



BALD HILLS

State School Newsletter

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

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Morning Tea & Lunch Orders
Phone: 3261 4551

Uniform

Wednesday - 8:00 to 10:00am
Friday - 2:15 to 3:15pm

P&C

pandc@baldhillss.eq.edu.au

2 June 2016

Dear Parents,

HELP YOUR CHILD TO USE WRITING

Letters of All Kinds

Encourage personal letters. Children can write to relatives, pen friends, friends who have moved away, and use both the old fashioned pen and paper or the more current email. Sometimes the personal touch of a hand written letter is a wonderful communication to receive.

The young ones may need suggestions: 'Don't forget the trip to... Mention that movie you liked...How about the joke you told me'. Also revive the good old courtesy of the thank you letter sent after a visit or after receiving a gift.

Notice business letters. Ask the children to read business letters that come to the home. Draw attention to lay-out and tone as being different from the style of personal letters. Show the replies you write.

Encourage letters of opinion. 'If you feel strongly about that, then take action!' Older children can write to newspapers and magazines expressing opinions. Or, expressing admiration, to sport stars, entertainers, artists, scientists, authors, and people in the public eye.

2016 EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARDS

As Principal of Bald Hills State School, I often have the pleasure of hearing great stories from parents, students and local community members about what a wonderful job our school staff are doing. If you are one of those people telling the stories, you might also like to acknowledge this work to a wider audience through these awards.



The Excellence in Teaching Awards were inaugurated in 2009 to recognise and celebrate the achievements of inspiring educators from across Queensland schools. Nominations for the 2016 awards are now open and will close on 20 July 2016. Teachers including early childhood teachers, heads of department, heads of special education services, deputy principals and principals are eligible for the awards.

Follow this link for nomination information and forms: <http://www.qct.edu.au/eit/eit-awards>

Cheers
Glen Robertson
Principal

Bald Hills State School Parents & Citizens Association
meets 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7pm.
All parents are invited to attend.

From The DP

Rule of the Week

Our focus rule for this week is to be Responsible with Responsible Ronnie and Obey the Road Rules. During assembly on Wednesday morning we revised these rules and students were reminded of the following:

- Cross at the lights or crossing
- Walk your bike, scooter or skateboard inside the grounds and across the crossing
- Wait quietly and sensibly inside the school grounds after school
- When the late afternoon bell rings go to the office
- Get into your car on the kerbside
- Line up for the bus beside the tuckshop
- Sit quietly on the bus or train

Classroom teachers cannot monitor many of these rules so we ask parents to please revise these rules at home to help keep our children safe on the roads!

Artslink

Many of our students had the opportunity to view the Artslink performance, True Culture on Monday 30 May. The students really enjoyed the performance by the Gubbi Gubbi dance troupe, promoting the group's vision "to promote positive and practical learning experiences that incorporate Indigenous and Torres Strait Islander perspectives, histories and cultures, empowering youth to make positive and healthy choices for their lives." This was a very relevant performance for our school, especially in light of Reconciliation Week and our recognition as finalists in the 2016 Reconciliation Awards.

Lunchboxes

Just a reminder to ensure that your child has a lunchbox to keep their lunch in everyday. Due to specialist lessons, students quite often have to leave their lunch on the seats prior to a morning tea or lunch break. Our resident crows enjoy taking this opportunity to steal any lunches that may be accessible. The crows cannot open closed lunchboxes, however students who bring their lunch in a plastic bag, or who leave their lunchbox unzipped run the risk of losing their lunch.

Sharon Blake
Deputy Principal

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

PB	Ammon	PB	Kirra
PH	Tyler	PH	Katie-Rose
PK	Agastya	PK	Paige
PS	Ella	PS	Palvi
2B	Mualavau	2B	Sasha
2R	Nikita	2R	Grace
2W	Jackson	2W	Luke
4B	Rioz	4B	Lacey
4C	Kyan	4C	Kieren
4V	Eliana	4V	Lucas
6C	Zackery	6C	Arabella
6H	Lorahdae	6H	Indy
6K	Kodi	6K	Lily

Classroom News Report Cards

Semester 1 Report Cards:

Report cards will be emailed out to parents for Semester 1 in the last week of this term. Please check with the office staff we have your current preferred email address. If you do not have an email address, please contact the school in order for alternative arrangements.

Music

Instrumental Music Lessons NEXT week

There will be NO instrumental Music lessons with Miss Moore next week for Strings on Tuesday or Friday as she will be away with District Junior Music Camp. This also means NO ensemble rehearsal before school on Tuesday.

Mr James WILL have lessons on Monday ONLY and will be away for lessons AND band on Wednesday.

Talent Night - Friday 17 June

Auditions have been completed and congratulations go to:- Golden Girls, The Mob, Marissa & Amelia, Drama group "The New President", Lorahdae, Paige S, Mini, Ava & Ella, tap dancers Eliza & Piper & Amelia W. They are now fine tuning their performances for the final night. Come along and support these talented children! Friday 17 June commencing at 6.30pm in the school Hall. There will be a sausage sizzle available from 5.15pm. Hope to see you there.

Can you help with Talent Night? Please contact Miss Wood if you are able to assist with raffle tickets, admission fees, selling food or even cooking. All help will be greatly appreciated.

Bramble Bay Schools Music Festival
Notes for this function in July will be distributed to the children in the next few days. Please look out for them if your child is in the Band, String Ensemble or Young Voices.

Forms and money are due back to the school by the end of this term.

Marion Wood
Music Teacher

Library

Children's Drama Production Kids are putting on 2 stage productions of: THE 52 STOREY-TREEHOUSE and SNUGGLEPOT and CUDDLEPIE at the QUT Garden Theatre from 14-18 June and 19-23 July respectfully.

Further details can be obtained from gardenstheatre.qut.edu.au or by phoning 3138 4455.

As Term 2 draws closer to an end, overdue notices will be issued as well as payments for unaccounted loans will be requested. Book club orders are due on Monday 6 June.

Josephine Bacayo
Teacher-Librarian

Tuckshop

SPECIAL: Olaf Frozen Ice Blocks \$1.50 until stocks run out.

Donations of baking paper and eggs are needed this week. All donations help to keep running costs of the Tuckshop down and are very much appreciated.

ROSTER:

Monday 6 June—Sharon C
Tuesday 7 June—Penny C
Wednesday 8 June - Karen J, Tanya Mc
Thursday 9 June -Donna V, Joy Bells, Peta B
Friday 10 June—Alicia S, Leanne H, Mel B.

Thanks
Kylie Gall
Tuckshop Convenor

Uniform Shop

We are currently still trying to source more football socks and we apologise for the delay.

SHOP HOURS:

Wednesday 8am—10am
Friday 2.30pm—3.30 pm

Mel Barton
Uniform Shop Convenor





CHAPPY NEWS



Chappy Support

Crew! – We are looking to establish an email group of helpers that can be contacted every now and then when extra hands are needed ie to cook a meal, bake a plate of cookies, help with an event or to decorate hamper box. Please email Chappy Kylie kcono0@eq.edu.au if you would like to be included.

DISCO DATE CLAIMER
Friday 12 August
CARNIVAL THEME!!!



A great affordable alternative to the Ekka!

Don't forget to purchase your Entertainment Book

at the Chappy Room or online via the link below for great savings at local food outlets, restaurants and shopping. 20% of book sales assist in the running of the Chaplaincy Program here at Bald Hills.

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Thanks
Chappy Kylie



P & C News

As everyone is aware the Election is upon us and with this the P & C will be holding a sausage sizzle on election day outside the school hall on Saturday 2 July from 7am till 3pm.



We are aware that this will be in the school holidays. We are asking for volunteers on the day for set up, cooking, serving and also cleaning up. If you can help for even 1/2hour on this day it would be very much appreciated. Please contact the P & C via email:

pandc@baldhillss.eq.edu.au.

We are also holding a class challenge in the last two weeks of the term so look out for information regarding this. A letter will be sent home shortly.

Thank you
P & C Executive Team

GENERAL NOTICES

Head Lice

Head lice has been detected in the Year 3 & Prep classes. Can all parents please check their child's hair before sending to school.

Thank you

Phone Messages

Inter-school sport is again on tomorrow. Inter-school sport involves our students attending up to three other schools. This can make it very difficult for messages to be passed onto your child. For peace of mind, please inform your child of any changes to after school pick up, before school commences.



Your co-operation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Thank you

Absences

Please contact the office via email or phone if your child is absent from school. Email: admin@baldhillss.eq.edu.au or absence@baldhillss.eq.edu.au or phone 3261 1554.

Thank you for your co-operation

COMMUNITY NOTICES

150th Anniversary

Bald Hills State School – 150th Anniversary Spring Fair– Saturday 10 September.



An integral part of our 150th celebration will be the community Markets to be held within the school grounds on the Saturday 10 September. The 150th Committee is seeking expressions of interest from members of our local and wider community who would like to be a 'stall holders' at these markets. Stalls can range from a table under a covered area to a Marquee(3x3) in an open area. We are hoping to secure a colourful and diverse range of market stalls.

For more information, please contact Sharyn Kersnovske :

BHSS150@baldhillss.eq.edu.au



Sandgate District State High School would like to invite families who are yet to enrol their child in Year 7 in 2017, to contact the Enrolment officer on 3869 9888 to arrange an interview.



Friday 3 June	Aspley High School Band Performance Inter School Sport
Monday 6 June	Yr 1 History Incursion Final Payments due Artlink True Culture
Tuesday 7—9 June	Junior Music Camp
Wednesday 8 June	Assembly P & C Meeting 7pm
Friday 10 June	Inter School Sport
Wednesday 15 June	Assembly
Friday 17 June	Inter School Sport Talent Night
Wednesday 22 June	Assembly Tall tree Celebration
Thursday 23 June	Camp Quality Puppet Show Report Cards emailed
Friday 24 June	Yr 4 St Helena Excursion Last Day of School
Monday 11 July	School Commences
Wednesday 13 July	Assembly
Friday 15 July	Under 8's Day Celebrations

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