Dear Parents, Carers and Community members,

Over the past 11 months, as Principal of Cardwell State School, I have had the opportunity to meet and chat with many community members. These conversations were with past students who attended Cardwell State school in the 1940’s, some life members of Cardwell State School P & C and with many parents of our students attending school today.

Many of these passionate conversations discussed the identity and symbolism of Cardwell State School and the changes over time to Cardwell school’s logo. As I am relatively new to the community, I found myself reflecting on how has the school’s identity evolved and particularly how has the school logo changed over time.

To answer my wondering thoughts, I took my staff and the P & C community on a history walk through the changes of the school logo over the past 50 years to help determine how we, as a school community, can move forward with an identity embedded to reflect “this is who we are”.

It has been determined that the school has adopted several logos over the past 50 years with some representing milestone centenaries. The existing school shirt logo was never officially changed through a community consultation process. In response to these findings it has been acknowledged and determined, alongside our P & C, that the original Cardwell State School logo will be respectfully restored to represent the historical identity to Cardwell school and the school uniform to represent the rich history and culture of the school.

All future orders of school shirts will display Cardwell State School original logo. Parents are not required to purchase new school shirts for students who are actively enrolled at Cardwell State School. New shirts will be available to purchase for our 2022 Prep students before Term 1 2022.

Stay Safe and Well

Michelle Erwin
Principal

PARENTS - PLEASE NOTE: You can contact us 4 ways to report your child’s absence.

1. Our mobile phone is a dedicated text message service only. 0427 005 328
   Staff will not answer the phone if called.

2. Dedicated Student Absence Line #: 4063 6266 - Leave student name & reason

3. Email: admin@cardwellss.eq.edu.au

4. Telephone school 4063 6222 - office staff will happily chat to parents.
   If you tell your child’s teacher, then you may still get a phone call confirming details.
Week 9 parade
Harrison participated in whole schools band practice workshop at the Multi Purpose Centre in Tully as part of the Schools’ Instrumental Music Program.

School Parade is held every Friday from 12:45 to 1:15 pm. We welcome all parents & carers. Covid safe protocols apply.

Year 6 Transition to High School Day bus times

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Schools
Cardwell SS
Murray River Upper

Pick Up Times
Card SS 9:00am
MRUSS 9:20am

Students
Cardwell – 18
MRUSS – 3
PBL

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Term 3 - Week 9

Family Name

READ AND RETURN

Words of kindness...

“One never knows how far a word of kindness goes”