



Burnett Heads THE BEACON

A NEWSLETTER LINKING BURNETT HEADS PRIMARY SCHOOL COMMUNITY

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Date Claimers

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Guardians
Welcome back to all of our families. I hope that families did not have property damage from the heavy rains. For the school, there was damage in the Prep classroom in particular but this was promptly attended to by the Education Queensland. School staff also worked during the break to ensure the Prep room is back in shape for the beginning of term.

The early end to term 1 has resulted in the carry over of some events from last term. Firstly, parents who had scheduled teacher parent interviews at the end of last term, will be allocated new interview times. Additionally, the Fun Run will be held at 9:15 am on Friday while the Bronze celebration will be held in the middle session on Friday.

Next Tuesday is Anzac Day . Our school will acknowledge Anzac Day at the annual Memorial Assembly at 2:30 pm. All families and community members are welcome to attend.

The Burnett Heads Anzac Day march assembles at the Community Hall. Students who wish to participate in this event are requested to assemble at the Hall by 2:30pm. Parents are responsible for the drop off and pick up of students on this day.

The P&C works in with the Lighthouse Hotel after the march, to conduct the sausage sizzle and raffles to support our students.

NAPLAN takes place this term on May 9, 10, and 11. This impacts on all students in years 3 and 5.

Kind Regards

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Progress through Participation



Burnett Heads marks Anzac Day 2017. Assemble for parade at 2:30 pm at the Community Hall on Tuesday 25 April

SAUSAGE SIZZLE - Wednesday 29 March

Prep	Isabel Caulley	Confidence
Year 1	Ella Maguire	Persistence
Year 2/3	Chloe Jeffrey	Persistence
Year 3/4	Emma Browne	Persistence
Year 5	Caleb Rushbrook	Persistence
Year 6	Alix Forrest	Getting Along

SCHOOL AWARDS

YEAR 6 BRONZE

Georgia Attard, Bailey Baudeouf, Dylan Carter, Jayde Trenwith, Arabella Yates

YEAR 5 BRONZE

Nakkisha Street, Ella Smith, Shyla Doorely, Abby Driscoll, Brooke Churchill, May Quilter, Sky Speed, Tiarna Riley, Brady Newby, Carter Forrest, Finn Sugars, Jedd Westbrook, Alyssa Flintoff, William Mildon, Maya Drury, Ben Pitt, Kayannah Shields, Angus Sparkes, River Felstead, Bryce Wheeler, Tristhan Hall, Chaise Farrugia, Lachlan Kennedy, Jesse George

YEAR 3 BRONZE

Zara Mildon, Claire Austin, Inara Nordberg

YEAR 2 BRONZE

Teah Martin, Nayte Farrugia, Hunter Bramble

YEAR 1 BRONZE

Olivia Haywood, Violet Drury, Atlas Felstead, Beth Wright, M'Lea Parry, Zaine Riley, Ruby Williams, Tom Martin, Sienna Medwin

PREP BRONZE

McKayla Williams, Daisey Taylor, Temperance Newlands, Lily McLoughlin, Jye Kello, Grace Jenkin, Oscar Giles, Cleo Fleming, Isabel Caulley, Seth Bell-Bramble, Rohan Bailey

MIEOW AWARDS

M'Lea Parry (gold, pink), Savannah Worrall (green, violet), Tom Martin (gold, blue), Sienna Medwin (gold)

True Friend: Nakkisha Street

P&C NEWS

The first P&C Meeting for this term will be this Thursday 20th April at 3:30pm in the staffroom.

FUN RUN will be this Friday morning 21st April. Sponsor forms and money can still be handed in to the office.

ANZAC DAY- Tuesday 25th April the P&C will be holding raffles and sausage sizzle at the lighthouse hotel. **Volunteers wanted.** Come down and support the school, meeting around the back at 12:30pm to set up.



P&C RAFFLE

Get your raffle ticket now to win a **Razor Electric Scooter**, \$2 a ticket. Available from the school office/tuckshop or the Lighthouse Hotel. Raffle will be drawn on ANZAC day at the Lighthouse Hotel.

NO TUCKSHOP THIS WEEK

BREAKFAST CLUB- will still be on in the morning. Donations of tinned breakfast foods, spreads and eggs would be much appreciated.

PARAPHRASING and SUMMARISING

We are learning about Paraphrasing (Retelling) and Summarising to be able to share the author's message.

If you were asked to explain something you have just read, what would you say?

If we are **PARAPHRASING** or **RETELLING** we need to tell it in our **own words**. Our retelling shows someone

that we understand the message or our retelling can help someone to understand the message.

When we **SUMMARISE** we need to shrink the author's words

down to **key words** so we can turn it back into a sentence later.



CHAPPY NEWS

Happy Easter and welcome back to school; I hope you enjoyed a refreshing break. Term 2 looks to be a great term full of amazing opportunities for Burnett Heads students. Let's choose to make it a good one!

Spin Off is on again this year for Yr 5 and 6 students. This is a 30 minute Spin Bike challenge against other schools to raise funds for our Chaplaincy service. Afternoon of Saturday 20th May at the YMCA. Notes will be sent home for interested students.

Empowering Insight - Does your 'help' empower or dis-empower the recipient? Better to teach them, than to take them over. Better to equip them, than deal out 'charity', just because it's easier. © Copyright D. Riddell, 2012.

Thanks Burnett Heads, God bless -**Chappy Tanya.**

Rollercoasters- Group work for children of changing families

Rollercoasters is a program to assist children with the task of adjusting to family change. Each session in Rollercoasters helps children explore the dilemmas faced when parents separate and the underlying emotions that result from family change including fear, sadness and loss, anxiety, loneliness, anger, rejection and conflicting loyalties.

The Rollercoasters program is designed for children who have recently experienced a rollercoaster of changes in their family due to separation, divorce or re-marriage.

This group is suitable for primary school students 8 years and older.

Parent interviews are required with the facilitator prior to commencement.

When: Wednesday May 10 – June 21, 2017 (6 week duration)

Where: Uniting Care Community, 3a River Terrace, Bundaberg

Phone: (07) 4153 8400 (**Bookings essential**)

Time: 3.30pm to 5.00pm

Cost: Gold coin

REMINDER- STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME 2017

Student Resource Scheme fees are due. Please pay to the office so your child/ren may receive their classroom resources.

Centrepay is also accessible and can be set up by filling in a simple form available from the office.

Centrepay is a free voluntary bill paying service. Deductions come directly from your Centrelink payments and can be used to pay your child/ren's school fees, camps and other invoiced activities.

FREE FAMILY FUN DAY

On 23 April Lions clubs will provide a Free Family Fun Day at Nielson Park so that the community can join in centennial celebrations. There will be face painting, jumping castle, bucking bronco and more! Food and drink and market stalls will also be there.



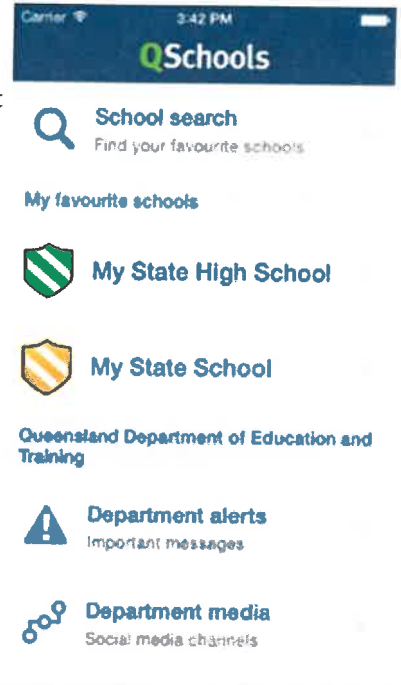
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