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Please take careful note of the following information:

**Student of the Week**

Congratulations to the following students who received their Certificates on Monday's parade.

- Prep: Dorian
- Year 1: Ella
- Year 2: Amelia
- Year 3: Tori
- Year 4: Kayden
- Year 5: Alysha
- Year 6: Levi
- Year 7: Kaitlin

Bundaberg South State School has, as its Behaviour Management Plan, School Wide Positive Behaviour Support.

**Our three main rules are Be Responsible, Show Respect, Stay Safe**

**Rule of the Week**       Keep hands, feet and other objects to yourself.

**Mathletics Award Silver**       Macey

**Reading Awards**       Each week on parade our Reading Bug awards are also presented. The Reading Bugs Collection is a fabulous set of books which areBenchmarked to show progress. Students get a new book each night at a particular benchmark level. Once that benchmark level has been mastered then they bring a favourite book of that level to read to the principal. Parade Awards will be presented when students have mastered each colour level.

- Red: Caydence
- Purple: Will
- Gold: Joyda

**Music Awards:**       Student Award: Reanan
- Class Award: Year 5

**Mathletics Awards—Silver**       Hiedi, Callum, Thomas, Beau, Aise
Anzac Day School Ceremony

Wednesday 24th April at 9am

As a school we will commemorate the sacrifice of the many men and women who have served their country in Theatres of War throughout the world. Our school leaders will conduct a short service which will be held on Wednesday 24th April at 9am sharp. Mr Paul Tramachi from the RSL will address the students. All parents and caregivers are most welcome to attend.

ANZAC DAY MARCH

Thursday 25th April 8am

Bundaberg South State School participates in the Bundaberg City Anzac Day March. Students will assemble at 8:00am on the footpath near the Metropolitan Hotel and PRD Realty. Teachers will be there to supervise. Marshals have allocated our position in the parade and we will move from the Cenotaph down Barolin Street crossing Quay Street into Anzac Park.

Our students have always looked spectacular in their school uniforms at previous parades and it is hoped that many of our students and parents will join with us this Anzac Day.

Student Banking

There will be NO student banking this week due to the Anzac Day public holiday.

From the Chaplains Paula and John

A thought provoking quotation from "Mud, Sweat and Tears" the amazing true story of Bear Grylls:

Savour the moments of happiness like a precious jewel - they come unexpectedly and with an intoxicating chill. But there will also be moments, of course, when everything is black - perhaps someone you love dearly may hurt or disappoint you and everything may seem too difficult or utterly pointless. But remember, always, that everything passes and nothing stays the same...and every day brings a new beginning, and nothing, however awful, is completely without hope.

Kindness is one of the most important things in life and can mean so much. Try never to hurt those you love. We all make mistakes, and sometimes, terrible ones, but try not to hurt anyone for the sake of your own selfishness. Try always to think ahead and not backwards, but don’t ever try to block out the past, because that is part of you and has made you what you are. But try, oh try, to learn a little from it.

If you need additional support and help at any time don’t hesitate to see our School Chaplains Paula Dalrymple and John Coleman.

Bike Safety

When students ride their bikes to school please make sure that they walk their bikes in the school grounds. It is important to have bike chains and locks so that bikes are secure during the day.
1,2,3, Magic

PARENT COURSE
A three-session program for parents and carers at Bundaberg South State School in the Library
Monday afternoons
12.30 pm – 3 pm
April 22nd, 29th and May 6th 2013

► To engage your children’s cooperation by positively noticing and encouraging them
► To set clear expectations and help them to develop frustration tolerance
► To help children’s brains to develop filters for behaving well
► To resolve family conflict quietly
► Some simple strategies to practise being a calm parent

All parents are encouraged to take up this great opportunity to discover more about parenting– and it’s FREE.
Register your interest for this course at the School Office on 41 308333.
For more information contact Cheryl Pankratz or Amanda Ericson on 41311333.

Head Lice

Head lice cause some concern with primary school children, especially those in the lower school where they tend to have closer contact with each other. Should your child contact head lice, your child should be treated with appropriate lotions before returning to school. If you ever have concerns in this regard, please do not hesitate to contact the Principal for advice as to treatment.

Head lice can cause some discomfort and quite a degree of embarrassment but please be assured that none of us is exempt and no stigma is attached.
Clean heads are often the most likely hosts.
Moove Head Lice Solution is available from the school office if requested.

Community Notices

BODY SCULPT TRAINING
With Steph Cormack
In an effort to develop good fitness habits in children, Steph from BODY SCULPT TRAINING will be conducting a Kids Boot Camp for children aged 6-12 years each Monday at 4pm and every second Wednesday from 3.30 pm running for 30-45 mins.
For further details please contact Steph on 0458 198 910.

WOOLWORTHS
EARN & LEARN PROGRAM

Collect Earn & Learn stickers from the checkout operators when you shop at Woolworths stores.

Bring the stickers in and drop into the big green collection box located at our School Office.
Collection sheets are available at the office or just drop your stickers into the green box. The more points we earn the more school resources we can purchase for Bundaberg South State School.

Confidence, Respect and Self-Defence!
Believing in yourself starts early which is why RHEE Tae Kwon-Do is offering you the chance to come and have a FREE TRIAL of Australia’s Biggest and Best entirely non competition Art of Self Defence.
Call us to find out how your child can begin increasing their concentration and self discipline from their first safe and inspiring class while warming up over winter and making friends along the way.
Book in for a free class now at any of our five convenient locations in Bundaberg and Bargara.
PH 4151 0288 OR www.rheetaekwondo.info

MOTHER’S DAY FUNDRAISER
Carinbundi (Care in Bundaberg) invites you to join a fun filled shopping trip to Eumundi Markets & Sunshine Plaza and help raise funds for people with disabilities.
Saturday 11 May 2013, Bus leaves at 6am & returns approx. 8pm. Cost $55
Book now at the Carinbundi Office, 52A Hinkler Avenue, North Bundaberg. For more information phone 41513510

TAKE HOME A BIG BROTHER OR BIG SISTER
Southern Cross Cultural Exchange Program

Give your children the wonderful opportunity to have an international big brother or big sister by hosting one of our exceptional international students arriving in Australia in July 2013 for their 3, 5 or 10 month programs. Our international students from France, Germany, Italy, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, and Spain will live as a local, attend a local secondary school, arrive with their own spending money and comprehensive insurance cover – all arranged by Southern Cross Cultural Exchange. Visit us at www.sccce.com.au, email sccceast@scce.com.au or call us toll free on 1800 500 501, request our international student profiles, and capture the spirit of family and friendship!

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Jenny Craig Ring Road Run Bundaberg - Sunday 9 June
www.ringroadrun.com.au or find us on FaceBook

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