



Rainbow Ramblings

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Dear Parents/Caregivers,

To the parents and members of the Rainbow Beach State School community,

My name is Chris Allom and I will be Acting Principal until 23 October.

As you would be aware Dianne Neumann has accepted an acting position at Chatsworth State School. Due to this, I have been given the opportunity to continue the wonderful work of Mrs Neumann here at Rainbow Beach State School.

So who am I?

I have spent the last two years as a teaching principal at Gunalda State School. This is where I currently still live with my wife and 14 month old son. Before Gunalda, I was principal of Ravenswood State School in North Queensland.

What do I believe?

My belief about education is simple – A teacher's job is to teach and a student's job is to learn. Anything that interferes with this will become an issue that I will deal with.

I believe that schools need to provide safe and nurturing environments where all students develop the skills necessary to be successful in the future.

What is my role here at Rainbow Beach State School?

I am very excited about the opportunity to work and learn at Rainbow Beach State School. It is common knowledge among the Gympie Principal's Alliance that Rainbow Beach is a wonderful school surrounded by a supportive community.

I am a guest at Rainbow Beach State School and I will act accordingly. It is my role to ensure the school is in the same fantastic position it is in now when my time here comes to an end.

This is a wonderful opportunity for me personally, so I will work hard to support the staff and the students.

I look forward to meeting and working with many of you. Should you have any concerns please feel free to make an appointment to discuss these with me.

Building Education Revolution

Today I received information from the company that will be managing the BER projects at Rainbow Beach State School. A representative of this company will visit the school before the end of this term. Further information relating to starting dates for projects will be available soon.

Athletics Day

I would like to wish all students in 5-7 the best in the up coming sports day. Students are aware of the standard behaviour expected throughout the day. Those students who are unable to behave appropriately may lose the privilege of competing in one or more events.

Cheers
Chris Allom

COOLOOLA DISTRICT PRIMARY SCHOOLS SPORT ASSOCIATION RAFFLE

Please return ticket butts and money to the school as soon as possible. The raffle will be drawn tomorrow, Wednesday 10 June at the Interschool Sports Carnival in Gympie.

P&C NEWS

TUCKSHOP NEWS

NO TUCKSHOP TOMORROW - Wednesday 10 June

TRIVIA NIGHT

When: Friday 19 June

Where: Rainbow Beach Hotel Function Room

Time: Meet and greet pre-drinks at 6:00pm. The Trivia will start at 6:30pm.

Cost: \$10.00 per person, Tickets must be pre-booked.

Tickets are selling fast so get your friends together for a great night of trivia. The night will include Quiz masters quiz and blockbuster.

Plenty of prizes available including lucky door prizes.

For bookings and more information contact Kylie on 0427 702 110.

INTERSCHOOL SPORTS (Hockey and Football) RAFFLE

Thank you to everyone who supported our raffle to raise funds to reduce the cost of our students attending the Interschool sports in Gympie on Friday afternoons.

The winner of the \$250.00 was number 100 – Judy Johnston.

SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES @ GYMPIE REGIONAL LIBRARIES

Winter school holidays are fast approaching, so we are preparing for lots of “astronomical” stories and activities for school age children. Since it is the International Year of Astronomy we decided to theme our activities accordingly, so come to the libraries and experience “*Space, the Universe & Everything Astronomical*” on the following dates;

GYMPIE LIBRARY – Thursday 2nd & 9th July, 10.30am to 11.30am

IMBIL LIBRARY – Tuesday 7th July, 10.30am to 11.30am

GOOMERI LIBRARY – Wednesday 8th July, 10.30am to 11.30am

KILKIVAN LIBRARY – Wednesday 8th July, 2.00pm to 3.00pm

RAINBOW BEACH LIBRARY – Wednesday 1st July, 2.30pm to 3.30pm

TIN CAN BAY LIBRARY – Wednesday 1st July, 10.30am to 11.30am

PLEASE NOTE: GYMPIE LIBRARY HAS CHANGED THE DAY TO THURSDAYS FOR ALL OUR SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

For more information please contact Children’s & Young Adults’ Librarian, Lynne Alsop or Children’s Library Assistant Crystal Smith at Gympie Library on 54810859, alternatively email Lynne.Alsop@gympie.qld.gov.au

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Do you wish that you could get help from a maths tutor at the click of a button, or your essay proofed by a tutor before you submit it?

Your wish is granted by Gympie Regional Libraries in collaboration with the State Library of Queensland, through the **yourtutor** service. Join the growing number of students throughout the Gympie Region who are going online to get help with their schoolwork.

yourtutor creates an online classroom where students are connected to qualified, expert tutors

for one-to-one help with homework, assignments, exam preparation and study questions.

English, Maths, Science, Geography, History and Economics – in fact any subject written in English is covered and the service is available 4pm-8pm, Monday to Friday, from any internet computer. Help is immediate, professional and secure and it’s free to Gympie Regional Libraries members. Students in Years 4-12 can simply log on to the library’s website www.gympie.qld.gov.au/library, click on the Your Tutor Logo and enter their library card number to gain access to this excellent service.

From now until the 30th of June every time that you use the **yourtutor** service, you can enter your email address at the bottom of the browser tool at the end of your session to go into the draw to win a free IPOD.

This service is convenient and easy to access: if you do not have internet access at home you can book some time to use a computer at your library.