Date Claimers

12 November—Maths Workshop
12 November—Interhouse Swimming Carnival
13 November—Pre–prep ICT & Meet the Buddies
11 November—Dance—Jungle Theme
14 November—Spellathon
17 November—P&C Meeting
20 November—Book Club closes
22 November—BBQ Woolworths

See back page for more Date Claimers

INGHAM STATE SCHOOL DATE CLAIMER

12/11/14 Interhouse Swimming Carnival 24/11/14 Raffle—Hamilton Island Holiday—
12/11/14 Math’s Workshop for Parents ALL books (sold or unsold) and
13/11/14 DISCO—Jungle Theme money MUST BE RETURNED to the
13/11/14 Final Prep Session—ICT and Office.
principle.
14/11/14 Spellathon. Forms and money must Meet the Buddies
also be returned.
20/11/14 Book Club Issue 8 CLOSES 27/11/14 District Finals Frank Fraser
22/11/21 BBQ Woolworths—Years 6 & 7 Free Christmas Day—Christmas Theme
Graduation Fundraising 04/12/21 P & C Christmas Break Up
24/11/22 Years 6 & 7 to ISHS Christmas Carols 3:30–7:30pm
24/11/11 City V Country Swimming Carnival 05/12/12 Crazy Hair Day
5:30 Warm up/6:30 start 10/12/12 Graduation Years 6 & 7
12/12/12 End of Term 4

INGHAM STATE SCHOOL SWIMMING CARNIVAL
WEDNESDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2014
TIME/EVENT SUMMARY

8:50 Classes assemble at school, walk to pool
9:00 Assemble into Houses/marshalling for butterfly
9:15 Butterfly Breaststroke Backstroke Freestyle
Relays—Freestyle and Medley if time permits
12:00 Return to school

Please Note: No children are to be sent to the marshalling area unless the announcer has called
for the event. All children are to remain with their teachers until scheduled breaks (this means that
they are not allowed to visit their parents until scheduled breaks).

In Medley relay events, individual swimmers will cover one each of the four swimming strokes in the following order: Backstroke, Breaststroke, Butterfly and Freestyle.

LATE ARRIVAL AT SCHOOL
We remind ALL students arriving late to school they MUST first report to the Office for a Late Slip then go to their classroom.

Book Club Issues 8
Issue 8 Brochures have gone home and the closing date is 20 November.
No orders can be accepted after the 20 November so that books may be ordered, received and given to students before the end of the school year.

DISCO THURSDAY 13 NOVEMBER
JUNGLE THEME
Prep to Year 3: 5:00 to 6:30pm
Years 4 to 7: 6:45pm to 8:45pm
$4.00 ENTRY FEE per student
Includes 1 sausage & 1 drink
$1–50 for extra sausage
50c for extra drink

SPOTLIGHT

2015 ENROLMENTS ARE BEING ACCEPTED.
ENROLMENT PACKAGES ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE.
BIRTH CERTIFICATES MUST ACCOMPANY ENROLMENT APPLICATIONS.

HATS & HOMEWORK BAGS
School Hats.............$10
Homework Bags ... $10
Water Bottle Coolers...$5
Call into the Office at any time to purchase these items.

SCHOOL NEWS
Birth Certificates
Birth Certificates are required for all students enrolled or enrolling at a school (Education Queensland). There are two types of certificate: standard and commemorative. Only the standard birth certificate is a recognised identity document and this is used when enrolling at a school. When enrolling, birth certificates are sighted, copied and filed.

We are required to follow up on all students who do not have the mandatory birth certificate.

We recommend a standard birth certificate, which is issued at a hospital and contains details of the birth on it.

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Mrs Holmes will be delivering our maths workshop tomorrow night from 7.00pm until 8.30pm. She is really excited to have this opportunity to give parents information on how to best help their child at home but also just to let parents know what we are doing at school.

So many parents tell us how much they hated maths at school or how differently children do maths now compared to when they went to school! Gayle will take you through the assessment process. She will explain to you a little about the different uses of assessment. She will concentrate on the language of maths and talk you through a guide to making judgements. Please feel very welcome coffee and biscuits will be available.

Don’t forget our school Disco is on this Thursday there is a jungle theme. The grade 6s and 7s really want it to go well as it is our last disco for the year and they want everyone to really enjoy what for them will be their last disco at Ingham State School.

In week 7 commencing November the 24th we have the opportunity for a parenting workshop. It will be run by Denise Swayne (if interested please contact Marianne). She is the Kids Matter support officer at District Office. Her presentation will incorporate how children take in information, brain development and strategies to manage behaviour. Kids Matter is an important framework that helps us provide the most supportive environment possible at our school. The philosophy that we espouse at this school and which we write about often, reflect 6 of the Kids Matter framework’s guiding principles:

1. The best interests of children are paramount
2. Respectful relationships are essential
3. Diversity is respected and valued
4. Parents and carers are recognized as the most important people in children’s lives
5. Parents and teachers support children best by working together
6. Students need to be active participants

Our discipline audit went really well. Thank you to the P&C members who came to talk to the auditor and the parents who were selected randomly by the auditor. The feedback from the auditor was positive about our school; below are some aspects of her report and you can access further on our school website. http://inghamss.eq.edu.au

Affirmations:
• The school works closely with the local high school on sharing curriculum and pedagogical practices for the positive transition of Year 6 and 7 students to Junior Secondary.
• There is strong alignment between the Annual Implementation Plan (AIP) Priorities, Developing Performance Conversations and the school’s Professional Learning Plan.
• Teaching staff undertake weekly lessons in the Bounce Back social emotional wellbeing program linked to the Focus of the Week.
• Teaching staff enter major and repeated minor inappropriate behaviour records in OneSchool. They are entering Gotta awards and Blue Cards as positive records.
• The school routinely provides all staff members with behaviour professional learning opportunities.

Recommendations:
• Maintain the wide range of positive rewards and follow up strategies for student attendance in consultation with key community agencies and families.
• Continue to provide annual ESCM professional learning opportunities for all staff members.
• Maintain classroom profiling as one of the consistent agreed approaches to positive behaviour support in the school. Consider training additional classroom profilers to extend the professional learning of staff members.
• Develop sustainable processes and procedures for entering positive learning behaviour records in OneSchool.
The Whole School Supportive Behaviour Focus

Gotcha Cards

‘I am safe. I keep my hands and feel to myself.’

Thursday 20 November
Linda Ballin

Thursday 13 November
Tuesday 18 November
Amanda Lenzo

Monday 17 November
Lina Marmara, Lynda Wright

Karen Harragon

Wednesday 12 November
2014 Tuckshop Roster
Day of school in 2015 and will reopen on
Stock taking. Tuckshop is also closed on the first
December, the last 2 days of the school year,

NOTICE:

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from Years 6 and 7 to volunteer for the Sausage

5.30—7.30pm.

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2014 Prep Open Days
Thursday 13 November ICT & Meet the Buddies
Session Time: 9:00 to 11:00am

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HAMILTON ISLAND RAFFLE
PARENTS—YOUR HELP IS NEEDED NOW!
CLOSES 24 NOVEMBER
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CERTIFICATES
Presented on Assembly 07 November

GOLD CERTIFICATES
1AJ Ethan
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100 NIGHTS READING
6NR Breanna

PARENTS!

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Y E A R S 6 & 7 G R A D U A T I O N
F U N D R A I S I N G

Date: 22 November—BBQ
Where: Woolworths

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From Laura Giuffrida

P & C Major Fundraiser
HAMILTON ISLAND HOLIDAY RAFFLE
The raffle prize is 4 nights at the Reef View Hotel on Hamilton Island for 2 adults and 2 children with many wonderful benefits.
There are wonderful incentive prizes for those who sell or purchase a complete book of raffle tickets such as: Book Seller’s Prize * Individual Prizes * Family Holiday Promotion
Ticket Books are available from the Office and may be collected by students and/or parents.

Thank you from Ingham State School P&C

All monies and tickets (including unsold tickets) are to be returned to the School Office by 24 November 2014

TALKING TUCKSHOP
Our Interhouse Swimming Carnival will be held tomorrow. We will be having 3 different lunch breaks to suit the days timetable. First break will be as normal for the junior school who will not be attending the swimming carnival. Second break will be for all students attending the carnival and the third break will be at 1:30pm.
The Disco this Thursday night requires parents from Years 6 and 7 to volunteer for the Sausage Sizzle.

Tuckshop Dinner held last Saturday was most enjoyable—thanks everyone!

NOTICE: Thursday 11 December and Friday 12 December, the last 2 days of the school year, Tuckshop will be closed to allow for cleaning and stock taking. Tuckshop is also closed on the first day of school in 2015 and will reopen on Wednesday 28 January 2015.

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P & C Association
STATION HOTEL
MEAT RAFFLE & CASH JACKPOT
Presented on Assembly 07 November

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1AJ Chloe, Yanon 1WT Charli
1/2ES Jamari
2CP Chelsea, Flint
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2015 SCHOOL YEAR
Term 1: Tuesday 27 January—Thursday 02 April
Term 2: Monday 20 April—Friday 26 June
Term 3: Monday 13 July—Friday 18 September
Term 4: Tuesday 06 October—Friday 11 December

2014 SCHOOL YEAR
Term 4: Friday 12 December
Public Holidays
Christmas Day—Thursday 25 December
Boxing Day—Friday 26 December

FRIDAY NIGHT STATION HOTEL RAFFLES
URGENT! URGENT! VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!
Friday 14 November
Grant & Deanna Swarbrick
Friday 21 November
2 VOLUNTEERS PLEASE
Only 4 weeks to go!
We require volunteers for the following Fridays: 21 November 28 November 12 December
Please, if you can help out on any of these Friday nights, ring the Office on 4776 9333.

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