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A note from the Campus Principal

Welcome to week 4, can you believe it's nearly halfway through the term already! The last fortnight has seen a lot of changes, new students, industry speakers and the finalising of the certificate of occupancy for the long-awaited stage 2 to be opened to students. I'd like to thank both staff and students for their patience in this space as we navigate the complexities of this matter, we are hoping that the release of the new recreation space will provide students a much-needed outlet to release their energy. The school also had the privilege of hosting the Redlands Jobs Committee and the Redlands Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday afternoon (special thanks to Grace and Toni for supporting this). We are very excited to be working alongside these groups to support BUSY Schools students enter into School Based Apprenticeships/Traineeships and Further Employment once they have graduated.

The School bus that has been in operation this term is proving to be an excellent investment, however, some scheduling problems are being experienced and I would like to take this opportunity to reinforce the conditions around using the free bus service. Our BUSY bus picks up from Cleveland Station each morning and leaves the station at 8:10 sharp. This is so that students have time to get to school, prepare and eat breakfast before the start of classes at 8:30. Should a student miss the 8:10 pick up time, they are expected to make their own way to school. There is a bus service through Transdev (easily accessed through Translink journey planner) that will take you to the bus stop at Redlands Hospital and then it's just a short walk to our campus. Naturally, this same service is available in the afternoon. The BUSY bus leaves at 2:50 and prioritises the students who have connecting buses to catch from Cleveland station. We would appreciate everyone's support in ensuring the continued smooth running of this BUSY Schools facility.

I would also like to extend my appreciation and gratitude to Toni Banfield (Executive Principal) and the whole team for supporting the week in my absence due to some sudden and unexpected surgery.

As always, please reach out if you ever need to discuss anything at any time.

Andrew Cavanagh
Campus Principal

Pancakes!!!

On Tuesday the 8th of August we are going to be having a pancake breakfast from 8-8:20am! The purpose of this is to have fun together, share a meal together, and strengthen bonds within our school community. So, make sure you are here at 8am to enjoy some pancakes with us! (Students who catch the BUSY bus from the train station to school at 8:10am will arrive to school at 8:20am so will not miss out)



Meet our Staff: Sharyn Donoghue-Tamplin



Sharyn is an extremely enthusiastic and accomplished teacher who is our Curriculum Coordinator at the Cleveland BUSY School. Sharyn has a strong foundation in Vocational Education and has taught across a wide variety of public, private, alternatives schools and Training Organisations. Sharyn is a wealth of knowledge who is always willing to help and lend a hand wherever is needed.

Sharyn's passion for being active flows into BUSY where she led a Zumba class for students in Term 2, this term Sharyn is taking students to Snap Fitness as one of their electives and they have all been thoroughly enjoying the experience.

Term 3 Assessment Due Dates

- Essential English – CIA Exam (FIA2) – Week 5
- Essential English – Short Story (FIA3) – Week 9
- Essential Mathematics – PSMT (FIA3) – Week 8
- Social and Community Studies – Investigation (FIA3) – Week 8

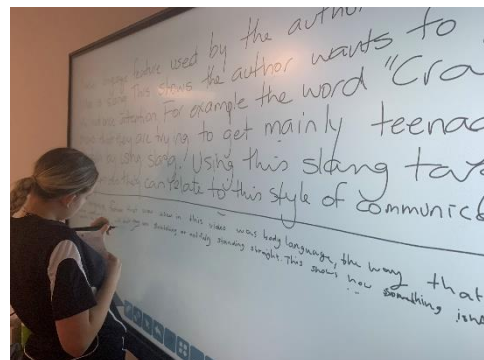
What's Happening in the Classroom

Essential Mathematics

In Essential Mathematics students have been engaged in the topic of Managing Money. This has allowed for the learning of different ways people earn money, Tax, super and budgeting. This has been a great topic to cover as it is such a real-world topic and the engagement of the students with their questioning and work being completed has been fantastic. Next week they will be getting their assessment task which is a Problem solving and modelling task based on the current topic and the next on time and motion.

Essential English

In Essential English students are preparing for their first assessment task which is an internal exam based on the "Common Internal Assessment" that is completed in Year 12. This is our first try at this style of exam and we have been preparing and practicing all term. Week 4 sees classes complete a "Mock" exam to prepare for the final exam which is in Week 5. Once completed, we will move on to the next task, a short story! So, it's full steam ahead in our English classes at the moment!



Social and Community Studies

In Social and Community Studies students are engaged in a unit on Indigenous Artforms. The students have been looking at many different forms of art, the impact art and artifacts have played in the indigenous culture as well as analysing and interpreting art work. This week the students were given their assessment task for the unit where they will be choosing a piece of art we have looked at in class and creating a multi modal presentation to show their understanding of that piece.

Wear It Purple Day!

On Friday the 25th of August The BUSY Schools will be hosting "Wear It Purple Day" across every campus. Wear It Purple Day aims to raise awareness of, advocate for, and create a safe space for LGBTQIA+ youth. This year's theme is "write your story" which highlights personal expression and individuality. As a campus, in recognition of this day, we will be having a free BBQ lunch together and inviting students to come with their nails painted purple. At The BUSY School, it is important to us that all students feel welcome, safe, and valued.

Industry Speakers

BUSY Schools Cleveland Welcomes Inspiring Industry Visitors!

Our commitment to providing a safe, positive, and supportive environment for everyone within our BUSY Schools community is at the core of everything we do. With this vision in mind, we were delighted to host some incredible industry representatives who share the same passion for making a difference in people's lives.

Kristanna from Orange Sky

Firstly, we had the pleasure of welcoming Kristanna from Orange Sky, a not-for-profit organisation that provides a platform for everyday Australians to connect through a regular laundry and shower service. Orange Sky is dedicated to creating a safe space for those who feel disconnected or are too often ignored. The volunteers at Orange Sky are not just empathetic listeners but also great conversationalists. Kristanna shared some heartwarming stories of how simple acts of kindness and genuine connections can make a significant impact on people's lives.

Dale from Plumbing Apprentices Queensland

Next up, Dale from Plumbing Apprentices Queensland paid a visit to discuss the exciting opportunities for full-time apprenticeships. Plumbing Apprentices Queensland is dedicated to assisting individuals in finding and thriving in apprenticeships, providing them with valuable skills and a pathway to a successful career. Dale's presentation inspired our students to consider various trade careers and highlighted the importance of skilled workers in shaping our communities.

Ahmed from Skill360, BUSY Group Training

Ahmed, representing Skill360, the BUSY Group Training organisation, joined us to talk about the range of traineeships and apprenticeships they have on offer. Skill360 is known for its commitment to helping young individuals find their passion and develop their skills through hands-on training and support. Ahmed's visit opened up new avenues for our students to explore, showing them that there are diverse pathways to success.

The Incredible Hurricane Chef, Nate Quinell

One of the most remarkable moments during the industry visits was the presence of the inspiring Hurricane Chef, Nate Quinell. Despite being a Type 1 Diabetic and totally blind, Nate has achieved extraordinary success as a chef. His determination and passion for cooking have led him to write his cookbook, sharing his unique recipes with the world. Nate's story touched the hearts of everyone present, reminding us that challenges can be overcome with resilience and perseverance.

As part of his Supported Employment, Nate is organising a pie drive, offering delicious pies for sale. We encourage all families interested in supporting Nate and trying his delectable pies to scan the QR code provided below. Please email your receipt to cleveland@busyschools.com.au and we will collect these pies from Banyo for you.



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- Thai Green Curry (V)
- Pepper Steak
- Steak, Bacon and Cheese
- Mince and Cheese
- Beef and Mushroom
- Curried Steak
- Steak Potato Top
- Plant Based Beef Pie (VG)
- Pumpkin, Cheese and Spinach (V)

SAUSAGE ROLLS, PASTIES & QUICHES

from \$5.50 each

(Sold in multiples of 4 or 8 per pack)

- Pork, Bacon and Sundried Tomato Sausage Roll
- Lamb and Sweet Potato Sausage Roll
- Beef Sausage Roll
- Vege Pastie
- Quiche Lorraine



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- Steak and Cheese
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About our Chef

Nathan Quinell, better known as The Hurricane Chef, has overcome many obstacles in life to fulfill his dream of becoming a qualified chef. Nate is completely vision impaired, has two cochlear implants and has type 1 diabetes. Since becoming a chef nearly 15 years ago, Nate has worked in cafes, fast paced kitchens, taught cooking lessons to other people, and even released a cookbook (visit <https://www.thehurricanechef.com/>). He is on a mission to demonstrate to other people with disabilities, regardless of your ability, never give up!

Nate started as our first qualified chef at Banyo Kitchen in July 2022.



For more information, please email banyokitchenpies@multicap.org.au

Pick up locations:

<p>Monte Lupo Café / Banyo Kitchen 217 Tufnell Street, Banyo Phone: 07 3267 5905</p>	<p>Monte Lupo Café 269 Padstow Road, Eight Mile Plains Phone: 07 3841 6266</p>
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Scan the QR Code below to support the pie drive and Nate Quinell.

These industry visits have been a source of inspiration and motivation for our students, teachers, and the entire BUSY Schools Cleveland community. We are grateful for the valuable insights and experiences shared by our guests, and we look forward to implementing these lessons in our educational journey.

Remember, at BUSY Schools Cleveland, we believe that every individual has the potential to shine, and with the right support and opportunities, they can achieve greatness.



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Have you noticed a positive change in your teen since they started attending The BUSY Schools Cleveland? Would you like to share this with others?

Please leave us a review on our Google page to help others decide if The BUSY Schools is the perfect solution for their teen.



To leave a review, visit <https://g.page/r/CWWIQ0vT6tcCEBM/review>.

Feedback Process

At The BUSY Schools we want everyone to have a voice! We want to hear any compliments and/or concerns. The best way for feedback to be effective is to pass it through the most relevant channels. If you have anything you need to express, you could:

- Approach the relevant people directly and have a respectful conversation to resolve the incident;
- Approach Andrew Cavanagh to discuss the issue; and/or

Report the feedback on the BUSY Schools Website: <https://www.busyschools.qld.edu.au/busy-schools-feedback/>

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