



# Clare Connection

Challenges and learning - the heart of our community

Term 3, Week 2

Newsletter Date: Wednesday 27th July 2016

## From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents and Community Members,

Welcome back to another busy and action packed term, we have already hit the ground running this term with students being offered the opportunity to participate in a wide range of activities.

At the end of last term, students participated in a writing and music workshop held by Leone Rogers, the author of the book "Sammy Writes a Song". Students were able to discuss with Leone the processes that writers go through when coming up with stories and had the opportunity to work collaboratively to write their own song.

Clare Public School is trialling the use of the Skoolbag application as a means to disseminate information to parents and community members. This app is free to download for both iPhone and Android by following the details on the information sheet attached to this week's newsletter.

I would like to wish all students participating in the District Athletics Carnival this Friday in Tooleybuc the very best.

In week 3, Clare Public School will be celebrating "Education Week". On Monday 1st August, Year 5 and 6 student leaders and I will be attending Moulamein Public School to participate in an Education Week Leadership workshop and luncheon with other student leaders and Principals from around the district. On Tuesday, 2nd August we will be opening up our school for parents and community to come in and have a look at the wonderful work that the students are currently participating in and to take part in a free sausage sizzle lunch from 1pm.

Benjamin Carter

## Calendar Dates

District Athletics Carnival	<b>29th July</b>
Education Week Leaders Luncheon	<b>1st Aug</b>
Open School and BBQ Lunch	<b>2nd Aug</b>

## Notes home this week

*District Athletics Carnival*  
*Education Week Leaders Luncheon*

## Students of the Week

Week 1

*Ollie Fitzgerald*

Continued improvement in all his studies



## Merit Awards

Week 1 - Mitchell Comitti "Improved attitude and commitment"

## Small School Combined Athletics Carnival

On Monday the 25th of July, Jack and Mitchell travelled to Moulamein to take part in the Small School Combined Athletics Carnival with students from Wakool Burraboi Public and Moulamein Public. Both Jack and Mitchell had successful days with Jack coming 2nd in the 800m, 4th in Shot Put, 1st in the 200m, Discus and Long Jump and 3rd in the 100m. This resulted in Jack being named as Senior Boys Champion. Mitchell also experienced success in placing 3rd in his 200m heat, 2nd in Shot Put, 3rd in Long Jump and the 100m. Both boys are to be congratulated on their efforts on the day.





## How To Install Skoolbag On Your Smartphone

### For iPhone and iPad users:

1. Click the "App Store" icon on your Apple device.
2. Type your school name in the search, using suburb name will help.
3. You will see your school appear, click "Get" then "install".
4. The app is FREE to download.
5. When installed click "Open"
6. Select "OK" to receive push notifications, when asked.
7. Click the "More" button on the bottom right of the App, then "Setup".
8. Toggle on the Push Categories that are applicable for you by tapping the on/off switch.



### For Android users:

You must first have signed up with a Google Account before installing the app.

1. Click the "Play Store" button on your Android Device
2. Click the magnifying glass icon at the top and type in your school name, using suburb name will help.
3. Click the school name when it appears in the search.
4. Click the "Install" button.
5. Click "Accept" for various permissions (please note, we do not modify any of your personal data on your device).
6. Click "Open" when installed.
7. Click the "More" button on the bottom right of the App, then "Setup".
8. Toggle on the Push Categories that are applicable for you by tapping the on/off switch.



Please Note: Some brands of Android phones need the setting in "Notification Manager" changed to "Allow" instead of "Notify" in order for the push notifications to work. The phone must also be running at least version 4 system software to run the app.

### For Windows 81 Phone and Windows 81 or 10 device users:

1. Go to the Windows Store on your 81 Windows Phone or Windows 81/10 Device
2. Search for "Skoolbag" in the keyword app search
3. Install the Skoolbag app
4. Find your school either by using the keyword search or location service.
5. Click the "Pin" icon to pin the school tile to your Windows Phone home screen.
6. Click the "More" button on the bottom right of the App, then "Setup"
7. Toggle the Push Categories that are applicable to you by tapping the on/off switch.

Please Note: The Skoolbag Windows App is for 81 version Windows Phones, or Windows 81 and 10 devices.



## Term 3 - Diary Dates

Please find below the current Term 3 calendar as it stands. Please note that this is subject to change and keep an eye out for any notes that come home.

Term Three	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT/SUN
Week 1	18 July <b>SDD</b>	19 July Students Return  Rachel	20 July  Rachel	21 July Small Schools Combined Athletics Carnival @ Moulamein	22 July  Kara	23 24 July
3	25 July  Kara	26 July	27 July  Rachel	28 July  Kara	29 July Tooleybuc Zone Athletics	30 31 July
3	1 August Leaders Luncheon @ Moulamein Rachel Kara	2 August Open School – Community Visit BBQ Lunch Rachel	3 August  Rachel	4 August  Kara	5 August Short Week	6 7 Aug
4	8 August	9 August	10 August  Rachel	11 August  Kara	12 August Short Week	13 14 Aug
5	15 August  Kara	16 August	17 August  Rachel	18 August	19 August  Kara	20 21 Aug
6	22 August  Kara	23 August	24 August  Rachel Kara	25 August  Rachel Kara	26 August Short Week	27 28 Aug
7	29 August  Kara	30 August	31 August  Rachel	1 September	2 September Riverina Athletics Kara	3 4 Sep
8	5 September Labour Day Public Holiday	6 September	7 September  Rachel	8 September  Kara	9 September Short Week	10 11 Sep
9	12 September  Kara	13 September	14 September  Rachel	15 September	16 September  Kara	17 18 Sep
10	19 September  Kara	20 September	21 September  Rachel	22 September  Kara	23 September Short Week	24 25 Sep
Hols	26 September	27 September	28 September	29 September	30 September	1 2 Oct
Hols	3 October	4 October	5 October	6 October	7 October	8 9 Oct



## Community News

If you wish to have any community news or announcements included in the  
CLARE PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER.

Please forward all items to: [clare-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:clare-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

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Timetable Term 3  
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Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July  
To  
Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	18.7.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	19.7.2016 Staff Office Day	20.7.2016 Booligal Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	21.7.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.30-3.00	22.7.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00
Week 2	25.7.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	26.7.2016 Maudie Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	27.7.2016 Staff training day	28.7.2016 Coly Care 10.00-3.00	29.7.2016 FBC FBC
Week 3	1.8.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	2.8.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	3.8.2016 Booligal Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	4.8.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.30-3.00	5.8.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00
Week 4	8.8.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	9.8.2016 Maudie Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	10.8.2016 Yamma Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	11.8.2016 Coly Care 10.00-3.00	12.8.2016 FBC FBC
Week 5	15.8.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	16.8.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	17.8.2016 Booligal Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	18.8.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.30-3.00	19.8.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00
Week 6	22.8.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	23.8.2016 Maudie care 9.00-3.00 FBC	24.8.2016 Yamma care 10.00-3.00 FBC	25.8.2016 Coly Care 10.00-3.00	26.8.2016 FBC FBC
Week 7	29.8.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	30.8.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	31.8.2016 Booligal Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	1.9.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.30-3.00	2.9.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00
Week 8	5.9.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	6.9.2016 Maudie Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	7.9.2016 Yamma Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	8.9.2016 Coly Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	9.9.2016 FBC FBC
Week 9	12.9.2016 Wanganella Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	13.9.2016 Staff Office Day	14.9.2016 Booligal Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	15.9.2016 Goolgowi Care 9.30-3.00	16.9.2016 Carrathool Care 9.00-3.00
Week 10	19.9.2016 Clare Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	20.9.2016 Maudie Care 9.00-3.00 FBC	21.9.2016 Yamma Care 10.00-3.00 FBC	22.9.2016 Coly Care 10.00-3.00	23.9.2016 FBC FBC