

New Uniforms

Thank you so much to Susan O’Shea, our uniform co-ordinator who has put in a tremendous amount of hours organising the new uniform and also to Rachel Fairweather who designed the new logo (there were many drafts that Rachel cheerfully redesigned). The white uniform shirt can be worn indefinitely and, at the bargain price of \$22, we encourage you to buy the last of the stock. Please take the time to personally thank Susan, Rachel and staff for organising the new uniform for the students.



- New Shirts \$30
- White Shirts \$22
- New Skort (Size 10 only) \$20



The Uniform Shop is open from 8.30am—9.00am every Monday.

Administration of medication

Aloomba State School is committed to supporting students’ health and wellbeing. We would appreciate parents/carers providing the school with any relevant health information that is required to support the student at school. This information is also collected at enrolment but needs to be updated regularly, or if a new health condition develops.

Information about medically diagnosed conditions such as allergies, asthma, diabetes and epilepsy and other health conditions that may require school staff to provide support to students, including administering medication and performing health procedures, should be provided to the school. Additionally, any health need that may impact on school activities such as sports, outings (including camps) should also be discussed with the school.

Information should be provided in writing and any specific health plans (only if completed and signed by the medical practitioner) should be included. Please contact the school to discuss any specific requirements.

Please inform the school office staff of any changes to contact details or the contact details of the people nominated as emergency contacts.

Thank you for your assistance in this regard. All information is kept confidential and only disclosed to the relevant staff required to supporting your child.

For any enquiries, please contact the school office on telephone 4043 3888.

Pyramid Race

We need a team of six strong people to help erect and dismantle the school marquee for the Pyramid Race. If you can help at 5pm on Friday 18 August or 10am on Sunday 20 August, please fill in the form below and return to the school office by Thursday 20 July. By volunteering you help our P & C raise over \$400.

Yes, I can help

Friday 18 August @ 5pm

Sunday 20 August @ 10am

Name:

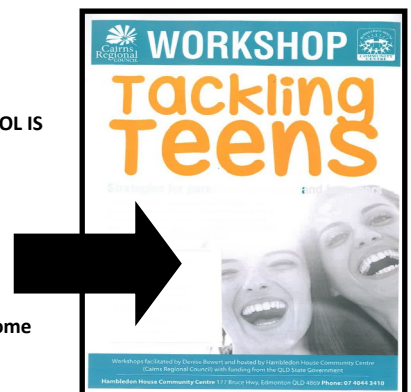
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ALOOMBA SCHOOL IS HOSTING THIS WORKSHOP

Wed 23 August

4.30pm

All parents welcome



Human Relationship Education

Sessions commence 26 July

Denise Bewert is returning to the school to talk to our year 5/6 class about making friends and avoiding conflict, accepting difference, staying safe and what is bullying.

She will also be offering a ‘Tackling Teens’ session for parents of students of all ages. Parents who have attended these sessions in previous years have found them to be very beneficial.

Tennis Lessons

commence 28 July

We have been very fortunate to secure a Sporting Schools grant for term three. On a Friday for 6 weeks, every student will be given a tennis lesson by a qualified coach. Students need to wear suitable shoes, a hat and have their own water bottle to participate.

RSPCA EMU Visit

3 August

RSPCA Qld will visit the school on August 3 to educate our students about fostering kindness and respect for our animal friends.

School Speaking Competition 8 August

Now that the speeches have been written, it is important to keep practising. Mrs Dingwall has given students many tips to make their speeches interesting and engaging.

Gordonvale High

9 August

Year 6 Parent awareness & Information Evening

5.30pm—6.30pm

If you have a child in year 6 who intends to attend Gordonvale High next year, a parent awareness and information evening is being held in D Block of the high school. Interviews will follow between 16 August and 6 September. Please refer to your letter for more details.

Japanese Speaking Competition

10 August

The following students have been selected to represent the school:-

Sophie, Marina, Kimberly, Ava, Marli, Kate, Isabella, Rynece, Alexis, Klaire, Jeffrey and Sienna.

Mrs Smith will contact parents in regards to transportation and expectations for the day.

Butterfly day

11 August

Students can wear blue and donate a gold coin to help protect the Ulysses butterfly.



School Book Fair

16 & 17 August

There will be no Book Club this term as we are hosting a Book Fair in the Library 'Rainforest' on August 16 & 17. Start putting away your spare cash for this wonderful opportunity to purchase books and help the school at the same time.

Calanna Junior Speaking Competition

22 & 29 August

Our top 4 speakers from each age level (Yr 6 and Yr 4/5) in the School Speaking Competition will qualify to participate. They will compete against individuals from a different school in Cairns.

School Performance Tours

25 August

'Let's stamp out Bullying'

The cost of this presentation has been covered by a levy paid by parents at the beginning of the year.

Gala Day - Touch Football Yr 5/6, Soccer Yr 4

Fri 8 Sept

Students will compete against other schools from southern Cairns schools. More information to follow.

Aloomba's Got Talent Final 15 September

Students are encouraged to start thinking about and practising their acts for this school competition. Auditions will commence late August and students will be selected for the final being held on the last day of term.

TERM 4 EXTRA OPPORTUNITIES

It is going to be a busy term with Bowling, Dancing and Swimming beginning to be organised.

TUCKSHOP

	Tuckshop	Home Bake
28 July	Simone C, Narelle H	Megan S, Michelle G

KEY DATES for your CALENDAR

Day	Date	Event
Thu	3 August	RSPCA EMU visit
Tue	8 August	School Speaking Competition
Wed	9 August	Gordonvale High Information Session
Thu	10 August	Japanese Speaking Competition
Fri	11 August	P & C Meeting Butterfly Day