Clare Connection

Challenges and learning - the heart of our community

Term 4, Week 6   **Newsletter Date: Wednesday 16th November 2016**

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents and Community Members

Here we are at the business end of another busy school term/year. With the count down on with only 4 weeks left of school it is amazing to sit back and look at what we have accomplished this year and what there is still to come in the remaining weeks.

Firstly I would like to congratulate the Clare School P&C and the community for a fantastic Melbourne Cup Luncheon, though I did not have the opportunity to stop and have a conversation with all attendees, the feedback from those that I did have a chance to speak to was positive and it was great to see the community working together. Events like this, just show how important the relationship is between the school, the school families and the wider community. It is these relationships that I continually try to strengthen to ensure that our students here at Clare Public receive a well rounded education that will help them to navigate through their future endeavours.

On Friday the 11th staff and students participated in a small Remembrance Day Service here at school taking a moment out of their day to take part in this special day marking the end of World War 1 and now becoming the day each year where we remember all servicemen and women who have fallen in any conflict.

Thankyou to all those who provided feedback on the new Student Welfare Policy, this document will be reviewed and adjusted prior to its implementation in the coming weeks.

Benjamin Carter

Calendar Dates

4/5/6 Borambola Sport and Rec Camp	**5/12 - 8/12**
Christmas Tree	**14/12**
Presentation Day	**15/12**

Notes home this week

Borambola Sport and Rec Camp Note

Students of the Week
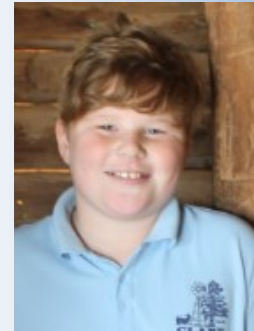
Week 3
Skye Fitzgerald
Achievement and effort in all subjects

Week 4
Mitchell Comitti
Consistent effort

Week 5
Larah Butler
Great work ethic and positive attitude all week.

Merit Awards

Week 3 - Larah Butler and Mitchell Comitti "Success in times tables"

Week 4 - Mitchell Comitti "Great independent work"

Week 5 - Mitchell Comitti "Getting in and having a go"

Term 4 - Diary Dates

Please find below the current Term 4 calendar as it stands. Please note that this is subject to change and keep an eye out for any notes that come home.

6	14 November	15 November Director's Visit Rachel	16 November Rachel	17 November Rachel Kara	18 November Short Week	19 20 Nov
7	21 November Rachel Kara	22 November Rachel Kara	23 November Rachel	24 November Rachel	25 November Kara	26 27 Nov
8	28 November Kara	29 November Rachel	30 November Rachel	1 December Kara	2 December Short Week	3 4 Dec
9	5 December Rachel Kara	6 December Rachel Kara	7 December Rachel Kara	8 December Rachel Kara	9 December Kara	10 11 Dec
10	12 December Kara	13 December Rachel	14 December Christmas Tree Rachel	15 December Presentation Day	16 December Short Week	17 18 Dec
11	19 December SDD	20 December SDD	21 December	22 December	23 December	24 25 Dec

Week 8: Jordan – (BCS) Work experience (28 November – 1 December)

Week 9: Yr 4/5/6 Borambola Sport and Rec Camp (5 December – 8 December)

What We Are Getting Up To.

This term students in Years 4/5/6 have been studying the novel "The Invention of Hugo Cabret" written by Brian Selznick as during their literacy sessions. The book contains 284 pages of original drawings, and combines the elements of picture books, graphic novels and films to create a new reading experience. The students have so far completed "Part One" of the novel discovering many of the plot twists and revelations and are now examining "Part Two". Below is a snap shot of the students summary of "Part One".

Once there was a kid named Hugo who lived in a train station and stole a lot of parts for the automaton his uncle was supposed to change the clocks but one day he disappeared and Hugo did the clocks. His dad had died in a fire at the museum. There was an old man that worked at a toy booth that Hugo stole from.one day Hugo went to steal something and got caught and the old man got his notebook and said his going to steal it and burn it. Hugo followed the old man back to his house and the old man slammed the door in his face Hugo picked up a rock and threw it at window.it was Isabel Hugo had to meet Isabel at a book store to find out more information about the notebook. Hugo seen a book that was magic card tricks he was going to steal it until Etienne came and gave Hugo a coin to buy it. Etienne snuck Hugo and Isabel in the movies and Etienne got fired. And they got kicked out Hugo ran away in the crowd of the people at the train station Isabel followed him Isabel ran into a man a Hugo helped her and Hugo seen a key around Isabel's neck as Hugo helped Isabel up he stole it and Hugo put the key in the automaton and it drew a picture of a moon witch was Hugo's dads favourite movie.
By Mitch Comitti

There was a kid named Hugo who lived in a train station. He would go to a toy store and steal toys. Hugo would run away from the toy booth and go back to his place. So he wouldn't get caught The old man asked Hugo what his name was and after that Hugo stood outside the old man's house in the cold. The mechanical man was Hugo's life he could never lose him. The next day the old man opened his toy booth and said to the old man I don't believe that you burnt my notebook. After Hugo changed the clocks he went to the toy booth and started his work like the old man told him to. Etienne got a job at the movies but he always snuck people in so he got fired. Hugo found the key for the mechanical man and Isabel was the one who had the key and Hugo Stoll it off her. The mechanical man was working and it drew a moon

By Larah Jayne Butler

Year 4

There was a kid named Hugo Cabret and his father had died in a fire at a museum. Hugo found an automaton in the rubble at the museum. He had a notebook that his father had given him. It was about the automaton. Hugo then lived with his uncle. He taught Hugo how to steel and live off scraps. Then one night His uncle never came back from a big night. So Hugo lived on his own after that. He then met some friends, Isabelle and Etienne. Etienne worked at the theatre as well. They all went to the movies and Etienne lost his job because he snuck Hugo and Isabelle in to the theatre. Hugo and Isabelle went back to Hugo`s little room and they managed to fix the automaton. It then drew a picture of the moon.
By Liam Butler

Hugo was very poor after his father died in a fire when he was a little boy. He went to live with his uncle in the train station fixing clocks. His uncle taught him how to steal food. One day his uncle never came back so Hugo had to fend for himself. Hugo met new friends Isabelle and Etienne, Hugo had a strange machine called the automaton which he fixed using parts that he had stolen from a toy booth. Isabelle had a love heart key around her neck that made the automaton draw.

JACK JONES

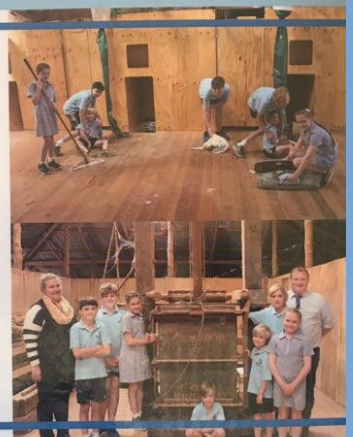# Community News

Message From The Clare Public School P&C

Clare Public School P and C Melbourne Cup Lunch takings tally a whopping $11,348! Sincere thanks to Crowbar and his team @stead shearing for taking time off work and supporting us!! Thank you to all of the people who travelled out from town and other areas - with dwindling numbers in our locality we are very thankful for your support! Clare Public School might only have 7 students and a tiny band of volunteers but the School plays a huge part within our community, just one example is offering facilities so that 0-4 year olds can access Early Learning with Hay Mobile Children's Service in the spare classroom on a regular basis, making the eventual transition to school so much easier. The 79 adults in attendance yesterday combined with all the sponsors and donors, proved that Clare School really is more than just a school in a paddock! T H A N K Y O U!!

Clockwise from top left: Courtney Harris and Emma Scott, Kaylene and Geoff Scott, Emma Turner, Kerry Harris, Trevor Jolliffe and TJ, Russell Nield. Hugh and Charlie Fitzgerald (centre) lending a helping hand.

Timetable Term 4
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HAY MOBILE CHILDREN'S SERVICE

Monday 10th October
To
Friday 16th December

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	10.10.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	11.10.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4.00	12.10.2016 Yamma Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	13.10.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.00-3.00	14.10.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00
Week 2	17.10.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	18.10.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4.00	19.10.2016 Booligal Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	20.10.2016 Coly Care 9.00-3.00	21.10.2016 FBC FBC
Week 3	24.10.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	25.10.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4.00	26.10.2016 Yamma Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	27.10.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.00-3.00	28.10.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00
Week 4	31.10.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	1.11.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4.00	2.11.2016 Booligal Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	3.11.2016 Coly Care 9.00-3.00	4.11.2016 FBC FBC
Week 5	7.11.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	8.11.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4.00	9.11.2016 Yamma Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	10.11.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.00-3.00	11.11.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00
Week 6	14.11.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	15.11.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4.00	16.11.2016 Booligal care 9.00-3.00 FBC	17.11.2016 Coly Care 9.00-3.00	18.11.2016 FBC FBC
Week 7	21.11.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	22.11.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4.00	23.11.2016 Yamma Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	24.11.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.00-3.00	25.11.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00
Week 8	28.11.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	29.11.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4	30.11.2016 Booligal Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	1.12.2016 Coly Care 9.00-3.00	2.12.2016 FBC FBC
Week 9	5.12.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC XMAS PARTY	6.12.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4.00	7.12.2016 Yamma Care 10.00-3.00 FBC XMAS PARTY	8.12.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.00-3.00 XMAS PARTY	9.12.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00 XMAS PARTY
Week 10	12.12.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC XMAS PARTY	13.12.2016 Hay/Maude Care 8.30-4.00 XMAS PARTY	14.12.2016 Booligal Care 9.00-3.00 FBC XMAS PARTY	15.12.2016 Coly Care 9.00-3.00 XMAS PARTY	16.12.2016 FBC FBC