

Important Dates

NOVEMBER

29th High School Camp

DECEMBER

3RD High School Transition Prep Interviews

8th Swimming Carnival

9th Year 6 Morning Tea Celebration

10th Awesome Day Last Day

JANUARY

24th Start of Term 1 2022



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Inglewood State School P-10

We Care, We Learn and Together We Succeed
Newsletter – Friday 26th November, 2021

Principal's Message

Year 10 Year 10 Year 10

It's been an enormous week for our 17 departing year 10s. There's been great excitement, jubilation and probably, for some, a tinge of sadness. On Monday Mrs Pietsch led the troops through driving rain and swollen creeks so that they could have their well earned end of year trip to Brisbane where shopping and bowling were the order of the day.

Last night they were the honorary guests at a farewell dinner. This was a fantastic occasion. An extremely beautiful venue with delicious food spectacular lighting, satisfied guests and 16 very polished ladies and gentlemen.

Today we wished them a final farewell as we presented the 10s with kind, wise words and their graduation certificates. To Shakara, Tattyana, Paige, Jacob, Ellie, Sophie, Penny, Tara-Jae, Kayne, Jacob, Ebony, Sienna, Blayde, Bailey, Kayise, Amelia and Allan, we wish you the very best for your future. We hope you have fond memories of Inglewood State School as we have of you and your lovely cohort of people.

Special thanks to Mrs Pietsch for the tremendous amount of work she put into ensuring that our year 10s had a dignified exit from Junior Secondary. The intricate planning and effort she put into ensuring each student felt special did not go unnoticed. Thank you Mrs P.





High School Camp

Next week years 7-9 students will head off to Noosa with students from Texas for their annual camp. Mr Stafford, Mrs Bates, Mrs Pietch and our Chappy will be there to support the students. We hope they have a fantastic week.

There will be a program at school for students in years 7-9 who aren't attending camp.

Goondiwindi Enrolments

Goondiwindi High School are chasing enrolment forms from some Inglewood students. If you have not yet sent your enrolment forms back to GSHS, please contact them ASAP.

Sean Cole Principal



PBL Expectation of the Week

INGLEW OOD POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING Expectation of the Week - Week 9, Term 4, 2021

PRACTICE THE 'STOP' METHOD



Please discuss this week's PBL focus with your child/ren.

Thank you to all parents/carers for your support in helping to ensure Inglewood State School is a safe, respectful and active learning environment, where students have opportunities to engage in quality learning experiences and acquire values that support their lifelong wellbeing.

Class	Student of the Week	Star of the Week
Prep/1	Jazmen C For always creating with unique ideas and dedication	Marlie A
2	Olly H For excellent participation in dancing	Sienna B
3/4	Henry D For an outstanding English presentation	Amaya P
5/6	Flynn D For working well in his Science assessment group	Lily A
7	Charlotte K For always having a perfect diary	Georgie P
8	Hailey P For making a great effort in Maths	Chelsey P
9	Abby T For increased application in her studies	Thomas R
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Chappy Chatter with Chappy Jase

An issue I spend lots of time talking to students about is Self-talk. Here are some tips from Reachout.com.

The way you talk to yourself can really impact your confidence. The effect can be good or bad depending on whether your self-talk is positive or negative. Self-talk is basically your inner voice, the voice in your mind that says the things you don't necessarily say out loud. We often don't even realise that this running commentary is going on in the background, but our self-talk can have a big influence on how we feel about who we are.

Positive self-talk makes you feel good about yourself and the things that are going on in your life. It's like having an optimistic voice in your head that always looks on the bright side. I.E: 'I am doing the best I can', 'I can totally make it through this exam', 'I don't feel great right now, but things could be worse'

Negative self-talk makes you feel pretty crappy about yourself and the things that are going on. It can put a downer on anything, even something good. I.E: 'I should be doing better', 'Everyone thinks I'm an idiot', 'Everything's crap', 'Nothing's ever going to get better.

The more you work on improving your self-talk, the easier you'll find things. It's kind of like practising an instrument or going to sports training: it won't be easy to start with, but you'll get better with time. It might not seem like much, but self-talk is a huge part of our self-esteem and confidence. By working on replacing negative self-talk with more positive self-talk, you're more likely to feel in control of stuff that's going on in your life and to achieve your goals.

Self-talk is the most powerful form of communication because it either empowers you or it defeats you.

P&C NEWS

NEXT - P&C MEETING
WEDNESDAY 16TH FEBRUARY 2022
4:30pm at the Inglewood Golf Club
All Welcome
(Please note change of day for the
P&C meetings in 2022)

TUCKSHOP TUCKSHOP SPECIAL FOR WEEK 9 Pie \$4.00 Sausage Roll \$3.00

OFFICE NEWS

SCHOOL FEES

Reminder please ensure your school fees are paid by the end of Term 4. If you are having any difficulties paying your fees please contact the Principal.

School Fees are required to be finalised before your child can participate in any end of year School Activities

2022 STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME

There will be no change to the cost of Student Resource fees in 2022. Prep to Year 6 \$30.00, Year 7 \$55.00 and Year 8 to Year 10 \$95.00. Existing students will shortly receive an information letter WITH NO FORM TO RETURN. New students only must return a participation form. Thank you

YEAR 6 GRADUATION CEREMONY

Invitations have gone home for the Year 6 Graduation Celebration to be held on Thursday December 9th. RSVP's for this event are to go the school office.

At this stage 2 people per student can attend. If you would like to go on a 'wish list' for further guests please advise the office when you RSVP.



YEAR 10 TRIP





YEAR 10 WORK EXPERIENCE REPORT

Last week I went to work at Shot2U Café in Inglewood and was supervised by Tony the owner. I served customers, made coffees, helped cut up foods, cooked food in the deep fryer and helped with the dishes. I also watched burgers and sandwiches were being made. I liked serving the customers and making coffees the most because making coffee is fun and I like serving people their food or drinks. The job I disliked the most was when I had to cook fish in the deep fryer because the deep fryer's scary! The week of work was very different from school but it was fun and I enjoyed it. I've realised that working in a hospitality job has lots of dishes and has a range of different jobs. There are skills that I would have to develop such as cutting skills and knowing when things are cooked. Overall after the week of working at Shot2U I developed new skills and I enjoyed it a lot. 10/10.

Sienna

Last week I was lucky enough to travel to Millmerran and be welcomed into the home of Sean O'Hanlon and family of O'Hanlon Equine. During the course of the week, I assisted in the daily routine that consisted of early morning starts, feeding and handling client horses. Throughout each day, I experienced many different aspects of performance horse training. From groundwork with young two-year old's through to working competition horses on the mechanical cow. Furthermore, during the week, I assisted in the yarding of a large group of broodmares and helped Sean prepare them for the breeding season. My favourite part of my work experience placement was being able to ride experienced cutting horses and learning all the elements that consist of training performance horses. When asked what I least enjoyed, nothing came to mind. The week of work experience was absolutely amazing compared to school as the performance horse industry is my passion. After the week had concluded, I was able to realise that a career in performance horses is greatly suited to me. Overall, my work experience placement at O'Hanlon Equine could not have been better and subsequently I have rated this experience as a 10/10. I would like to thank Sean and Tash for welcoming me into their home and sharing their knowledge with me.

Amelia

For my work experience placement, I went to the Inglewood Auto Glass and Body Works with Vic Sartor. For the week I helped and learned many different skills like pulling apart a car and watching how they pull a windscreen out and put another one in, changing a tyre with a drill, mixing paint up and rubbing down parts ready to paint. I mostly liked when Vic mixed the paint and the computer was telling how much to put into the jar and not going over. I didn't really like the rubbing down because it was tiring and I did it most of the time non-stop. My week of work experience compared with school in a good way as I was in a different environment and learned new skills. Overall, I would like to thank Vic for agreeing to take me for work experience, his father for teaching me how to do things and Lee for the jokes and help. I rate my work experience a 10/10 as I learned new things that may help me in the future. And will remember 'Lefty loosey, righty tighty'.

Ellie H

Last week I had the opportunity to work alongside some very reputable cutting horse trainers at Valley View Performance Horses located just outside Maryborough. Throughout the week I shadowed and was supervised by Pete and Sasja O'Donoghue, both owners of the business. Over the course of my work experience placement I participated in many tasks; from mucking out stables and cleaning water troughs, to trips to the vets, as well as training young and upcoming cutting horses. My favourite part of my work placement was being able ride highly experienced cutting horses on a training tool they call "the mechanical cow." I enjoyed every single part of my work experience and when asked what my least favourite part was - there was none. Compared to a week of school, my work placement was incredible as working with horses and trainers so high up in the cutting industry is something you don't get to experience every day. The conclusion of the working week saw a new way of working and training horses that I can apply to my own back home and other horses in the future. I truly have acquired so much knowledge in the horse training industry and have developed a strong passion for cutting. Overall, working at Valley View Performance Horses encouraged me to be a better horsewoman, while gaining knowledge that I will take with me and that will never be forgotten. This was an experience quite like no other, and for that, I rate it a 100/10. I thank Sasja and Pete for opening your home up to me and look forward to working with you both again soon!

Ebony

Last week I went to BLASK Engineering and worked with Brad. I did a number of jobs including welding, spreading gravel and punching holes in plates. I liked welding the most because its hands-on. I disliked punching holes because it's boring. I liked going to work because I enjoy this job. I would like to become a boiler maker in the future. I enjoyed my week and look forward to my work placement next year. I would rate my week a 10/10. Thank you Brad for taking me on for my work placement and I look forward to working with you more next year.

Blayde



YEAR 10 WORK EXPERIENCE REPORT

Last week I got to work at Inglewood State School for my work experience teaching a range of different subjects and was supervised by a range of different amazing staff members of Inglewood State School. Some of the different jobs that I got to do was help with the grade 2's, English with grade 8's and French with the year 5/6 and year 8's plus HPE with all the year levels. Doing HPE with all of the year levels was the thing I liked the best because I got to see how different year levels react in class. The week of work compered to school was good because I got to see what teachers have to do. My experience working at Inglewood State School was a 10/10 because it was really fun to mix with different year levels and how it was very interesting to see how different students reacted in class. I would like to say a big thank you to all the amazing staff members of Inglewood State School for having me in your classes for the week. It was really amazing and I really enjoyed it and I most defiantly won't forget.

Sophie

For my work placement, I went to Early Growth Education and was supervised by a number of different educators. I had the chance to observe and work in every "class" in the centre, from the Nursery through to Kindy. I enjoyed working with all the children, but the Nursey would have been the most enjoyable. I enjoyed this room the most because it was where I felt the most comfortable and it was a little calmer compared to some of the other rooms. The Kindy room would have had to be the room I least enjoyed. It was full on and the children were full of energy. Throughout the week I gained a lot of respect for all early childhood educations as their job can be a lot more challenging than I once believed. I also discovered that this career is not something I would go further with. Overall, my week of work placement was very enjoyable but I am extremely happy that it is over. I gained a lot of skills and built on ones that I already had which will help me with future jobs. I would rate my week at a 5/10. Thank you to all the staff that I encountered throughout the week for being extremely welcoming.

Shakara

For my work placement I went to the Goondiwindi Regional Council workshop in Inglewood and I was working with Mark Hoey. Throughout the week I serviced a mower, unloaded a trailer, serviced a grader and helped fix a water truck. I enjoyed all of my jobs throughout the week but changing the tyres on equipment was my least favourite bit of the week. I like going to work more than school because there is a lot more hands on activities. I would like to work for the council long term because enjoy the job. I enjoyed my week and would rate it an 8/10. Thankyou Mr Hoey for taking me for my work placement week.

Allan

Last week for my work experience I gladly joined the Prep/year 1 class where I was warmly welcomed by Mrs CD and Mrs Hobbs. Over the week I learned many different skills such as decision making, communication and creativity skills. While I was with the Prep/1 class we did some creative activities with drawing, painting, reading and even performing! I really enjoyed getting to know each student individually and helping them learn their sight words. It was incredible to see the massive improvements they had made in just the little time I was with them. It takes a lot of patience, great organisation skills, and a heck of a lot of commitment and dedication when it comes to working with children. It was definitely an experience I won't forget and I had a blast, but I think my interest lays somewhere else. Overall, I give my experience a rating of 10/10 of course. Mrs CD and Mrs Hobbs sure do make it look easy! Over my five days I've gained a lot of respect with how much commitment they truly put into helping their students succeed. I am really appreciative and thank you both so much for giving me the opportunity to work with your class.

Kaysie

My work experience was at the Inglewood Childcare and Kindergarten. My supervisor was Emma Coleman. Jobs that I observed and did through the week were to supervise and ensure the children's safety on the playground and in the classrooms. Another job I had to do was to make sure everyone's hygiene was well, such as making sure everyone washed their hands before and after eating as well as cleaning up any spilt food or drink. A job that I liked the most was to ensure the children's wellbeing and comforting them when they were upset. My least favourite job would definitely be helping the kids down for nap time because what kid would want to be told to sleep when they are in a room full of toys and games? My week of work compared to school I saw as more enjoyable and relaxed, due to not having to stay seated and fully concentrate on one particular activity for more than an hour at a time. However, not seeing my classmates as well as being in an unfamiliar building did raise my nerves in the beginning. What I did not realise at the beginning of my week is how much dedication and time is spent on assuring the parents of their children's growth. My work experience was great! Overall, my time at the Inglewood C&K deserves a 10/10 rating. I would like to give a special thank you to Inglewood State School and the Inglewood C&K for giving me such a great opportunity and head start into adulthood. I had such an amazing week meeting so many growing personalities and minds. I hope to be back helping at the Inglewood C&K as soon as I possibly can.



YEAR 10 WORK EXPERIENCE REPORT

Last week was one of our final stages to completing our journey at Inglewood State School. For work experience I chose to stay here at school, and sure did those little kids put me to the test. My duties for the week consisted of early morning wake ups to get myself in a pleasant mood to be around children, double math marking in the mornings which really tested me if I knew what I was doing or if they didn't, assisting kids with their reading and learning and then finally to taking the responsibility and privilege of being able to walk around during the eating bell with a coffee in hand. My favourite part about the work experience was being on duty, as it presented itself with a lot of opportunities. For instance, being able to be involved and connecting with the primary side of the school was a whole new experience, I was like the shiny new toy everyone wanted to check out and play with. The not so much fun stuff was the constant math marking of a double period math lesson Monday through to Wednesday - I had to be familiar with my timetables and sums. They didn't say anything about using a calculator working smarter, not harder! High school teaches you that. What last week helped me see clearer is the amount of time, energy and dedication put into just the marking was incredible and you have to multitask. I rate my week as 7/10. Overall, it's just like anything else you trial - the first few times are sweet but by the end of it all it can go south real quick, but I am thankful for the opportunity and bonds created between myself, the little kids and the staff.

Tara

For my week of work experience I worked at Gibson's Family Butchery Goondiwindi. I was supervised by Gibson and the other employees. Throughout the days they had me do multiple jobs, mainly crumbing. Other jobs were plating sausages, making rissoles, bagging bones for their dog food bags, weighing and writing dates and prices then packing them away into fridges in the store, cleaning, and cryovacing. I enjoyed the cryovacing and plating sausages. Cryovacing was something really new to me and I found it fun to do - something that I'd most likely have not been able to do anywhere else. As for plating sausages, although they said it would take quite a while to pick it up, I found it quite easy once I understood what I was being shown. What I least enjoyed, and I think they all would agree, was crumbing. When I first started it was good but after a couple days I got kind of bored with it and my hand started to bruise. I found the week of work a bit more exciting then school, but I think if I was to keep working with people around me I would eventually become frustrated, although the people I worked with were very kind and patient with me, I might have to rethink working close to so many people at once. I'm still interested in taking this career path, but I'll have to work on serving customers and working the till. Overall, I really did enjoy my time at Gibson's Family Butchery and rate it a 10/10. I thank Gibson and his employees for showing me the ins and outs of how they work in the butchery.

Penny

In the previous week I took part in work experience with O'Brien's Plumbing based in Goondiwindi. I was supervised by Scott Folker – qualified plumber. Throughout the week I observed and assisted with various jobs like repairing leaks in pipes, installing new piping, checking and installing electric and gas water heater systems and digging trenches in the hot sun. The part I enjoyed most was installing new piping in a produce cold room. My supervisors instructed me to operate the scissor lift to install copper piping along the walls and ceiling. My least favourite part of working with O'Brien's plumbing was digging an enormous trench the find a leak, only to discover, we were digging groundwater! As much as I love seeing and working with my peers and staff members I much prefer the workforce rather than schooling. I also feel there is a heap more to learn in the community than in a classroom. I realise that a great fit for this career is to have a smaller body mass, as tight spaces need crawling through. Product knowledge is an important skill in any trade, however familiarity with bits and bobs in plumbing is extremely significant. I really enjoyed working with O'Brien's Plumbing and am quite interested in a future career in plumbing. For my time in work experience I'd like to rate the week 10/10 and would also like to thank Scott Folker and Alex at O'Brien's plumbing, it was a blast.

Jacob P