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### A note from the Campus Principal

As we approach the end of this term, we're excited to announce that our school program will resume on Tuesday, 3rd October. Industry and curriculum classes will continue as usual.

In recent weeks, our students have been actively engaged in various activities. Art had an amazing experience at the Wildlife Habitat in Port Douglas, and on her birthday, Rebecca Henderson even had the opportunity to hold a snake - lucky her! I am sure she is very thankful of the amazing students who volunteered her.

Our catch-up week has also been a resounding success, with many students ready to embark on a fresh start next term. We would also like to send a reminder that no more Golden Tickets will be handed out to our current students this year or next.

As we remain busy until the end of the year, we look forward to a productive and exciting upcoming term. Thank you for your continued support.

Naomi Vucas  
Campus Principal

### Oral Health

Please find attached information regarding Oral Health from Queensland Government. Free Dental Services available to all children 0- 17 years of age. These Services are provided through the Cairns and Hinterland Hospital Health Service as part of Queensland Health Oral Services.

### Graduation



# YEAR 12 GRADUATION UPDATE...

- CLASSROOM 5 HAS A DISPLAY OF DRESSES, SHIRTS, PANTS AND TIES THAT YOU ARE WELCOME TO COME AND HAVE A LOOK AT AND BORROW FROM – MORE WILL BE ON DISPLAY BY THE END OF WEEK 10
- IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF A SUIT (OR SIMILAR) PLEASE COME AND SEE BEC AS THERE IS AN OPTION FOR YOU IF YOU ARE FINDING IT DIFFICULT
- FRESH START ACADEMY BARBER SHOP OPEN TUESDAY - SATURDAY 10 AM TO 6PM 194 MULGRAVE ROAD FOR BOOKINGS CALL 0455926933 \$30 FOR ALL SERVICES - ON A MONDAY THEY NEED MODELS-THAT SERVICE WOULD BE FREE
- KIM MCALONAN, OUR AMAZING YEAR 12 MUM, HAS A FACEBOOK PAGE, BLESS'D TO DRESS, SHOWCASING SOME MORE DRESSES THAT YOU CAN BORROW FOR THE EVENING...CHECK IT OUT

If you have any questions at all, please see Bec in Classroom 5

## Industry Team News

Congratulations to the Cert I Construction students who graduated this week through Skill360.



## Tenancy Skills Institute

“Learn what every tenant needs to know to get approved for a rental property and sail through a trouble free tenancy”

BUSY Schools Cairns has organised for our Year 12 Students to partake in the "Tenancy Skills Course" in term 4. We hope to book regular sessions in 2024 for our new and continuing yr 11 and 12 students. This course is for anyone over 16 years of age, looking to move into rentals, share houses or student accommodation.

Please see the Flyer attached with more information on the course.



The short course takes around 10hrs to complete. Upon completion you will receive a certificate that is recognised by Real Estates, RTA and REIQ to help your application get ahead.

To ensure all Year 12s can partake we will be running **3 x 2 day face-to-face classes** on the following dates:

Group A - Wednesday 8th Nov 12pm-2:45pm **and** Friday 10th Nov 9am-2:45pm

Group B - Wednesday 8th Nov 12pm-2:45pm **and** Friday 10th Nov 9am-2:45pm

Group C – Monday 13<sup>th</sup> Nov 9am-2:45pm **and** Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Nov 9am-12pm

If you would like to complete the course online yourself, please enrol for the self-paced online course here- <https://www.tenancyskills.com.au/students/>

Please let the industry team know ASAP your preferred group to secure your spot.

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### **CAIRNS REGIONAL COUNCIL APPRENTICESHIPS**

As the end of the school term is rapidly approaching, I wanted to send a brief email to inform you that we will soon be announcing our apprenticeship and traineeship opportunities for commencement in January 2024. Unfortunately, I am unable to provide the exact number of available positions at this moment as we are awaiting confirmation regarding our recent Skilling Queenslanders for Work (SQW) funding application. Once we have received the necessary details, I will promptly share additional information, including a list of the job openings and instructions on how to apply. What I can confirm is that we will be recruiting for the following positions regardless (there may be 6 SQW roles added to this also):

- **1 x electrical apprenticeship**
- **1 x plumbing apprenticeship (potentially 2)**
- **1 x Fitting & Turning apprenticeship**
- **2 x School Based traineeships (business based)**
- **2 x fulltime business traineeships**

For this intake we will be running two vacancy information sessions – one for the apprenticeship vacancies and one for the traineeship vacancies. The 26th of September is **tentatively** earmarked for this at this stage however, this could change if we have not heard yet about the SQW bid. Although our information session date is yet to be confirmed, we are happy to take registrations now. If you or your student would like to attend, please email on the following link stating if it is apprenticeships or traineeships that they are interested: [employmentpathways@cairns.qld.gov.au](mailto:employmentpathways@cairns.qld.gov.au)

**\*This week can you please advise your Year 12 cohort of the upcoming opportunities as, if all goes well, this information will be released over the school holidays? They can keep an eye out on our :**

Website: [Apprenticeships and Traineeships | Cairns Regional Council](#)

Facebook: [Cairns Regional Council | Cairns QLD | Facebook](#) or

Download our MyCairns app and switch on job notifications: [Your city, your app - My Cairns! | Cairns Regional Council](#)

### **AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE FUTURES**

The Army is a great option for your students to consider if they are looking for exciting career opportunities with action, adventure and amazing friendships. Whether your students are looking to pick up new skills, gain qualifications with fully paid training or looking for a career full of challenge, they'll find it all in the Army. An exciting, well-paid and rewarding job is just the beginning. Your students will also enjoy:

- World-class on-the-job training and career progression opportunities

- A supportive work environment where they'll make mates for life
- An active lifestyle and excellent fitness facilities
- Opportunities to travel
- Attractive salary and benefits + 16.4% Superannuation
- Free medical and dental



Did you know that the Army has [over 100 different roles](#) to choose from? There are roles available in Trades, Engineering, Communications & IT, Logistics, Leadership and more. No matter your students' interests, there's a career opportunity to suit them in the Army.

## AWIC NORTH QUEENSLAND ROADSHOW

Monday 23rd and Tuesday 24th October 2023

Awesome Women in Construction (AWIC) is a not-for-profit association dedicated to providing support, resources, and networking opportunities to women working across Australia's construction industry. AWIC advocates against discrimination, educates the next generation, and amplifies the voices of women in construction.

AWIC will be running a roadshow throughout North Queensland which will include visiting a large variety of education providers and industry site tours. During this roadshow, we will provide site visits, factory tours, showroom information sessions, and other 'out of the box' opportunities to engage and 'show off' the construction industry to the next generation.

We'd like to engage your interest in having some of the students from your school attend these activities. This will ensure we have the right number of activities planned.

Attached are [additional details of the roadshow](#) for you to review.

Let Amanda and Amba if you would like to attend any of these events

### Google Review

Have you noticed a positive change in your teen since they started attending The BUSY Schools? Would you like to share this with others?

Please leave us a review on our Google page to help others decide if The BUSY Schools is the perfect solution for their teen.

To leave a review, visit <https://g.page/r/CUkV7U-PMCuEEBM/review>.



### Feedback Process

At The BUSY Schools we want everyone to have a voice! We want to hear any compliments and/or concerns. The best way for feedback to be effective is to pass it through the most relevant channels. If you have anything you need to express, you could:

- Approach the relevant people directly and have a respectful conversation to resolve the incident;
- Approach Anne English to discuss the issue; and/or

Report the feedback on the BUSY Schools Website: <https://www.busyschools.qld.edu.au/busy-schools-feedback/>

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