From the Principal

For those who weren’t at the Awards Night, I publish an extract from my speech.

Good Evening Ladies and Gentlemen, students and of course our special guests. It is very gratifying actually to have so many special guests here tonight. In particular could I please acknowledge Cathy O’Toole the Federal Member for Herbert, Townsville’s Mayor Jenny Hill and Lyal Giles from the Department of Education and Training. As the night progresses could I please ask you all to listen to the many places that our special guests come from, and the support that they give our school. Lowes, Torgas, Heron Todd White, AusIMM, TAFE, the Defence Forces to name just a few.

It feels like just yesterday that I stood before you in this venue for the first time. It was a year ago, and I’d been here for four or five weeks. I could see the potential, but I didn’t really know at that time how great our school is! It’s an absolutely wonderful school filled with amazing students and caring teachers.

And over the last twelve months I’ve come to appreciate that the things that really make our school great are lots of things that can’t exactly be measured, the intangible things. I’d like to highlight some of them for you.

Opportunity – Town High gives our students an amazing range of opportunities.

Academically we offer subjects that other schools don’t like Aerospace Studies. You may not know that three of our students are finalists in some awards in the Aerospace field, and those awards are presented at Parliament House in Brisbane. We offer Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies – something that I’m immensely proud of, we won the ATSIAP challenge at James Cook University, and we’re the only school outside of Brisbane that has hosted the QATSIF Awards. That’s not to mention programs like CREST Awards in Science, or that one of our students was on an American television show about science and the environment.

If you want sporting opportunities we start with our Tropics Basketball program, a teacher who is a former Olympian for Basketball, with a group of dedicated teachers/coaches working with committed students – and you do know that it is one of our students who is the youngest ever signing to the Townsville Fire. We’ve had a student represent Australia in Futsal, we were second in the cross country, we’ve played soccer and rugby sevens and participated in surf lifesaving. Not to mention the usual athletics and swimming.

Culturally we have an amazing range of gifted performers who sing like angels. If you attended the night of the Artz Expo you heard some of them, you saw some of our talented dramatic performers, and the artwork that was displayed was outstanding. When we gave our students the opportunity to be involved in our annual musical, didn’t they jump at that chance! The room was filled for every performance. Now I’ve told a few people that I really don’t like musicals, but I have to tell you that musical with our students performing was entertainment plus!

Now, I hope everyone will excuse me for a minute, I’m going to be a bit cheeky and I’m just going to do a Johnathan Thurston. If you remember, when the Cowboys won the Grand Final, JT used his moment to suggest on TV that we needed a new stadium in Townsville. Well, like Thurston I’m going to take our moment of celebration here tonight to suggest to the politicians and Regional Office staff in the room, that given the large numbers of students involved in successful performances like the Artz Expo and Musical, with large numbers of parents and community in the audience – do you think you could find...
I was talking about the intangible things that make Town High the great school that it is. I mentioned the marvellous opportunities for our students and next I’d like to mention the caring and accepting, tolerant nature of our school. It’s brilliant. On a daily basis I see and hear teachers finding the best ways to assist their students. And I’m not only talking about their schoolwork. Our teachers go beyond what is required. They run a Tutorial on Wednesday afternoons after school, they walk up and down Castle Hill for 24 hours, attend camps – but they also go in ambulances with students when parents aren’t available, they seek out mental health support options and things like that. And not just the teacher, the students too. I’ve seen some of our students come to the Office to let one of the deputies know that another students isn’t travelling too well and needs assistance – whether that’s school related or not.

You can’t put a value on those things – and they make our school great.

**Rob Slater**

**Principal**

### Important Information for All Parents

We continue to have issues with parents accessing the front administration car park to drop off or collect their child/children. Please note the sign on the front gate which clearly states that THIS IS NOT A PICK UP OR DROP OFF ZONE.

All pick up and drop offs must occur in the designated areas (beside the school near the Chinese club, along Boundary St in front of the school, in First St behind Stanton Lodge).

We value your child’s safety and request you adhere to the designated pick up and drop off zones.

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### Townsville State High School Facebook Page

Our Facebook page has been active since late last year and it is terrific to see the amount of content about our students and school programs appearing on the site and being updated on a daily basis. To view the page and post a message, please access via this link and once on the page, hit ‘like’


We are following a clear and strict set of guidelines related to Facebook usage by schools and our ‘gatekeepers’ are currently doing a fantastic job of monitoring content!

Please remember that this page is used to provide all ‘likers’ with information about school events. Any queries regarding enrolments, absences, fees, reports & the like must go through the correct & official procedures – Please call the school office on 4721 8777.

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### Payment of 2016 Textbook and Resource Hire Fees

Participation in the 2016 Student Resource Scheme requires payments as follows:

**Yr 7-9 $170.00** ; **Yr 10-12 $195.00**

Plus some subject specific costs for Year 10/11/12 students.

Payment may be made in full as a single payment or by instalments.

Please refer to the Participation Agreement Form forwarded with the invoices for 2016. If you do not have a copy of the Participation Agreement Form you can collect a copy from the school office.

Please elect to participate or not participate in the scheme on the Agreement Form and return to the school as soon as possible. Non-payment of the participation fee by the designated payment date(s) may result in debt recovery action being undertaken for the overdue participation fee which may result in extra costs being incurred by the parent/carer.

Non-payment of the participation fee will also result in withdrawal of students from extra-curricular activities some examples include: school camps, afternoon sports, NQ Sports, Vocal and Guitar Lessons, use of the School buses, Yr 12 Formal, Senior Jerseys, School Magazine, posting out of school reports.

### Coming Events

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For your convenience, the school office has Eftpos facilities and can be processed either in person or over the phone. The school also accepts payment via Direct deposit to the school’s bank account – BSB 064-819; Account 00090292 and stating the student’s name and invoice number.

Thank you to those parents who have already attended to payment of Textbook/Resource Hire Fees. Payment of school fees and return of text books ensures a fair and equitable distribution of resources. Thank you for your assistance.

Narelle Searston
Business Services Manager

QParents Registration

Thank you to those parents/caregivers who have registered for ‘QParents’, which is a secure online parent portal. The online portal allows you to electronically notify the school of any student absence, check on the attendance and behaviour of your child, view a student’s current timetable and subjects, update contact details and receive any accounts for payment.

![QParents Registration](image)

Would you like to:

- check your child’s timetable on your phone, tablet or computer?
- access your child’s report cards online?
- pay school invoices online with a credit card?
- notify the school of your child’s absences and monitor attendance?
- engage more closely with your child’s school?

Visit qparents.qld.edu.au to find out more.

THE SYSTEM IS EXCELLENT AND HIGHLY RECOMMENDED TO YOU!

All parents/caregivers should have received a mail package and emails about how to complete registration. Please contact the office if you need any support to register.

From the Rolls Office

Student absences are to be explained by a parent/caregiver to the Rolls Officer stating the reason and dates of absence. This may be done by phoning the school on 4721 8777 or 4721 8756 or by emailing absencesadmin@townsvilleshs.eq.edu.au. Student absences of three or more days due to illness require a medical certificate. Medical Certificates should be emailed to the above email address or hand delivered to the Rolls Office. Your prompt assistance with explanation of absences will be greatly appreciated.

Students Taking Early Leave

With Christmas holidays approaching, several students have advised they will be finishing school early to begin their holidays. This number appears to be continually increasing, along with the expectation that teachers ensure students are given time to complete assessments, in particular tests, before they finish for the term.

From this point onwards, we will not be withdrawing students from classes to allow them to complete assessments before they go on an early holiday. Students who are finishing early must complete any due assessments/exams. The school will provide an opportunity for students to complete assessment during lunch breaks under the supervision of staff members.

This situation does not apply to students who are genuinely ill or have a family emergency or bereavement. We will negotiate with families to catch up any missed assessments in these cases.

We would appreciate your understanding in this matter and realise that sometimes families do need to commence their holidays early. However, the large number of students this often involves makes it unmanageable to complete assessments in class time. It is important for students to be attending every day. Year 12 students finish on Friday 20th November. Year 10 and 11 finish on the 27th of November, and the Year 7, 8 and 9 cohort final day is the 11th of December.

We are always happy to talk with families individually and where possible, make alternative arrangements for completing assessments.

PROCEDURES FOR LATE ARRIVAL/ EARLY DEPARTURE

Should a student arrive late to school, a letter of explanation or a note in the Student Diary from the student’s parent/caregiver is required. This letter or note must be presented to the Rolls Office if the student is arriving at school after 8:45am.

If there is a need to collect your student from school early, you must do so via the front office and sign your student out. A note should be written in your student’s Student Diary, the student then presents the note to the Student
Counter before school. A Leave Request will be given. The student will show this to their teacher when they need to leave the class.

Lunch passes will NOT be approved. This applies to students of all year levels.

Students who feel unwell at school must first report to the class teacher who will direct them to the General Office with a note to this effect. During morning or lunch time recesses, students should report directly to the Office.

Facilities for housing sick students are limited. Sick bay is used as a holding station only. Please ensure your contact details are up to date so that we can phone parents and send students home as quickly as possible.

Students late to school

We still have a number of students arriving late to school. Can we please remind you that if a student is late, they need a letter of explanation to be presented to the main office on arrival.

It is important that students arrive to school on time each day in order for them to be prepared for their classes. Many students are missing TAG which means that they are not getting notices and messages from their teachers. This can mean that they are late to classes or miss out on notes to go home.

We value your students’ learning. Please continue to work with us to achieve the best possible outcomes for your child/ren.

Junior Secondary News

The Townsville State High School Year 6 into Year 7 Transition Day # 2 – A day in the life of a Town High Student is coming up soon.

Purpose: Transition Day # 2 will provide students, and teachers with another opportunity to make new friends and participate in a program which is aligned to a typical day at Townsville State High School. Parents are welcome to stay with their student until 9:15am. Students will then transition to their first class with Year 7 leaders.

Where: Townsville State High School: Hall (to begin and conclude)
Date: Wednesday 30th November, 2015 (Week 9)
Time: 9.00am – 2.50pm (Transport organised by parents / guardians)
Food: Students may take their own lunch or purchase additional lunch from the TSHS award winning canteen.
Requirements: Students should have already enrolled at Townsville SHS prior to the day or have an enrolment interview booked for afterwards. If you haven’t received an enrolment pack, please collect one from the Townsville State High School Office.

If you have any further questions, please contact Tom Harvey on 4721 8777 or by email at thanv90@eq.edu.au.

Enrolments are now open for Years 7-12 for 2017

Please contact the school office on 4721 8777 for an enrolment pack and to organise an interview appointment.

Tanya Nelson
Junior Secondary Deputy Principal

Senior Secondary News

Important Notice for Senior Students

Student on their P’s are not permitted to transport other students unless they are siblings. Students who drive to school are also reminded that they must comply with all parking provisions within the school and they must not leave school grounds during the day. Failure to follow this policy could result in school disciplinary action. The safety and wellbeing of all students is a priority for our school. If you have any questions regarding this policy please see Mrs Mladenovic.

Kaylene Mladenovic
Deputy Principal Senior School

Unique Student Identifier (USI)

ALL STUDENTS YEARS 10, 11 AND 12

If applying for a USI at home complete the Student Form - USI Collection and Verification to record this information and return to the front office.

From 1 January 2015, the Australian Government requires all students studying Vocational Education and Training (VET) to have a Unique Student Identifier (USI). This includes students who are studying VET in schools. Townsville State High School must have a valid USI for a student before issuing a qualification or statement of attainment.

What is a USI?

From 2015, anyone undertaking a Vocational Education and Training course (eg: through TAFE or other training providers, but not University) will need to have a “Unique Student Identifier” (USI) - this is a bit like an account number made up of letters and numbers and is allocated to you. It is used to identify you when undertaking any vocational training from 2015.

This USI allows you to login to your training account and see all your training records and the results of all your courses. You can also print out all your results to take to an employer when you are applying for a job or to any training provider when you are doing any additional courses.

You should have this Unique Student Identifier before you can commence any courses and must have it to obtain your certification or statement of attainment. If you don’t already have one, you can create one at the link below.

http://www.usi.gov.au

At Townsville SHS we will be assisting students with the application for their USI. Students’ must provide suitable identification through one of the following:
Each learner at Townsville State High School will either be required to provide their existing USI (if not already on record at the RTO) or apply for a USI. Students can access the USI Fact Sheets from the school’s web page and also the school’s curriculum network.

Each student who enrols in a VET course will need to complete the following:

**Action 1. The student applies for a USI at home**

- The school sends home information about the USI and what the process will be for application and provision through Newsletters and Parent Information letters.
- Students obtain a USI at home via the website.
- The student provides the USI to the school using the USI Collection and Verification form.
- The school verifies the USI via the website.
- The school records the USI, inputs this information into the Student Management System or record in the USI Register.

http://www.usi.gov.au

**Action 2. The student applies for a USI at the school**

- The school sends home information about the USI and what the process will be for application and the types of identification that will be required by the learner.
- Students apply at the school during a set class time with the assistance of the staff.
- Students will record their USI and provide the number to the teacher using the USI Collection and Verification form.
- The school verifies the USI via the website.
- The school records the USI, inputs this information into the Student Management System or record in the USI Register.

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**Mathematics Competition**

Last term we had 34 students participate in the Australian Mathematics Competition. This is a competition that has hundreds of thousands of entrants from across Australia in Years 3 through to 12. Once again Town High students performed very well with half the entrants gaining a credit or higher.

To gain a credit students need to place in the top 50% to 25% in the country. We had 10 students who received a Credit for the competition. These were:

**Year 8**
Jonas Gibson, Euan Kerswell

**Year 10**
Zane Smith, Lalaine Villaneuva

**Year 11**
Martin Roverts, Molly Tomsen, Bethany Webber

**Year 12**
Perry Chapple, Josh Jones, Phoebe Marten

We had 3 students who gained a Distinction which means they scored from the top 25% up to the top 10% of the country. These students were:

**Year 10**
Jeizz Talbo

**Year 11**
Abdullahi Abdi Ali, Wayne Cawthorne

Finally we have one Year 10 student who received a High Distinction. This student scored in the top 4% of the country for her year level. Congratulations go to Tommie Ozaki for this great achievement.
The competition will run again next year and we look forward to even more students entering.

Michael Hunter
Acting Head of Department - Mathematics

**New Zealand Biannual Ski Trip**

Every second year, the school takes a group of students from Years 12, 11 or 10 on a trip to New Zealand to try skiing or snowboarding.

The students visit Cardrona, a ski field south of a little town called Wanaka for two days learning the basics before travelling south to and then Queenstown for a day on the ski slopes at the Remarkables and some tourist related activities.

While in Queenstown, the students will get to take a Jet boat ride along the Kawarau river. At this time of the year the water is rather chilly and the boat drivers take great delight in seeing how much water they can get on the students.

The students also get to be involved in traditional Maori dances. As staff it is always fun watching our male students attempting a Haka.

At the top of the mountain, there is a Luge ride, which is best described as a go cart with a brake, down a twisty track, which always pleases the students. On our last trip the edges were snow lined and the corners were a little icy making for some interesting cornering.

After Queenstown we travel back towards Christchurch for 2 more days skiing at Mt Hutt, one of the higher slopes in New Zealand.

If your child is interested in coming on this trip, they need to contact Miss Tamara Staub for an expression of interest letter, which includes costs and a brief outline of the itinerary. We will hold a parent information evening to present more detailed information and answer any question you may have.

**Tropics News**

**It’s a wrap**

The Champion Basketball School of Queensland tournament was held in Brisbane at the end of Term 3. Our Tropics teams joined 123 other teams from across Queensland in the highly competitive event.

After losing a quarter final game – our only loss! - to our local rivals St Margaret Mary’, our girls team finished a respectable fifth overall.

The boy’s team struggled with injuries and a tough draw suffering a pool stage lost to the tournament favourite and eventual winners, Hillcrest Christian College.

We would like to thank the family and friends who travel to Brisbane to support our teams.

**Townsville State High School Student Dress Code**

Below we have set out the rules on the school’s uniform policy as per the Student Diary. We expect all students to have the correct attire. If you have any concerns please contact the relevant Deputy Principal.

**JUNIOR SCHOOL (Years 7 to 9)**

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Shorts
- Navy blue shorts with the school logo on the short leg

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A hat must be worn at ALL times when outside, including HPE lessons and lunch time activities.

**SENIOR SCHOOL (Years 10 to 12)**

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**Jewellery & Make-up regulations**

1. If ears are pierced one small, plain stud or sleeper per ear, may be worn in the lobe of the ear only. No facial piercings are permitted
2. One plain signet ring may be worn
3. One simple chain may be worn
4. A plain wrist watch and/or a simple, metal bangle or bracelet, no wider than 2cm
5. Hair must be of a natural colour and be worn neat and tidy

**NB:** Earrings (stud or sleepers) are the ONLY acceptable form of body piercing allowed.

**General Items:**

**Safety Standards** As required by Curriculum Activity Risk Management, safety standards involving footwear, hair, jewellery, must also be met.

**Hair** Hair must be of a natural colour and must be worn in a style which meets school community standards.

**Headwear** Hijabs / head coverings are to be no longer than shoulder length and must be navy blue in colour.

**Tattoos** Tattoos are not permitted.

Students representing the school on official excursions/activities are to wear full Representative Dress school uniform, unless notified otherwise.

**Students not in a uniform are to carry a dated explanatory note from home and must have this note signed by the relevant Deputy Principal**
BRING FRENCH CULTURE TO LIFE!

Why not volunteer to host an international student from France next year? We have a small group of delightful French students coming to Australia for 10 weeks to immerse in local culture, experience our schools, sports, environment and lifestyle. All students speak excellent English, have their own spending money, cover all school expenses, and we arrange all aspects of their program. It’s fun and interesting to help these young people achieve their Australian dream. If you’d like know more, please email your interest to rl@scce.com.au.

2016 Canteen Price List

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**DIPS & ROLLS**
- Caper Chicken or Beef: $4.15
- Sausage Beef or Chicken: $4.15
- Oriental Chicken: $4.15
- Other options available can come staff...
- I wraps: $2.50

**SALADS**
- Small: $4.45
- Large: $5.45

- Chicken Caesar Salad
- Asian Noodle Salad
- Cold Cut and Salad
- Green Salad
- Cold meat and salad
- Chicken and avocado

**DRINKS**
- Spring Water: 500ml $1.80
- Fused Skim Milk: 300ml $2.40
- Plain/low fat: 600ml $2.10
- Delity: 500ml $2.40
- Bora Juice: 250ml $2.40

**SNACKS**
- Fruit Cups: $1.30
- Whole Fruit: 80
- Fresh Fruits: $2.10
- Homemade cakes and biscuits: $0.30
- Frozen treats from $1.90

**TOWNVILLE STATE HIGH SCHOOL**

**TEACHER-AIDE (10 hrs per week)**

- **English as a Second Language (3 positions)**
- **Literacy and Numeracy**

Applications are invited for the above permanent position. Application packages including the Role Description and a position profile is available from the Townsville State High School Office, 36 Boundary Street, Railway Estate, between 8.00a.m. and 4.00p.m. (Monday-Friday). Applications must address the “How you will be assessed” section of the Role Description. No packages will be posted. Applications will remain current for 12 months.

Applications close is 3pm Friday 14th November 2016 stamped at the office.

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**SCHOOL KIDS BONUS - is no longer available!!!**

PREPARE NOW TO RELIEVE 2017 BACK TO SCHOOL STRESS!!!

Would you like $50 to help pay your Resource Fees, sporting costs, music lessons, camps, excursions, school-related overseas trips, or even a laptop? Saver Plus can match your savings for education costs dollar for dollar, up to $500. Wouldn’t it be great to take control of your financial situation and learn new skills on how to budget and save? Allow me to introduce you to the Saver Plus Program!!

To be eligible you need to:

- have a Health Care Card or Pension Concession Card
- have a child at school now or starting next year, or be attending vocational education yourself
- have some form of household income from work, for example your partner or yourself may have part time, casual, full time or seasonal employment, can also be child minding, ironing or mowing a lawn
- have not received matched funds from completing Saver Plus already

For further information please contact:

Nikki Storey, Saver Plus Coordinator
Call: - 97 4720 6786 OR
SMS your name to 0 441 201 553

Saver Plus was developed by ANZ and the Brotherhood of St Laurence and is funded by the Australian Government.

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**According to the CNS website...**


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Smoking banned 5 metres around school grounds

Smoking any tobacco products or using an electronic cigarettes within five metres of any state or private school grounds has been banned. This applies before, during and after school hours as well as over weekends and school holidays.

On the spot fines can be issued by environmental health officers, police or other officers authorised by the local government to anyone found in breach of this legislation. The ban does not extend to businesses or residences that share a property boundary with a school. Smokers are asked to put out your cigarette and dispose of the litter thoughtfully well before you reach the school boundary.