

BUNKER'S HILL STATE SCHOOL

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGES

Congratulations to all our Cross Country runners last Friday. Well done to our Age Champions: Rhys, Addison, Angus, Lulu, Rigby, Ava, Austin and Hannah; and place getters. Thank you to our staff for organising the event, to all who came to cheer the students on, and to the P&C for providing ice blocks for our finishers.

Well Done to Hannah, Ava, Roman, Austin, Henry, Lulu, Lucy, Angus, Cooper, Fletcher who were selected to run at Cambooya District cross country next term.

Well Done to the following students for their selection into Inner Downs teams to trial at Darling Downs level: Lulu for touch football

Mia for hockey

Roman, Austin and Jackson for rugby league.

Best wishes to Lucy for her upcoming state swimming trials this week.

Well Done to Maddi who represented the school as the Weather Kid on Triple M last week. Thank you to the P&C volunteers and staff for the Disco on Friday night. Fun was had by all!

Staffing update we say farewell to Mrs Hildred, Support teacher -Literacy and numeracy. Mrs Hildred has been a part of the Bunker's Hill SS team for a number of years and will be missed. Mrs Hildred has worked in supporting many students over the years and we extend our thanks and gratitude for her work. We are in the process of recruitment to fill this position. Miss Pohlman will be on leave next term and we welcome Mrs Blackey into the Prep classroom in her place. Please welcome Miss Blackey. Mrs Bisshop will be teaching Indonesian in Year 5/6 early next term while Bu Boothby is away.

Next term we will start off with a visit to the Toowoomba Show for an Ag Discovery excursion for our Prep to Year 4s and Mayoral morning tea for some of our Year 6 leaders in Week 1 and then ANZAC day in the second week of school. It will be a busy start.

Wishing everyone a safe and restful Easter break and looking forward to Term 2 which commences on Monday 15th April.

Sharon Wilson Acting Principal

Reminders

Discus Permission Form has been sent home with students 9-12 years. Miss Rummell will be commencing athletics practice in PE lessons and discus is classed as a high risk activity that requires parental permission. Please return to the school office by the end of term.

Empire Theatre Excursion: Smeds and Smoos is being held tomorrow, Wednesday 27th March for students in Years 1-6. A permission form has been sent home.

Parent-Teacher Interviews will be held on Wednesday 24th April. Please contact the school office to book an interview with your child's teacher. Bookings close Thursday 18th April.

Chaplaincy Fundraiser: Pie Drive <u>Order forms</u> are coming home today. Payment and orders due back by Tuesday 14th May.

Choir Forms have been sent home with students in Year 4-6 who have been going to choir this year. Please sign and return to the office as soon as possible.

School Dental Van will be coming to the school next term. A form has been sent home. Please return the completed form to the office by Thursday 28th March. Information is provided <u>here.</u>

Picture Plate P&C Fundraiser: Information has been sent home. Artworks will be done in class by 29th April. Orders close Monday 13th May. Please contact the office with any questions. Extra templates for siblings/family members are available at the office along with templates for products other than plates if you are wishing to purchase them.

Ag Discovery Excursion is being held on Thursday 18th April for students in Prep to Year 4. A <u>permission form</u> and media consent form has been sent home.

Special Events

Our next P&C Meeting will be held on Monday 15th April at 6.30pm in the school library. All welcome.

Regular Events

Instrumental Music Lessons and Band practice Lessons and band will recommence on Tuesday 23rd April.

Tuckshop: every Friday. Orders to be placed on flexischools app by 8am the previous Wednesday.

Bible Club commences in Term 2 on Monday 22nd April (week 2) and finishes on Monday 10th June (week 9). A <u>permission form</u> must be completed for a child to attend.

P&C News

The end of term 1 is nearly here! In some ways it's gone ever so quick and in other ways, I'm sure it's been a long time coming. Enjoy the Easter break and if you're travelling over the holidays, safe adventures. The holidays are time to make memories, whether they be at home or away, enjoy!

Congratulations to all the students for running the cross-country last week! What an amazing morning it was seeing all the students give it their very best. Each and every student should be proud of giving it a go and doing their best. To those students that placed in their races, congratulations, all of your hard work and training paid off. Good luck as you move onto the next stage.

Friday ended with the school Disco! A big shout out to the teachers, staff and volunteers for all of your help! It was such a long day and we certainly appreciate that everyone that helped to make the night enjoyable for the students. Keep those dancing shoes out for Friday 23rd August for our next Disco.

Mother's Day Stall

Our Mother's Day stall is set for Wednesday 8th May. If you are able to assist, we require volunteers from 8:45am – 11:45pm. If you are able to assist, please email the P&C.

Gifts this year will be \$5 with a small selection of \$10 gifts also available.

Save the date: Mother's Day Stall – Wednesday 8th May Subway Meal Deal—Friday 7th June Bunnings Sausage Sizzle – Sunday 21st July Disco – Friday 23rd August Father's Day Stall – Wednesday

28th August Succulent Fest - Sunday 22nd September

Please email the P&C if you can help at any of these events.

Tuckshop

Contact Sarah

tuckshop@bunkhillss.eq.edu.au

All tuckshop orders are to be placed on the Flexi School App by 8am Wednesday.

A reminder that children are still required to bring something for their snack break.

Uniform Shop

Contact – Shannon -

uniforms@bunkhillss.eq.edu.au All orders placed by 4pm Sunday will be delivered to your child's classroom by the following Tuesday. Should you require an appointment please email Shannon to arrange a suitable time.

Our next meeting will be held on Monday 15th April at 6:30pm in the School Library.

Michelle Butcher

P&C President pandc@bunkhillss.eg.edu.au

Chappy News

Hi Bunker's families,

Last week I had the pleasure of participating in online eSafety training. eSafety is a government run agency that provides education about online risks, as well as helping to get harmful content removed.

I highly recommend that all parents/carers take a look at the website (<u>esafety.gov.au</u>) and even enrol in a webinar. Cyberbullying can also be reported on this website. I will be putting up some eSafety posters around the school, detailing how to report cyberbullying. Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions about online safety.

Have a great week.

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