

Persistence is asking for help to do something rather than giving up. Being Persistent means you are doing your best.

PREP ENROLMENT - 2017

PREP enrolments for 2017 are being taken for students who turn 5 by the 30 June 2017. An enrolment pack can be obtained from the office between 8.00am and 3.30pm Monday to Friday. Please return enrolments to the Office, with Birth Certificate attached, for processing before end of year.



SCHOOL AWARDS

Prep/1 - Sight Words: Gold: Raef Newlands, Keian Hutchinson; **Amber:** Atlas Felstead.
200 Words: Atlas Felstead
Special Awards: Paige Nalder, Kayla Tattersall

SAUSAGE SIZZLE - 12 Oct

Prep/1	Madison Pitt	Getting Along
Yr 1/2	Riley Donnelly	Persistence
Year 3	Vayda-Lee Davis	Organisation
Year 4	Nakkisha Street	Getting Along
Year 5	Riley O'Connell	Organisation
Year 6	Sharna Martin	Confidence

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

Please remember to bring instruments to school each Friday for lessons and Band practice.



BOOKCLUB

Bookclub is due 25 October



SWIMMING - TERM 4

Swimming for Years 1 - 3 begins on Monday 24 October for six (6) weeks. Invoices and permission notes are with this week's Newsletter. **PAYMENT IS REQUIRED BY 31 OCTOBER** for your child to participate. Parents who currently have payment arrangement in place are exempted.



CHAPPY NEWS

Thank you Sam Phillis for your help to unload the bakery bread donations. You are a great helper and use your initiative to help when you see something needs doing! You are a caring support person to your close friends too. Well done! Enjoy this week, God bless, Chappy Tanya.

SPORTING SCHOOLS

Sporting Schools is happening again this term. Golf is the sport being offered and numbers will be capped to 20 for both sessions. A professional and Mr Green will be in attendance. Forms available from Office.



INDIGENOUS PERFORMANCE - 'LET'S BRIDGE THE GAP'

Fred Reid, with the help of one or more of his children, delivers his message in a fun, positive way. His deep respect and knowledge of culture, along with his gentle, humorous rapport with students, make for a very enriching experience. **COST IS A GOLD COIN DONATION.**

TERRY DENTON VISIT

The Treehouse By Dylan Carter
 When creating the 10 Storey Treehouse, we learnt how to attach things together, fix characters if they broke and learnt what materials fit best. To attach things, we made grooves at some parts and holes for others so that they just slipped in. Another way we combined clay was putting match sticks in to form a skeleton. If they broke, we used fast drying glue to attach parts back on. We glued characters on the floors so they wouldn't fall and break. We also used flat feet so they would not wobble around. A key part was what colours we used. For example, the Polar Paradise level, is mainly white and shades of blue. We also considered the colours for the characters. Another example would be the bungee jumper. His shirt is yellow which makes you picture he's happy. Making the Treehouse may have been hard, but fun and we learnt a LOT from the process.

Terry Denton viewing 'The Treehouse' built by Year 5



Burnett Heads State School were very honoured to have had a visit from Terry Denton illustrator of 'The 39 Storey Treehouse'.



P&C NEWS

Lighthouse Festival is on Saturday 29 October and will be the P&C's first fundraiser for Term 4. There will be a cake stall, for which donations would be greatly appreciated. There will also be a BBQ so helpers are required, even for just an hour, so as to make it easier for everyone. Please contact the Tuckshop to volunteer your time. **TIMES ARE FROM 12.00n - 8.00pm**
TUCKSHO ROSTER:

Wed 19 Oct	Linda Portelli, Peter Nordberg
Thurs 20 Oct	Sheree Doorley, Jacqui Elacoate
Fri 21 Oct	Linda Portelli, Felicity Giles

DADS READ PROJECT

Dads Read and Paint Bundy REaD are projects encouraging dads to read, talk and sing with their kids to help them become reading legends. Paint Bundy REaD is getting the whole community reading, talking, drawing, signing, rhyming with all children from birth. Find out more by calling the Bundaberg Regional Library or talking to your teachers at the school. To celebrate this initiative at our school we are calling out to dads to email us a picture of themselves enjoying a read at home, at work, at the sporting field or in their tinny. You could be pictured with your mates or sporting team all reading together or reading alone with your

child. We'd like put you up on the display board as part of our Dads Read Collage in the foyer area next term. Be their reading legend!
 Email your pic to admin@burnheadss.eq.edu.au

YOU'RE INVITED!!!

The Burnett Heads Business Network is asking the community of Burnett heads to support

"Lights to the Lighthouse—a Christmas Lights Extravaganza"

We'd like EVERYONE in Burnett Heads Road and Zurich Street to light up their homes or business and get into the spirit of Christmas!

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Prizes for best displays: **1st Prize of \$150** and **3 Prizes of \$50**
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For more information call: Ken—0903 316 319 or Kay—0907 306 538

Come on everyone let's show them what we can do!

Persistence

Success Means Accomplishing What You Set Out to Do

GET SET FOR PREP

Burnett Heads State School

WHAT'S ON

COME AND TRY MORNINGS

Thursday 13th October 9:00am - 10:30am
 Tuesday 25th October 9:00am - 10:30am

PARENT SESSIONS

Tuesday 8th November 4:00pm - 5:00pm
 Parent Interviews Thursday 24th November

School Wide Positive Behaviour Expectations

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Progress through Participation



Burnett Heads THE BEACON

A NEWSLETTER LINKING BURNETT HEADS PRIMARY SCHOOL COMMUNITY

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Guardians

Work has commenced on upgrading the school internet services with the replacement of cable leading into the school. This will be followed by an increased bandwidth after Telstra have completed their installation. A faster and more reliable internet by year's end will be very welcome.

Our Rotary Readers return this week. These trained volunteers provide many hours of reading support to our students. Their commitment to our students is exceptional. Learning Support Teacher Sherilyn Strube puts many hours into recruitment and training of volunteers for this program and is always happy to hear from retirees who would like to be part of this valuable reading program.

Reading competence is fundamental to all learning which is why it remains the major focus in our teaching. The Friday visit by Terry Denton went well and we hope there is an increase in reading for pleasure as a result of his time with us. We have some sketches of his which we will display in the near future.

Work is about to commence on the art work for the Grandad's Garden with artist Jenni Kirkwood coming to check the site yesterday.

Can I ask parents to let Mr Liston or the office know if there are any Prep 2017 aged students around who have not been in Kindergarten. Parents may not realise that Prep is the compulsory first day of school from 2017.

For the rest of this term, staff will be focusing on the key of Persistence with the students to encourage greater diligence as far as working independently, finishing homework and assignments on time and getting assistance when necessary.

Kind Regards
Patricia Liddell (Principal)

Date Claimers

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- Tuckshop Mon & Wed
- Sausage Sizzle - Thurs
- School Banking - Thurs
- Assembly - Wed 9.00am
- PLAYGROUP each Wednesday 9.00-11.00
- 18 Oct - P&C Meeting 3.30pm
- 19 Oct - KSHS Arts Showcase Evening
- 20 Oct - Yr 6 German Modenschau (Class Fashion Show) 9.15-10.15
- 21 Oct - Friday Inter-school Sport for 4 weeks
- 24 & 27 Oct - Sporting Schools (Golf)
- 27 Oct - KSHS Presentation Night

ENROL NOW FOR PREP 2017 PACKAGES AVAILABLE FROM THE OFFICE

2016 TERM DATES

Term 3 11 Jul - 16 Sep
Term 4 04 Oct - 09 Dec

2017 TERM DATES

Term 1 23 Jan - 31 Mar
Term 2 18 Apr - 23 Jun

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