

UPCOMING DATES FOR BUSY EOY



- 02 Dec - Year 6 Graduation 6.00pm
- 03 Dec - Pageant of Lights Parade
- 06 December - Mayoral Christmas Concert from 1.00pm at Moncrieff Theatre

These advertisers support us, please support them:

- 08 Dec - End of Year Assembly 9.00am (Instrumental Students to play)
- 08 Dec - Report Cards Home
- 09 Dec - Year 6 at Kepnock
- 10 Dec - Break-up-Day
- 11 Dec - CLEAN UP DAY



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A NEWSLETTER LINKING BURNETT HEADS PRIMARY SCHOOL COMMUNITY

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE
Dear Parents and Guardians,
This Wednesday is Graduation night for our first Year 6 as Senior class. It has been an interesting year, because the year younger in age does make a difference. I look forward to their big night as they make the transition from Primary to Secondary school. The small size of the class has made it possible for individual students to experience a level of responsibility in terms of leadership. To speak at their graduation and give them words of encouragement for the transition to Secondary, is former Burnett Heads student, Mikala Smee. Mikala has recently completed Year 10 at Kepnock and has been awarded a CQU Scholarship to assist her over the next two years and into tertiary education after Matriculation. The choir and Mrs Shears presented non traditional songs at the St John the Divine Carol night. This evening has become something of a tradition. Attending were former Principal of BHSS, Ms Glynnis Gartside and her husband, who were visiting from Brisbane specifically to attend this night. Next week is the End of Year Awards Assembly on Tuesday at 9:00 am. This is usually quite long, but always enjoyed. Program is on page 2. Report Cards will go home on the same day. Parents need to talk to teachers immediately before the end of year if there are any concerns. There are some wonderful progress reports and big steps forward.

Kind Regards
Pamela Liddell

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Date Claimers

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- NO BREAKFAST CLUB NEXT WEEK
- Tuckshop - Wed and Fri
- Sausage Sizzle - Thurs \$2 Sausage sandwich
- 02 Dec - Assembly - Wed 2.30pm
- 08 Dec - End of Year Awards and Class Items (see inside)
- 02 Dec - Year 5 Leadership Camp
- **NO TUCKSHOP FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR
- 10 Dec - Break-up-Day
- 11 Dec - CLEAN UP DAY

FINAL PLAYGROUP for 2015 WEDNESDAY 9.00am - 11.00am 0 - 5 YEARS NO CHARGE

2015 TERM DATES
Term 3 13 Jul - 18 Sep
Term 4 05 Oct - 11 Dec

2016 TERM DATES
Term 1 25 Jan - 24 Mar
Term 2 11 Apr - 24 Jun

Progress through Participation

Great state. Great opportunity.



Be **CONFIDENT** in yourself, be **PERSISTENT** to be the best you can be, be **ORGANISED** to make life easier, **GET ALONG** with others and be **RESILIENT** in tougher times.
YOU CAN DO IT!

2016 SCHOOL RESOURCE SCHEME

School Resource Scheme participation letters have been posted to families. This scheme has been offered for a number of years by the school, and approved by the P&C, as an economic alternative to Book Lists. Whether you are **PARTICIPATING** or **NOT PARTICIPATING, PLEASE RETURN THE SIGNED** forms as soon as possible before the end of term. This will allow for invoices to be prepared for participating families and book lists to be sent for non-participating families to ensure students have the classroom resources to pursue their learning. Payment of invoices next year may be made by Cash, Cheque, EFTPOS or Centrepay, ie. Deduction from Centrelink. Forms for Centrepay can be obtained from the office.



END OF YEAR AWARDS ASSEMBLY

End of year awards Assembly will be held on Tuesday 08 December at 9.00am. Each class will present an item to the audience. Please come along to see your child on stage. Class items are as follows:-

- PREP/1 Song - Aussie Jingle Bells
- Year 1/2 Song - Santa Comes to Town
- Year 3 Poem - A Visit from St Nicholas
- Year 4 Dance - A Secret!!
- Year 5 Song and Dance - Uptown Funk
- Year 6 Song - Wherever We Go

YEAR 4 OVERNIGHT CAMP AT MON REPOS

Last Tuesday and Wednesday Year 4 had an overnight camp at Mon Repos. Here are two student accounts and some photos:-

“On Tuesday the 24 November 2015 Year 4 went on a camp to Mon Repos. We went to learn about Turtles. First, we packed the luggage into the trailer and then went on along, boring walk.”



Mon Repos Camp

“We saw four turtles at camp. We tagged them, measured them and held their eggs. Then we

went back to the camp site and had supper, put our pjs on, brushed our teeth, played a game and went to bed.”



CHOIR VISITS COMMUNITY HALL



This morning some of our choir students visited the Burnett Heads Community Hall to deliver an item to help the CLAG Ladies celebrate their Christmas break up.

P AND C NEWS
CHRISTMAS RAFFLE TICKETS TO BE RETURNED BY MONDAY 07 DECEMBER, PLEASE.

Tickets are \$1/each and more are available from the Tuckshop should you require more. Donations are still required for the raffle to supplement the prizes so far available, Mrs Reid’s cake, coffee machine, food hamper, a ham and much more. The Christmas stall will opening this week during lunch break. There will craft and gifts to purchase ranging in price from 50c to \$5.00.

The P&C will hold another two functions to finish off the year. There will be a DISCO (Party Theme) on Wednesday 09 December from 4.30pm until 6.30pm for all students from Prep to Year 6. On Saturday 12 December, there will be a Market Day held at the school. Stall sites are \$10.00 - please contact the P&C if you are interested in selling your wares. Some of the stalls will include crafts, clothes, produce and second hand goods. The Tuckshop will be open to offer a BBQ and cake stall. Donations of cakes, biscuits and slices and assistance on the day would be most welcome.

PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO TUCKSHOP FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR. THERE WILL BE NO BREAKFAST CLUB NEXT WEEK.

TENNIS HOLIDAY CLINIC

Bundaberg Tennis Academy Coaches, Murray Whitbread and Kevin Banner together with Bundaberg & District Junior Tennis Association Inc. & Dept. of National Parks, Recreation, Sport & Racing & 4BU will be conducting a "Holiday, Get Active" Tennis clinic at

Rotary Park Tennis complex, 69b George Street, South Bundaberg, Monday 18th & Tuesday 19th January 2016 for Junior Beginners (5-12 years) 8-9am or 9-10am; Begin/Intermed.Beginners (5-12years) 8am - 10am; High School/Intermed./Advanced - 3-5pm. Bookings are Essential with Kevin: 4152 0753 / 0409 410753

HOT SHOTS - LEARN & PLAY TENNIS:

Bundaberg Tennis Academy's Coaches Murray Whitbread & Kevin Banner will commence classes for Learning with a Sign-on: Monday 18th & Tuesday 19th January and Saturday 30th January & 6th February 2016 from 8am - 10am. Weekly Learning - Beginners: Wednesday 4-5pm & Saturday 8-9am; Intermediate Beginners: 9-10am or 8-10am Games League sign on and trial day - Saturday 30th January 2016 with games to commence Saturday 6th February 2016. Also weekly Learning Monday, Tuesday & Wednesdays. To register and for all further information please contact Murray: 0407 639824 or Kevin: 4152 0753 or 0409 520753. Cardio Tennis available for Adults - fitness workout - contact Kevin.



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