Dear Parents/Guardians,

Our sympathy as a school community is expressed to Rhonda and her family. Unfortunately, her partner passed away suddenly and this has left a huge hole in her life and the life of her son (one of our students). At times, words are not enough to express grief or condolences and Rhonda we just want you to know that we will rally around you as a school community to help where we can.

I wish to express a special thank you to our families who supported our Celebration of Learning lunch last week. Your overwhelming support is greatly appreciated. A special thanks to every staff member and student who ensured the day was a success and a joyful celebration. To those families who missed out, we will be hosting another Celebration of Learning Lunch in Term 4.

Alleygators Ladies Day Fundraiser is almost sold out. If you are planning on attending, but not yet gone to purchase your ticket, I encourage you to get there ASAP as there are only 16 tickets left. This fundraiser will support the installation of a Shaded Beach Volleyball Court/Sand Sensory area for our Secondary School.

Thank you to the families who have actively participated in their child’s SETP meetings and their child’s IEP meetings. IEP meetings will continue to run until the end of term and your participation is most appreciated as we work together to support your child’s learning.

Kind Regards,
Kylie Sargeant
Principal

Dates for upcoming events:

Monday 9th June:
Queens Birthday
Public Holiday

[Image of a crown]
BRAND NEW
TUCK SHOP MENU

OPEN EVERY MONDAY & THURSDAY

Bacon & Zucchini Muffins $3.00 (NEW MENU ITEM)
Cheesy Nachos $3.00 (NEW MENU ITEM)
Quiches: $3.00
Pizzas (ham & pineapple or meat lovers) $3.00
Hot Dogs & Sauce: $3.00
Plain Pies: $3.00
Sausage Rolls: $3.00 (NEW MENU ITEM)
Chicken Nuggets: 6 for $3.00
Popper Juices: $1.00
Super Duper Juice Ice Blocks -Full: .40c
- half: .20c
Brown Paper Bag: .05c

UNIFORMS
Winter uniforms are available for purchase from School Office.
Jackets Size 4 - 16 $25.00
Track Pants Size 6-14 $25.00
Adults Size Track Pants Small & Medium $28.00

Parent Library
Reminder to parents/carers that the Parent Library is open each Friday from 9am in the CLO office in Admin for you to come and borrow books on a fortnightly basis.
Kind Regards Sue Deans (CLO)

AUSTRALIA’S BIGGEST MORNING TEA

A huge thank you to those who came along and supported our morning tea to raise money for cancer research.
Monies raised so far $160.00

Currumbin Alleygators Fundraiser
DONATIONS NEEDED

The local rugby union club will be again holding a Ladies Day Fundraiser on Saturday 14th June commencing at 11:30am.
Monies raised will go towards the construction of a Beach Volley Ball court on the Senior Oval.
If you are able to help with donations of prizes for raffles on the day please contact Jodee Henson on 55599333.

Sunday at 2pm Sunday 25th May at Coolangatta Birch Carroll & Coyle

“Sensory Movie Day” was created for Families with Special Needs.
Children are free to try every seat, flap or stim, lighting stays on dim.
Fire exit doors are monitored for those escape artists.
This movie experience is a positive, non-judgemental experience.
Siblings and extended family welcomed.
"Mr Peabody & Sherman"
Tickets are $8.00 each.
Companion I.D. Card Accepted.
Children 2 years and under are free.
Tickets on Sale NOW!!! Come along and support our event....
Membership Movie Day cards are required to purchase tickets These can be collected from Birch Carroll & Coyle Coolangatta cinema before our screening. For more information or to be added to the mailing list email us on sensorymovieday.goldcoast@hotmail.com
Staff Profile: Tanya McGill- Year 5 Upper Primary

Teaching Qualifications:
Bachelor of Education (Secondary – English and Drama)
Certificate IV Training and Assessment

Teaching Experience:
After completing university in Brisbane my first two years of teaching were in North Queensland on Palm Island, an Aboriginal Community, followed by two more years in Townsville. I then journeyed over to London, England, where I lived and taught for five years in many different schools. It was in London where, dismayed and disgruntled with teaching in main-stream high schools, I was introduced into a whole new world of teaching at a wonderful little school, Mapledown Special School. As an educator I felt inspired and motivated once again. Upon returning to Australia I was lucky enough to have been given a teaching contract at Currumbin Community Special School and have been teaching here for seven years in various roles across the school.

Job Inspirations:
When I see the genuine beaming smiles on the faces of my students experiencing the joy of learning a new skill or enjoying the moment or being lost in the moment!
The supportive, creative and positive energy provided by the staff with whom I work.

What refreshes me:
The ocean, exercise, live music, a massage! Hanging out and being silly with my daughter.

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**ROBINA LIONS CLUB MOVIE CARNIVAL**

*Movie Carnival will be held at Birch Carroll & Coyle Event Cinemas Robina, Cnr Collyer Quays & Lido Promenade, ROBINA TOWN CENTRE on Saturday 31st May 2014 at 9:30 for a 10:00am screening.*

*Invitations are specifically for special needs and disadvantaged children and their carers.*

**Please note that parents and/or carers will also need entry tickets.**

*Two movies will be screened:*

*Mr Peabody and Sherman— for the older children. Rated PG.*

*The Lego Movie— for the younger children. Rated PG.*

*Both movies last about 1hr 45mins and will finish between 11:45am and 12:00noon.*

*If you would like to receive free tickets please fill in the tear off slip below:*

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**ROBINA LIONS CLUB MOVIE CARNIVAL**

*AS WE HAVE ONLY BEEN GIVEN A LIMITED AMOUNT OF FREE TICKETS, MOVIE TICKETS WILL BE GIVEN OUT ON A FIRST IN BEST DRESSED BASIS AND LIMITED TO FOUR PER FAMILY.*

*I would like ______ (number of tickets) to see ______________________ (name of movie)*

*Students Name: __________________________ Parents/Carers Name: __________________________*

*Phone Contact Details: __________________________*

*Please return this slip no later than Tuesday 27th May 2014.*
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What makes you happy?

We have been exploring our emotions through the use of PODD, Proloquo2go, photographs and role play. Our favourite emotion has been happiness and talking about what makes us happy. We listened and danced to Pharrell William’s song “Happy” which made us feel very happy! We are finding other emotions more difficult to talk about, for example, being angry or sad or worried. Sometimes we can feel many emotions at the same time or within minutes of each other. This can be very frustrating. It takes practise to manage our emotions. Keep smiling! (Year 5, Miss Tanya’s Class)

Jemima said/wrote: “Riding my horse Ned makes me happy.”

Kalahan said/wrote: “Swinging makes me happy.”

Liam said/wrote: “Dancing with Jemima makes me happy.”

Because I’m happy......clap along if you know what happiness is to you........

(Pharrell Williams, ‘Happy’)

Daniel said/wrote: “Swimming makes me happy.”

Matthew said/wrote: “Drumming makes me happy.”