school will look to change the format of our fortnightly Newsletter. Feedback from parents and staff is that there is a lot of waste with our paper version with large numbers of copies not making it home to parents and families. When we calculate our costs for printing a paper version, it is a poor investment if so many copies do not make it home. Add on to that cost, the hours spent by staff collating the paper versions and distributing them across our student body. By using a digital Newsletter, the funds previously spent on paper versions could then be dedicated towards a breadth of resources to promote learning across our school community.

With so many members of our community embracing a digital approach to many aspects of life, our school will look to follow the same path that many schools have been on for years by distributing a digital version to parents and families. Our Newsletter is already uploaded to our school website and many parents are currently accessing it that way. We also have other options like the QSchools App, where people can access the Newsletter directly on their mobile phone.

**Parents who do not have access to digital platforms will still be able to order a paper version and get their**

**child to collect it from the School Office.**

Families will receive more information about this change of format to our Newsletter in the near future.

### Indoor Sports Hall Update

After a few final delays, it is anticipated that our school will start to access this excellent facility in the very near future. We are also planning an official opening ceremony this term to celebrate this great addition to our school facilities.

### Some Key Calendar Dates

- ❑ 16 July - Lunchtime Athletics events commence
- ❑ 23 July - P&C Association meeting at 5.30 pm
- ❑ 24 July - Parent/Teacher Interviews from 3.30 pm to 6.30 pm
- ❑ 27 July - Personality Quest Ball
- ❑ 29/30 July - Stage/Concert Band perform at Toowoomba Eisteddfod
- ❑ 1 August - Year 11 Leadership Day at Columboola Education Centre
- ❑ 22-24 August - Year 10 Camp at Emu Gully
- ❑ 4-5 September - Year 12 QCS Tests
- ❑ 20-23 September - Queensland 12yrs Girls Rugby League Championships in Chinchilla

To stay informed about our school, please remember that you can access our **school calendar on the school website or via the QSchools App.**

**Best wishes to all of the students, staff and families for a positive Term 3. There are great learning opportunities available within our school community every day for all of our students and staff. Please continue to challenge students to set personal goals to strive to become the best version of themselves, in both the present and the future.**

Kind regards,  
Mr Scott Rowan

*"If we had no winter,  
the spring would not be so pleasant;  
if we did not sometimes taste adversity,  
prosperity would not be so welcome."  
Anne Bradstreet*

# P&C Meeting

5.30 pm

Monday 23 July 2018

in the School Resource Centre

All Welcome

## Parent-Teacher Interviews

Tuesday 24 July 2018

3.30 - 6.30 pm

Parent / Teacher Interviews allow parents and guardians an opportunity to meet their child's teachers and discuss their individual progress and learning goals.

- No appointments are required
- Students are to accompany parents/guardians
- All teaching staff will be available to speak to parents
- Teachers will have a desk either in K Block or the Resource Centre
- You will be able to speak to any teacher for approximately 10 minutes, you can then move on to the next teacher

**Term 1 Report Cards will be issued  
Friday 20 July**

# PERSONALITY QUEST BALL

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27 July 2018

6.00 - 10.00 pm

Chinchilla Cultural Centre

Tickets \$10

Available from the School Office from 17 July 2018

Tickets will not be available at the door

Drinks and snacks will be available for purchase throughout the evening.

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## What's Happening...

July	
21-23	QSS Cross Country
23	P&C Meeting (5.30 pm)
24	Discover My Future Workshop
	Parent/Teacher Interviews
27	Personality Quest Ball
29	Toowoomba Eisteddfod (Stage Band)
30	Toowoomba Eisteddfod (Concert Band)
	Questacon Science Circus
31	DD Cricket 15yrs Girls
August	
1	Year 11 Leadership Day
2	Year 12 Biology/Science 21 Excursion
2-4	QSS Football 12yrs
	QSS Touch 15yrs
3	Year 11 Physics Excursion
	Toowoomba Eisteddfod (Dance Troupe)
6	Senior Pathways Evening

## Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)

*You miss 100% of the shots you don't take - Wayne Gretsky.*

Chinchilla State High School has set the standard of attendance for every student at being more than 92%.

Every minute that is missed of class is a moment missed that could have been crucial for the student's learning. Whether it be a missed lesson where assessment is discussed, an activity that is crucial for their learning, or even a friendly good morning that brightens their day, missing any part of a school day on a regular basis can not only result in missed information but also missed opportunities and increased stress towards the end of term.

Let's start the new semester off well and attend every minute of every class every day!

*Mr Stephen Wroe  
PBL Team Member*

Career Paths

*With Guidance Officer  
Mrs Sinead Reff*

## Defence Careers Information Session

Considering a career with the Navy, Army or Air Force? Come along to an Information Session to learn more about the roles available in the Australian Defence Force.

The Navy, Army and Air Force are now recruiting for a wide range of positions such as Electronics Technician in the Navy, Combat Engineer in the Army and Air Combat Officer in the Air Force. In these jobs you will be able to work with some of the country's most advanced and highly technical equipment and hardware. You will also receive many great benefits such as free healthcare and subsidised accommodation.

Date: Wednesday 25th July, 2018

Time: 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Where: Dalby Golf Club,  
Moreton Street, Dalby

RSVP: [twbcpt@dfr.com.au](mailto:twbcpt@dfr.com.au)

# Tuckshop Menu 2018

Students are encouraged to order their food before school.  
All food on the menu is available to be ordered.

Hot Food	\$
Pie (with sauce)	3.50
Sausage Roll (with sauce)	2.50
Chicken Chilli Wrap * (lettuce, tomato, cheese, chilli sauce)	5.50
Mini Chicken Chilli Wrap * (lettuce, tomato, cheese, chilli sauce)	3.50
Chicken Chilli Roll* (lettuce, cheese, chilli sauce)	5.00
Beef Burger * (lettuce, tomato, cheese, sauce)	5.50
Chicken Burger (Crumbed or Grilled) * (lettuce, cheese, mayonnaise)	5.50
Chicken Deluxe Burger * (bacon, pineapple, lettuce, cheese, mayonnaise)	6.50
BLT * (bacon, lettuce, tomato, BBQ.sauce)	4.50
Pork Riblet Roll * (lettuce, cheese, BBQ.sauce)	5.00
Hot Dog * (cheese, tomato sauce)	4.00
Lasagne / Mac and Cheese	4.00
Chicken Nuggets (5) *	2.50
Chicken Chips *	2.50
Mini Pizza *	2.50
Garlic Balls *	1.00
Hash Brown *	1.00
Garlic Bread *	2.00
Squeeze Sauce	0.50

Cold Food	\$
Fresh Sandwich	3.00 - 4.50
Toasted Sandwiches *	+0.50
Salad Wrap (½)*	from 3.00
Salad Wrap (full) *	from 5.00
Salad Roll *	from 4.00
Salad Bowl (small) * with Ham *	4.00
with Corn Meat or Chicken *	4.50
Salad Bowl (large) * with Ham *	5.50
with Corn Meat or Chicken *	6.00
Caesar Salad Bowl *	6.50
small	4.00
large	5.50
Honey Mustard Salad Bowl *	
small	4.00
large	5.50
Sushi / Rice Paper Rolls (only available Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday)	3.50
<i>Salad ingredients include: Lettuce, Carrot, Beetroot, Tomato, Cheese, Pineapple, Egg</i>	

\* These items will only be sold on  
selected days unless pre-ordered

Snacks	\$
Chips	1.00
Shapes/Uglies	0.50
Dessert Cup (small)	1.00
Dessert Cup (large)	2.00
Pizza Scroll (½)	1.00
Pizza Scroll (full)	2.00
Homemade Muffins and Biscuits	1.50
Fruit Cup (seasonal)	
Ice Blocks and Frozen Yoghurts (only available at lunch)	

Drinks	\$
Flavoured Milk (300ml)	2.00
Flavoured Milk (500ml)	from 3.00
Plain Milk (300ml)	1.00
Water (600ml)	1.00
Water (1L)	2.00
Focus Water	2.00
100% Juice (250ml)	2.50
100% Juice (300ml)	3.00
Supa Essentials Juice	3.00
Glee	2.00
Chill Ice Tea	2.00
Up and Go	2.00

Please note:

Items may contain eggs, nuts, wheat and dairy