Dear Community,

Thank You to everyone for our very first Interhouse Swimming Carnival which was held on Wednesday. A big thank you to all of our parents who volunteered time for water rescues, time keeping and the general setting up of the carnival. Thank You also to Donna and Kris for leading the development of the carnival.

Congratulations to Stanton who are our very first Interhouse Swimming Winners. The students cheered loudly all day and all three houses should be very proud of themselves. From this carnival, our Interschool swimming team will be selected.

If you are missing any items from the swimming carnival please check the office.

**Woolworths Earn and Learn**

This week we received our order of school supplies totalling $3000 from all of the dockets collected at Woolworths last year. With this money we purchased some new puzzles, two large outdoor connect four games and timber train sets which can be used at lunchtimes. Thank You for your support.

**P and C Meeting**

Our first P and C meeting was held on Tuesday evening. It was great to see so many parents come along for our very first meeting. At our meeting we decided that our uniform will now also be retailed by Cueldee in Townsville. We will let you know when this begins.

**Behaviour Goals**

Our school for this term has developed a behaviour goal for each term. These are linked to our school behaviour matrix and include:

Year 1 – Listen to teacher and follow instructions.
Year 2 – Listen and follow all staff directions.
Year 3 – Walk quietly and orderly so others are not disturbed.
Year 4 – Be responsible for your own behaviour.
Year 5 – Complete what is asked of you.
Year 6 and 7 – Respect others right to learn.

Have a super weekend,

Clayton and Sharon.
**P & C News**

Project Old Uniforms
Do you have any old uniforms you no longer need? The P & C would love to receive your unwanted items. These will then be sent overseas to a school community in need. Please drop your old uniforms to the office (any day) or uniform shop (Tuesday 2:45 to 3:30). Thank you for your generosity.

**Electronic Newsletter**

We will be sending our newsletter electronically later this term so if you are new to the school or have changed your email address since last year please email Karen Maher on kmahe31@eq.edu.au with your child’s name and class so you can be added to our list.

**Swimming Carnival Photos**

Photos taken at the swimming carnival will be available for purchase. $10.00 for a 5 x 7.A proof sheet will be available in the office from Tuesday 25th February – Tuesday 18th March. All proceeds will go to school projects.

**Upcoming Dates**

March
3 – Futsal Carnival
18 – Interschool swimming carnival
18 – P & C Meeting

April
1 – Inter house Cross Country
4 – U/12 Bill Nettle Challenge
4 – NQ Netball Cup
4 – Last Day Term 1
22 – First Day Term 2
25 – Anzac Day Holiday