We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land and pay our respects to the Elders both past, present and future.

2 September 2014

Dear Parents and Carers

Book Week

To acknowledge Book Week this year we will be hosting a "Dress as Your Favourite Book Character" tomorrow, Wednesday 3rd September. Please be mindful of the appropriateness of costumes and that students must have a hat and correct enclosed footwear as well. There will be no special assembly but admin will visit classrooms and judge the best costumes in each class.

NAPLAN

Individual results have been sent home with children today. The school's overall results have improved. Our relative gain has been better in every area and year level than other Queensland State Schools. The Year 3's were strong improvers in Numeracy and the number of students reaching the Upper 2 bands in Reading has increased significantly. Congratulations to all our students who worked so hard to complete the tests.
Prep 2015

The Prep open day and enrolment for 2015 will take place during the first 3 weeks of November. Please register your contact details in the first instance via prep2015@bundambass.eq.edu.au to ensure you receive details for these sessions. Or alternatively, contact the office to register your details and stay tuned for more information so as to be sure not to miss out on this exciting event.

Support Staff

Thank you to all our support staff who are essential to making sure our school runs well everyday. Without our office staff, cleaners, teacher aides and groundsman, the great service we provide to our community would not be possible.

Be Respectful!

Children model the behaviour they see. If they see parents being disrespectful, so will they. If parents can't model this behaviour at our school site, they can't be on our school site.

Parent/Teacher Interviews Date Claimer

We will once again be offering a parent/teacher interview afternoon on Tuesday 16th September in the Activities Hall from 3-6pm. More information will be sent to families shortly.

Peter Pan

Peter Pan and friends are ready to fly and entertain! There are still a few tickets available to the school’s upcoming musical Peter Pan which will be held next week on Wednesday 10th and Thursday 11th September. A huge thank you and congratulations go out to all staff who have given up countless hours of their own time to work with the students involved to bring you what promises to be a truly entertaining evening. Further information and reminders of expected theatre etiquette can be found in the School Notices section.

Reminder to Parents/Carers of our Student Leaders

If you wish to purchase a copy of the School Captains and Student Leadership Team photos through the school and not online, please remember to send your envelope to the office as soon as possible. We have extended the deadline to the 5th September.

Envelopes have already been sent home with your child detailing the ordering options available to you.

GOTCHA FOCUS BEHAVIOUR

P-7 - Get along with others

Brett Williams  Belinda Grose  Sarah Comino
Principal  Deputy Principal  Deputy Principal

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Behaviour Management – Congratulations!!

Our winners were:

22/0814: Zayne 3J; Byron 2/3S; Seth L 3A; Isaac Prep B; Kiara 1W; Tolly 4T; Dakoda 4B; Connor 5/6G; Nikita 4/5H; Tyrell 4B

01/09/14: Violet 2W; Max 3A; Grace 1W; Taleah 1M; Aaron 2W; Marcus 4T; Dakoda 4B; Umnia 3/4C; Tyrell 4B; Riona 6P

Bundamba Bear Winners: 3A

Gold Cup Winners: 6/7W

Congratulations to everyone!

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# AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2014

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## SCHOOL NOTICES

PETER PAN THE MUSICAL

Musical Etiquette

- Arrive promptly; aim to be seated 20 minutes prior to start time, that’s 6.10pm. Late arrivals will not be seated till an appropriate time in the show.
- Ensure all digital devices are turned off. This includes mobile phones; pagers; ipads; game devices
- No photography is permitted during the performance. If you choose to use phones or cameras you will be asked to leave the venue. Families will be permitted time at the conclusion of the show to take photos of their child.
- All audience members (including children) must remain seated throughout the performance.
- Our performers will be moving through the audience and we request that all aisles be kept clear of bags and belongings.
- Please refrain from leaving your seats throughout the performance; this can be very distracting for the performers and other audience members.
- Parents are requested to wait in the hall after the performance to collect their child. No person will permitted in any change rooms, all performers will return to the hall.

A huge thank you and congratulations go out to all staff who have given up countless hours of their own time to work with the students involved to bring you what promises to be a truly entertaining evening.

BOOK CLUB
Orders and money are due at the office by

**Friday 5th September.**

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**SCHOOL BANKING**

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**Hello to all our bankers!**

Don’t forget to bring in your bank books on Friday mornings between 8.00 and 9.00 am and see Mrs Stokes and Miss Bec.

Don’t have a bank book? Don’t worry, it’s very easy!

Just go to your local Commonwealth Bank with your ID and open up an account. Then come and see us on Friday mornings and we will do the rest.

You don’t have to bank much – as little as 5 cents and 10 deposits
and you can have yourself a prize.

*Happy Banking from Mrs Stokes and Miss Bec*

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***IMPORTANT***IMPORTANT***IMPORTANT***IMPORTANT***

Download the [Schools app](http://publish.newsserv.com.au/epublisher/printfriendly.php?id=214748454006&school) now!
Our newsletter, the Bundamba Bulletin is no longer available in paper form and is only available via the QSchools App or directly from our website www.bundambass.eq.edu.au

P & C NEWS

P&C Meeting

Due to parent requests we are trialling a night meeting, so the next P&C meeting will be held on 16th September at 6.30 pm in the Hub. Everyone welcome.

Uniform Shop

Thank you to everyone who ordered School Jackets and for being patient with our supplier. The new colour looks great! We have some sizes for sale in the shop now.

There are still lots of secondhand winter track suit top and bottoms in school colours available for sale for $2.00. Call in to the Uniform Shop and take a look.

Opening hours are on Tuesdays and Fridays from 8.15 – 9.15 am. Unfortunately there is NO EFTPOS available in the shop.

Tuckshop

It's great to see we are having a few volunteers helping out in the tuckshop. Thankyou to those who have already given us some of their valuable time.

Come along and volunteer - even if you can only spare an hour in the morning, it would be greatly appreciated. Many hands make light work and YOU WILL HAVE FUN! Contact Vicki at the tuckshop.

The menu for the tuckshop is now available on the school’s website. www.bundambass.eq.edu.au and is accessible via the QSchools app, or at the tuckshop. Look out for upcoming NEW menu deals.

FUNDRAISING
The Raffle was drawn on parade by our local member Ian Berry MP who kindly donated the 1st prize of a Weber BBQ. The BBQ was won by I. Weigh. 2nd Prize of an Epson Printer was won by S. Pearson, 3rd Prize of a $150 Caltex Petrol Voucher was won by J. Norwood and 4th Prize of a $100 Caltex Petrol Voucher was won by J. Ritchie. **Congratulations to all our winners and thank you everyone who bought tickets and supported our raffle.**

**Father's Day Stall**

Don't forget our Father's Day Stall on tomorrow the 3rd and Wednesday the 4th September, outside the tuckshop. Classes will be sent down throughout the morning on both days. Prices range from $1 - $8.

**SAC - Vacation Care**

Vacation Care bookings are being taken NOW. For further information and bookings, please phone 3816 0833. Bookings close on 17th September.

**Car Parks**

Please remember that car parks are for TEACHERS & OFFICE STAFF ONLY. It is not safe for children to be running around the car parks and this is an issue that is consistently brought up by parents at the P&C meetings.

**Facebook**

Would you like to keep up to date with all events happening within our school? Join us on Facebook - [www.facebook.com/bundambapandc](http://www.facebook.com/bundambapandc).

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**GENERAL NOTICES**

**Oztag**
Ipswich Oztag Competition Details

SUMMER SEASON (2014)

BOYS & GIRLS

Venue: Woodend Park, Woodend Rd, Ipswich (Home of the mighty Ipswich Rangers)

Start date: 10/09/2014

Game Times: Games start at 4:00pm

Game Days: Wednesday

Divisions: Boys & Girls u6, u7, u8, u9, u10, u11, u12, u13, u14, u15

Season Length: Season consists of 12 games

Cost: $85 per player (team must have a minimum of 11 players, or pay the equivalent) plus $25 for Official shorts

Individual players or small groups are welcome as we will help you find a team.

Nomination: Minimum 11 players per team. 8 players on the field

Sign On Details

ONLINE SIGN UP AVAILABLE

www.ipswichozag.com

OR

SIGN ON AFTERNOONS

Date: Wednesday 27th August and 3rd September 2014

Times: 4.00 – 6.00pm
Location: Woodend Park, 135 Woodend Rd, Woodend, Ipswich

Nomination: Minimum 11 player p/team. 8 players on the field.

Note: Individuals or small groups welcome. We can assist where possible to place players into teams

Futsal

Father's Day Fishing Fest 2014
Enjoy a family friendly day out on the water in Ipswich to celebrate Father's Day.

SUNDAY, 7 SEPTEMBER 2014
7.00 am – 2.30 pm
CRIBB PARK
Fitzgibbon Street, North Ipswich
FREE ENTRY
Registrations essential | Limited places available

Over $6,500 value in prizes and giveaways

Celebrate your Dad this Father's Day by getting out on the Bremer River and participate in the very first Father’s Day Fishing Fest!

In addition to some fantastic prizes there will be a free BBQ, information stalls and entertainment.

Registration starts at 7.00 am with award presentations at 1.00 pm.

This competition is Catch-Photo-Release and you can fish from your kayak, canoe, boat or from the riverbank.

For more information or to register visit www.ipswich.qld.gov.au/fishingfest or phone (07) 3810 6666.

Research Project

THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND
AUSTRALIA

INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN A RESEARCH PROJECT

Parents of children with and without disabilities aged between 6 and 18 years are invited to complete a questionnaire about their parenting experiences. This research is being conducted in collaboration by a team of researchers from the University of Queensland and RMIT University.

This research is interested in investigating the inter-relationships between parent wellbeing, support, coping, and child behaviour; predictors of positive parenting experiences for parents of children with or without disabilities. The research findings will support the creation of profiles of the parenting experience, which could enhance current disability services (e.g., improved identification of families and children in need of additional supports, enhanced support strategies for parents, children and their families).

How you can help: Complete a 30 minute online questionnaire (http://goo.gl/7djw5). The password to access this questionnaire is profiles. For a paper questionnaire, please contact Maria [(07) 3247 5080, maria.vassos@uq.net.au] or Susana [(03) 9925 7710, susana.gavidia-payne@rmit.edu.au].

To thank you for your time and effort: Those who participate can go into a raffle to win one of four $100 Coles Myer gift cards!

If you have any questions: Feel free to contact Maria (details above) if you have any queries about this research.

We hope that you choose to participate in this study!

OCD Treatment
Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder in Children and Youth

Does your child worry excessively about certain things? Does your child engage in senseless and time-consuming habits, routines or rituals?

Does your child constantly seek reassurance from you?

Your child may be experiencing Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder (OCD) and Griffith University can help.

A research team at Griffith University is offering an OCD assessment and treatment service for children aged 7 to 17 years.

After an initial assessment, eligible children will take part in the OCD BUSTERS Program. This program, held at Griffith University Gold Coast and Mt Gravatt campuses, aims to reduce levels of OCD symptoms in children and youth.

For further information call (07) 5678 8317
email the OCD BUSTERS team on ocdbustersgc@griffith.edu.au
visit griffith.edu.au/health/ocd
or follow us on facebook/ocdbusters

Know more. Do more.

Free Treatment Program

A team of researchers at Griffith University are investigating a parent-based program for young children with Asperger’s Syndrome/High Functioning Autism and comorbid anxiety difficulties. Anxiety is common in children with Asperger’s Syndrome/High Functioning Autism and can lead to difficulties in friendships, family life and school. However, the earlier anxiety is treated the less impact it is likely to have on a child’s development and future. The Fun with Feelings Team is seeking parents of children aged between 4 and 6 years to partake in the study.

The treatment program involves parents attending 10 weekly, group sessions that run for approximately 90 minutes. Parents will also be asked to complete questionnaires up to 3 times during the study at times separate to the treatment program.

This is being offered free for families who are eligible to participate.

For more information contact Julia Cook or Dr Caroline Donovan
Phone: 37353326
Email: funwithfeelings@griffith.edu.au
Sports Tuition School Holiday Activities

23-25 September 2014

School Holiday Survivor Camp for 8-13 year olds ($210)

Bus service also available ($55)

Activities include; fishing in electric powered boats, canoeing, rock climbing, archery and open fire cooking.

17-19 October 2014

Family Fishing Weekend ($215)

Open to all. At least one parent must participate. Grandparents also welcome.

14-16 November 2014

Bluefin Lake Maroon Fishing Classic (Senior $30, Junior $15)

Over $55,000 in prizes. Every junior entrant receives a sample bag...approx $90 value).

All details and registrations are through the Sports Tuition website.

www.sportstuition.com.au