Dear Parents/Caregivers

Come along to Bauple State School Sports Day and cheer on the students as they compete throughout the day. This Friday starting at 9:00 sharp first race 9 year 200 metres. Students are allowed to wear their house colours - Yellow or Blue.

NO SINGLETS/NO JEANS/NO TRACK PANTS/ NO LONG SHORTS.

Students are allowed to blue or yellow hair spray, blue or yellow finger nail polish and blue or yellow zinc.

Tuckshop is available on this day; please bring orders before or on the day.

PRINCIPAL AWARD:
Jahmarley Walters for having the courage to inform staff about students seriously breaching the school rules.

ABSENCES FROM SCHOOL
The Cold/Flu season is upon us and we need to be vigilant to ensure our children/students are proactive in their personal hygiene and welfare to ensure they do not succumb to this virus that causes the common cold or influenza.

REMEMBER: All students need to attend school and if your child/ren are away, ring the school or send a note.

ALL absences explained or unexplained or unauthorised are recorded in ONESCHOOL (EQ Database)

Students who have 3 days or more away I or Mrs Brischke will ring for an explanation. Parents are required to produce a Doctor’s certificate and if you, the parent don’t have one; it may be recorded as unauthorised. Birthdays/ haircuts are some reasons deemed unauthorised. Students who are genuinely ill stay home and those who are playing possum come to school.

Parents and students need to realise that it is against the law to stay home for no reason. In the present political climate parents can now be held accountable for not sending their children to school.
HAIR
There are a number of students whose hair is below the collar of their uniform. According to our Dress Policy, long hair is required to be tied up and long fringes need to be pinned back or tied back with a hair tie. Long hair if not tied back can become a Workplace Health and Safety concern. Long fringes can cause eye irritations due to dust particles, hair oil and dandruff. This policy includes all students regardless of gender.

VOLUNTEERS and PARENTS HELPERS
We welcome all volunteers and parent helpers. Please sign on at the office and sign out when you leave. This allows the office to know who is on site in case of a fire drill / lockdown drill or a real situation.

BOOKFAIR
Thank you to all the parents and carers who supported our Bookfair. We sold $593 and was able to purchase $59 worth of books.

BOOKCLUB
The next issue of Bookclub is attached. Please have your orders and money back to the school by Tuesday 11th June. Sorry for the short notice due to Book Fair.

Reading The Bauple Way Workshops –
Just a reminder we will be holding our 3rd Reading Workshop on Tuesday 11th June at 3:10 in the Resource Centre. Come and join in the fun.

School Camp:
June 19, 20, 21 (Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)
Students will need to have some breakfast before leaving home. If your child/ren cannot eat breakfast this early, pack toast (vegemite/cheese or jam or peanut/honey wrapped in alfoil) – fruit, yoghurt. They will need a sandwich or wrap for when we stop for a break. Students will need a water bottle or juice.
NO LOLLIES/NO SOFT DRINK.
All students need to be at school by 5:00am, the bus will be leaving at 5:30 sharp.

WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN Points
Please send in any stickers you have collected to the office so they can be collated and sent off.

“Miracles sometimes occur, but one has to work terribly hard for them”
-- Chaim Weizmann, Chemist

Be Safe, Be Happy
Susan Booth,
Principal

In The Classroom
PY – 2 News
It’s nearly time for us to start making our instruments. Thanks for the donations of bottles, lids, rolls, etc. These will come in handy for this task. I am sure we will have some interesting instruments being created over the next couple of weeks. We have been doing assessment tasks during Math time and will be completing an English assessment shortly. This will involve writing an information report about an animal. We have been learning about maps. It was great fun to use a map of the school to complete a word scavenger hunt on Monday. I was impressed by the map reading skills and team work during this activity.
Friday is our Bauple Sport’s Day. Students have been training for this day. Everybody will be participating in a sprint race, the junior rotations and cheering their mates. Some students will also be involved in a relay race and ball games. We hope that you can come and cheer for us on Friday.

We are getting close to the middle of the year. Students have all made individual progress over this semester. This will be communicated in our first semester reports (to be sent home early next term). Prep students have almost completed their sound books. Thanks to parents for working with your child on their sounds. Regular work leads to students feeling confident. It has been difficult for some students to keep up to date as their sound books have not been returned to school. It would be appreciated if you could collate all loose sound pages into the sound book as this will assist with revision of learning.

We are on our final Sharing Time topic for the term. Congratulations to the students who have completed all four topics – prizes will be handed out later this term for your effort!

Enjoy the remainder of your week.
Mrs Chin

**Yrs 2 – 7 classroom News**
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By Jessica Grant

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Hi!

Please order your tuckshop for Friday as soon as you get to school so it can be ready for you at lunch time. Remember our next P&C meeting will be Tuesday 18th June at 3:15pm.

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.

JUNE
Helpers
12 Hailie Manderson
19 Talia Chessels

TUCKSHOP ROSTER
COOKS
Sabrina Spice
Shona Bobeldykh

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

Thanks you Sherry

COMMUNITY NEWS

YOU ARE INVITED TO EXPERIENCE
TURKISH CULTURE
TASTE: TURKISH FOOD
HEAR: OUR GUEST SPEAKER
SEE: A VARIETY OF WONDERS
Where: Gooloogong CWA Hall
When: 20th June at 10:30am
Cost: $10
RSVP: 10th June
Phone: Bronwyn 4129 7626
Lyn 4129 3212

WANTED
2013 Flood Photos
FROM THE FRASER COAST REGION
These photos will be used for a display at this year’s Tiaro Farming & Lifestyle Field Day.

Please ensure your name and the location the photos were taken. Email any photos that you have to glaim@bigpond.com or phone Phil on 0427 292 143.

We are asking for a maximum of 3 photos per person. All photos will be greatly accepted.

Competition: Come up with the BEST dance school motto and win the first term free!!!!!!
Family Portraits! Help Tinana Kindergarten and Pre-School’s fundraiser on August 11th to support our students. Advancedlife’s professional photographers will provide you with a Family Portrait for only $20. For $20 you receive a professional 10” x 13” Family Portrait (in colour OR black and white) PLUS a bonus key-ring with your family photo inside. 100% of the money raised from the day goes to Tinana Kindy. Please email Stacey Ryan at tinanakindy@bigpond.com or Phone Monday, Wednesday & Friday’s ONLY on 4122 3608 to book your appointment before they are all gone! Payment is required to secure your booking. Check out our event on Facebook by searching Tinana Kindy Family Portrait Fundraiser!!

Noah’s Ark Vacation Care: June –July School Holidays

For more details of the program and to collect an enrolment form, please call at the office.

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Helping with literacy

Most parents are aware of the importance of their role in helping young learners develop literacy skills. The early experiences at home provide the basis for future learning. As children progress through school parents still play a vital role in helping them develop the skills of reading and writing. Parents can help pre-teens and early adolescents by reading regularly to them, displaying an interest in their reading and writing activities and by being good role models.

Bright ideas

Establish and maintain a regular reading time at home. Many children prefer to read in bed before they sleep, while others prefer to read in the morning. It is helpful if television and other distractions are turned off regularly to encourage reading.

Write notes to your children and encourage them to write notes to you. Notes can include loving messages, reminders and even shopping lists.

Make available a range of material for literacy. Provide plenty of magazines, novels, non-fiction books and other material to promote reading. Young writers need a dictionary, a thesaurus and plenty of paper and pens.

Provide your child with a diary so he or she can record private thoughts and personal events.

Your behaviour sends the message that reading and writing are valuable activities, so let youngsters see you read both for enjoyment and to gain information.

If you have a reluctant reader in the family consult his or her teacher for a list of popular, easy-to-read books. Many children suddenly take on the reading habit when they discover an author that they like.

Fathers, in particular, have a special role to play in their sons' literacy learning. Fathers should read to their sons (and daughters) and also let their children see them reading for pleasure.

Personal computers assist the writing process as they allow children to draft and redraft without having to rewrite their work. The use of the spellchecker can help young writers who can be restricted by their spelling deficiencies.

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