



# BOUNTY BULLETIN

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PRINCIPAL

PAUL MCSWINEY

Dear Parents & Students,

As the term rapidly comes to a close I wish to acknowledge the hard work of my dedicated staff. We have a wonderful school and a very strong team who support your children.

## Reporting

Report Cards will be emailed home to you by Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> and I also wish to acknowledge the huge body of work invested by staff in creating these report cards. It is a very important piece of our accountability. I hope children read the comments from teachers and take these on board so they can focus on progression for 2017.

## P&C Meeting Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2016

Effective Enrolment 1275

Anticipated Effective Enrolment 2017 Day 8 1345

Financial Report - BOR and Balance Sheet Reports

### Deputies' Reports

Reporting

I4S - Investing for Success (feedback)

Draft Pupil Free Day Program 2017 - Staff have Pupil Free Days for 4 days (Tues 17<sup>th</sup> Jan – Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Jan)

Acting Roles 2017 - 4<sup>TH</sup> DP Kerri McGrath

Other Business

## Students Exiting & Transferring

For those families leaving it would be greatly appreciated if the office were notified asap. 2 reasons: we legally need to nominate a **destination on the transfer form for the child /children's new school and secondly we are finalising the classes and we need** accurate numbers for class composition and staffing of teachers. Parents our cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated. For those leaving we wish you well in your new settings.

## Promoting Reading over the Holidays

Parents, in the interest of keeping the learning momentum alive over the holidays please encourage the children to read every night, especially Preps –Y4. Your assistance in the learning partnership is greatly appreciated .

## Staffing Changes

Outgoing 2016: Virginia Duff, Wendy Neumann, Alana Bosua, Narmina Gledhill, Jason Gledhill, Renee Turnbull, Trudy Jackson, Tina Deans, Tamara Smart, Cassie Flew, Gayleen Jackson, Bindi Belesky (Mat Leave), Candice O'Connor (Mat Leave)

Incoming 2017: Kerri McGrath (DP), Lauren Collins, Teagan Black, Renee Keong, Melanie Van De Vorstenbosch, Kay Padfield, Carly Griffiths, Briohny Cull, Ange Trotter, Ariel Olsen, Renae Travers, John Adams, Taylah Marsh, Gillian Armitt, Kim Gridley, Kurt O'Brien

I wish to thank all outgoing staff for their contribution to our school over the year and wish them well with their future careers.

## Volunteers & Parent & Community Engagement

It has been a very productive year and I wish to take this opportunity to thank all volunteers who have assisted in value adding to **our children's education. It would be very remiss of me if I didn't also acknowledge the diligent work of our P&C Executive and School Councillors and my Leadership Team.** Thank you everyone it is a privilege to serve with you!

## End of Year Celebrations

**I'd like to acknowledge what a triumph the end of year celebrations were on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.** The performances from the children were excellent and the parent & community engagement was outstanding – well done everyone. Thanks to all staff and **children for making it such a successful event. The children's items were enchanting. I was flawed by the number of parents who attended.** I believe we conservatively had 1000 parents attended.

Special thanks to the P&C for their contribution in providing a stage for our children to perform. Our common dream /desire as a school is for Bounty to have a hall and Friday just demonstrated how strong the need is in our community. Thanks once again one and all for your support of the end of year celebrations!

Learning, Love & laughter

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**Paul McSwiney continued.....**

#### Enrolments

If you haven't enrolled for 2017 yet please do so asap. Parents if you have new neighbours and they are in our catchment please encourage them to contact the office prior to close of business Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Dec.

#### XMAS Greeting

As I close this correspondence for the final time this year, I wish everyone a peaceful safe Christmas with their families and I look forward to working with you next year in 2017.

Regards  
Paul McSwiney

## DEPUTY PRINCIPAL (PREP & YEAR 1)

LYNETTE MCINTYRE

#### Attendance:

Prep 92.35%  
Yr 1 92.28%



Thank you all for your engagement with Bounty this year. I know many of you have formed warm relationships with teachers - and will be ready to do the same in 2017. Positive communication between teachers and parents helps to support students throughout their school life.

#### Prep and Year 1

**Thank you for your support for the end of year concert. The turnout of parents and friends was magnificent and I'm sure that it helped students to rise to the occasion. The students really enjoyed getting on that stage and performing.**

In many ways the end of the year is a sad occasion - friendships have been made and teachers have formed many positive relationships with parents/carers. Students are excited to be moving to a new Year level, but also a little reticent about losing the familiarity of the faces and class routines they have come to know and respect throughout the year.

I wish all Prep and Year 1 students a safe and happy holiday break. Enjoy Christmas and come back in 2017 refreshed and ready to learn new things, and form new friendships.

#### Positive Behaviour for Learning

Congratulations to students who received the most Bounty Gold tickets in their class for Term 4. The Preps and Year 1s had a disco and party food; Year 2s & 3s, disco and pizza; and Years 4 - 6, a fun time at Aurora Park followed by a pizza lunch.

Due to the implementation of Positive Behaviour for Learning and our consistent and explicit approach to teaching our behaviour expectations, we have minimal behavioural disruptions across the school. We appreciate your support with our school rules and the alignment we have between school and home when dealing with behavioural issues.

#### Music

It was great to see the combination of our choirs perform at the Moreton Bay Council Christmas Carol event at North Lakes on Sunday. We had almost 40 students singing two delightful Christmas songs under the leadership of Mrs Sheylene Challacombe. It was a lovely evening (not a bit like the stormy night before) and the enjoyment showed on the students' faces as they sang.

## DEPUTY PRINCIPAL (YEAR 2 & YEAR 3)

LIAM HACKWOOD

It has arrived. We are in the last week of school for 2016. What a wonderful year. As we head into the summer break, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff, students and parents of Year 2 and 3. First of all, I will begin with the students.

With nearly 400 students across Year 2 and 3, it is like looking after a medium size school of students. It has been my pleasure to witness the growth in the students across the year, both literally and developmentally. These middle years of schooling are crucial as children take the time to develop and mature. Students begin growing into their own personalities and their interests become more defined. With this comes its challenges as students start becoming independent and start to develop new friendships with students who have similar interests.



I see it as my role to try and build resilience with the students. To do this, it is important that they know different challenges are going to present themselves. It is how they manage these challenges and learn from them that is important. As adults, we know that these challenges will always present themselves in the future and it is about handling these in a respectful way, working towards a positive outcome.

Parents have an integral role in this too. I would like to thank the parents and carers for supporting their children with their learning journey in 2016. Parenting (and managing young people) presents many challenges for this generation of children. I thank the parents who have gone above and beyond for their child each day. From the small things like reading with their child every night to the larger things like talking to them about the challenges and celebrations of their school day. At school we are only able to do so much. The number one teacher for every child are their parents. At Bounty, not only are we aware of this but we respect it as well.

### **Liam Hackwood continued...**

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the teachers and the teacher aides who have worked with your children this year. We have a dedicated and committed bunch of staff at our school. First hand I see how they go above and beyond for your children. They set high expectations for your children and are always keen to do more than just provide a high-quality education. When teachers are teaching and students are learning, my job becomes a pure delight. I thank them and wish them a well-deserved break. **I won't say 6 weeks off as I know many of them will be working throughout their holidays in preparation for 2017.**

As mentioned at the End of Year Celebrations last Friday, this article is certainly not goodbye. I am delighted to be able to work with the Year 3&4 cohort of students next year. I will get to know you and your children even better in 2017. I am very excited by this and I am sure 2017 will build on the great success of 2017.

I wish all parents, carers and students a safe and festive period. For those who are moving to another school, I wish you good luck and I hope that you are leaving Bounty with plenty of happy memories. For those returning, I look forward to seeing you on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of January ready for another year of *Learning, Love and Laughter*.

### **Welcome to Bounty Day—Friday 20th January**

Next year, we will be combining different events into one major event for our school. The *Welcome to Bounty* day will be commencing from 12:00pm on Friday 20th of January. This will provide parents and carers the opportunity to view class lists for the year ahead, listen to the cohort leader and Deputy Principal of each year level provide information about the year ahead, meet and greet with the P&C and School Council members and drop off book packs to the children's new classes.

**This is an opportunity for parents and carers along with their child to meet their new child's new teacher for the year. Parents and carers are invited at this time to make an appointment with their child's new teacher for a future date once school has begun.** The classroom doors will be closing at 2:00pm.

A movie night under the stars will be occurring on the BBSS School Oval with *Despicable Me* being shown to the community. This will be a wonderful way to begin the new year with such a positive event for our school. Here is a timetable for the day:

12:00—Class Lists on Display in Middle Years Undercover Area. Parents and Carers can drop off book packs to new classrooms.

12:30—Parent Information Sessions Yr 1 - Prep Undercover Area, Year 4 - Early Years Undercover, Year 6 - O Block.

1:00—Parent Information Sessions Yr 2 - Prep Undercover Area, Year 3 - Early Years Undercover Area, Year 5 - O Block.

2:00—Classrooms closed.

Evening—P&C *Despicable Me* Movie Night on the Oval under the stars

A paper copy of the information that is being discussed at the parent information sessions will be distributed to parents unable to attend.

## DEPUTY PRINCIPAL (YEAR 4 - YEAR 6)

MARK WRIGLEY

### **Attendance:**

Year 4: 92.89% (unexplained absences 16.62%)

Year 5: 92.86% (unexplained absences 23.91%)

Year 6: 92.41% (unexplained absences 25.25%)



### **Yr 6 Camp—Tallebudgera Feb 20—Feb 24**

Current Yr 5 students please return your 2017 Year 6 Tallebudgera Camp Expression of Interest note.

### **Last Week Events:**

This is a very busy week, in particular for our graduating class of 2016.

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Dec:** Is the graduation evening for the year 6 students, the event is being held at North Lakes Golf Club. The evening begins at 6:30pm and concludes at 8:30pm. Thank You to Kristy Storey- Butterfly Kisses-Homemade Cakes and Biscuits for the cupcakes for the evening.

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> Dec:** Is the Big Day Out for the year 6 students. The cohort is heading off to Morayfield Aquatic Centre for a fun filled day of swimming, activities and time to celebrate their end of primary schooling at Bounty Boulevard State School. The bus will leave at 9am and the students will arrive back by 2:45pm

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Dec:** Is the graduating ceremony for year 6. The event begins at 9:30am. All year 6 students are expected to be in formal school uniform. The year 5 students will join us for the ceremony on Friday, with the blazer handover to our 2017 leaders.

Also on Friday at 12pm in the Middle Years Undercover Area, the band No Direction will be performing for the students of Bounty Boulevard SS. We would love to see parents and family members come and join us for this remarkable event.

### **Best Wishes**

I would like to wish everyone a restful and happy Christmas break. Thank you for all your support throughout the year. I look forward to working with you all in 2017.

Semester 2 Report Cards

Semester 2 report cards will be sent out this week. **Please ensure that your email address is up to date so that you don't miss out on this very important record of your child's learning.** It is also important that you advise your child's teacher if you require additional copies of the report card, or if you require the report to be printed out.



Book-a-Night is celebrated and valued at Bounty Boulevard as students are acknowledged as they reach each milestone.

2MA 75 Nights Chloe T 100 Nights Raukura P 150 Nights Isabelle G 175 Nights Willow S Angel V 200 Nights Angel V Cohen R 250 Nights Jackson J 275 Nights Jackson J 300 Nights Jackson J 4H 50 Nights Charlotte S 150 Nights Ryanna F	Prep H 300 Nights Saathuri A Noah A Ruben B Austin B Izaiah B Kyden C Katie D Lochlan F Cooper J Tamanna K Savannah M Ella P Owen P Hamish S Maddilyn T Kody W Lily C Zachary E Chelsea O Seth S	Prep TA 150 Nights Eva C Zachary O 200 Nights Amalia J Owen B Senuki M 1D 150 Nights Nujan Libby 200 Nights Shavorn Oliver 250 Nights Jayden Orlando Ben Jaida Max 300 Nights Callum	Prep S 175 Nights Summer T 300 Nights Austin B Katie D Izaiah B-T Noah A Kody W 2BU 200 Nights Tiana C 300 Nights Trey C
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FROM THE SPORTS DESK

MATT BAKER & COREY MILLERS

Swimming Carnival

The Bounty Boulevard State School Swimming Carnival for 2016 was a fantastic and well-run event. All swimmers had a great day and there were plenty of competitive races. Unfortunately, our participation for the 2016 Swimming Carnival was significantly lower than last year, however, it proved to be student participation and involvement which meant a significantly higher amount of points for the winning house. Hopefully, we see more student involvement in the 2017 Bounty Boulevards State School Swimming Carnival.



As Josh H, Altair House Captain awaited the points tally at the conclusion of the Swimming Carnival, it was with great joy and celebration that he welcomed the 2016 clean-sweep. Altair were the victors this year for **all 3 carnivals, including this year's swimming carnival.** The final points tally sitting at;

1<sup>st</sup> - Altair 780      2<sup>nd</sup> - Mira 639      3<sup>rd</sup> - Regulus 536      4<sup>th</sup> - Vega 349

Congratulations to our Swimming Carnival Age Champions for 2016.

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| <u>2007 Boys:</u> Arnav S (Regulus) | <u>2007 Girls:</u> Ellen B (Vega)     |
| <u>2006 Boys:</u> Samuel J (Altair) | <u>2006 Girls:</u> Jorja H (Mira)     |
| <u>2005 Boys:</u> Eli W-T (Mira)    | <u>2005 Girls:</u> Lily S (Regulus)   |
| <u>2004 Boys:</u> Lucas F (Altair)  | <u>2004 Girls:</u> Taylor R (Regulus) |

Our Age Champions for this year, along with other swimmers from our swimming carnival will be invited early next year to attend the Pine River District School Sport swimming carnival for a chance in being selected in the district swim team. Please keep your eyes and ears open early next year for more information.

All-Schools Touch Football & Netball Carnivals

Students at Bounty Boulevard State School were recently a part of the All-Schools Netball and Touch Football competitions.

The netball girls had enough players for 2 teams. Our A team was successful to win a number of games, but unfortunately our B team wasn't successful in any of their games but they certainly gave their best performance and played a number of close games.

## ***From the Sports Desk continued....***

Our touch football representatives had 2 boys teams and 1 girls team. Our girls team had it tough from the start with having a number of students **unable to attend the competition and therefore, didn't have many substitute players to help see them through the tournament.** Unfortunately, the girls didn't win any of their round games but on the second day, they played their hearts out to come very close to having their first win.

The boys teams were playing in 2 separate divisions. With our A team in a higher division, the boys were set for a difficult tournament ahead. They all played their best throughout the tournament and displayed many great talents and scored plenty of tries and came close to winning some of their games. Our B team was also placed in a competitive division and played extremely well in their attempt to keep up with other schools across the state.

**Although our teams weren't as victorious as we had hoped, all of our participating students have come a long way, learnt many new skills and grew through this experience as individuals and as a team.** All of our athletes at this competition should be extremely proud of their development and their talents. Congratulations to all of our athletes!

On behalf of the Physical Education staff here at Bounty, we would like to wish all of our student athletes and participants a safe and happy Christmas. Good luck to students transitioning to high school and we look forward to seeing our students again in 2017.

## HOSES—HEAD OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

JENNIFER DAVIES

### INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY:

International Day of People with Disability (IDPWD) was held on 3 December. IDPWD is a United Nations sanctioned day that is celebrated internationally. It aims to increase public awareness, understanding and acceptance of people with disability and celebrate the achievements and contributions of people with disability.

**The social model of disability** According to the disability charity Scope, the social model of disability proposes that disability is caused by the **way society is organised, rather than by a person's impairment or difference. It looks at ways of removing barriers that restrict life choices for people with disability.** When barriers are removed, people with disability become independent and equal in society, with choice and control over their own lives.

People with disability developed the social model of disability because the traditional medical model did not explain their personal experience of disability, or help to develop more inclusive ways of living.

**Changing attitudes** Barriers are not just physical. Attitudes found in society based on prejudice or stereotypes also disable people from having equal opportunities to be part of society.

**Models of disability** Traditionally, society has taken a medical model approach to disability, which focuses on a person's physical, mental, psycho-social or intellectual impairment or 'deficit', always with comparison to 'normal' people. Under this model, these impairments or 'deficits' need to be 'fixed' or changed by medical treatment, surgery or other intervention, even when the impairment or difference does not cause pain or illness. This model creates low expectations and leads to people losing independence, choice and control.

**While the medical model focuses on what is 'wrong' with the person, the social model of disability says that disability is caused by the way society is organised, specifically because of the assumption that all people's needs are the same. It says that disability occurs because society has focused exclusively on one group's needs — those who do not have impairment.** The social model shows that impairment need not lead to disability, and focuses on how to remove the disabling features of contemporary society.

### TRANSITIONS:

As we transition to the new year, we will continue to use a variety of strategies. We will be taking some smaller groups of students to visit anticipated areas of the school they will be using for 2016. This may include classroom areas, eating areas and toilets. Many teachers will be taking their whole classes to these areas in an inclusive approach. This is also how we undertake transitions to camp with SEP Teachers presenting photos and information about upcoming camps to whole classes and generating discussion in that forum rather than an emphasis on removing students whose circumstances fit the broader definition of Disability.

### MSSWD:

In keeping with this inclusive form of support, class teachers and teacher aides have continued to complete courses provided by the department in 'More Support For Students with Disabilities'.

The emphasis of this program is not on staff from SEP removing students from class to provide specialised programs, but on all staff in the school learning more about classroom and schoolwide approaches which support students with Disabilities to operate effectively within their class and school.

Well the end of the year is upon us. I would like to say Merry Christmas to everyone and have a Safe and Happy New Year. In Defence Club we have been busy with some Christmas Craft (sorry for the glitter). We have made pinecone Xmas Trees, some beautiful picture frames and I even turned the kids into elves for our Christmas tree. The kids have been working very **hard and have done a brilliant job. I'm looking forward to next year.**



This year we have 10 year 6 students leaving us, I would like to wish you all a great transition into high school. Stay true to yourself, you are all amazing kids and should be proud of the grown people you are becoming. To our other students leaving this year, I wish you well in your new posting location and schools. Posting or changing schools can be a challenging time with anxiety and the unknown. Know that you are all amazing kids and can achieve anything. You all will always have a special place in my heart.

To our current families, if you know of a new family moving to our school can you please forward on my email [sgard121@eq.edu.au](mailto:sgard121@eq.edu.au). I look forward to meeting all of our new families and seeing our current families in the new year. Next year my working days will be Monday, Tuesday and **Wednesday. If you need anything or your home situation changes due to MDWU, Posting or Long absence don't hesitate to contact me.**

Before I finish up I wanted to say thank you to everyone for a great year. I have met some truly amazing students, made so many new friends and had a great experience in this job role. Bring on 2017!!

## ADMINISTRATION NEWS

### SMS Process

**Thank you to our parent community who have used the absence text line to inform us of a student's absence. We have ironed out a few initial teething problems and we thank you for your patience. This process allows us to capture a student's absence in a timely manner** as well as being able to notify the whole community when necessary. Some helpful hints heading into 2017 –

- Only 2 methods **available to notify us of a student's absence** – text absence line 0429 398 844 or school land line 3482 1333. Emailing an absence will no longer be available from the start of term 1.
- Text or phone as soon as you know your child will be absent
- **Text message must be kept to maximum of 100 characters (your message is exported directly onto your child's OneSchool profile which only allows 100 characters)**
- Ideally your message should read - John Smith 2K unwell 28 Nov or John Smith 2K holiday 28 Nov returning 6 Dec
- Please do not send an image or emoticon, this creates as an unreadable message. Remember this is only a text messaging service you are unable to dial this number
- Notify the school when a change of phone number occurs

### Lost Property

Thursday 8 December 3pm, ALL lost property will be –  
 Returned to owner if named  
 Returned to the spares cupboard if BBSS logoed  
 Distributed to a local clothing bin  
 Lunch boxes and drink bottles disposed of

### Onsite Student Medication

Friday 9 December 3pm, ALL student medication held at the school will require collection and returned with the appropriate paperwork in 2017.

### Office Administration Hours

School office closed from Monday 12 December 2016 and will re-open -

Monday 16 January 2017 – Friday 20 January 2017 (Finance desk opens Thursday 19 January 2017)  
 8:15am – 3:00pm

Monday 23 January 2017

Normal administration office hours resume (8:15am – 3:30pm)

### Book Lists 2017

Book lists have been distributed using our supplier Office Heaven – [www.officeheaven.com.au](http://www.officeheaven.com.au). It is an expectation that all students start day 1 with the required stationery requirements. Please phone Office Heaven 3491 9339 or the school office 3482 1333 with questions around book lists. Alternatively, you can access the school website and download the PDF book lists under Forms and Documents on the website.

## ADMINISTRATION NEWS

### School Uniform Shop Hours

Last week of term

Monday 5th December 7:45-10:15  
Tuesday 6th December 7:45-10:15  
Wednesday 7th December 2:00-5:00  
Thursday 8th December 7:45-10:15  
Friday 9th December 2:00-5:00

Week before term

Monday 16th January 9:00-3:00  
Tuesday 17th January 9:00-3:00  
Wednesday 18th January 9:00-3:00  
Thursday 19th January 9:00-3:00  
Friday 20th January 9:00-3:00

First week of term

Monday 23rd January 7:45-11:30  
Tuesday 24th January 7:45-10:15  
Wednesday 25th January 7:45-10:15  
Thursday 26th January CLOSED – Public Holiday  
Friday 27th January 7:45-1:15

Please note the later you leave your purchase of school uniform items the longer the queue will be! We ask for your patience with online ordering a 2nd option — Order online: [bountyboulevard@wearitto.com.au](mailto:bountyboulevard@wearitto.com.au)

### Class Lists 2017

Prep class lists will be available for viewing in the Prep Hall area from 4pm Thursday 19 January 2017. Year 1 – Year 6 may be viewed in the Middle Years Undercover Area (adjacent to the café) from 12 midday Friday 20 January 2017. This information will not be available prior to this time. Please read the below disclaimer.

*Please be advised that the proposed class lists are based on the current student enrolments. If there are significant changes to student enrolments, this may necessitate classes to be restructured. If any restructures are to occur, this will happen in week three of term one, after the Department of Education & Training (DET) student census on day 8.*

### Parent Information Session 2017

Year level information sessions will be conducted on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> January. These sessions will be conducted at the following times in the following areas:

12:30pm – Yr 1 Prep Undercover Area, Yr 4 Early Years Undercover Area, Yr 6 O Block.  
1:00pm – Yr 2 Prep Undercover Area, Yr 3 Early Years Undercover Area, Yr 5 O Block.

### Student Banking Competition Winners

Congratulations to the following students who won a prize in the recent student banking competition –

Hamish S, Lucy T, Isabella S, Kody W, Leon D, Soha F, Krish S, Mayling Y, Bailee H, Amy J, Charli M, Katelyn B, Kyden C, Sierra R.

School banking resumes on Tuesday week 2, 31 January 2017.

### School Timetable 2017

SCHOOL TIMETABLE 2017			
Prep - Year 2	8:55am-2:40pm	Year 3 - Year 6	8:40am-2:45pm
Roll Call	8:55 <sub>am</sub>	Roll Call	8:40 <sub>am</sub>
Morning Session	8:55 <sub>am</sub> -10:55 <sub>am</sub>	Morning Session	8:40 <sub>am</sub> -10:40 <sub>am</sub>
First Break	10:55 <sub>am</sub> -11:35 <sub>am</sub>	First Break	10:40 <sub>am</sub> -11:20 <sub>am</sub>
Middle Session	11:35 <sub>am</sub> -1:35 <sub>pm</sub>	Middle Session	11:20 <sub>am</sub> -12:50 <sub>pm</sub>
Second Break	1:35 <sub>pm</sub> -2:10 <sub>pm</sub>	Second Break	12:50 <sub>pm</sub> -1:25 <sub>pm</sub>
Afternoon Session	2:10 <sub>pm</sub> -3:00 <sub>pm</sub>	Afternoon Session	1:25 <sub>pm</sub> -2:45 <sub>pm</sub>

## DATE CLAIMERS

Dec 7	Yr 6 Graduation Evening: North Lakes Golf Club 6:30pm
Dec 7	Subway Lunch \$7.50 (Orders close Mon 5/12 4pm Flexischools / Envelope to Café 3pm)
Dec 8	Yr 6 Big Day Out—Bus departs 9:am
Dec 9	Yr 6 Graduation Assembly 9:30am (Yr 5 and Yr 6 only - Yr 6 students formal school uniform required)
Dec 9	Last Day Term 4 2016
Jan 17—20	Student Free Days— Staff participating in Professional Development
Jan 19	Prep Class Lists Displayed from 4pm (Hall) and information session afterwards
Jan 20	WELCOME TO BOUNTY DAY 12:00—Class Lists on Display in Middle Years Undercover Area. Parents and Carers can drop off bookbags to new classrooms. 12:30— Parent Information Sessions Yr 1 - Prep Undercover Area, Year 4 Early Years Undercover, Year 6—O Block. 1:00—Parent Information Sessions Yr 2—Prep Undercover Area, Year 3 Early Years Undercover Area, Year 5—O Block. 2:00—Classrooms shut Evening—P&C <i>Despicable Me</i> Movie Night on the Oval under the stars
Jan 23	First Day Term 1 2017 - For all year levels
Jan 26	School Closed—Australia Day
Jan 31	Student Banking Resumes
Feb 3	School Leaders Badge Ceremony 9:15am (TBC)

## P&C UPDATE

Email: [pandc@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au](mailto:pandc@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au)

P&C News – Term 4 – Week 10  
Website [www.BountyPandC.com](http://www.BountyPandC.com)

Thank you to all who have supported our P&C in 2016!

Our first 2017 meeting will be on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February @ 7pm. We would greatly appreciate your participation! P&C Meetings are generally held every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month during the term at 7pm in the School Staff Room. **All are very welcome; it's a great way to help our school and your involvement helps to ensure events are a success.**

2017 CARNIVAL – Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2017. Please visit - <https://www.facebook.com/BBSSTwilightMarket/>  
**We are urgently seeking helpers, stallholders and sponsors.** Please contact us now.

**Annual General Meeting** – This has now been scheduled for Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2017. All executive positions are open for election at this time. The general meeting for March will also be held on this date.

**PRIORITY FUNDING:** If there is a school project you would like the P&C to support financially, we invite you to submit an application for funding. Forms can be obtained by contacting us at [pandc@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au](mailto:pandc@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au)

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President – Stuart Arthur Mo.0458 066 299  
Vice Presidents – Elaine Hourston & David Stone

Treasurer - Daisy Yau  
Secretary - Julie Weatherson

## NEWS FROM THE CAFÉ - BOUNTY BITE



Café operating as normal all week - however Friday there will be limited over the counter sales.

Thank you for your continued support!

## UNIFORM SHOP

Wearitto/Weareco  
Uniform Shop located next  
to café.

Phone: 07 3482 1333  
Option 3

### OPENING TIMES

Monday	7:45am - 10:15am
Tuesday	7:45am - 10:15am
Thursday	7:45am - 10:15am

Order online:  
[bountyboulevard@wearitto.com.au](mailto:bountyboulevard@wearitto.com.au)

## ENROLMENTS

Ph: 3482 1333  
Option 2

[enrolments@bountyboulevardss.  
eq.edu.au](mailto:enrolments@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au)

## CAFE

Ph: 3482 1333  
Option 4

[www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au)

## PAYMENTS

8.15am - 11.30am  
Monday - Friday

Direct Credit:  
**BSB 064 185**  
**Account 10095351**

*Please use Student EQ ID as  
reference.*

*Deposits can be made into  
the school bank account  
during the school holidays.*

## PAYMENTS

Administration 3482 1333  
Did you know?  
You can avoid the queue by  
using a payment envelope.

*Envelopes and deposit  
boxes available at front  
office.*

## SCHOOL BANKING

Every Tuesday!  
Start banking today and  
collect great rewards!  
For more information visit -  
[www.commbank.com.au/  
schoolbanking](http://www.commbank.com.au/schoolbanking) or contact the  
school office.

## ADMINISTRATION TEAM

Principal	Mr Paul McSwiney
Deputy Principal (Prep-Year 1)	Ms Lynette McIntyre
Deputy Principal (Year 2-Year 3)	Mr Liam Hackwood
Deputy Principal (Year 4-Year 6)	Mr Mark Wrigley
Head of Special Education	Mrs Jennifer Davies
Head of Student Services	Ms Amanda Lilley
Head of Curriculum	Mrs Frances Roberts
Business Services Manager (Acting)	Mrs Corinna Shirley

If you wish to contact any of the Principals  
please use email address:  
[principal@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au](mailto:principal@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au)

## P&C EXECUTIVE

President	Stuart Arthur
Vice President	Elaine Hourston David Stone
Secretary	Julie Weatherson
Treasurer	Daisy Yau

**Wednesday 08 Feb 2017**  
P&C Meeting - 7:00pm  
Staff Room  
All Welcome

## PAYMENTS

Please ensure you check the  
[website](#) regularly for updates on  
upcoming activities.  
Support & Resources - Payments

HELPING HANDS  
OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE  
Any enquires, please phone  
0459 990 652  
or email -  
[bountyboulevard@helpinghandsnetwork.com.au](mailto:bountyboulevard@helpinghandsnetwork.com.au)

## STUDENT ABSENTEES

Text absence -  
0429 398 844  
or  
Ph 3482 1333 Option 1  
Students need to present at the  
late slip counter if they are late.

### Before school supervised areas:

Prep-Year 2  
8:00-8:20 Students wait in the Middle Years  
Undercover Area which is fully  
supervised.  
8:20-8:50 Students wait in the Hall which is  
fully supervised.

Year 3-Year 6  
8:00-8:35 Students wait in the Middle Years  
Undercover Area which is fully  
supervised.

Students are classified late if arriving  
after roll call.

Next Newsletter  
31 Jan 2017

**Lost Property**  
Please help us by checking  
**for any of your child's items**  
outside the office. Name all  
items of clothing with a  
laundry marker.



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**29<sup>th</sup> November 2016**

Dear Students and Staff of Bounty Boulevard State School,

On behalf of the Board I would like to thank you for your very generous donation raised through your “Funky Fluro Friday” free dress day. We are honoured that you chose to support our Charity.

It was decided to put \$530 from these funds towards new mosquito nets for our students 2 ½ years now since we last supplied them and they are just about “done”. I just wanted to let you know how much help you are to our families and with the wet season coming, the nets will be of great benefit to everyone. The remainder of the funds raised will go towards the running of our School and helping us continue to provide education and health support to our students and their families.

Again, thank you to your beautiful school :)

*Allison Ray*  
*Director - Our Rainbow House Inc*



# BLUE LIGHT

NORTH LAKES  
2016



**LASER TAG**



**NEON PUTT PUTT**



**MUSIC AND  
DANCE FLOOR**

12<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST  
9<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER  
14<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER  
11<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER  
9<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

**AGES 8 TO 13**  
**FROM 6:30 TO 9:00 PM**

**4-6 BURKE CRESCENT,  
NORTH LAKES QLD 4509**

SAFE SPACE EVENT UNDER POLICE SUPERVISION  
PRIZES TO BE ANNOUNCED

**TICKETS AT THE DOOR \$10 ea**

**GameON**



Deception Bay  
711 87 3283 6188

**BLUE LIGHT**  
NORTH LAKES  
2016





### **RISE UP AND BE YOURSELF (RUBY)**

- Physical fitness program for women who are, have, or likely to be affected by domestic and family violence
- Builds physical strength, emotional resilience, self-esteem and confidence
- FREE, allowing women of various socio-economic backgrounds to participate
- Female Police Officer and personal trainer
- Support network for victims of domestic violence



### **BASKETBALL AFTER DARK**

- FREE for youth every Friday Night
- Promotes healthy lifestyle and fun in a safe environment
- Up to 50 young people attend weekly
- Positive alternate choice from engaging in antisocial behaviour
- Builds positive relationships with peers and mentors



### **MULTICULTURAL LEARNER LICENCE**

- Help local community members to better understand road rules
- Over 130 successful participants obtained their licence since December 2013
- Suitable for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse participants
- Workshops conducted in a relaxed group format
- Highly Commended - Qld Road Safety Awards 2015
- Finalist – 2015 Queensland Police Service Awards for Excellence



### **BLUE LIGHT DISCO'S**

- Held at Deception Bay and North Lakes
- Encourages better relationships between youth, parents, police and community
- Young people participate in cultural, social and sporting activities including Disco's
- Fun and safe environment with Police Supervision
- Crime reduction through positive engagement



### **DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S AWARD**

- Internationally recognised program for youth
- Commitment to physical activity, skill and community service
- Rewards dedication and motivation
- Adventurous Journey may involve travel and expedition
- 20 local youth participate in the award



positive partnerships

Working together to support school-aged students on the autism spectrum

## Free Two Day Workshop for Parents and Carers

Brisbane Central  
21 & 22 Feb 2017

### Positive Partnerships is coming to a location near you!

Join us for 2 days of learning with other parents and carers of school aged children on the autism spectrum, designed to help you foster productive school, family and community relationships to provide the best kind of support for your child. Our workshops are for parents, carers and grandparents wanting to understand more about autism and learn practical strategies using evidence based resources to help maximise their young person's learning.

### What will you gain by attending this workshop?

- An increased understanding of the impact of autism
- Further knowledge about how to develop effective partnerships with your school
- Information to help you access further support both inside and outside of school
- An opportunity to be part of a support network where you can share strategies and experiences with other parents/carers
- An understanding of a planning tool that can be used to share key information related to your child

### Workshop details

<b>Venue:</b>	<b>Boulevard Gardens 284 Witton Road Indooroopilly QLD 4068</b>
<b>When:</b>	Tuesday 21 and Wednesday 22 February 2017 9.15 am – 3.00 pm (Registration from 8.30 am)
<b>Catering:</b>	Morning tea and lunch is provided. Please advise any dietary requirements upon registration.
<b>Register Online:</b>	<a href="http://positivepartnerships.com.au">positivepartnerships.com.au</a> Registrations open 8 December 2016 and close one business day prior to the workshop. Register early as places are limited!
<b>Questions?</b>	If you are not able to register online please call the Positive Partnerships Infoline : 1300 881 971 or email <a href="mailto:parentcarer@autismspectrum.org.au">parentcarer@autismspectrum.org.au</a>

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