We acknowledge the Kalkadoon People, traditional custodians of this land and pay our respects to the Elders both past, present and future.

2014
November 17-18
Year 6 & 7 Transition - Spinifex
November 18
Year 6 & 7 Parent Transition Evening
5.15 pm—Central’s Library
December 1
Year 6 & 7 Graduation Ceremony—8.30 am
December 2
Xmas Concert—5.30 pm for 6.00 pm sharp start
December 3
Reports Issued
December 5
Last Day of School
2015
January 23
Class lists posted near tuckshop
January 27
First day of school

90th Birthday
Thank you to everyone who contributed to the success of the 90th birthday. Out teachers and teacher aides did an amazing job with their retro classrooms and helping with the organising of the activities. Our choirs entertained under Miss Joanna’s direction. Parents delivered delicious cakes for the stall. Dee Wilburn, Joyce McCulloch, George Stuart, Susanne Steele and Crystal Millan manned the BBQ in very hot conditions. Mr Horton, Mr Kapitke and Mrs Livingstone manned the balloon darts, knock-em down and chocolate toss stalls. Mrs Lovejoy and Miss Caroline prepared the fantastic memorabilia display in the library. It was a huge effort by everyone and our special guests expressed their appreciation for a wonderful afternoon. Thank You! Pictured below are Les Darcy and Kathy Swift (our oldest past students) and Shelbi Payne and Willow Kerr (our youngest current students) cutting the birthday cake.

Perfect Parent Participation
Thank you to Cassandra Patterson (mum to Amelia and Katie) who is pictured above working with Brendon Marshall from Prep/1 on his sight words. Parent volunteers make a big difference for our children so please help in any capacity you can.

Are your children transferring schools in 2015?
A letter went home earlier this week asking parents/carers to inform the school if children are transferring at the end of the year. This information is essential for a smooth start to 2015. Without accurate information classes may change following Day 8 and this would not be a good start to the year for the children. Also if you know of families intending to enrol at Central for 2015 please have them enrol this year so that their children can be included in our class numbers for the beginning of 2015.

Every Day Counts
Help us improve attendance for term 4. We are still well below our 92.2% goal. Support your child’s learning and help your child achieve their very best by sending them to school every day that they are well.

Daily Attendance

Focus Rule Week 4: Be Responsible—Be ready to Learn
Focus Rule Week 5: Be Safe—Be Kind
**Week 4**  Stars of the Week.
Jake McLaren, Tanae Ghelfi, Darius Dunngay, Brendan Marshall, William Te Pohe, Mia Eaton Campbell, Gyan Caampued, Ethan McKinnon, Tama Love-Simons, Denaya Carney, Jada Mcleod, Coen Barry, Daisy Gilkes Cox

![Week 4 Stars of the Week](image)

**Week 5**  Stars of the Week.
William Wort, Pauline Lagatuz, Amie Pemble, Hunnie Mckay, Chris O’Toole, Tia Bird, Patrica Lingard, Luca Tafia, Paul Lagatuz, Tara Smith Owens

![Week 5 Stars of the Week](image)
Week 4 Gotcha Winners
Dakota Sweeney, Zachary McLaren, Gyllin Liad, Marie Semblante, Daisy Gilkes-Cox
Deborah Gamata, Ebony Nikkelsen, McKenzie McCulloch

Week 5 Gotcha Winners
Willow Kerr, Summa Mclaren, Alia Malaga, Gabriella Tabone-Cook, Kyarra Caampued,
Ladown McLeod, Mace Te Pohe, Khyris Doyle, Daisy Gilkes-Cox
Check out Year 3/4's Fantastic Work
Year 3/4 Celebrate the 50s

The television was invented in Australia. You could buy one in 1954.
By Camper

Rising Fast won the Melbourne Cup in 1954.
By Trinity

The kids didn't wear uniforms. They wore normal clothes and some of them didn't wear shoes.
By Demara

The factory was baking in 1954.
By Chris
Explaining Absences and Late Arrival

It is a requirement that all student absences are explained. **Whenever your child is absent from or late to school please advise the school either by note, by phoning the school absence line on 44373266 or by emailing: admin@mtisacenss.eq.edu.au.** Below are two notes to use to explain your child’s absences from school.

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Reason for Absence

Date/s absent: ________________________
Student’s Name: ____________________________________________
Reason: (Requirement of Education Qld):
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Parent/Caregiver Name: _______________________________________
Parent/Caregiver Signature: ___________________________________

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Year 6 & 7 Parent Information Evening for Students Transferring to Spinifex Junior Secondary in 2015

It’s an exciting time for both our Year 6 and Year 7 students who will move to high school in 2015.

No matter where your child will attend high school, taking part in transition days, information evenings and tools of change is an important step toward a smooth transition between primary and secondary education.

On Tuesday 18th November Central will host an information evening for parents/carers of year 6 & 7 students in our Library from 5.15 pm to approximately 6.15 pm.

Staff from Spinifex Junior Secondary will be present to provide information and answer any questions you may have about your child’s transition to secondary school.

We will continue to work closely with our local high schools, parents and carers to support students in making a smooth transition to high school.

Kind regards,

Kathy King
Principal.

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Focus Rule Week 4: Be Responsible—Be ready to Learn
Focus Rule Week 5: Be Safe—Be Kind

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2015 Enrolments

Please advise friends and family to complete intended enrolments for 2015 of children in P-6 asap. Planning for 2015 is well underway and it is essential that we have a very good estimate of the number of children we need to cater for to ensure a smooth start to the new school year.