It is great to see that Bauple State School has resume our normal routine

I will apologise upfront that some of our items have been repeated for our families (old and new) who have joined us this week.

I would like to welcome Mr Matt Oulds who has joined our staff.

Mr Oulds will be in charge of the 4/5/6/7 class and co-teaching Years 2-7 with myself.

Please welcome our Preps:
Avril, Christopher (Aka CJ), Felicity, Jack, Lori, Nicholas, Olivia and Quinn

Welcome also to:
The Baker Family: Olivia Prep, Danny Yr 2, Jaycob Yr 3 and
The Symth Family: Layne Yr 1 and Cassidy Yr 4
The Facer Family: Gypsy Rose Yr 7

ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER
Our newsletter can be sent via email and/or via your child/ren. We can do both, however I know we have a large number of parents who work away (Mums and Dads), if you would like a copy of our newsletter sent out via email, send in your email address to our office so you can be added to list. Send your request to sboot9@eq.edu.au or dbris12@eq.edu.au or the.principal@baupless.eq.edu.au.

INFORMATION NIGHT
Due to the start of the year and a short term; we will be hosting an Information Night next Wednesday 13th February. Mrs Chin’s room P-2 will be at 4:30-5:00pm and Mrs Booth and Mr Oulds room with be at 5:00-5:30pm. We would like to invite all parents and children to attend to hear about the structure of the classes; including homework, classroom helpers and much more.

PARKING
Just a reminder, please do not park on the green grass adjacent to Forestry Road. The buses turn around in the carpark and your vehicle could hinder the buses. It is also dangerous for students to cross to your vehicle from the school.

DATA BOOKS
This year we are introducing Data Books. By the end of the week every student will have a Data Book in their HOMEWORK FOLDER. I urge all parents to take the time to read the Data Book every week. It will show how your child/ren is going at school. The information in the book will be discussed in our Parent Interviews and new Learning Goals will be developed.

PARENT INTERVIEWS
Week 8 of Term 1: 18th – 22 March. A form will be sent out in the next couple of weeks for parents to indicate a time and day for your interview.
READING
During the next two weeks all classes will be teaching “Activating Prior Knowledge”. This is a skill that will support children while they read. It will improve their comprehension. More information will be shared throughout each newsletter.

PERMISSION & CONSENT FORMS
Please find attached to this newsletter the Media Release Form that needs to be signed yearly by the students and parents, and returned to the office.
Also attached is the exclusion form for Religious Education and Media Photos. If you DO NOT wish your child to attend Religious Education or have their photo published in the newspaper, please complete and return this form.
Please also consider helping the P&C by taking a turn at Tuckshop. It is only held once a week, so the more people on the roster, the few times you will have to work each term.

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 3:10pm. If parents are running late or an emergency has arisen please contact the school so supervision can be arranged.
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 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.

“Too many people overvalue what they are not and undervalue what they are.”
-- Malcolm Forbes, Publisher

Be Safe, Be Happy
Susan Booth
Principal
Welcome to 2013. It is great to be back and settling into a new year.

Homework has commenced this week. A reminder that homework folders should be returned daily to the classroom, regardless if the homework is completed or not. You may have noticed the new Student Data Books in homework folders. Please ensure these are kept safe inside the folder and returned each day as there will be times we add to these books. Home Reading can be recorded on the back pages of the books. Preps will begin home readers shortly. In the meantime, you are able to record the name of a book you are reading together at home. There may be times these books are kept at school so we are able to monitor and record information. Individual student’s goals will be sent home early next week. We are currently completing the review of last year’s goals and setting new goals for the remainder of this term.

Our parent helper roster is being drafted and will be sent home by Friday this week. We are lucky to have many hands available to help in our room again this year. We look forward to seeing parents joining us from next week.

The Sharing Time topic this fortnight is ‘families’. Students are introducing us to some of their family members. Our presenters have been confident and enjoyed talking about their family.

This term we will be looking at persuasive texts during English, families during History and life and living during Science. We will also be explicitly looking at comprehension strategies. This is a whole school approach so keep your eye out in the newsletter for information and ideas. This week we have been learning about “activating prior knowledge”. This involves thinking about what we know about story topics before we start reading and reflecting during and after the reading as well. Yesterday we read a story titled, “Brown Bread and Honey”. We first “activated prior knowledge” by thinking about what we knew about bread and honey, what other foods we knew, where foods came from, etc. This is a strategy you could practise at home with your child.

Math this term will involve a number of topics, starting with number and time. Practising the date, days of the week, times (formally such as 6 o’clock/1 minute and informally such as afternoon/short time), months and seasons would be hugely beneficial to your child. Exposure to calendars and real life situations (such as timetables, TV guides, timers in the kitchen, clocks, etc.) is a great way for students to develop a better understanding of the concept of time. Sequencing activities are also a great way to engage with the topic of time. For example, first I eat breakfast, second I get dressed, third I brush my teeth, etc. During HPE we have been learning about the school rules and developing routines for daily PE/Smart Moves.

Our specialist day is Thursday. Students participate in PE, Music, Library and ICT (computers). Please ensure your child has appropriate footwear for sport, their school wide-brim hat and return their library bags and books so they can re-borrow.

The P-2 Parent Information Session is next Wednesday 13th February at 4:30pm. I look forward to chatting with many of you and will be available to answer any questions.

Enjoy your week.
Jess Chin

**Weekly Awards**

‘DOING THE RIGHT THING’

Mark
P&C Assoc. NEWS

Well that was an unforgettable start to the school year, so welcome back and to our new family’s welcome to our little school, we hope you get to know and love it like we do.

On behalf of the P&C I would like to welcome our new teacher Mr Matt Oulds to our school, we hope you enjoy your time with us.

On the holidays I was fortunate enough to do a bit of P&C work. I was asked to cater for a function of 25 people which was a delight and we raised much needed funds for our little school. Our **AGM WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY 19TH FEBRUARY** at 3:15pm in the computer lab I look forward to seeing you all there and voting our new committee in.

Thank you
Sherry
P&C PRESIDENT

Community News

**Tennis Coaching/ Hot Shots – Rossendale Tennis Club**
Gympie and District Tennis Association Coach Matt Watkins will commence a coaching/ hot shots program on **Friday 15th February at Rossendale Tennis Club** located just off the Bruce Highway at 38 Bauple-Woolooga Road (opposite the southern Bauple exit). Lessons will be held **Friday Afternoons. Beginners (Age 5-9) 3.30pm to 4.15pm, Intermediate/ Advanced (Age 10 and Up) 4.15pm to 5.00pm. Costs will be $65.00/pupil or $120.00 for 2 children in the same family or $12/week per pupil for a 7 week block of lessons. Loan racquets are available each week.**

**NOTE: Fees can be paid in 2 instalments at the start of lesson 2 and 4**

Please **return** this completed form to Matt Watkins on Friday 15th February at The Rossendale Tennis Club.
Name..........................................................Age.... Grade....
Contact Phone/s.............................................Email..................................................
Parent or Guardian Signature..............................................................
Cash or Cheques made payable to Brett Cottrill please.
**Direct Deposit B A COTTRILL BSB 014585 ACCT 583359786 pupil’s name for reference please.**
For more information phone Matt Watkins 04 1707 0129 or Brett Cottrill 04 1774 6795 or contact Mary-Anne Walters on 41292 589 or 04 3837 4091

‘LOVE MARY DAY’

We have had to change the date for our environmental field day, **Love Mary Day, to 12 May**, as you probably understand. Our site was completely inundated, and would be unsafe on the original date, due to deposition of silt. I hope your school came through the event unscathed.

We have been heartened to see that most of the plantings we have done are still in place and alive; that our new fencing is still intact; that our nesting boxes (although a little muddy) are still in place.
Unfortunately, we did lose more of the riverbank, including some trees, but figure these may now be Mary River Turtle or Cod habitat, instead of bird or koala habitat.

The new date is actually Mother’s Day, so we are revamping the event a little to reflect this important celebration.

Please contact me if there is a problem with this alteration, or you would like to discuss aspects of the Competition. My phone number is 0401307110.

Thank you,
Glenda Pitman, Secretary, Greater Mary Association.
ZUMBA
Will recommence at the Bauple Band Hall this Thursday 7th Feb at 5:30pm. Cost is only $6 for first timers. Also on in Tiaro on Tuesdays.

Doonvilla Football Club Sign-On
We welcome current and new players to join our family friendly club on Saturday 9th February or 23 February, 10am - 2pm at Doonvilla Football Grounds, Gilbert St (near airport). Players in all age groups welcome from 5 years – Men/Ladies. Financial players will receive a free hat and free shirt.

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 youself and your friends to training and have a try! Training is every Tuesday at 6:30pm, Gilbert St, starting 5th January. (Must be 15 years +) Last year we had three 40 years+ 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

BMX RACING
Come & Try the Thrill and Excitement of BMX Racing for FREE

When: Saturday 23rd February 2013
Where: Maryborough BMX Club
Gympie Road, Tinana
(Enter via Maryborough Speedway entrance)
Time: 3pm-5pm

What to Bring: Must bring own bike, Helmet, Gloves, Long Sleeve Shirt, Long Pants and Water to Drink.

Bikes don't have to be race bikes yard bikes are accepted.
Must Participant in Come & Try event to receive a Free Showbag.

For more information Contact:
President - Jason Rufus - 0448 464746
Secretary - Karen Baker - 0409 635351

For more information please ring Sandra Tomlinson Ph: 4129 2609 Mob: 0418 185 442

As part of the State-wide Scout Sign-on week-end, Bauple Group are having a Join In Jamboree Camp, starting at 4:00pm Friday 8th February and finishing at 3:30pm on Sunday 10th February.
This is open to all children aged 6 to 14 in the surrounding area. Children may camp (there is a fee of $20.00 to cover cost of food) or just come on the day and join in the activities. Those camping will need to bring their own cereal; we will provide the milk etc. and have bread for toast and things to go on it.
The activities are based similar to those at the 2013 Jamboree in Maryborough. We have Climb It, Endure It, Explore It, Splash It, Tag It, Do It, Make It, Cook It, Challenge It, Smash It, Clown It & Build It. Children will need to bring clothes to get wet in and clothes to get dirty in. Closed shoes to be worn at all times so will need an extra pair for the water activities.
Friday night the children have the option of joining the Disco in the Q150 Building for a cost of $2
So Come along and have fun.
Parents to sign Non Member Form for children to participate.
For catering purposes please advise children wishing to camp by early Thursday if possible.

BAUPLE SCOUT GROUP SIGN ON WEEK-END & JOIN IN JAMBOREEE CAMP

For more information please ring Sandra Tomlinson Ph: 4129 2609 Mob: 0418 185 442
MARYBOROUGH NETBALL ASSOCIATION

2013 SIGN-ON
Wednesday 13/2/13
Cheapside Courts 3.30pm – 6.00pm

FIXTURES – Wednesday Afternoon / Evening
New Players Welcome

- Netta – 5yrs to 7yrs - $115 includes season registration, participation fees & playing shirt
- Junior and Senior Competition - $200 includes season registration & participation fees

If unable to attend sign-on, please email the Association for a registration form

Parents or Carers of players from 5yrs to 18 yrs who hold a Health Care Card or a Pensioner Concession Card are eligible to claim a $150 "Get Started" voucher as a part payment of registration and participation fees. Visit www.nprsr.qld.gov.au/getinthegame to apply for voucher online. Limited vouchers are available on a first in basis.

Rover Saints Junior Rugby League

Players Are needed For Under 7, 8, 10 and 12s in the 2013 season.
A sign on will be held this Saturday the 9th of February at station square shopping complex, new memberships will need to bring a copy of there birth certificate and fees –

- 7, 8, 10 $60 , 12s $80 includes insurance QRL registration, trophy and team photo. shorts and socks $25.

also looking for coaches and FAO and league safe QRL registered, Blue card, staff to join the Rovers Saints club in 2013.

All Inquiries can be forwarded to

Colin Anderson, President RS
JRLFC 0417811816.
CALENDAR

BAUPLE SCHOOL

13 Feb  Information Nights
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
8-10 Feb  Bauple Scouts Jamboree – come and try weekend
13 Feb  Bauple Recreation Ground Assoc. general meeting – 7pm
15 Feb  Tennis Coaching / Hot Shots – Rossendale Tennis Club
20 Feb  Bauple Progress Assoc. general meeting – 7pm – Bauple Lighthouse Church
22 Feb  Bauple & Dist. Kids Hangout – Bauple Recreation Centre – 6pm
01 March  Pizza & Movie Night – Lighthouse Christian Church 6:30pm – ‘Flicka’
12 May  ‘Love Mary Day’ – Petrie Park, Tiaro

YOUTH DISCO

Ages 4-17.

8th February 2013

TIME: 5:00 to 7:00pm.- 4 to 9 year olds for Games and Dancing
6:00 to 9:00pm – 10 to 17 year olds for Dancing

ENTRY $2
Potato Wedges/cream/sauce/gravy $2.50, DRINKS $1.50, WATER FREE.

NO PASS OUTS. FULLY SUPERVISED with Blue Card holders

COME AND DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY AT THE
Bauple Q150 Recreation Centre.