



# Newsletter

Produced for the Charters Towers Central State School Community

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## Upcoming Events

**Date : 1- 2<sup>nd</sup> June**  
**Bookfair in the library**

**Date : 4<sup>th</sup> June**  
**Early Reading Workshop**

**Date : 12<sup>th</sup> June**  
**Pirate Day Friday**

## SWPBS

### I Am Safe

Listen to and follow directions carefully.

### I Am A Learner

Do my work to the best of my ability.

### I Am Respectful

Encourage, support and respect others.

## Principal's Messages

### P&C Meeting

There will be a P&C meeting tomorrow at 2.30pm where major discussions and planning will happen around the upcoming fete, Commonwealth Banking for kids, Homework Program and Healthy Harold. If you can attend, please do as your input and help is definitely needed and appreciated.

### Office Changes

Everyone knows I can't sit still for very long so it may not come as a surprise that I have moved my office already. I am now back to where I used to be, right outside Miss Kaylene's desk.

The Mexican St path to the office is all finished and fine for people to use again, as well.

### Under 8's Day

A big thank you to Miss Mathews and all of the P-2 Teachers, Aides and Parents who helped out and had fun on Under 8's day. It was a huge success!

### Early Reading Workshop

There are still places left for both of the reading workshops this Thursday. If you have a child who is not currently reaching their reading milestones or a younger child who is not at Prep yet, I would highly recommend your attendance. Both of the presenters are very experienced and highly regarded experts on reading.

### School Review

Our Full School Review was conducted last week, as you will know from last week's Newsletter. All of the reviewers were complimentary about our wonderful school. They were particularly impressed with the student and parent feedback and the excellent programs we have in place for all of our students. Thank you for all of your support and assistance

### Dress Like A Pirate Day

Please see the back page.

## Student Awards



Queensland  
Government

June				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	2	3	4 Early Reading Workshop	5
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**Ways to Boost Early Reading**

**For Parents, Carers & Educators**

This session will explore ways to promote and develop the building blocks of early reading.

- Oral Language
- Phonemic Awareness
- Phonics
- Comprehension
- Fluency
- Vocabulary



Using the iPad to support Early Reading

This workshop is **FREE** for parents, carers, early childhood staff and teachers

Please let us know if you can attend by email: [Bronwyn.Reguson@dete.qld.gov.au](mailto:Bronwyn.Reguson@dete.qld.gov.au) or phone 4758 3332

Venue: Charters Towers Central State School  
 Date: 4th June, 2015  
 Time: 1:15pm–2:45pm  
 OR 3:15pm–4:45pm

Feel free to bring an iPad




**State Schools**

**Dress Like A Pirate Day**

Pirate Day Friday is a national fundraising day raising funds and awareness for research into the cure and prevention of Childhood Brain Tumours. The event takes place annually on the second Friday in June and is on the same day as white eye patch day (the international fundraising day for Childhood Brain Tumours). On this day primary schools from all over the country host a Pirate themed free dress day. This means the kids (and the teachers) get the chance to dress up as pirates for the day in exchange for a gold coin donation.