Dear Parents / Caregivers,

Welcome to this week’s newsletter – the first for Term 4! Congratulations this week go to Paige (6E) who has won representative honours in the Sunshine Coast Regional Track and Field Team to compete at the 2016 Queensland School Sport State Track and Field Carnival later in October. Paige will compete in the 12 Years 800m event.

In great news for our school, the Governor-General of Australia, His Excellency General Sir Peter Cosgrove, and Lady Cosgrove, will visit Burpengary State School to pay tribute to our 140th Anniversary celebrations at a special whole-school assembly at 10.00am on Monday, October 10, 2016. A letter went home to all families on Wednesday with details, and students in Years 4 to 6 are reminded that they will require their formal uniform for both Monday and Friday next week.

As of October 12, I will be taking long service leave for 5 weeks, and Mrs Samantha Waldron will be the Acting Principal in my absence. Mrs Waldron has had extensive Acting Principal experience at her previous school, and will do a great job. Mrs Jenny Simpson will back fill Mrs Waldron’s vacated Deputy Principal position for Years 4 to 6 on this occasion.

I would personally like to take this opportunity to publicly thank our amazing community sponsors of our 2016 Fete and 140th Anniversary Celebrations for their support of Burpengary State School on September 10:

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Thank you to our Silver Fete Sponsors:

• 20/20 Eyewear
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• Laubman and Pank Morayfield
• Moreton All Body Care

Thank you to our Bronze Fete Sponsors:

• Subway Burpengary

Please consider them first if you are seeking products and services!

Thanks to the following individuals and/or organisations who contributed gifts in kind to the Fete: 20/20 Eyewear; Aussie World; Australia Zoo; Avon; Brazilian Beauty; Brumbies Burpengary; Bunnings Morayfield; Burpengary Tavern; Coffee Club; Coles Burpengary; Fruition Tuition; GKR Karate; Gotcha Pest Control; Hog's Breath Café; Homestyle Bakeries; Jade Jewellers; Kip McGrath; Live Music Promotions; MC Creations; McCormacks Meats; Morayfield Shopping Centre; Northside Cleaning & Packaging Supplies; Parmalat Australia; Priceline Burpengary; Quality Food Services; Redcliffes Dolphins; Sammy's Gifts; Serenatree; Station Road Hair Design; Taylord Equestrian; Terry White Chemist; Todd Sparreboom PT; Valley & Bay; Vuly Trampolines; Woolworths; & our many school families!

Fete Cent Auction – we still have a couple of unclaimed prizes! We are looking for ticket numbers Blue 1108265, Green 1439876 and if anyone knows Bev Barritt, she has won a prize, however, her phone number was recorded incorrectly. Thanks to everyone who supported the Cent Auction!!

Items of Memorabilia from our recent Fete and 140th Anniversary Celebrations are still available on sale from the Office cash window. The items available include the historical almanacs Down the Track 120 Years ($25); Down the Track: The next 20 Years ($25); (Special price of $45.00 if you purchase both books), Commemorative Coin 100th Anniversary ANZAC Landing at Gallipoli with Burpengary State School Logo on back ($5); 140 Year Anniversary stick pin ($3).

Here is the list of our school’s Cluster Finalists who placed in the Semi-Final and will now be performing against the top acts from Narangba SS, Narangba Valley SS, Narangba Valley SHS, Burpengary SS, Burpengary Meadows SS and Burpengary State Secondary College. This final takes place in the PALACE at Narangba Valley State High School, on Wednesday 12th October, 2016. Well done Skylar (4C), Emma (1D), Cooper (4F) and Darcy (5E) – our community’s very best wishes to you, students!

A quick reminder to families to pay the voluntary contribution of $25 if you have not already done so. This is a vital team contribution from every family to the P&C’s Community Building Fund for our Hall renovation, and we appreciate your prompt attention to it. It is fully tax deductible, payable to: BSB 014524; ACCOUNT No. 295997732;

ACCOUNT NAME Burpengary State School P&C Association Building Fund

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WIN A TRAMPOLINE - The P&C has a Vuly Thunder Trampoline (including installation) to raffle for the school, worth $2,399. It will be drawn on 22nd October with plenty of time to have it installed before Christmas!! There is a link on the school’s website where you can read all about these safe, fantastic trampolines. Tickets are available from the tuckshop for $2 each, or see Donna Harrowell. **If anybody would like to take a book of 25 tickets to sell to friends, or in your workplace etc, please contact Donna on 0418 151 671.

REMINDER TO FAMILIES: Monday, October 17, 2016 is a Pupil-Free Day in all schools in Queensland – primary, secondary, and independent schools. Our school’s Out-of-School-Hours-Care program operated by the Helping Hands Network, run their service on this day to support working families, but you must pre-register first. Please phone the service on 0458 010 433 to register if you need them on that Monday, but haven’t already registered.

DATE CLAIMER: Saturday, 22nd October will be our first ever P&C Outdoor Movie Night – mark it in your calendar, details to come!

To other news…

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2. P&C News: The next P&C Meeting is on next Monday night, October 10, in the Staff Lounge commencing at 6.30pm. All welcome. The next Parent Admin Chat is on next Wednesday morning, October 12, in the Staff Lounge commencing at 9.30am until 10.15am. All welcome.

3. Library News:

Welcome back to Term 4! The first two weeks of term are usually times where there are lots of overdue books. It would be greatly appreciated if you could check with your child to ensure they have returned their books so others may borrow them and their class can be eligible for a ROBOT or Zero Hero award. Many students in the Junior School have achieved or are close to achieving the borrowing goals set for the year level. With six weeks left for borrowing, we look forward to many more students coming in to borrow in their own time. Our mantra is, ‘right fit book’, which means they are interested in it and the book is at their reading level.

Library Bags

As of next year, we will be extending our requirement of library bags to Year 4. We are finding that the Senior school collection is not wearing well and many books are being damaged by the simple fact that they are carried to and fro from school unprotected. Please remember this when you are purchasing school supplies for next year. We have made it easy for you to purchase our required library bag from the uniform shop or office as well as through the Flexi Schools programme. The cost is only $5.50 and the bags last a number of years if cared for.

5. Tuckshop News:

Flexischool Meal Deal for Tuesday 11th October is ham and cheese toastie, corn cobette, bottle water, mini frozen fruit juice, $3.00. Krazylemon natural lemon drink 200ml $2.00 is still available until sold out.

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Parents please be aware students are recommended NOT to bring $10 or $20 notes to school to purchase over the counter snacks. They are able to order their Tuckshop lunches in the morning with these notes though.

Until next week,

Brad Fox
Principal

Community Notices

Helping Hands Burpengary
Providing Before, After and Vacation. Hours of Operation: Before School 6.30 to 8.45am; After School 2.30 to 6pm; Vacation Care 6.30am to 6pm. The service provides breakfast and afternoon Tea.
Service Contact Details: Phone: 0458 010 433 Email: burpengary@helpinghandsnetwork.com.au

BreastScreen Queensland Mobile Service at Morayfield Bunnings
5 – 20 October 2016

Thank you for the continuation of your support of BreastScreen Queensland and the early detection of breast cancer with notices to female staff and the wider school community. I have attached some information that can be included in staff notices and school newsletters.

October – Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Queensland Academies Creative Industries
A selective entry senior state high school for highly capable students.
61 Musk Avenue, Kelvin Grove Urban Village Open Day 1pm - 3pm, Saturday 8 October.
Register your attendance at https://gaci.eq.edu.au/open-day/

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