

Clare Connection

Challenges and learning - the heart of our community

Term 1, Week 7

Newsletter Date: Wednesday 8th March 2017

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents and Community Members

We are nearing the half way point of the term and students are well and truly engaged in the learning opportunities provided in our school. It is pleasing to see the students engaging in their work and trying their best to overcome and accomplish new challenges and tasks.

In the coming weeks we will be conducting our first parent/teacher interviews for the year. This is an opportunity for parents and teachers to discuss your child's ongoing progress and share any thoughts or concerns that you may have.

Clare students have recently welcomed some new "kids" to the school, Olivia and Bella. These welcome additions have provided a lot of entertainment for the school. Students have been able to put into practice many of their maths skills through the measuring of formula and feeding quantities.



Last Friday, students travelled to Swan Hill to compete in the Moulamein PSSA Zone Swimming Carnival. It was impressive to watch students take part in their respective individual events, trying their hardest. As a group, students experienced success in the PP6 Relay taking out first place. All students should be extremely impressed with their efforts on the day.

Benjamin Carter

Calendar Dates

Short Week	10/3
Collingwood AFL Visit @ Swan Hill	15/3
Short Week	24/3
Easter Hat Parade—All Welcome	5/4
Netball Skills Day	5/4 (TBC)

Notes home this week

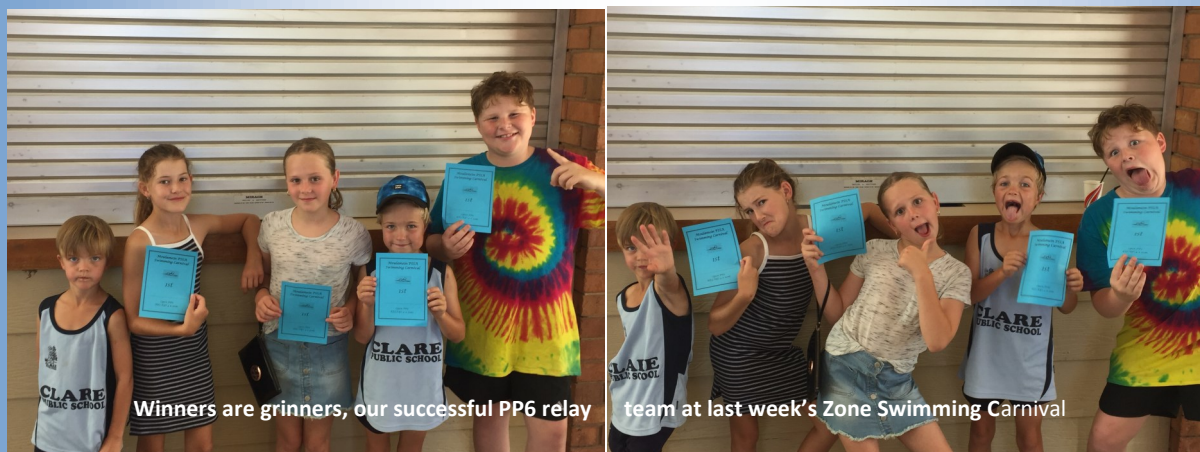
Collingwood AFL Visit

Parent/Teacher Interviews



What we do in our school.

Below are a few snapshots of what we have been up to throughout the last fortnight.



Pancake Learning

Students had a flipping fun time while they focussed on literacy and mathematics rolled into one. They learnt about procedures as a text type and then followed a recipe to make their own pancakes! The pancakes were used to show how things can be cut into fractions - the kids had an all-round great day .



Term 1 - Diary Dates

Please find below the current Term 1 calendar as it stands. Please note that this is subject to change and keep an eye out for any notes that come home.

7	6 March	7 March	8 March	9 March	10 March <i>Short Week</i>	11 12 Mar
8	13 March	14 March	15 March Collingwood AFL Visit	16 March	17 March	18 19 Mar
9	20 March	21 March	22 March <i>Clare Care</i>	23 March	24 March <i>Short Week</i>	25 26 Mar
10	27 March	28 March	29 March	30 March	31 March	1 2 Apr
11	3 April	4 April	5 April Easter Hat Parade Netball Skills Day <i>Clare Care</i>	6 April	7 April <i>Short Week</i>	8 9 Apr
	10 April	11 April	12 April	13 April	14 April <i>GOOD FRIDAY</i>	15 16 Apr
	17 April <i>EASTER MONDAY</i>	18 April	19 April	20 April	21 April	22 23 April
Term Two	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT SUN
Week 1	24 April SDD	25 April ANZAC Day	26 April <i>Students Return</i>	27 April	28 April	29 30 APR
2	1 May	2 May	3 May Rugby Union Skills Day	4 May	5 May <i>Short Week</i>	6 7 May
3	8 May	9 May NAPLAN	10 May NAPLAN	11 May NAPLAN	12 May	13 14 May
4	15 May	16 May Burke and Wills Grand Adventure Performance @ Balranald	17 May	18 May	19 May PSSA Cross Country @ Moulamein	20 21 May

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

Subject: Newsletter articles

The CLARE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER will be published each fortnight.

Last Call

The Clare P&C are putting the final touches into the Time Capsule prior to it's burial. If you have any items that you wish to be included they must be handed to the school office prior to 31st of March. We would hate for someone to miss out so make sure your items are in.



Clare and District Phone, Mobile and UHF Numbers Update



We are currently in the process of updating the Clare and District Contact List. As such we require members of the local community to check the current list attached to ensure that all details are up to date. If you could advise the Clare Public School office of any changes prior to the 22nd of March it would be greatly appreciated.

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