



BUNKER'S HILL STATE SCHOOL

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGES

Thank You to all our parents for your assistance with the school's administration processes, such as reporting student absences and payment for excursions. Your attention to these matters is greatly appreciated.

School Sores (Impetigo) have been diagnosed in students at the school. While this condition is highly contagious, it is easily treatable, and students can attend school once they have commenced treatment and covered active sores. Please check your children's skin, and take them to the doctor if you find any sores or rashes of concern. A fact sheet about the condition can be found in the National Health and Medical Research Council's publication, "Staying Healthy", available at their website.

Gymnastics Lessons will be held in Term 3. If you wish for your child to participate in this activity, please complete the consent form and return it to your child's class teacher. Payment is due by Wednesday, 21st June.

Typing Tournament Online - Third Party Website Consent forms were sent home last week and were due to the office by Friday, 2nd June. If you are happy for your child to access this online program, please complete the form and return to the office as a matter of priority.

"Mr Stink" is being performed at the Empire Theatre on Wednesday, 14th June for students from Years 3 to 6. Thank you to all parents who have ensured payment for this excursion was made on time.

Pe&L Pie Drive Orders MUST be collected from the School Hall this **Friday, 9th June between 2:30pm and 3:00pm**. Uncollected orders cannot be stored at the school.

Every Day Counts! Thank you to all parents for assisting us with managing student absences. Please ensure you contact the school every day your child is away sick, as we cannot assume a child who is sick one day is still sick the next. We follow up all unexplained absences on the day of the absence to ensure that all students are safe and sound, in keeping with Department of Education policy.

Student Banking is held in the school library Monday mornings 8:20am - 8:45am. Deposit books can be collected at this time for new accounts.

Uniform Shop is open **Friday afternoons** from 2:45-3:15pm. A price list is available on the school website.

Ice Blocks will be sold this **Friday** afternoon from 2:45pm for \$1 each. Proceeds go towards the School Project Club.

Teaching Awards: Do you know any outstanding educators at your school? You could have them recognised through either of the awards below:

★ **2017 ASG National Excellence in Teaching Awards** are currently underway. For further information on how to nominate go to asg.com.au/neita or call 1800 624 487. Nominations close Monday, 3rd July, 2017.

★ **A Day Made Better Awards** are sponsored by OfficeMax. Nominations close Friday, 23rd June. For details visit the nomination website at adaymadebetter.com.au for details.

Miss Tracie's Tuckshop

Now offering Family Meals

Email : traciesblossoms370@gmail.com

Order by Friday in person or via email

Collect the following Tuesday

2kg Meals

\$25.00 per meal

Payment via cash or EFTPoS

This week's Special

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The School Interhouse Athletics Carnival is fast approaching. Girls' high jump, Boys' discus and the 800 metre events will be held next Thursday afternoon (15th June), with most of the events happening on Friday, 16th June. A program of events is being sent home today. All are welcome to come and cheer our students on!

Jim Tiernan, Principal

The school website is the place to check for coming events.
Please visit www.bunkhillss.eq.edu.au and navigate to the calendar.

P&C News

I would like to thank everyone for their pie drive orders. We had a total of 56 orders with 754 items ordered. We anticipate that the pie drive will raise approximately \$1,200 for the P&C. Orders need to be collected this Friday between 2.30—3.00pm. **Please make sure you collect your orders as we will NOT be able to store your goods.** A huge thank you to Gail Schulz for co-ordinating the drive again—Great Effort!

The Mother's Day stall after all expenses are accounted for looks like it made a profit of approximately \$500.

Our next P&C Meeting is next Monday, 12th June, and I look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.

Kind regards

Stewart Kings, President

Contact: 0457 922 001 or skings74@bigpond.com

Chappy News

Year 6 Boys A2B Challenge Program and **Year 6 Bella Girls program** is on today 2pm-2:45pm and will continue to run in Weeks 9 and 10. Thank you to those parents who have attended as mentors. Please contact Chappy Kate on her mobile (0412 198 067) or her email (kateh@chappy.org.au) if you're interested in attending in the last two weeks.

CELEBRATIONS FOR A2B and Bella Girls – Traditionally we celebrate the end of our Year 6 programs with a combined Mother/Son and Daughter Dinner as well as a Father/Son and Daughter Laser Skirmish Event held at the school. We will be holding the Mother/Son and Daughter dinner next week with invitations coming home this week. We will be postponing the Laser Skirmish Event until Week 1 of next term. Information will be coming home for both Year 6 events shortly.

Chess Club is held second break on a Tuesday in the Year 4/5 classroom in E Block. (Thanks to Miss Jennings.)

Bible Club runs Tuesday afternoons 3pm-4.30pm. Please fill out the consent form on the website and return to the office if you are planning for your child to attend (once for the year). Pick up is from Mr Little's classroom in B Block. Please let the office know if your child is attending so it can be recorded in the Bus book.

The Local Chaplaincy Committee is running the sausage sizzle for Sports Day next week. Thank you to **Carol Campling** for coordinating this event. Please contact Carol on **0407 127 301** if you are able to help out.

In a week where there have been tragedies around the world, it's important to look at the story of the helpers and the kindness of those willing to help. All the best,

Chappy Kate

SCHOOL SPORTS DAY NOTICES

BUNKER'S HILL SPORTS DAY Friday, 16th June 2017



The Chaplaincy Committee will be running a BBQ at the School Sports Carnival to raise funds for the school's Chaplaincy Program.

Are you able to give some of your time to help serve sausages and cold drinks?
Any time you can help between **10 am and 2.30 pm** would be greatly appreciated.
(N.B. if your child is in an event, it will be a priority for you to go and watch them).

Please contact **Carol Campling** on **0407 127301** by this Friday, 9th June, if you are able to help

Miss Tracie's Tuckshop

Will be running a special menu for the School Sports Carnival on Friday, 16th June.

- ★ Green Curry Thai Chicken & Rice \$6.00
- ★ Nachos with Sour Cream & Cheese \$5.50
- ★ Toasted Ham & Cheese Sandwiches \$4.50
- ★ Selection of Drinks