Term 3

AUGUST
Wed 26-Thur 27  Year 9 Girls’ and Boys’ Retreat
Thur 27  Book Week Parade
Fri 28  Volunteers’ Lunch

SEPTEMBER
Tue 1  Prep Fathers’ Night 6:30pm
Tue 1-Wed 2  Year 12 QCS Exams
Wed 2  P and F Meeting 7pm
Thur 3  Secondary Destiny Rescue fund raiser
Thur 3  P and F Fathers’ Day stall
Fri 4  Primary Disco
Mon 7-Tue 8  Year 11 and 12 Exam Block
Wed 2-Thur 3  Year 3 Girls’ camp
Thur 3-Fri 4  Year 3 Boys’ camp
Thur 10-Tue 15  Year 11 and 12 Exam Block
Tue 15-Fri 18  Year 11 Camp
Tue 15-Wed 16  Primary Parent Teacher Interviews 3:15-7pm
Wed 16-Wed 30  Fiji Mission Trip
Wed 16-Fri 18  Year 11 Camp
Thur 17-Thur 24  French trip to Noumea
Fri 18  Last Day Term 3

Term 4

OCTOBER
Tue 6  First day Term 4
Tue 6  P and F Meeting 7pm
Fri 9  Middle School Messy Games
Tue 13  Year 9 Work Experience Information Evening
Fri 16  Middle School Experience Morning
Mon 19  Verification Day - NOT pupil free
Wed 21  Immunisations for all Year 8 boys and girls
Fri 23  Year 7 Survivor Day
Wed 28  5:30pm Sports Awards Night

NOVEMBER
Tue 3  Middle and Senior School Awards Night
Wed 4  PUPIL FREE DAY (Alan November)
Wed 4  P and F Meeting 7pm

COVER PHOTO
Maddie Larson takes out first prize for Sinai in the Middle and Senior School Legacy Cup talent content. More photos are here. Videos can be viewed on our Facebook page.

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Time to Shine Talent Quests

In the big lead up to our Shine Arts Night, our students have been doing auditions for the Legacy Cup Talent Quest. Our Middle and Senior School students had their moment in the spotlight on Tuesday 11 August, the Prep to Year 2 students on Thursday and the Upper Primary on Friday.

Our secondary students were given the brief to keep it light and fun, focusing on audience participation and that is just what they did. We had performances that went from the ridiculous (Jesse Woods in an evening gown) to the sublime with Maddie Roulston playing beautifully on her harp. All performances met the brief of audience participation and a good time was had by everyone. In the end Sinai came first and third with Zion coming in second place.

The Prep to Year 2 competition was a lot more serious and the quality of performances was astounding. Of course these particular students have a cute factor of 100 so it gives them a head start but there was no disputing the talent and hard work they put into their items. We enjoyed a recitation, a solo in German, break dancing, song and dance numbers and even a comedian.

The Upper Primary students weren’t to be outdone when they performed on Friday. Singers, dancers and acrobats featured strongly and it seemed that almost every second act was from Sinai students.

All the photos and some of the videos are on our Facebook page and the photo galleries are on our website as follows: Secondary Talent Quest, Prep to Year 2 Talent Quest, Upper Primary Talent Quest.

Uniforms

It was lovely seeing our Primary students wearing their new vests so soon after going on sale in our Uniform Shop. They looked very smart and hopefully are doing the job of keeping the students that little bit warmer.

By the end of 2016 the changeover to uniforms with the new logo on them will be complete. The GCC Uniform Shop already has the new shirts ready for sale and they look great.

Book Week

For the first time this year Middle School students will be invited to participate in Book Week. As we explore the theme of ‘Books light up our world’ I am looking forward to seeing what they come up with.

Book Week activities are already underway with competitions and challenges in the Library. Of course, the highlight of this event is the Book Week parade which is on Thursday 27 August. I can’t wait to see the creative costumes our students and staff will create and wear for the parade.

Kiss and Go

With the addition of the new car park and extra-long Kiss and Go outside our Year 1 building, we are better off than most schools when it comes to how easy and safe it is to pick up and drop off children.

However, we are hearing complaints of parents arriving early, parking in the Kiss and Go lane for longer than two minutes and subsequently holding up everyone else after them.

The rules for the new Kiss and Go are just the same as the rules for the old one. Parents or caregivers are to stay no longer than two minutes and are not allowed to leave their vehicle. If your child has not arrived at your car within two minutes, you are to leave the Kiss and Go zone, exit the campus and rejoin at the back of the queue.

I know this can be frustrating but it is even more frustrating for the dozens of people you are holding up. It only takes a couple of people to break the rules and the whole turning circle, bus zones and traffic lanes right out to and along Roberts Road are blocked. More importantly, this congestion is a safety hazard to our students.

We have staff on duty at the Kiss and Go and they will be asking people to move on if they stay longer than two minutes. The staff are there to look after the safety of the children so every driver who has to be asked to move on is taking away the attention of our staff from the students at the zone. Please do not be one of these drivers! Do the right thing and obey the Kiss and Go rules.
Volunteers’ Lunch

If you regularly volunteer at the College we would love to treat you to a special lunch made and served by our Hospitality students. The lunch is on Friday 28 August at 12 noon in our Hospitality Café but we must have RSVPs in by no later than 4pm Monday 24 August. RSVP is absolutely essential.

We will also have a small gift for you but unfortunately we couldn’t find any more of those chocolate truffles our volunteers loved so much last year and have been asking for again. This year the gift something practical but inedible.

I look forward to seeing you there.

How to help your child become a better student?

This fortnight’s top tip is very relevant to all the activities we have coming up in Book Week:

Help your child make connections to literature. To help your child get the most out of books, focus on problem-solving, social skills and life experience.

Take your child to the zoo (life experience). Teach them to ask an adult for help if they lose something (problem-solving) or to hold the door for others (social skills). With skills like these, children will be able to relate their own life experiences to those of book characters, improving their comprehension. If they don’t have these life experiences, when they are asked to make deeper connections to reading material, it’s difficult for them.

Mike Curtis, Principal

CHAPPY CHATTER

Building on the SOLID ROCK

I love the way Jesus gives us clear direction to be doers of the word not just hearers that go off and do our own thing. He also cares so much about us, that He will tell us what will happen if we choose to build our life/foundations on just being hearers who choose to build our life on worldly things such as money, emotions, and or possessions.

Matthew 7:24: “Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand. The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash.”

Does your house/life have a firm foundation? I’ve met a lot of people who have built their life on either money, self image, emotions and or possessions and kind of just tagged Jesus on the end. When the hard times hit they end up upside-down in a puddle, wondering what life is all about and blame God for everything.

Sorry but that’s not how Jesus tells us to do life! The key to the house that stood was not in the hearing of the word; the key is in the doing of the word. If we truly call ourselves Christians we need to be doers of the word. Start today by calling out to Jesus, reading His word and doing what it says to do. You can’t lose when you build your foundation on Him because He is the rock!

Chappy Michelle Britton

Showcasing the Arts
P - 12

Now scheduled for Friday 11 September 5pm to 8pm

Drama, Dance, Music, Visual Art

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Time to shine.

What an exciting couple of weeks we have had in Primary with the auditions and the finals for Time to Shine.

It was a busy schedule with auditions every day but the finals made it all worthwhile.

On Thursday we held the Prep – Year 2 finals in the theatre with parents of the finalists and students from P – 2 as the audience. The theatre was packed to overflowing and the students performed like professionals. It was so difficult to decide the winners as there were so many fine performances on the day. So many staff members took on additional responsibilities or duties to make the finals a success on both days.

On Friday the Year 3 – 6 finals were held and we were all delighted by the talent which was displayed and once again the difference between the contestants was minimal. The decision was so difficult that we had to award a special commendation also.

At GCC we have always tried to identify and develop each student’s God given gifts talents. This isn’t always easy where it comes to performing arts but over the past couple of years we have been able to provide more opportunities for students to be able to “shine”.

The Results of the P – 2 Time to Shine were
1st    Connor Waskow – Zion
2nd    Bodie Hetherington - Zion
3rd    Jasmine Hazelden, Talia Demerutis and Annabelle Blinston – Sinai

Great job Zion!

The following students were the winners in the Year 3 – 6
1st    Coby Schmeichel- Sinai
2nd    Alex Cameron and Lara James - Sinai
3rd    Ryan Stead- Sinai
Special Commendation – Lilli-Jean Cruise and Lainey Grieve - Zion

Congratulations to Sinai House on a clean sweep!

Well done to all the contestants in the finals and a special congratulations to the winners. The judges enjoyed EVERY performance.

Placegetters will perform again at their assemblies on a Monday (Year 3-6) or a Wednesday (P-Year 2). They will be informed by Mrs Mitchell and Mrs Rosenberg when they will be performing.

Book Week Parade 27 August

This is one of the highlights of the year and a day which students and staff really enjoy. We always have such a wonderful response in terms of dressing up which makes the Book Week Parade so successful. Students should come dressed as their favourite book character and bring the book with them for the parade. The theme for 2015 is “Books Light Up Our World”.

Remember – the dress up can simply be items you already have at home – just be creative with accessories to represent the Book Character.

Cheryl Bryers, Head of Primary

Sing and Shout

Sing and Shout girls were all smiles as we practised for this Friday’s Shine performance here at school, with a Pizza Party Practice. We sang, ate delicious fresh strawberries, enjoyed some sweet lollies, played crazy games and sang some more. We received our stunning new original T-shirts too. Oh, and of course we enjoyed our tasty pizzas! Something to sing and shout about! Photo show the girls trying to sing with ‘lolly teeth’.

Lin Smith
Our garden has enjoyed the sunshine over the last two weeks and is flourishing with the hint of spring in the air. We harvested lots of juicy red roma tomatoes and a huge bowl of crunchy snow peas, which were eaten fresh before they could find their way into a recipe! We have fertilised our fruit trees before they begin their spring flowering and planted beetroot, corn, sugar loaf cabbage and lettuce seeds into punnets. The master chef’s made ‘Green Potato Cake’ which many of the children decided tasted like a hash brown (although it contained lots of hidden vegetables!) Here is the recipe:

Green Potato Cake

**Ingredients:**
- 4 large potatoes peeled and grated
- 2 shallots
- 1 ½ cups of green leaves (spinach, silverbeet, kale or any combo)
- ¼ bunch parsley
- 6-8 chives
- 2 eggs
- ½ cup of grated tasty cheeses
- salt and pepper to taste
- olive oil for frying

**Method:**
1. Finely chop all the greens and place into a large mixing bowl.
2. Add grated potato, eggs, grated cheese & salt & pepper to taste.
3. Heat 1-2 tablespoons of olive oil in a large non-stick electric fry pan (or use 2 medium sized non-stick fry pans on the stove top) – medium heat.
4. Spread the green potato mix evenly into the fry pan and press down with an egg flip.
5. Cook until golden brown on the bottom then flip the cake over (this may be easier to do in quarters).
6. Continue cooking until browned and cooked through.
7. Cut into smaller portions for serving.

Enjoy! More photos [here](#).

_Mandy Ward, Kitchen Garden Convenor_
Lost time lately?

If so, it could be that you or your child has lost their watch. A number of watches have been handed in to lost property recently. If you think this could belong to you or your child, please check at Main Admin.

Jacqualina Vreeling, Head of Middle School

Senior School News

Are we all that God wants us to be?

Last week we saw the many talents of a number of students on show in the Legacy Cup competition “Time to Shine”. It was a lot of fun and the winning three entries were extremely entertaining. In the end, the winning performance was by a Sinai student, Madeleine Roulston playing the classic “Wrecking Ball” on the Harp (yes you did read that correctly!). In second and third place were two performances from Zion; from Year 10, Jesse Woods performing an act that defies explanation and finally Hayden Snow, our Performing Arts Captain from Year 12 who did a wonderful rendition on the piano. Photos here.

I want to thank all the students who performed and for the great support the Houses gave to this competition.

Occasionally, I enjoy checking out YouTube compilation videos. Recently I saw a set called “People are Amazing”. It reminded me of how diverse are our gifts and abilities. Some of the characters in these videos are not young either! They have honed their talents at different stages in life. God has blessed us all with gifts and talents that he wants us to use. It is our purpose to use these talents for His glory.

As part of our interview process with students in choosing subjects and courses, I constantly have to remind myself that each child that I talk to has a plan for their life that...
was worked out way before they were even born. God has gifted each with the talents and abilities to give each a full and rewarding life.

One of my favourite verses is Proverbs 3:5-6: Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; 6 In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths. We often ask students “What would you like to do when you grow up?” When we should really be reminding them to simply trust God and let Him provide the opportunities in life.

Coming Up…

Fiji Mission Trip is just around the corner. Please continue to pray for our staff and students going. Pray especially for safety and strength as they go through the last few stages of preparation.

Year 11 camp is happening in Week 9. Permission forms and medical forms should now be returned.

Year 11 & 12 Exam Block - Exams this term are in Week 8 and students should now have an established revision program. Please ask your child to show you their revision plan.

Year 10 exams - These are not on at any specific time however all assessment is listed in the assessment planners.

David Heyworth, Head of Senior School

THE SCIENCE SPOT

Combined Chemistry/Science 21 Excursion to Coochin Creek. Chemistry students performing a dissolved O₂ titration.

Coochin Creek

On Wednesday the 5 August, the Year 11 Chemistry students undertook the annual trip to Coochin Creek to analyse the water quality. Joining the Chemistry students for the first time were the Science 21 students. The students performed various tests to determine quantities such as dissolved oxygen, biological oxygen demand, salinity, pH, conductivity, water hardness and water temperature.

The purpose of the excursion was to collect as much information as possible to determine the present quality of the water in Coochin Creek and to compare this data to data collected by previous students between 2012-2014.

The students also collected water samples at different sites along the creek which were analysed by the Analytical Chemistry Department at the University of the Sunshine Coast. The University tested our samples for levels of phosphates, nitrites, nitrates, ammonia and thermotolerant coliforms. The final component of the Extended Experimental Investigation (EEI) required the Chemistry students to design experiments to simulate the possible effects if a fertilizer manufacturing plant was allowed to be built on the banks of Coochin Creek.

The Science 21 students also used the collected data for their EEI. Both EEI's require students to analyse their collected data to answer real life questions concerning the importance of maintaining good water quality in their local catchment area.

Fenton Doolan Head of Science

GCC Students shine at Sunshine Coast Junior Eisteddfod

Every August young performers have the opportunity to enter the Sunshine Coast Junior Eisteddfod to showcase their talents in front of an appreciative audience and professional adjudicator. This is an excellent opportunity for them to build their self-confidence as a performer.

This year GCC had three students who achieved great things:

Andie Little competed in the Vocal Section for 16-18 years and walked away with First Place for both ‘Sacred
This week the Agricultural Science students had an amazing excursion to Warwick for the DAF Hermitage Research Facility. Dakota Davis collected the Paul Johnston Memorial Senior Science award, TASTE Scholarship and Art in Agriculture prizes. Madeline Kinsey collected her first prize for the Year 12 category of Art in Agriculture also, with Taylor Olsen coming in as runner-up. Finally, Thomas Chapman collected his runner-up prizes for the Year 11 Art in Agriculture category.

Teanna Newell made her Eisteddfod debut this year in the Novice String Solo for 11-13 years and made her violin tutor very proud by winning third place (tied).

Cara Bales is also a proud winner as a member of Oriana Youth Choir who competed in and won the Primary School/Community Choir section for Ensembles with 12-30 voices.

If the Eisteddfod is something you would like your child to work towards for next year; then please feel free to talk to their instrumental/vocal tutor.

Penny White

Agricultural Science

Following the awards ceremony, students were shown around the research station by leading scientists and got a taste of different research pathways from grain technology in the lab to field trials in the paddocks. Careers in Agricultural Science were then the next on show with an Agricultural Expo and students had a chance to interact with scientists and experts in their field. Some key experiences included DAF Horticulture, Entomology and Biosecurity learning stations.

The afternoon activities included loads of farm experiences, including milking the cow and toasting marshmallows on the fire at the farm-stay accommodation. An early morning followed, with students sitting in on a Science forum titled ‘Let’s Talk Science: using light to help feed the world’.

Finally, on the way back, a stop over at University of Queensland Gatton campus allowed the students to experience a guided tour through the Poultry Centre by Arun Kumar. Here they learnt of different research being conducted in poultry science and nutrition.

Overall a productive and educational trip that really showcased the extensive career pathways available to Agricultural Science students. More photos here.

Jade King, Head of Agricultural Science
FUTURE PATHWAYS

Guest Speakers at Glasshouse Christian College Simon Banks from Lightmare Studios recently attended Glasshouse Senior Assembly and gave a very exciting presentation on Games Design.


SET Plans

Set Plan Appointments have all but been completed.

It needs to be noted that the SET Plan is a dynamic document and a student’s final program may change at different critical junctures in Year 11 and 12, on the basis of changing circumstances such as student performance and the fluidity of career goals in many cases.

In the course of some interviews, some parents have enquired as to whether they could pursue a Queensland Distance Education subject. Discussions concerning this should initially take place with Mr Heyworth and Mr Steffler.

ANZ School Based Traineeship program

Students who are currently in Year 10 are eligible to apply and will complete their traineeship through years 11 and 12.

The base requirements for the traineeship are passes in Maths and English on the most recent school report.

Trainees will complete one week of work experience through November to give them the opportunity to see what the traineeship is like and they can choose to opt out at this point if they feel it is not right for them. We then ask trainees to work the week before Christmas to commence learning the role basics and they must be available to work every week from January to return to College.

This is important as it enables them to embed the role learnings prior to returning to College and then working 1 day per week in the branch.

Interested students can send their details to: Jenny Boss, Career Development Manager, ANZ Traineeships and Indigenous Employment, Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Ltd. Mobile: 0478 302 248. Level 20, 111 Eagle Street, Brisbane, 4000. Jenny.Boss@anz.com or apply via www. anz.com/indigenousemployment Applications close on 31 August.

The Australian Equine Institute is offering a Certificate III in Horsemanship (Riding, Handling and Behaviour). It is available for students who have completed Year 10, age 15 years and over. It provides for multiple career pathways and also contributes to the QCE in the amount of eight points. Applications close 31 August.

Year 12

The QTAC preparation program run by Mr Nash has continued with lessons focussing on how to order your QTAC preferences, Special Admissions Schemes and Scholarships. Students and parents are reminded that Mr Nash is available.

Students wanting to apply interstate should go to the following website: http://www.qtac.edu.au/applications/applying-interstate

There is a new PowerPoint presentation from QTAC involving the application process for 2015-16. It has been placed on connect. Parents and Year 12 students should view it.

Awarded before you finish Year 12

The University of Southern Qld Vice Chancellor’s Scholarships has recently announced 40 X $12,000 scholarships. It involves a Principal’s Recommendation program. Students must be achieving a minimum ‘B’ average to be eligible for this program. They are also offering 10 X $6,000 uSQ Future Leaders Scholarships. For more information visit: www.usq.edu.au/openday. The closing date is Friday 28 August 2015.

My Future Mini Explorer is a career tool which enables you to work out which jobs you might enjoy based on the education level you have achieved and what areas of learning interests you. My Future Mini Explorer is located at: http://myfuture.edu.au/MiniCareerExplorer/index.html

Upcoming Events

Try a Trade at SkillsTech TAFE Thursday 27 August 2015 from 10am - 2pm at 247 Bradman Street Acacia Ridge Brisbane.

Virtual Open Day – Central Queensland University, Noosa Campus. Online:Thursday, 10 September 2015 10am - 6pm, www.cqu.edu/locations
Vanita Mens has been completing a School-Based Traineeship working under the supervision and training of Martin Vigar of Auscare Pharmacy, Glasshouse Mountains. She is completing a Certificate III in Community Pharmacy. Vanita has consistently demonstrated high standards in her workplace and the theory requirements of the course. She has been rewarded accordingly as the Trainee of the Quarter. Our congratulations go to Vanita on a job well done!

Paul Nash, Future Pathways Coordinator

The Reading Hour – Books and a Blanket Night (Prep-Year 6)

The Reading Hour is held annually across Australia and reminds parents and caregivers that sharing a book with a child for 10 minutes a day, just over an hour a week, is the best way to raise a reader. It’s well known that students who read for pleasure often achieve significantly higher results than their peers, so building routines at home that encourage independent and shared reading opportunities are imperative. This week GCC held a Books and a Blanket Night to provide the perfect opportunity for students to snuggle up and read with a loved one.

More than 100 people attended the event and enjoyed a night out in the Library. It was a sight to behold as students arrived in their PJs with their blankets, books, torches and teddies! Every corner of the Library was filled with people eager to read and join in the fun. Author Aleesha Darlison came along and shared her love of reading and read her latest book Spider Iggy.

Click here for photos of the night.

If you’re looking for inspiration to support reading at home check out the Love2Read site’s reading resources page. You’ll find a wealth of resources links to a host of blogs, websites and organisations that support reading.

LIBRARY NEWS

Library Hours:

The library is open Monday to Friday during term time.
Prep to Year 6 students 8:00am to 3:15pm
Year 7 to 12 students 8:00am to 4:00pm

Homework Club:

Every Thursday (Year 7 to 12) from 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Children’s Book Week
Books light up our world

If you didn’t get a chance to attend our Reading Hour event why not consider attending the Beerwah Library Book Week celebration from 5pm next Tuesday 25 August. Participants are invited to come dressed up as a favourite book character. There’ll be storytelling and fun in the park with craft activities afterwards to help light up your world.

Book Week Dress Up Days (Prep – Year 9)

Next week the College will be celebrating Book Week and how books light up our world! We are looking forward to celebrating this wonderful event and enjoying the following dress-up days. Please see emails for further details on costume expectations.

Year 7, 8 & 9 Book Week Character Dress up Day - Tuesday 25 August from 8:30am-9:20am in the Church.

Prep – Year 6 Book Week Parade - Thursday 27 August from 8:40am – 9:30am in the Senior Undercover Area.

Book Fair

Book Fair will be running from Tuesday 25 August to Friday 28 August and the College community is invited to attend! The Book Fair will be held at the Secondary end of the library from 8am – 3:30pm daily and a large range of Scholastic books and posters will be available for purchase. We are still looking for parent helpers to assist, particularly next Tuesday and Wednesday as students write their wish lists. Please contact Vanessa McKellar at vanessa.mckellar@glasshouse.qld.edu.au if you are interested and note the day/time you are available.

Rewarding Readers – Competition/Event Updates

We are always looking for ways to grow readers at GCC and want to say a special thank you to GCC staff and families who have encouraged students to get involved in the following events and initiatives this year:

Read More in May: Across Australia 6.7 million minutes were recorded for the Scholastic event. GCC students contributed 17,600 minutes to this total and many entered the National competition. A link to the National results can be found on the Library Weebly under iRead>College events>MS Readathon. Special thanks to those who took part and diligently recorded their reading minutes.

Premier’s Reading Challenge: This year the Challenge has been completed in class and teachers will be returning the reading records in the first week of September. Our goal was to reward more readers in 2015 and recording reading minutes at school will help achieve this. Special thanks to class teachers for supporting this new initiative. Certificates will arrive in Term 4 for our worthy reading recipients.

MS Readathon: This annual fundraiser runs throughout August and helps raise funds to provide vital support for Australians living with multiple sclerosis. We are currently looking for more students to take part. To get involved check out the details at www.msreadathon.org.au or pick up a registration form at the Library.

See you at the Book Fair!

Vanessa McKellar, Head of Library Services
Swimming Queensland Free Aquatic Participation Fun Day

Wednesday 14 October, 2015. Caloundra Aquatic Lifestyle Centre, 1 Central Park Rd, Caloundra 4551. 11am – 1pm

Swimming Queensland, with the support of The Georgina Hope Foundation, is offering FREE Aquatic Participation Fun Days throughout Queensland in 2015.

The Fun Day will cater for non-swimmers, beginners, intermediate and advanced swimmers. Aquatic Participation Fun Days provide aquatic education to school teachers and learn to swim teachers on aquatic skills for any child or adult with a disability. This professional development opportunity will enhance aquatic skills and provide practical examples to implement in swimming programs relaxed and safe environment.

For more information and registration, click here.

CORRECTIONS TO DISTRICT ATHLETICS RESULTS

After receiving official results, the following table shows all GCC placegetters at the recent Glasshouse District Primary Athletics Championships. We apologise to those students who were missed or reported incorrectly in the last newsletter.

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SPORTS NEWS

Community Cup Friendly Soccer

Our Year 5 and 6 soccer team was keen to play in the Independent Schools Community Cup competition but unfortunately it was cancelled due to other teams becoming unavailable. However, Noosa Pendari Steiner School were eager to have a friendly game against us as both teams were looking forward to the competition.

Last Wednesday, as the storm was brewing, we played each other at Maroochydore Football Grounds. The teams were quite evenly matched although GCC had the majority of time on the ball. We had several great chances to score but a talented Noosa goal keeper kept the ball out of goal. After some great teamwork moving the ball around in the attacking third Jacob Broderick scored to give us the lead. Shortly after this, Noosa also scored to tie the game up at 1 – 1. Just before half time with the clouds getting blacker our boys sent the ball from the back through to the strikers who combined well to score the winning goal.

Our very talented and skillful attackers, Declan Martin, Jacob Broderick Mason Wilkes and Nik Webb often looked dangerous. They worked together well with ball often being supplied by Bradyn Bell’s long kicks out of midfield. Josh Collins and Mitchell Tidy were also busy in the midfield slowing down many dangerous attacks which the back line was able to clear away to safety. Connor Lubcke and Mason Wilkes were solid in the centre of defence and Bohdi Amendolia and Coby Schmeichel did well clearing the ball up the line on many occasions.

The game had to be called off due to lightning and we dashed to nearby vehicles just as the rain and hail came down! It was a great game for both spectators and players and we look forward to another game if the opportunity arises. More photos here.
Hi Everyone

Don’t forget the pie drive we are running at the moment. Ask your family, friends and neighbours. The delicious pies are from Bucks Bakery Landsborough, supporting a local business. Forms and payment due back to main admin office by Monday 31 August. Delivery is Thursday 17 September. Pies can be collected outside hospitality cold room. Click here for order form.

Fathers’ Day is not too far away. We will be having our annual Fathers’ Day stall Thursday 3 September. There will be lots of lovely gifts ranging from fifty cents to $5, for students to purchase for their dads and/or grandads.

Primary students will have allocated time slots where they come along with their class to purchase throughout the day. Years 7-12 can purchase in first and second break.

If you can spare some time through the day to help with set up between 8am-8:30am and selling from 8:30am-3pm, please email your details to pandf@glasshouse.qld.edu.au.

The next Primary disco is Friday 4 September. Look out for more information coming soon.

Thank you to all those who replied to the email that went out to College families, asking for your suggestions and ideas. We had some great ideas for fund raisers and where we can spend P and F money in our College.

Funfest 2016

We have set the date, Saturday 30 July 30, 2016. Are you interested in being part of the team that organises such a fun and memorable day for our children? We will be having an information meeting in the coming weeks, looking for volunteers for key positions. Day and time will be advised soon.

Our next meeting is Wednesday 2 September at 7pm in library. Everyone is welcome.

Lynelle Sim
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**Kids Zone**
Workshops include
Circus Connect, Craft, Puppets, Tie Dyeing, Dance, Drumming; Games & Face Painting

**Attractions**
Food / Coffee / Chai Stalls / Displays
Got Questions Tent
Ask your faith and life questions

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