Another Exciting Week at Bald Hills!

With the visit to the school of the 7 News Helicopter on Wednesday, Bruce and Denise Morcombe talking with the students in Year 3-7 about the importance of personal safety, and round two of winter interschool sport on Friday, this has certainly been a week packed with extra-curricular activities!

It was a shame the programing in the news bulletin didn't provide more coverage for the school’s upcoming 150th anniversary and our unique forestry area. For those that didn’t know, our formation on the oval was “1866,” the year of our establishment. I had hoped this would be one way we promoted to the community our school’s significant place in Brisbane’s history and upcoming celebration. However, the news segment was a positive one about our forestry, the students certainly got to see a helicopter up close, and a small group of students learned first-hand about how the news is put together each night.

School Survey – Taking Bald Hills State School from Good to Great

The contribution to the school by the many parents who completed the recent survey is greatly appreciated. Almost 200 parents responded and your feedback, ideas and suggestions will be used in the development of the school’s next four year strategic plan. It is highly useful to have your opinions and thoughts as it points us to areas in which improvements in the school are necessary, and to areas where we can build on our significant strengths.

Year 4-7 students and staff also undertook a survey with similar questions and in the weeks ahead this information will also be used to inform our future direction.
Students Leaving Early
Thanks for your positive response to assisting teachers, and ultimately your children, by having them at school on time and ready to learn. A reminder that finishing the day is also important and I again seek your assistance in minimising lost learning time by taking students out of class before the end of the day. It is time they will not get back, and also interrupts the learning of other students.

David Turner
Principal

From the DP
Interschool sport – Round 2
The second round of interschool sport games occur Friday this week – 6 June 2014. Please note that if interschool sport is cancelled due to rain that Round 2 will be played on Friday 13 June 2014. Our Bald Hills teams played well across all Round 1 games, with our rugby league teams winning all of their games. It is great to see our students attending training sessions, building their skill development and team spirit. Learning to work cooperatively in teams, supporting each other and working together to reach collective goals is a life skill. Participating in sporting teams is one way in which students can build, practise and refine this skill.

Lost property
Each week a large amount of lost property is brought to the office. Unfortunately, much of the lost property is not named. Please ensure that your child’s belongings are clearly named. Please remind your child to check that they have all of their belongings in their bag when they leave at the end of the day. Jumpers, lunch boxes and drink bottles are items that are commonly left behind.

Libby Bond
Deputy Principal

Positive Behaviour Support Program
Respectful Rosie says:
Use good manners in all areas of the school

From the Office

STUDENT ABSENCES
If your child is away due to illness or another reason, please let the office know by phoning the school office on 3261 1554 or by sending an email to admin@baldhillss.eq.edu.au.

PERMISSION FORMS
If you have any permission forms at home, whether they are for media permission, religious studies or updating personal information forms, please hand them into the office.

Chappy News
DISCO DATE CLAIMER
FRIDAY 20 June 6pm-8pm
FUN 80s /FLURO THEME!!
If you are able to give a hand with some home baked sweets to sell, donations of gifts for lucky door prizes or to help with our set up or pack down of the hall please email me on kcono4@eq.edu.au.
This week our Seasons program kicks off which is a wonderful Educational Program for children who have experienced transition in their families whether that be due to separation, divorce, loss of a loved one or some other unsettling event. It looks at the process of change and the feelings that go with it based around the seasons of the year. Thank you to our volunteer facilitators Mrs Lindsay Suosaari and Mrs Linda Male.
CHAPPY KYLIE ☺

Music Notes
QYMA – Young Voices Choir
Last Thursday evening the choir performed in this competition at The Gap State High School. I was really pleased with the way they performed and they gained a SILVER award. Congratulations!

Jnr Music Camp – June 10 to June 12
Music Camp is organised on a District level, & the organisers have approx. 660 children attending. These children from BH will be attending:- Emily L, Alice R, Aidan S, Breanna T, Paige T, Dami H, Jackson M, Caitlyn D, Taleshia H, Chloe L, Abbie R, Hannah W, Casey E, Kai J, Thomas C, Jessica C, Henry R, Elise B, Jed P, Lisa-Marie S, Elspeth B, Lara H, Ben S, Attalia L and Indy P. I’m sure they will have a great time once they recover from nerves. This will mean that BOTH Mr James and Miss Moore will be absent NEXT week as they will also be on camp. There will be NO lessons OR rehearsals for their groups before school.

Miss Moore absent
On Tuesday 17 June Miss Moore will be absent as she is required to attend moderation on that day. There will be lessons on the Monday BUT no lessons or rehearsal on Tuesday.

Talent Night – Thursday 26 June
Talent Night is fast approaching........ final list will be posted next week. Hope to see lots of supporters there! If you are able to assist in any way, please contact either Miss Wood or Mrs McAuliffe.

Lamington and Pie Drive
We are having a Lamington and Pie Drive early in Term 3. Forms will be sent home to families on Monday 21 July with orders to be placed by 1 August and the goods delivered on Tuesday 5 August. Please be aware that we cannot accept any late orders, make sure you return them on time for these delicious goods.

Music Support Group Meeting
The next meeting will be Tuesday 15 July (first week back).

P & C News
ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS—All books or payments are now overdue. Notices are going out this week. If you get a notice and have paid or sent the book back please contact the P&C immediately. Some books have been returned without names on them and some payments have been made to the wrong place with no names attached.

BOOKCLUB - latest orders are due back now. Please send orders and money to P&C box at Tuckshop.
We are still looking for volunteers for talent night. Please contact the P&C if you are able to help out.

Our next general meeting is 11 June. All new members are welcome to attend.

Have a great week.
Tanya May - President

Flyers home this week
NIL
Tuckshop News

Please note Tuckshop will NOT be open on Tuesday 24 June due to the year 4-7 sports day. Prep - 3 will need to bring their lunch from home on this day.

Years 4-7 and their families will be able to buy food on the oval on that day. No bag orders.

We are doing a special on 18 June for the state of origin. Flyers coming home soon.

We are in need of donations of tinned pineapple and/or beetroot this week of you can spare a can or two.

Thanks
Kylie and Mel

ROSTER
MON 9 June - public holiday
TUES 10 June - Lembe L
WED 11 June - Kendall B, Lisa H
THURS 12 June - Suzie W, Donna V, Erin R, Helen M
FRI 13 June - Alicia S, Mel B, Leanne H, Kay H

Uniform Shop News

We have red and green jumpers available in all sizes (4-14)

Hours Wednesday 8am-10am and Friday 2:15pm-3:15pm

Thanks
Mel

Community News

Give your child the tools to build resilience and thrive!

Confident Kids + Teens is an interactive and fun 5 week Resilience coaching program for 5—14 year olds. Children learn about their personal strengths, resilient thinking skills and social skills. The aim of the program is to boost confidence and emotional resilience and to teach children practical tools to reduce stress, anxiety, low self-esteem or lack of confidence so they can meet life’s challenges. The program includes parent support and workshops. Facilitated by experienced psychologists who are passionate about helping kids be all they can be. Places are limited so hurry.

Medicare and Private Health fund rebates apply.

Only available at Positive Families Paddington. Visit www.confidentkidsandteens.com.au for full details and book online to secure your child’s enrolment. Or email us at info@positivefamilies.com.au

Important Dates

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Wavell State High School

Enrolment Packs for Year 7 in 2015 and Year 8 in 2015 are now available at the school office or you may phone Wavell SHS on 3350 0328