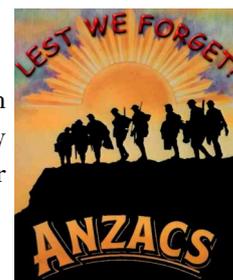


PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

What a great night Monday was. It was great to see so many parents attend the interview times with teachers. Communication between home and school is vital to assist students to reach their maximum potential. I particularly enjoyed the supportive and community atmosphere on the night. Thank you to the parents who attended and to the teachers and staff who played a part in ensuring the night went so well. Thank you also to the P and C for running the sausage sizzle. If you love to cook a sausage from time to time, we would love to have more volunteers on board. If you were unable to attend an interview with your child's teacher then please make contact to organise a mutually agreeable time.

ANZAC Parade

Our ANZAC Parade will be held on the first Friday, April 24, back after the holidays at 9.30am in the school hall. This is a very important time to honour and remember the sacrifice made by many Australians, New Zealanders and other men and women throughout history to protect our democratic way of life. Parents are welcome to attend although room may be limited.



EASTER HOLIDAYS – STAY SAFE



Today is the end of Term One. Thank you for a great first term. Burrowes State School is a great school and we certainly have had a great Term One. Please stay safe and look after your family over the holidays. If you are driving past the school at any time please keep an eye on the place. People can call School Watch on 131788 if you have any concerns.

TERM TWO

At this stage I will be continuing as Principal of Burrowes State School throughout Term Two. I have appreciated and enjoyed getting to know many students and their families and I look forward to working with the community during Term Two.

Enjoy your weekend.

Stephen Josey

Principal.



A word from the School Captains.

At the Leadership Convention there were 5 special visitors. Mike Martin the executive of the Halogen Foundation, Juliette Wright the creator of the donation website 'Givit', Bindi Irwin the Australian Icon and daughter of the Crocodile loving Steve Irwin, Coen Ashton a teenager that is diagnosed with Cystic Fibrosis Disease and last but not least James Norton the creator and Inspirer of the movie 'Paper Planes'. These five people have encouraged our School Leaders and the rest of Australia's School Leaders to keep doing and saying what they're good at and not giving up on it.

Juliette Wright was making her website and unfortunately failed twice but she didn't give up, she kept trying and eventually got there, reached her goal and made a success of her dream.

James Norton, who has been making paper planes ever since he was a child, had to make his own fun because he didn't have a TV or anything similar, James never gave up even if his friends said it wasn't fun, similar to these other important people.

Coen Ashton was born with Cystic Fibrosis (CF) which is a lung disease. There was a time when he was around 11 years old that he said, "Just standing up trying to breathe was like running a few laps at a local sports oval and then breathing through a really thin straw afterwards." He took medicine risks and it got him better for about a year and during that time he jet-skied on the Murray River which is 2 508km long and beat professionals saying that it was nearly impossible! This incredible boy survives each day by taking 60 tablets!

Mike Martin, the executive of the Halogen Foundation, was saying that 'Leadership is influence,' meaning the leader is casting a good influence over people who admire the leader. He also spoke about the Aboriginals not giving up on storytelling, it is one of the longest lasting things to have existed because they didn't post the stories on the internet to read off, they kept the stories in memory and told them to their descendants.

Bindi Irwin, the wild life loving jungle girl; her Dad Steve Irwin was a risky crocodile handler. Bindi wanted to grow up and be like her dad and she hasn't given up, I mean look where she is now, she lives in the middle of Australia zoo waking up to tigers roaring and singing birds and she loves it. She's now handling crocodiles and has the soul of her dad.

Overall these 5 special people have encouraged the captains and will encourage you to be something greater than what you are already. Thank you!

Corey

The Leadership Conference at the Brisbane Convention Centre was very inspiring for me and I think also for everyone who attended. Mike Martin spoke about Leadership and how to be a good leader. Juliet Wright spoke about how donating can change someone's life and how she created GIVIT.com. Bindi Irwin spoke about how her father was a hero and a Leader. Coen Ashton spoke about setting yourself little goals at a time. James Norton spoke about if you like or love something when you are a kid; you just go for what you believe in. It was also fun patting a snake and getting a pin that represented Halogen Foundation.

Kason

The Leadership day held at the Brisbane Convention Centre was great. There were kids all around Australia who were invited and we were so surprised how many kids were here on that day. Our first speaker was Mike Martin. He talked to us about how awesome being a leader is. Our second leader was Juliet Wright, she talked about the significance of her donations to people that were unable to help themselves. Our third speaker was Bindi Irwin. She talked about how her dad inspired her to keep her dad's work going. She was so passionate about animals and she never looks back, always forward. Our fourth speaker was a lot different to the others because he went through a lot of pain in his life. His name was Coen Ashton, he was different because his health was very poor. He was brought up as a sick kid but as he got older he was got help and a new pair of lungs.

I learnt to never be shy and live my dreams. Our last speaker was James Norton the one who directed paper planes. James was unpopular and as he was growing up he was getting bullied. He had lots of experiences and he showed us never to be afraid of who you are.

Keira



SCHOOL RESUMES

**MONDAY 20TH
APRIL, 2015**



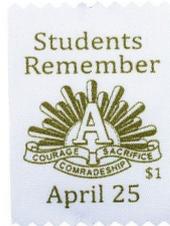


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ANZAC DAY SERVICE

100 YEARS CELEBRATION
 FRIDAY 24TH APRIL, 2015
 9.30AM IN HALL



WHOLE SCHOOL SERVICE

Available for purchased
 in Resource Centre
 First week back in Term
 Anzac Ribbons \$1.00,
 Tattoo & Stickers 50c each

Junior Awards 23rd, March 2015

PN	Harlem	Having a go at everything.
1M	Layla	Great writing.
1M	Koby	Great 1st day at school.
1HN	Nevaeh	Always having a go to answer questions in class.
1HN	Damon	Giving all of his work a try...even the hard things.
1KO	Dwayne	Having a go to complete his tasks.
1KO	Layken	Always having a go to answer questions.
1L	Troy	Asking for help when needed.
1L	Brooklyn	Working very hard to complete tasks.
1HW	Rose	Giving all her work a go even when hard.
1W	Ashenafi	Always listening and following instructions, producing great results.
1W	Sarina	Improving in her writing.
2CR	Mackenzie	Practising and improving his addition and subtractions.

Senior Awards 29th March, 2015

4B	Emmanuel	Speaking loudly and clearly when asking or answering a questions in class.
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JUNIOR EASTER BONNET PARADE 1st April, 2015



PREPS TO YEAR TWO



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SCHOOL WATCH

131788

Chappies Chat

Hello everyone

Just a quick note to wish you a happy and safe Easter. There are lots of things going on during the holidays and you can check some of them out at the Logan City Council website and the local newspapers have activities showing in various shopping centres.

Have a great time and we will see you in TERM 2. and remember... smile, it's free and it's contagious

Judy Goring

Burrowes School Chaplain

Ph: 3802 3333



Chappy Programs currently at Burrowes Primary State School:

Junior activities first break Mondays and Tuesdays (Prep to Yr 3)

Junior Bible Club Wednesdays first lunch break (Prep to Yr 3) (Signed parental permission form required).

Senior activities second break Mondays and Tuesdays (Years 6 & 7)

