



# Burrowes State School

"To meet the diverse needs of all students"

## NEWSLETTER

Produced every second Friday for the Burrowes School Community

**Principal - Mr Stephen Josey**

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Last Thursday I attended my Third Under 8s Day at Burrowes State School and once again I was overwhelmed by the atmosphere and engagement of our students and families in the activities organised. I would like to extend a huge thank you to all staff and community members for helping to make the day amazing. I would like to give Mrs McMahon a special mention for coordinating the day.

A school is only as strong as its community and our community is made up of all students, parents, staff and wider members of Marsden who have an interest in the wellbeing and development of our students. Over the next three weeks we have several key opportunities to get together, build community and add to the lives of our students.



### **Chaplaincy Week and Free Dress Day**

Chaplaincy week will now be celebrated during the last week of the school term. Chappy has some great activities planned. The big day will be a Free Dress Day on Wednesday June 21. On this day students are welcomed to wear Maroon or Blue as the case may be to support their favourite State of Origin team. **If students choose to wear football colours they must donate a gold coin. All funds will go towards Chaplaincy.** The Queenlanders are going to need lots of support so come in your Maroon colours. If you don't have blue or maroon then students can choose to wear other sports wear. Remember that all clothing needs to be appropriate and closed in shoes must be worn.

### **96.5 FM Family Fun morning**

On the first Friday after the school holidays 96.5FM will be broadcasting their morning breakfast show love from Burrowes State School. The morning will run from 6am until 9am with rides, face painting, interviews and BBQ breakfast available. This will be a fun and exciting event.



### **Diversity Day**

Please join us on the morning of Thursday June 22 for a special event. Our inaugural school "Celebrating Diversity Day" will begin with a special parade followed by some special classroom activities. If you have a traditional dress or outfit that you would like to share with us please let Jackie Mack or Dani Mason know your availability. The Burrowes community is made up of people from all walks of life and from many countries around the world. This is worth celebrating.



## Academic Parade

Everyone is welcome to attend our first Academic Parade for the year. Parents of students receiving awards will be notified in due course. Awards are handed out based on achievements on the report cards.

## Tuckshop

In order for us to maintain a viable tuckshop going into the future a few changes are needed. From the beginning of Term Three the Tuckshop will be operational during the first break only Monday to Friday. We will also be running some special days from time to time. Look out for advertisements next term. An updated menu will soon follow.

## Staff and Council Carpark

Thank you to everyone for respecting the use of the staff carpark. Please be aware that Council will be fining people during the remainder of the term for illegally using the disable carpark spaces in the council carpark. Members of the parent community have made reports to the Local Council.

Your support with this matter is appreciated.

## Report Cards

Reports will be sent home on the last day of the term, this semester we will be trialling emailing reports home. A printed version will also be available this semester only. Semester Two report cards will be email only. Once again it is important that you maintain a current email address with the school.



In preparation for this transition please add the following email to the safe senders list:

[Application.Oneschool@dete.qld.gov.au](mailto:Application.Oneschool@dete.qld.gov.au).

This will prevent reports going into the junk folder.

## Uniform

We are now officially in winter students need to be wearing the correct school jumpers. Students with the incorrect jumpers will be told to take them home and may be provide with an alternative jumper for the day.



The Burrowes Bomber Jacket is \$45 or 2 for \$80  
The Burrowes Jacket is \$20.

Our students look great in their school uniforms, it is important as a community that we all support the school uniform.

## P and C

Our next general meeting will be held on Monday June 12 at 9am in the school Resource centre. I am looking forward to progressing our agenda around fundraising to support school initiatives.

Have a great weekend

Stephen Josey

Principal

## **DEPUTY PRINCIPAL - Mr Neil Ewing** **(Year 5 And 6)**

Last Wednesday (31 May) 90 Year 6 students attended the Griffith University Logan campus. Students had a great time participating in all the activities for the day. I received an email from the university congratulating all the students as they showed respect and conducted themselves in a safe and friendly manner. Well done Year 6 students!!



Last week 14 Year 5 and 6 Students attended the Woodridge Maths Excellence May. I received an email from Woodridge and I congratulate all students as participated in activities and represented their school with pride and respect. know more about these programs please come into the school and make a n Ewing (Deputy Principal Year 5 and 6).

## **DEPUTY PRINCIPAL - Mr Matt Weir** **(Year 3 And 4)**

Please be aware the school cannot accept responsibility for toys that are brought from home then lost or broken at school. Whilst we would prefer toys not to come at all we are aware that different toys come into favour which the with. Recently a number of students have been bringing Beyblades and Fidget with.



We are increasingly becoming aware that these are being either misplaced c students are also attempting to play with the toys in the classroom. Fidget Sp used in classrooms.

Please remind your child that they are responsible for looking after them and stolen or broken then the school may not be able to do anything about it.

## **DEPUTY PRINCIPAL - Mrs Karen Lemon** **(Prep To Year 2)**

### **Under 8's Day**

Everyone had a great day of fun at Under 8's. Thank you to all parents and friends who attended to help make our day so successful. We would also like to thank the community services and businesses who donated resources to make our day even bigger and better.

- Marsden Library
- Bunnings
- Surf Life Saving Queensland
- Commonwealth Bank
- Chambers Flat Rural Fire Brigade
- Cameron Dick
- Our P&C – BBQ



A big thank you to Mrs Carol McMahon, Burrowes Teacher Aide, who works many days to prepare for under 8's day.

## **Jumpers and coats with no names**

The school lost property container is full of winter clothing with no name. Please label all clothing so we can return lost pieces of uniform. Encourage your children to bring their coats home every day and be responsible for making sure they care for their belongings.

## **YOU CAN DO IT!**

Next week in You Can Do It! We have started looking at the **key Organisation**. Being organised means setting goals, listening carefully to instructions, planning your time, having supplies ready and keeping track of due dates.

This week we learnt that by using a calendar or a diary we can keep track of upcoming events.

If we keep track of events and learn to schedule activities into our day we can learn to manage our time wisely.

Managing your time wisely means that you are more likely to be successful in the things you do.



**~ Help your child get into the habit of keeping a "to-do" list. Your child's checklist might simply detail the steps needed to get ready for school each morning.**

## **Business Service Manager News and View**

### **P & C COMMITTEE MEETING**

The next meeting will be held at 9am on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2017 in the Resource Centre. We are always happy to see new faces. If you want to get involved and are able to spare an hour or so please come along.



### **BOOK CLUB**

Orders were due back by 9am this morning. The order will be placed hopefully today. We are hoping that once the order is placed, the books will arrive prior to the June/July school holidays and can be given out beforehand.



### **EXCURSION PAYMENTS**

Please make sure all payment are made either on-line using BPOINT or at the payment window of the school office. On-line payments can be made anytime, day or night. The cash window is open between 8am – 10am Monday, Wednesday and Friday. All invoices are to be paid by the due date in order for your child to be included in the activity. Late payments will not be accepted.



## **Dates To Remember**

### **Week 8**

Monday 5th - Senior Sports Day (All parents welcome)

Junior Parade 2pm in Hall

Tuesday 6th - P & C Meeting, Resource Centre (Everyone welcome)

Prep Excursion



Wednesday 7th - Prep Excursion

## Week 9

Monday 12th - Senior Parade (All parents welcome)

Thursday 15th - Junior Sports Day



## Week 10 - Chappy Week/ Last week of Term 2

Monday 19th - \$1.00 Ice Cream

Wednesday 21st - State of Origin Free Dress Day (Gold Coin donation)

Friday 23rd - Last day of Term 2

Whole school Academic Parade

Report Cards sent home

Winner announce of 'Guess how many Jelly Beans'



## TERM 3 - Week 1

Monday 10th July - School Returns

Friday 14th - 96.5fm/ Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter - Broadcasting live at Burrows State School



*Diversity Day*

On Thursday June 22, School will be wonderful cultural our school community On this day, all classes the morning for a full then move back to their participate in activities from 'around the world'. In order for students and staff to learn more about specific cultures that form our school community, we would like to hear from parents who could attend a parade in traditional dress. As we intend to embed this day into our calendar in the future, if you have any other ideas please let Jackie Macksoud (GO) or Dani Mason (P/1M Teacher) know.



Burrowes State celebrating the many backgrounds that form with a **'Diversity Day'**. will come together in school parade and year level areas to

Please indicate below if you are able to help on the day, or have any expertise you can contribute, please return ASAP.

I will be attending the parade in traditional dress.

My/ my child's traditional dress will be

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We look forward to hearing from you.  
The Community and Wellbeing Team.

**This letter is also  
available at School  
Office**



## *P and C News.*

### **Senior Sports Day Monday 5th June**

The P & C will be hosting a BBQ selling

**Sausage Sizzle - \$2**

**Fruit poppers - \$1.50**

**Water - \$1**

**All profits go back into our school.**

**We are raising funds for new fans and lighting in the hall.**

**Date to Remember Junior Sports Day Thursday 15th June**

**P & C will be hosting a sausage sizzle**

**Sausage Sizzle - \$2**

**Fruit poppers - \$1.50**

**water - \$2**

**Date to remember 14th July 2017**



**96.5fm Radio station will be hosting from our school oval, Surf life saver helicopter will be landing on our oval, also in attendance, rides and exhibits, coffee van, bacon and egg rolls, pancakes.**

**Lock this date in your diary, this will also be the launch of Burrowes State School celebrations.**





# Burrowes State School – Athletics Carnival 2017

## Monday 5th June

8.50am Students to their classrooms, mark the roll, apply sunscreen and go to the oval immediately.

### All Teams WAR CRIES

**Students are allowed to wear their Sport House Colours**

**KARGON - RED**

**WUNNAMURRA - BLUE**

**COOLAWIN - YELLOW**

**YONGURRA - GREEN**



All students must have a water bottle, jumper and hat

( with their name marked clearly)

**All parents welcome**

**CHAPPY news**



## Upcoming Chaplaincy Events

### Chappy Week

In week 10 this term we will be fundraising money for our school chaplaincy service. Through our school chaplaincy service programs such as Breakfast Club, Crossroads, GRITT, Lego Club and Pastoral Care programs are run. Throughout chaplaincy week we will be running a number of fundraisers to help keep our chaplaincy program thriving within our school community.

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> – \$1 Ice-creams



Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> – State of Origin FREE DRESS DAY (Gold Coin Donation)



Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> – Jelly Bean Guessing Game



### 96.5 School Excursion



Come see the 96five the 'It's a Good Morning' show with Ken, Nicky and Steve as they take their breakfast show on the road with the 96Five School Excursion to our school!

They'll be broadcasting live from **6am-9am** and there'll be loads of fun family activities including a jumping castle, sporting games, freebies, a coffee cart for the parents and even a visit from the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter.

**When:** Friday 14 July, 6:30am – 9am

**Where:** School Oval

**Who's Invited:** Parents, Grandparents and Burrowes State School Kids are all invited to come attend a morning of fun!

### SENIOR AWARDS - 29th May, 2017

Class	Name	Comment
3H	Foad	Not giving up even when the work is tricky.
3H	Natalia	Confidence Award - Knowing its okay to make mistakes when learning new things

3H	Caitlin	Principal Award.
3/4K	Jake	Demonstrating Persistence by not giving up too easily.
4C	Tangiaro	Always being prepared for learning.
4C	Shreya	Improvement in reading.
4A	Matin	Continually being on time and prepared for all lessons.
4A	Nabera	Being confident in joining in class discussions.
4A	Alex	Principals Award - Outstanding effort in all areas of his work.
4D	Jennifer	Principal's Award.
4D	Lucas	Organisation Award.
4D	Joniqua	Persistence Award.
5G	Dylan	Speaking with clarity and expression.
5K	Evie	Being brave and sharing bullying experience with class.
5K	Chaele-Rose	Having learning material ready.
5K	Kaylah	Answering each question 110%.
5K	Tavita	Excellent narrative writing.
5K	Kyanna	Excellent narrative writing.
6W	Fern	Always being ready to learn.
6W	Angel	Not giving up when work is getting challenging.



## BRONZE STAR AWARDS

Class	Name
3R	Ryley
3R	Dayna
3H	Christopher
3P	Sunshine
3HY	Breeze
3R	Tiresa
6AB	Alicia
6AB	Olivia
6AB	Pheng
6AB	Byron
6AB	Jazlyn
6JW	Tahlia
6JW	Zoe
5K	Amelia
5K	Kingbenjamin
5K	Evie
5K	Makayla
5K	Reyanna
5K	Jazinta
5K	Zehan
3/4K	Sarah
3/4K	Ayaan
3/4K	Jordan
3/4K	Jake
3/4K	Ronan
4C	Tavake
4C	Ramon

# 2017 Under 8's Day



**Second-Gift is the winner of  
'Guess how many lollies' on Under 8's Day**

**Under 8's Day colouring competition:**



**Winners: Prep -  
Beewunet                      Year 1 - Dyana  
Year 2 - Kira**



## **2017 Premier's Reading Challenge**

It's time to get reading for the 2017 Premier's Reading Challenge!

The reading period for the 2017 Premier's Reading Challenge starts on **Monday 15th May** and closes on **Friday 25th August**.



This year the Premier has challenged all state and non-state school students from Prep to Year 2 to read or experience 20 books, Years 3 and 4 to read 20 books and Years 5 to 7 to read 15 books. 'Experiencing' books can include shared reading, listening to stories, or reading picture books. Remember to fill in your **Reading Record Sheet** every time you read a book.

Every student who completes the challenge will receive a Certificate of Achievement signed by the Premier.

For more information about Premier's Reading Challenge, please visit:

<http://education.qld.gov.au/schools/readingchallenge/>

We look forward to seeing as many of our students as possible take part in the 2017 Premier's Reading Challenge.

# **KDK Kids First Before & After School Care**

**Hours 6am - 6pm Monday to Friday**



Our Vacation care program is out ready for the next school holidays which is just around the corner.

Did you know that you could send your children to KDK vacation care for 4 days with no out of pocket costs? \*Based on 100% CCB and 50 hours with CCR pay to service.

KDK's program caters for specifically for school aged children. Our program is interactive, sporty, inclusive, we offer the following :- Arts and Crafts, sporting activities, technology, cooking, board games, dancing and music, free time.

We keep the children safe and entertained over the holidays, we offer Breakfast until 7:30am every morning and afternoon tea daily.

If you would like to view our program on line at [www.kdkkidsfrist.com](http://www.kdkkidsfrist.com) and if you would like a free quote please call our office on 3803 7717, email [burrowes.kdk@hotmail.com](mailto:burrowes.kdk@hotmail.com), or pop down to see one of our friendly staff in located in the hall.

## **KDK Kids First Before & After School Care**

**Hours : Before School Care 6am - 9am After School Care 3pm - 6pm**

**KDK offer the following for before and after school care**

Breakfast Daily / Homework club / sports / music / arts and crafts / technology / environmental free time / cooking / Afternoon tea daily

**Located in the school hall, for your convenience, its one drop off and pick up.**

**For a free quote please call our office on 3803 771.**



