Great Results Guarantee (GRG)
The Queensland Government is investing an additional $131 million in 2014 to improve student performance in Queensland state schools through the Great Results Guarantee program. Over 4 years almost $800 million will be invested in Queensland state schools. This additional funding is being provided to every state, territory and schooling sector by the Federal Government under its Students First - A fairer funding agreement for schools initiative.

All 1233 Queensland state schools, including Independent Public Schools, will receive a share of the funding and enter into an agreement that commits them to guarantee that every student will either:

- achieve the National Minimum Standard for literacy and numeracy for their year level, or
- have an evidence-based plan, developed by the school, in place to address their specific learning difficulties.

State high schools will share in an additional $30 million to be distributed across all year levels, with a particular emphasis on the early years of high school. This additional funding will be particularly important for students entering high school with low levels of literacy and numeracy.

The region has placed an emphasis on reading. This has led our school based evidence plan to include a reading comprehension program – CARS & STARS Plus. This will address some of our identified specific learning difficulties in literacy. The CARS & STARS Plus program is being implemented as a cluster program. Collinsville State School, Scottville State School and Collinsville State High School staff, have been involved in a rigorous five week training plan to ensure all targeted students will be receiving explicit instruction and support in the teaching of reading comprehension.

CARS & STARS Plus is a powerful combination of assessment and instruction that works effectively together to improve every student's reading comprehension. By focusing on 12 core strategies, CARS & STARS Plus gives students the essential tools they need to improve their reading comprehension skills.

Presented by Jamila and Chris from Brainstorm Productions, the school funded hour long show addresses cyber bullying in schools and helps improve student mental health and wellbeing.

Ruby loses her moral compass on blogs, Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat and MSN. She is instantly banished to "Cyberia". Tim is in self-imposed exile playing online games.

When they indulge in cyber bullying and anti-social behaviour it creates havoc in the real world. They suddenly realise they can't just press the "undo" button to retrieve their relationships, reputation, dignity and most of all their privacy.

In consultation with IT, education and mental health experts, our creative team have woven together true stories of Gen Y/Z's internet experiences. It poses questions about how the digital age is affecting our brains, our humanity and our future.
Whitsunday Trials Done and Dusted

Last Thursday was the final cluster trials for the Whitsunday region, leaving only Athletics and Cricket trials to round out the year in Term 3. Owen Williamson was successful last week claiming his position of goalkeeper in the Whitsunday squad to travel to Townsville next Tuesday. Throughout the Semester we have had many students trial and be successful in making it through the district round, to head to regional trials. Congratulations to all students for their Owen Williamson participation and hard work in all trials, and congratulations to the following students for being selected in the Whitsunday teams for their respective sports.

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“Chappy “ Week

Hi my name is Andrew Poole and I am the School Chaplain. Last week celebrated “Chappy Week” from the 18th – 25th May. Chappy Week is all about promoting and acknowledging all the great things Chaplains are doing in their schools and communities. Last Thursday 21st May we had students and teachers wearing a black shirt to show their support towards Bowen Chaplaincy.

The day started with a free Chappy breakfast with students and staff attending enjoying hot Pancakes with Juice and Milo. At 1st Break we had a Half-way Basketball shooting Chappy challenge with a special mention to Troy Simpson and Rohan Gordon with successful half-way shoots.

2nd Break we had the Chappy challenge Basketball game with the Chaplain’s playing the Students in a full court game. It was a great game with students across all grades having a chance to play with the chappies.

It was a great day and we had a lot of fun and I would like to thanks everyone for their support and participation.

Who are School Chaplains?

School chaplains help students find a better way to deal with issues ranging from family breakdown and loneliness to drug abuse, stress and anxiety. They provide a listening ear and a caring presence for kids in crisis and those who just need a friend. All have a passion to improve the lives of young people.

Chaplaincy supports young people in one of the most complex environments in our society — the school. Today, there are over 1,650 state schools with NSCA chaplains across the country. These chaplains provide a safe and supportive influence.

What do School Chaplains do?

• They are active in promoting student wellbeing, particularly through the provision of pastoral care.
• They encourage reflection about spiritual dimensions of life.
• They have an educative role in the areas of beliefs, values, morals, ethics and religion.
• They work as part of the school support team to facilitate connection into the school network and wider community of students who are suffering from bereavement, family breakdown or other crisis and loss situations.

Services provided should be appropriate to the school and student context in which they will operate. As such chaplains will be expected to respect the range of religious views and affiliations, and cultural traditions in the school and the community, and be approachable by students of all faiths. It is not the purpose of chaplaincy services to bring about or encourage commitment to any set of beliefs.

It is important to note that school chaplains cannot provide services for which they are not qualified, for example, counselling services, psychological/medical assessment. The key tasks of a chaplain may include facilitating access to the helping agencies in the community, both religious-based and secular, with the approval of the School Principal.

JCU Visit

This week the Year 9, 10 and 11s were visited by James Cook University’s Mikaela Dockrill as well as ambassadors Wynnita and Chase. Wynnita spoke about her studies of law at JCU while Chase told the group that he is at JCU for only six months from the University of Minnesota which is one of the largest universities in the USA, with over 60,000 students. The information session involved students completing a quiz to find out areas that they are most interested in such as construction, science or the creative arts. Students then explored the various jobs/careers available to them when they leave school, ranging from those that could be obtained without any skills right through to those requiring university course completion. An unsccramble the words activity was the final activity where students had to identify course available for study at JCU. Many thanks to JCU for coming to visit us!
THAT’S TOPS
Congratulations to this fortnight’s recipients of the
That’s Tops Awards:
Casey Holloway (Yr 11), Lee Schomberg (Yr 8),
Tom Grant (Yr 10) & Ryley Bulloch (Yr 10)

Student Council Fundraiser
Student Council members are embarking on their next fundraising venture, a chocolate drive, just in time for the cooler weather. Chocolates are $1 each and money and unsold boxes need to be returned to the office by no later than Friday 20 June (Week 9). If you should sell your box and are after more they can be collected from the office.

Thank you for supporting our students in their fundraising efforts.

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Theatre Restaurant “Man of Steel”

The countdown is on! In just over two months the much anticipated Theatre Restaurant production of Man of Steel will be unveiled. Lovers of the classic cartoon will become engrossed in this comical production set in Collinsville where Ken Clarke joins the Daily Trivia crew of Gerry Black, Bobby Bensen and Linda Street.

Director Sue Lawn is extremely proud of all the students, staff and community members who have been involved in making the production a success, as without their enthusiasm and commitment a production such as this simply wouldn’t be possible. Performers and dancers have been rehearsing all term under the direction of Ms Williams, Miss Cooper and Mrs Lawn, giving up countless afternoons and lunches, and are getting ready to showcase their talents to the community.

Props and sets are being constructed to ensure the show goes off without a hitch. Our talented Hospitality teacher Ms Green along with the Year 11/12 Hospitality class are preparing to serve delicacies to our patrons on the night, and once again Mrs Batchelor is spending countless hours ensuring every aspect of the show is coming together.

Man of Steel is definitely a production that brings to life the famous cartoon hero fighting evil in the city. It will be staged on Friday 8th August at the Collinsville Community Centre. A 3-course meal and guaranteed laughs will be served on the night. Tickets will be available for purchase from the school office in early July. Watch this space for more details as they arrive. Save the date as this is a production not to be missed!
CSCSC Inc. SUNDAY CHARITY BINGO
"JELLY BABY" SPECIAL Sunday 1st June, 2014
11am CWA HALL

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$2,000 in 51 calls
$500 in 57 calls

Get Six $666.66
Jelly Baby month merchandise to be won.

School Dental
Appointments are still being taken for School Dental.
If your student is in Year 8,9 or 10 then you are still eligible to receive dental treatment at the Collinsville MPHS. To book your appointment please phone 0417 615 438.

Totally Chocolate Chocolate Chip Cookies

Ingredients:
125g bittersweet chocolate (minimum 70% cocoa solids)
1 cup all purpose flour
1/4 cup unsweetened cocoa, sieved
1 tsp baking soda
1/2 tsp salt
1 stick (8Tbl/115g) of unsalted butter
1/2 cup soft light brown sugar
1/4 cup granulated sugar
1 tsp vanilla extract
1 large egg (use cold from the fridge)
2 cups bittersweet chocolate chips

Method:
1. Preheat oven to 170°. Melt bittersweet chocolate either in the microwave or in a heatproof dish over a pan of simmering water.
2. Put the flour, cocoa, baking soda and salt into a bowl.
3. Cream the butter and sugars in another bowl. Add melted chocolate and mix together.
4. Beat in vanilla extract and cold egg. Then mix in dry ingredients. Finally stir in the chocolate chips.
5. Scoop out 12 equal sized mounds - and ice-cream scoop and palette knife are the best tools for the job, and place on a lined baking sheet about 6cm apart. Do not flatten them.
6. Cook for 18 minutes, testing with a cake tester to make sure it comes out semi-clean and not wet with cake batter. If you pierce a chocolate chip, try again.
7. Leave to cool slightly on a baking sheet 4-5 minutes then transfer to a cooling rack to harden as they cool.

FOR SALE
Second-hand Boys Formal Shirt - worn once
Chest size 80cm $30.00
Enquire at the school office

GLOW PARTY
FRIDAY JUNE 13
You are invited to a night of spooky fun on Friday 13 June at Collinsville High School. Food! Music! Dancing! Games! Horror!

WHO: All Collinsville students in Yrs 6-9
WHERE: B3/4 room
TIME: 6.30pm start
TICKETS: $5

(Tickets are to bought from YOUR school office)
Ticket price includes BBQ dinner, drink and snacks. Glow products can be purchased on the night.

This Week's Recipe....
....comes to us from Ms Liz Cooper, who has returned part time after the birth of her son last year.