

4th June, 2009.

ARTS COUNCIL

Arts Council will be visiting our school on Wednesday 17th June. The cost is \$6 per student or \$15 for a family of three or more. Envelopes will be sent home next week. This term's show is entitled Puppet Mania.

Three-time Queensland Entertainer of the Year and member of the Queensland Entertainment Hall of Fame, David Hamilton combines the amazing worlds of puppetry, cabaret and visual theatre to bring his puppet troupe to life. Illustrating unique stagecraft techniques, Puppet Mania will widen students' perspective on this skilful and intricate theatrical genre. David demonstrates how to manipulate marionettes, rod, glove and finger puppets from around the world, culminating in a dazzling all singing and all dancing finale. Produced and presented by David Hamilton.

P & C Pieces

pandc@shorncliss.eq.edu.au

next meeting: June 10, 7:30pm



Ever wondered what the P&C do? Why not come along for the next meeting and find out.

Your P&C is a group of parent volunteers who aim to work together for the good of the school and all it's students. We work on a number of things, such as;

- applications for grants
- fundraising for equipment, facilities and projects
- making decisions about the tuckshop, outside school hours care and uniform shop
- organising working bees around the school
- driving various educational, community or sporting initiatives from time to time.

We are always interested in your ideas on how we can improve the school community for all our students and welcome all creative and positive people with time and energy to contribute.

The P&C is run by volunteers who have to work within budgets, time constraints and Education Queensland guidelines. **Help us to operate efficiently at our meetings, and finish by 9:30pm, by adding topics to the agenda PRIOR to the meeting.** All new agenda items need to be submitted by 3pm Tuesday (the day before the meeting). You can submit concerns or agenda items via email (pandc@shorncliss.eq.edu.au) or leave a note at the office (marked to our attention).

Our next meeting is Wednesday 10 June, 7.30pm in the staffroom. Items not submitted prior to the meeting will be briefly addressed during general business – further discussion will be reserved for the following meeting. We are always looking for people to help us out, so come along if you are interested.

Position Vacant: P & C President

Many thanks to Lisa MacKenna for her ongoing support of the school, as P&C President. Lisa will table her resignation at the next meeting and the position of President will be declared vacant. Nominations will be open and we will vote in a new President at this meeting. If you are interested in supporting the school by taking on this role, come along and nominate! All nominations are welcome.

TUCKSHOP NEWS

Who's on roster next 2 weeks

Tuesday June 9

8.45 – 11.30 Mel Prince/Anna Redd

11.30 – 2.00 Lyn Hansen/Stephanie Kirkman

Thursday June 11

8.45 – 11.30 Coralie Bolton/Sarah Barnett

11.30 – 2.00 Lisa Locke/Anne Jansen

Tuesday June 16

8.45 – 11.30 Deb Davis/Kate Jess

11.30 – 2.00 Deb Davis/Margaret Northard

Thursday June 18

8.45 – 11.30 Jackie Gannon/Belinda Turner

11.30 – 2.00 Cally Egerton/Lisa Pollock

Friendly Reminder

Mums, Dads and kids - please ensure it is noted on your lunchbags which break you would like your food served from tuckshop.

We are normally pretty good at guessing, however we do get it wrong sometimes.

Thank-you to those students and parents who draw pictures and write nice messages on the lunchbags. We love it!

Pantry Items

Unable to volunteer your time at tuckshop? You can help us in another way! From time to time we require items for our pantry. At present medium sized tinned beetroot, pineapple, baked beans and spaghetti, packets of plastic spoons and forks and 28 litre bin liners are needed. Many thanks if you can help.

Volunteers

Want to join our band of volunteers? I am currently putting together next term's roster, so get in early. There are 3 times available to fit around your busy days – 8.45 – 11.30; 11.30 – 2.00; and 8.45 – 2.00. **Dads are most welcome also.** Hope to see you soon.

Robyn Fox

Convenor

Calling Yr 6 and Yr 1 Mums & DADS

The next Fundraising Event this year is the Einbunpin Festival where we will have a Crazy Hair Stall. People from all over were talking about this one last year! Much of the organizing for this event has already been done by the wonderful Lisas so it will be a relatively easy one.

Now we are needing parents from yrs 1 & 6 to make this event go ahead. Please contact me to get started.

Nyree Cooper

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MARCHANT BIG BASH, CHERMSIDE FESTIVAL

CHOIR PERFORMANCE

Shorncliffe Senior Choir will be performing at the Chermshire Festival in Marchant Park on Monday 8th June. The performance time is 11:00am. Please arrive 15 minutes before this time. Dress for the performance is the yellow school polo shirt and jeans or cargo pants and sport shoes. As this is a public event please ensure your child/children are supervised before and after the performance.



WELCOME DAY

.....celebrating our diverse community
Come and enjoy free friendly soccer games
_ BBQ & Drinks on sale
_ Free Music & Entertainment
_ Free Kids Jumping Castle

SUNDAY 7 JUNE 2009

12 noon Register soccer teams
12pm - 2pm Community Expo
1pm - 4pm Games & BBQ
4pm - 5pm Entertainment

Free Community EXPO

SANDGATE PCYC, KEMPSTER ST SANDGATE

Pre - register your senior or junior team for 6-a-side soccer to
sandgate@parliament.qld.gov.au or register on the day.

For more information contact:
Vicky Darling's Office on 3269 7018 or
sandgate@parliament.qld.gov.au

SANDGATE SWIM CLUB

*There is quite a collection of lost property at the **Sandgate Swim Club**. These items (bathers, towels, clothes, shoes) will be in baskets on a table at the pool and available for collection Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons until 26 June. Any items not collected by the end of school term will be donated to charity.*



SOS FOR HOST FAMILIES

It is the dream of many teenagers to visit our vast and "exotic" country, Down Under. Their dream can only come true with your help. It is only through the hospitality of caring families, with an interest in better cultural understanding and world peace, that these dreams can become reality. STS High School Foundation urgently needs volunteer host families for students arriving in July 2009, from Europe and Canada.

If you would like to join a unique and growing group of families in Queensland, we need to hear from you now.

Please contact us at suzanne.sts@optusnet.com.au or call 07-3300-0301

Website: www.sts-education.com.au