Dear Parents,

BRRRRRRRRRRRR!!!!!!!!! It is very chilly these mornings. Feels like WINTER has arrived but no, we have to wait for 8 more days till the 1st day of WINTER. Please ensure your child/ren have a jumper/jacket, track pants/jeans. We have been handing out jumpers to children who are cold. (the clothing have been washed by our fantastic teacher aides).

Please label all clothing as this is the reason we have lots of lost property every day. The pile increases every week.

Under 8s Day the Bauple Way is happening this Thursday.
We will be welcoming P-3 students from Theebine, Gundiah, Tiaro, Brooweena and Parke schools to join Bauple State School.

Plus Bauple Bubs (Playgroup), Gunalda Kindy, Glenwood Daycare and local and district community members.
Our little school will swell to approx 200 students and 50 adults (staff and parents).

This year’s theme is “Celebrating Community - Sharing music, movement, and culture - Think locally”

Lunch is a sausage in bread and a popper for the cost of $3:
if a student wishes to have 2 sausages and a popper, it will cost $5.
All visiting students will be charged for the cost of consumables plus lunch.

Bauple SS students only need to pay for lunch. The rest is covered in the school stationary levy,

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU ON THURSDAY
(BIG THANK YOU to SHERRY and her awesome MUMS for cooking our sausages in advance)

Principal Award:
Felicity Rawlings for being a great friend to her classmate who had fallen over.

HAND, FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE
A very responsible family has reported that hand, foot and mouth disease has been diagnosed within their family. This is a common childhood disease. Hand, foot and mouth disease is generally a mild illness caused by a number of
enteroviruses, particularly coxsackieviruses. It is usually not a serious illness, and occurs mainly in children under 10 years of age but can also occur in older children and adults. It is not related to the foot-and-mouth disease that affects cattle. **Please refer to the attached information sheet on the facts, how to treat and how to prevent.**

**FLU/COLDS/HAYFEVER**

‘Tis the season to **SNEEZE! SNEEZE!** and **SNEEZE!** I ask all parents to teach their children how to cover their mouth when coughing, use a tissue to blow their noses or when they sneeze. All classrooms have a number of boxes of tissues for students, staff and volunteers to use. If your child/ren require lozenges (cough lollies) send a note with the ‘over the counter’ medication. Teachers will administer 1 every 4 hours. **NO CHILD/REN WILL BE ALLOWED TO ADMINISTER THESE TO THEMSELVES.** There is a large amount of sugar in this medication and can make children become hyperactive in the classroom. Some children eat them as lollies. This is not allowed to occur.

**Reading The Bauple Way Workshops** – at present we have 5+ parents indicating their participation in these workshops. I am in awe of all parents who attend. I would like to see one adult per student reading before school. Any adult who wishes to sign up for this regular classroom activity, please contact Mrs Booth or the classroom teacher.

**Our workshops continue on 28 May and 11 June.** (Please register via the office for catering purposes and number of handouts.) There will be a small prize for the parent who brings the most friends. (Tuesday, 3:15 in the Resource Centre)

**Bauple State School Sports Day – 7th June**

This week, the students began practicing sprints. We welcome all parents and community members to cheer on the students as they run their races and jump through hoops during the day.

**School Camp:**

**June 19, 20, 21 (Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)**
I am getting excited about going on camp. Keep sending in the forms.

**NO FORMS NO CAMP – Cost = $150.**

**BOOKFAIR – 27th to 31st May**

The Bookfair will be open each day from 8:30 – 9:00am, 11:20 to 11:45am at lunch time and again at 3:00 to 3:30 pm.

**LASER SKIRMISH is coming to Bauple School – Friday 31st May**

6 – 9pm - $35 for 3 hours or fun with family discounts considered.

We will need minimum of 18 participants to go ahead. So contact Susan Booth or Debbie in the office.

A shorter session may be run for the lower grades after school; followed by the teenagers, families and upper grades after dark.

All participants would need to be at the school by 5:30 pm for registration, briefing, etc.

Registration forms could also be available from the office for interested students or from our website: [www.widebaylaserskirmish.com.au](http://www.widebaylaserskirmish.com.au).

**“The ability to deal with people is as purchasable a commodity as sugar of coffee, and I will pay more for that ability than for any other under the sun.”**

--- John D. Rockefeller

**Be Safe, Be Happy**

Susan Booth,
Principal
In The Classroom

Classroom News 4-7
Maps, angles, perimeters and symmetry have been the focus for maths this week. Our year 6 & 7 students have been keenly investigating the angle relationships formed when a line crosses two parallel lines. In science the focus has moved on from experiments in changing the states of matter. In years 5-7 we are now looking at ways mixtures can be separated and on Monday afternoon our budding engineers in 2-4 are beginning to investigate the properties of materials with the construction of newspaper and cardboard towers. In English we are looking into memoirs.

Our 3-5-7 students are commended in the way they approached and participated in the NAPLAN tests last week. On Friday I asked the students if they wanted to do another set of NAPLAN tests later in the year, they said “No!” When I said that would mean they might get breakfast again they all said “YES!” With three huge breakfasts and backing it up with a delightful dinner and a delectable desert during the movie night on Friday, a huge thank you goes to the P&C for their phenomenal support of our students.

Matt Oulds

WEEKLY AWARDS

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P&C Assoc. NEWS

WOW, what a great turn out we had on Friday night for our movie night, we had half our little school there and they had a great time. They were very impressed with the dinner and our surprise dessert of banana split, even Mrs Booth got a surprise.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those involved with NAPLAN, either with helping cook, serving food or donating food and for getting up early.

Thursday is Under 8’s day and we will have a full school with visitors from all over the district; we will be having a sausage sizzle on this day for $3. You can purchase popper and a sausage on bread.

Our next meeting will be on the 17th June at 3:15 pm.
Thank you
Sherry
**Tuckshop news**

If you would like to or know someone that can help in tuckshop, I would love to hear from them. As it stands we have three helpers and it would be great to get some help in there.

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If you are unable to attend your day please let me know ASAP so we can swop with someone else

Thanks you Sherry

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**ANTIGUA HALL BOOT SALE**
June 2nd 7am to 12 noon Devonshire Tea, Sausage Sizzle, Bhopple Mountain Faeries visit, Plenty of stalls and sites.
For more information phone Judy or Keith 41296373

**BROMELIAD Sale & Combined Garage Sale**
Monday 10th June 2013 at 47 Bauple Drive (Profile Dynamix) from 8am.

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**CALENDAR**

**BAUPLE SCHOOL**

- **23 May**: ‘Under 8’s Day’ Bauple School 9:30 am – 1pm
- **07 June**: Bauple Sports Athletics Carnival
- **17 July**: Theebine & Dist. Schools – 800m race – Bauple School
- **19 July**: Theebine & Dist. Schools - Athletics Carnival – Tinana Oval
- **09 Aug**: Maryborough Zone Track & Field Carnival – Tinana Oval
- **30 Aug**: Tombola – Bauple Recreation Centre – 7pm
- **14 Sept**: Sausage Sizzle & Cake Stall – Federal Election – Bauple School

**P&C**

- **01 June**: Music Club – Bauple Recreation Ground – 5pm
- **12 June**: Bauple Progress Assoc. special meeting – Bauple Band Hall 7pm
- **13 July**: Tiaro Farming & Lifestyle Field Day
- **19 July**: Tombola – Bauple Recreation Centre
- **07 Sept**: Bauple Nut Bash – 2pm – Bauple Recreation Ground

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Coxsackievirus Infections

Coxsackieviruses are part of the enterovirus family of viruses (which also includes polioviruses and hepatitis A virus) that live in the human digestive tract. They can spread from person to person, usually on unwashed hands and surfaces contaminated by feces, where they can live for several days.

In cooler climates, outbreaks of coxsackievirus infections most often occur in the summer and fall, though they cause infections year-round in tropical parts of the world.

In most cases, coxsackieviruses cause mild flu-like symptoms and go away without treatment. But in some cases, they can lead to more serious infections.

**Signs and Symptoms**
Coxsackievirus can produce a wide variety of symptoms. About half of all kids infected with coxsackievirus have no symptoms. Others suddenly develop high fever, headache, and muscle aches, and some also develop a sore throat, abdominal discomfort, or nausea. A child with a coxsackievirus infection may simply feel hot but have no other symptoms. In most kids, the fever lasts about 3 days, then disappears.

Coxsackieviruses can also cause several different symptoms that affect different body parts, including:

- **Hand, foot, and mouth disease**, a type of coxsackievirus syndrome, causes painful red blisters in the throat and on the tongue, gums, hard palate, inside of the cheeks, and the palms of hands and soles of the feet.

- **Herpangina**, an infection of the throat which causes red-ringed blisters and ulcers on the tonsils and soft palate, the fleshy back portion of the roof of the mouth.

- **Hemorrhagic conjunctivitis**, an infection that affects the whites of the eyes. Hemorrhagic conjunctivitis usually begins as eye pain, followed quickly by red, watery eyes with swelling, light sensitivity, and blurred vision.

Occasionally, coxsackieviruses can cause more serious infections that may need to be treated in a hospital, including:

- viral meningitis, an infection of the meninges (the three membranes that envelop the brain and spinal cord)
- encephalitis, a brain infection
- myocarditis, an infection of the heart muscle

Newborns can be infected from their mothers during or shortly after birth and are more at risk for developing serious infection, including myocarditis, hepatitis, and meningoencephalitis (an inflammation of the brain and meninges). In newborns, symptoms can develop within 2 weeks after birth.
Contagiousness
Coxsackieviruses are very contagious. They can be passed from person to person on unwashed hands and surfaces contaminated by feces. They also can be spread through droplets of fluid sprayed into the air when someone sneezes or coughs.

When an outbreak affects a community, risk for coxsackievirus infection is highest among infants and kids younger than 5. The virus spreads easily in group settings like schools, childcare centers, and summer camps. People who are infected with a coxsackievirus are most contagious the first week they’re sick.

Prevention
There is no vaccine to prevent coxsackievirus infection. Hand washing is the best protection. Remind everyone in your family to wash their hands frequently, particularly after using the toilet (especially those in public places), after changing a diaper, before meals, and before preparing food. Shared toys in childcare centers should be routinely cleaned with a disinfectant because the virus can live on these objects for days.

Kids who are sick with a coxsackievirus infection should be kept out of school or childcare for a few days to avoid spreading the infection.

The duration of an infection varies widely. For fever without other symptoms, a child’s temperature may return to normal within 24 hours, although the average fever lasts 3 to 4 days. Hand, foot, and mouth disease usually lasts for 2 or 3 days; viral meningitis can take 3 to 7 days to clear up.

Treating Coxsackievirus Infections
Depending on the type of infection and symptoms, the doctor may prescribe medications to make your child feel more comfortable. However, because antibiotics only work against bacteria, they can’t be used to fight a coxsackievirus infection.

Acetaminophen may be given to relieve any minor aches and pains. If the fever lasts for more than 24 hours or if your child has any symptoms of a more serious coxsackievirus infection, call your doctor.

Most kids with a simple coxsackievirus infection recover completely after a few days without needing any treatment. A child who has a fever without any other symptoms should rest in bed or play quietly indoors. Offer plenty of fluids to prevent dehydration.

When to Call the Doctor
Call the doctor immediately if your child develops any of the following symptoms:

- fever higher than 100.4°F (38°C) for infants younger than 6 months and higher than 102°F (38.8°C) for older kids
- poor appetite
- trouble feeding
- vomiting
- diarrhea
- difficulty breathing
- convulsions
- unusual sleepiness
- pain in the chest or abdomen
- sores on the skin or inside the mouth
- severe sore throat
- severe headache, especially with vomiting, confusion, or unusual sleepiness
- neck stiffness
- red, swollen, and watery eyes
- pain in one or both testicles

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