Welcome to 2013

OH MY GOODNESS!

WHAT A START TO THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR!

We know it will be a fantastic year for your children and our staff.
I would like to acknowledge our thoughts for our surroundings schools and communities who suffered through the Australia Day Floods.

I would like to send our best wishes to the families who are doing it tough at the moment and in the following weeks.
It is great to live in a community that is supportive.

The Bauple Recreation Ground Association has established a drop off point for donations of clothes, clean linen, toys and books, at the Bauple Q150 Recreation Centre. Anyone affected by the flooding are welcome to come and collect whatever they need as well as donations will be made to other affected areas. Feel free to call Mary on 0498373491, Leanne on 0481125024, Debbie on 0418771696, or Vickie on 0409055312 to arrange collection of donations.

On Wednesday, Anne Maddern (MP), State Member of Parliament visited our area and dropped in to see how our school was coping.
Mrs Madden gave us flyers that have given us information on how to apply for grants especially if homes have gone without power for more than 48 hours.
I urge all of you who have gone without power to put in a claim IF this happened to you. (The information is attached to this newsletter)

Local residents can access assistance from the Qld Government to aid in their recovery by visiting officer that are situated at the Tiaro Library today and hopefully over the week-end. A grant of up to $180 per person, up to a maximum of $900 for a family of five or more, is available to eligible people experiencing genuine hardship. Essential Household Contents Grants, Structural Assistance Grants and Essential Services Safety Reconnection Scheme Grants would also be available for individuals and families affected by the flooding caused. For those owners who are uninsured, or unable to claim insurance, you may also be eligible for Essential Services Safety Reconnection Scheme Grants. People who are experiencing personal hardship due to the storm should contact the Department of Communities on 1800 173 349 for support.
Please welcome our Preps:
Avril, Christopher (Aka CJ), Felicity, Jack, Lori, Nicholas, Olivia and Quinn
Welcome
The Baker Family: Olivia (Prep), Danny (Yr 2), Jaycob (Yr 3) and
The Symth Family: Layne (Yr1) and Cassidy (Yr 4)
The Facer Family: Gypsy Rose (Yr 7)

SAY NO
As a parent, it is very difficult to say NO to our children; you do feel guilt however it
does not help them in a social situation like SCHOOL. It has been noticeable in the
last couple of days; a large number of our students do not like being told NO and
they will argue with the request that is being asked of them and they will argue
with the consequences. This is across the year levels from Prep – 7. It does cause
difficulties in the classroom if your child/ren has not experienced being told NO.
Trust me as a parent of four (Years ranging from 30 – 13) your child/ren will not be
harmed if you say NO.

Please contact the office if you wish to discuss this with the principal

BUS NEWS
Bus Conveyance Committee Meetings will be held on Tuesday 26th February at
Bauple School. Primary school meetings at 5pm and Secondary school meeting at
6pm.
Just a reminder that the afternoon bus run has been condensed to one
run for the Talegalla & Forest View Estates, all students will need to be
collected from school by 3:10. If parents are running late or an
emergency has arisen please contact the school so supervision can be
arranged.
Please attach the Wet Weather Policy so it can be discussed at the next
meeting.

STUDENTS WHO HAVE NOT BEEN COLLECTED WILL BE SUPERVISED IN A CLASSROOM
OR THE PRINCIPAL’S OFFICE.
STUDENTS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO PLAY IN THE PLAYGROUND OR
ROAM THE SCHOOL GROUNDS.

There is no formal supervision before or after school at Bauple State School. Arrangement for
supervision for before school and after school is negotiated with the principal. Contact the school
office or contact the principal on the mobile number at the top of the newsletter for further
information.

“These are not dark days; these are great days - the greatest days our country has ever lived.”
-- Winston Churchill

Be Safe, Be Happy
Susan Booth
Principal
CALENDAR

BAUPLE SCHOOL

26 Feb Primary & Secondary Bus Conveyance committee meetings – 5pm & 6pm – Bauple school

P&C

13 Feb Bauple Bulletin deadline
19 Feb AGM and general meeting – 3:15pm

COMMUNITY

08 Feb Youth Disco – Bauple Recreation Centre – 5pm – 9pm - $2 entry food & drinks on sale
08-10 Feb Bauple Scouts Jamboree – come and try weekend
13 Feb Bauple Recreation Ground Assoc. general meeting – 7pm
20 Feb Bauple Progress Assoc. general meeting – 7pm – Bauple Lighthouse Church
22 Feb Bauple & Dist. Kids Hangout – Bauple Recreation Centre – 6pm

WALLAROO JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE CLUB

SIGN ON DAYS

Sat 2nd February 10am – 1pm @ Maryborough Sports Club
Sat 9th February 9am @ Station Square Maryborough
Our club is seeking players, boys & girls for U/7 thru to U/18’s for the 2013 season.
Wallaroo juniors are registered for the “Getting Started” Govt initiative. Find out more www.nprsr.qld.gov.au
All enquiries phone Scott Robertson 0428 164 585.
“If its Blue and White, it’s alright!” Hope to see you there

Doonvilla Football Club Sign-On

We welcome current and new players to join our family friendly club on Saturday 2nd February, 9th February & 2nd March, 10am - 2pm at Doonvilla Football Grounds, Gilbert St (near airport off Saltwater Creek Rd.). Players in all age groups welcome from 5years – Men/Ladies. Financial players will receive a free hat and free shirt. Contact Tony Dreger (president) 0437 700 308 or Jamie Goodsall (secretary) doonvillasecretary@hotmail.com.

ATTENTION LADIES! Are you looking for a way to get fit while having fun and socialising with your friends?? Doonvilla Ladies are looking for new players for their Division 1 and Division 2 teams. No experience required. Bring yourself and your friends to training and have a try! Training is every Wednesday at 6:30pm, Gilbert St, starting 30 January. (Must be 15years +) Last year we had three 40years+ players play in our grand final winning team; so age is no barrier! See you at training!
Please Contact Tony Dreger (president) 0437 700 308 or email secretary doonvillasecretary@hotmail.com.

TINANA FOOTBALL CLUB

Sign-On Sunday 10th Feb 11am – 2pm at the Tinana Clubhouse, Gympie Rd,
Free shorts, free socks, free sausage sizzle.
All players, Old & New, Boys & Girls from Under 6’s to Seniors are Wanted! More information call Trevor 0422 487 260

Tiaro Police Division Consultative Committee

aims to represent the Community’s interests in matters of safety and security and to promote a good working relationship between the Police and the residents.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The next meeting will be held 13th February, 2013 at the
Tiaro Community Centre, Forgan Tce Tiaro. Supper will be served
For further information please contact Lyn Kelman on (07) 41 293212 or lynanjohn@bigpond.com
Public meetings of the Tiaro Police Division consultative Committee are held the second Wednesday of every second month, commencing at 7 pm.
Cleone McRoberts Academy of Dance

Become a member of a studio that offers quality tuition, fun, friendship, discipline, easy parking and 2 change & waiting rooms.

Classes are held from Monday to Thursday allowing students to participate in weekend sports.

2012 was a very successful year with 17 grade ballet students gaining 12 distinctions and 5 Merits in their exams. The studio entered 4 groups in the Maryborough Eisteddfod and won all sections.

Tuition in: Royal Academy of Dance Ballet (exams optional), Jazz, Hip Hop, Contemporary Ballet, Tap & Cabaret.

Enrolments: Thursday 31st January at Maryborough State High School - Sussex Street entrance from 4pm.

Dance wear (locally made) available on enrolment day.

Classes from 3 years to Adults.

In 2012, 13 boys attended all forms of dance and this adds another dimension to dance incorporating Pas de Deux.

Enquiries please call Cleone on 41 214 010

Basketball Season Commencing:

SENIORS: Nominations close: Tuesday 29/01/2013 Games Start Week Beginning 4th Feb 2013.

JUNIORS: Sign-on for 2 weeks – Friday 1/02/2013 & Friday 08/02/2013. Games start Friday 15th Feb 2013.

Adults are welcome to sign up for Seniors Competition on Junior Signup days also.

Senior nominations forms available from Website: http://www.maryboroughbasketball.com and can be returned to Debbie Braund by email – speechlanguagesolutions1@gmail.com.

Hinter-Coast TRANSPORT

Extreme Weather Policy

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

Extreme Weather Process:
In the event that the weather conditions 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

Hinter-Coast Transport is responsible to notify school and the school bus Conveyance Committee that the service will not be running. This information will then be sent to the ABC radio.

School will endeavor to notify parents of cancellation of the bus service.

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 can not 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.

If you have any queries regarding this information then please contact the operators:
Barry & Caroline Giles
07 5473 5411 / 0410602632