Individual presentation / Uniform compliance

It has been clearly noticeable in my first few weeks at Bauple State School how well the students present themselves each day when they arrive at school.

I am most impressed with the personal presentation and compliance with the school uniform policy that is evidenced amongst all students from Prep to Year 7. I would like to congratulate all school families and students for making the effort to ensure their personal presentation reflects the pride we have in our fantastic school.

School Classroom Operations Information Sessions

An invitation for Bauple community members to attend the 2014 Bauple State School Classroom Operations Information Sessions has been sent home with all students.

The 2014 Bauple State School Classroom Operations Information Sessions will take place on Friday 14 February beginning at 5:30 p.m. and concluding at approximately 6:30 p.m. The Bauple State School P and C Association will be providing a FREE barbecue dinner at the conclusion of the information sessions for all attendees to allow new families and existing families the opportunity to congregate and celebrate the beginning of the new school year.

Attendance at the classroom operations information session is a great opportunity to meet all school staff and discuss the wonderful learning opportunities that will be offered to your child/ren during the 2014 school year.

‘Principal’s Award’ and ‘Student of the Week Award’ recipients

The Principal’s Award has been awarded this week to Chantal in Year 3. To begin the 2014 school year, Chantal has demonstrated a strong dedication towards her academic and social learning. Chantal always displays a positive approach to school based activities and I highly commend her for the fine effort she puts into her learning at Bauple State School.

Chantal, I look forward to seeing your progress and celebrating your achievements in 2014.

Students of the Week
Kynan & Cassidy
Caitlin, Melody, Zieith, Lori & Isla

‘Doing the Right Thing’
Chantal
I would like to congratulate all of the ‘Student of the week’ award recipients for the effort they have put into their school based activities.

Technology Time during Lunch Breaks
Mr Eric Brandseth will be offering ‘Techie Time’ in the Computer/Technology Lab for all students during the second lunch break (1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.) every Monday and Friday.

Students are welcome to participate in the technology sessions to: complete set class technology tasks, maintain school based user accounts and engage in educational learning activities.

School tuckshop
Last week our school tuckshop successfully opened for the school year. All students at Bauple State School are invited to purchase tuckshop food items for Morning Lunch Break and Afternoon Lunch Break every Wednesday. Please refer to the tuckshop menu that has been attached to today’s newsletter.

I would like to acknowledge the hard work and effort the school tuckshop volunteers put into operating the school tuckshop and donating baked food items, ensuring our students are provided with the special treat of a tuckshop service every Wednesday.

If you are able to provide any assistance to the operations of the school tuckshop, please feel free to contact the Bauple State School P and C Association President, Mrs Sherry Murr, to discuss any assistance that you may provide to help our school tuckshop.

School bus operations and ‘Wet weather policy’
Thank you to all the Bauple community members who attended the school bus operations meeting last night. Many important issues were discussed and the bus operators provided useful information relating to the operations of the school bus transportation services.

Students travelling on the bus transportation services are expected to exhibit an extremely high level of appropriate behaviour at all times. I have included a copy of the ‘Code of Conduct for school bus travel’ brochure for parents to refer to and discuss with their children.

An official ‘Wet Weather Policy’ document has also been distributed to all families with students travelling on the bus transportation services. The document has been created by the ‘Hinter-Coast Transport’ company and clearly explains procedures that apply in the mentioned weather conditions.

Return forms for Media Release and Religious Education Instruction
Please return the blue form as soon as possible if you DO NOT wish your child/ren to participate in Religious Education Instruction or allow their photos in any form of media. This must be done yearly as situations do change.

Will Snedden
Principal

BOOK CLUB Issue 1 2014
Please find attached first issue of Book Club for 2014. When buying an item from Book Club, the school earns points which allow us to purchase items for the Resource Centre. Items are available for a price as low as $2. If you wish to purchase from Book Club, could you please have order accompanied with money, or order on line or by phone and return orders and receipts to school by 19th February. Thank you.

L. Dempster
Book Club coordinator
Welcome to “You Can Do It”

This Newsletter we will introduce the Foundations of the YCDI program. The students of Bauple State School have been introduced to the Foundations of **Confidence, Persistence, Organisation** and **Getting Along** in the past few years.

The Foundations of **Confidence, Persistence, Organisation**, and **Getting Along** are the keys all children, and adults, need to develop lifelong **Resilience**.

The Foundations help children's thinking change from “I can’t” to “I can”, from “I won’t” to “I will”. From “I don’t know where I’m going or how to get there” to “I want to achieve and I have a plan”. From “I can’t get along” to “I know how to get along.”

These Foundations provide our children with the personal attitudes and competencies that are necessary for young people to be “successful learners”.

The four Foundations of **Confidence, Persistence, Organisation**, and **Getting Along** all support the development of a resilient healthy individual, and therefore, develop resilient and healthy communities.

In the next newsletter, a working definition of the Foundations of the **“You Can Do It! Education”** will be provided.

Mr Hallam
A reminder that our AGM will be held next Tuesday, the 18\textsuperscript{th} Feb, commencing at 3:15pm. Please come along and join our hard working band of helpers.

**TUCKSHOP HELPERS FOR TERM 1**

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If you cannot make your rostered day, please contact me A.S.A.P. on 0458667305

Thank you

Sherry

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**CALENDAR**

**SCHOOL**

- 14 Feb: Classroom Operations Information Sessions – FREE B.B.Q. – 5:30 – 6:30pm

**P&C**

- 18 Feb: A.G.M. & General meeting – 3:15pm

**COMMUNITY**

- 14 Feb – 28 Mch: Tennis Coaching – Rossendale Tennis Club
- 28 Feb: Youth Disco – Bauple Q150 Shed - 6-9pm
- 01 Mch: MUSIC CLUB – Bauple Recreation Ground – 6 – 11pm
- 14 Mch: Tombola – Bauple Q150 Shed

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**TENNIS COACHING/HOT SHOTS – Rosendale Tennis Club Inc. - BAUPLE**

Gympie and District Tennis Association Coach Matt Watkins will commence the Hot Shots Coaching program on Friday 14\textsuperscript{th} February at the Rossendale Tennis Club. Lessons will be held Friday afternoons from 3:30pm to 4:15pm for the Beginners group (ages 5-9) and 4:15pm to 5:00pm for Intermediate group (ages 10 and up). The program is for a **minimum block of 7 weeks**. Costs will be $65.00/pupil or $120.00 for 2 children in the same family. Loan racquets are available each week.

For more information phone Matt Watkins on 04 1707 0129
Or Mary-Anne Walters on 04 3837 4091 or 41 292 589 or email: mwalters198@gmail.com

**ALL PLAYERS WHO SIGN UP WILL RECEIVE THEIR OWN HOT SHOTS TENNIS SHIRT!**

Cash payment or Cheques payable to Brett Cottrill please.
Direct Deposit: B A COTTRILL BSB 014585 ACCT 583359786 student’s name as reference please.

Rossendale Tennis Club is located at 38 Bauple-Woolooga Road, across the Bruce Highway from the southern Bauple entrance/exit. 2014 Junior membership for Rossendale Tennis Club is just $10.

Don’t miss this opportunity for local quality coaching.
Bauple Youth DISCO
Friday 28\textsuperscript{th} February

The Bauple Recreation Centre will be open on Friday 28\textsuperscript{th} February for a DISCO. Prizes and giveaways.

FREE ENTRY

4 – 10 year olds are welcome from 6 – 7:30pm and 11 – 17 year olds from 6:30 – 9pm.

We will be selling Hot Dogs at $2.50, plus lollies, drinks and packet chips.

All supervisors are Blue Card holders.

\textbf{Tuckshop menu}
\textit{Wednesdays}

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**HOT FOOD** & **DRINKS** \\
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Plain pie & $3 \quad \text{Poppers} & $1.40 \\
Sausage roll & $2.50 \quad \text{Bottled water} & $1.20 \\
Mini pies (2) & $2.00 \\
Hamburger & $4 \\
Chicken burger & $4 \\
Beef lasagne & $3.50 \\
Pizza single & $2.20 \\
Kepple pups & $2.60 \\
Hot dog & $2.20 \\
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**WRAPS** & \\
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Salad & $3.20 \\
Chicken or Ham/salad & $3.70 \\
Salad plates & $3.00 \\
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Assorted sandwiches available on request: - vegemite, vegemite/cheese, peanut paste, strawberry jam on white or brown bread from $1--$1.50

\textbf{FREE MILK FOR EVERY CHILD ON TUCKSHOP DAY}

The afternoon tea menu is not a set menu it will vary week to week and there is no ordering for afternoon tea. Please write the order on a brown bag (two for more than one hot food) with your child name grade and place money in a small bag inside for hygiene reasons.
Extreme Weather Policy

The purpose of this policy is to clearly list the steps to be taken by all parties using the services offered by Hinter Coast Transport in the event of extreme weather, which may affect road access.

In the event that the weather conditions in the region are such that:
- Roads are flooded
- Trees are down on roads
- Strong winds are propelling objects through the air
- Torrential rain/hail does not allow for acceptable visibility when driving a vehicle

Then parents/guardians are requested to do the following.

**STEP 1:** Assess the condition of your road to determine if your access has been compromised, if you cannot safely drive your car through then the bus will not attempt to do so.

**STEP 2:** Tune your radio to the local ABC radio station, which will make regular announcements in the event that any or all of the above services are cancelled.

If in the event that you are unable to tune into the local ABC radio station then please phone the school.

Please do not phone Hinter-Coast Transport's main number or alternative mobiles unless in the event of an emergency as they will be assessing road conditions, coordinating drivers and liaising with the school, Qld Transport and the high School bus operator re the connecting service.

For any queries regarding this information then please contact:
Barry & Caroline Giles T: 1300 568 971 / 0410602632