

Some classes may be multiage in 2017. This is for staffing and also for academic reasons. Students from Year 2 to Year 6 to hall on Day 1 2017.

2017 SCHOOL RESOURCE SCHEME SIGNED FORMS ARE DUE NOW.

If you are participating in the Scheme and have not yet returned the signed form, please do so as soon as possible.

PREP ENROLMENT - 2017

If you know of any family who have not enrolled for 2017 or not returned enrolment papers, please remind them to do so as soon as possible.

SCHOOL AWARDS

Prep/1 - Sight Words: Red: *Ruby Williams; Green:* *Ella Maguire, Raef Newlands; Indigo:* *Ben Morris, Keian Hutchinson; Purple:* *Savannah Worrall; Violet:* *India-Rose Riley; Pink:* *Ecian Rapada; Light Blue:* *Ethan Street; Blue:* *Kiara Beveridge; Ruby:* *Wynter Lewis; 100 Words:* *India-Rose Riley*

CHAPPY NEWS

What a year 2016 has been! We, the staff at Burnett Heads work incredibly hard to give our students resources and opportunities to achieve their potential. From breakfast club to the footy field and the classroom we feed and challenge these little people to be the best they can! Congratulations to our Year 6 students graduating this week, you are an amazing group!

Empowering Insight - Goals. If we even need goals for our shopping trips, how much more for our lives? If you don't know where you're going, confusion will be a constant companion. © Copyright D. Riddell, 2012.

Bethlehem Live – Bundaberg's Christmas Festival 5:30pm-8:30pm on 20th-23rd December at Central State School grounds. Come and see Bethlehem City as it was 2000 years ago. Mingle in the marketplace and watch the nativity scene unfold. Free family event. www.bethlehemlive.com.au

Thanks Burnett Heads, Merry Christmas, see you in 2017. God bless, Chappy Tanya.

OUR YEAR 6 CAMP

Day 1 - On Tuesday the 29th November we left our school at 6:00am and headed to Ti-aro to have our morning tea. Then we left to go to Australia Zoo. We split up into three



groups of 6-7 people. We watched a tiger and crocodile show and looked at all the animals. We then left to travel to the accommodation and had dinner. We dressed in warm clothes and left to go to the ice skating rink. Many of us fell on our bottoms and ended up wet and cold, but it was lots of fun.

Day 2 - At 8:15am we had breakfast then departed from the accommodation to Parliament House. We had a tour of Parliament House and did a role play. We also spoke to member Stephen Bennett. We had lunch at the Botanical Gardens. After that we went to Queen Street mall that was made up of 4 long streets that were full of shops. After that we went to Government House where we met the Queensland Governor, Paul De Jersey and he told us a story about lamingtons and why they are served at Government House. We returned to the accommodation and had dinner and went to QPAC to watch Matilda live. It was awesome!!!!



Day 3 - On day three we went to Movie World and went on scary rides, we saw a stunt show and went to a 4D theatre. When we got back to accommodation at 6:30 and did activities and we watched a movie.



Day 4 - At 8:00 we departed the accommodation and headed for the Science Centre and QLD Museum. After we went on the wheel of Brisbane, it was scary for some. Next we caught a city cat (ferry) to New Farm Park and had lunch, the bus met us there then took us to Pizza Hut for all you can eat for an early dinner then we headed for home.
by Rosie Lancaster

P&C NEWS

Tickets for the Christmas Raffle need to be returned by Wednesday 07 December. The raffle will be drawn on Thursday 08 December at the final Assembly at 9.00am.

NO TUCKSHOP OR BREAKFAST CLUB ON THE LAST WEEK OF SCHOOL.



YEAR 6 GRADUATION



**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL YEAR 6 GRADUATES
BEST OF LUCK FOR YOUR FUTURE**



Thank you to ex student of Burnett Heads State School, Brea Wright, for her encouraging words to Year 6 to help allay any of their fears for transition to High School in 2017

ACADEMIC AWARDS YEAR 6 - 2016



Academic Award
LANA BROWNE

Performing Arts Award
LANA BROWNE

Vietnam Veterans All Rounder Award
PEARL PRICE

Coral Coast Christian Church Citizenship Award
SAMANTHA PHILLIS

German Award
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Sports Participation Award
TRISTAN YATES



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Burnett Heads THE BEACON

A NEWSLETTER LINKING BURNETT HEADS PRIMARY SCHOOL COMMUNITY
THUR 08 DEC - END of YEAR ASSEMBLY 9.00am followed by BREAK UP DAY ACTIVITIES.

Date Claimers
Semester 2 Issue 40
December 06 2016

NO BREAKFAST CLUB, TUCKSHOP OR SAUSAGE SIZZLE WEEK 10 - 5-9 DEC

07 Dec - Orientation Day at KSHS for Year 6

THUR 08 DEC - END of YEAR ASSEMBLY 9.00am

Thur 08 Dec - BREAK UP DAY ACTIVITIES

09 Dec - CLEAN UP DAY

01-24 Dec - Burnett Heads Festival of Lights

MON 23 JAN 2017 - SCHOOL RE-SUMES

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE
Dear Parents and Guardians
Last night we the Year 6 Graduation for 2016 was held in the Hall. This class has been a very stable one with many of the students in it in the school since Prep. They have been an excellent class and many have achieved well academically. Each award was hard fought between a number of students and the results came down to a small margin. A list of the awardees is on page 4. Special congratulations go to Lana Browne and Paige Nalder for taking out the Academic and Achievement awards respectively. I wish the whole class the best for 2017. We had our first carol singing throughout Burnett Heads on Monday night. Our choir joined with community singers to carol outside houses with Christmas lights displayed. It was a lovely night and quite a big surprise to some residents. Reports go home today and I once again remind parents that the C grade is that a student is satisfying all aspects of a subject required at year level. Any questions about reports should be directed to classroom teachers over the next days. I extend congratulations and thank you to Janet Steele as she goes into retirement and thank her for her contribution to our school over many years. Farewell also to Lyndy Edwards as she moves on to her new position. Thank you to Mrs Radel for stepping into Year 5 this year and to Mrs Martinuzzi who is re-retiring after a wonderful year reshaping our Instrumental Music Program. A safe and happy Christmas break to all of our school community.

Kind Regards
Pamela Liddell (Principal)

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