

Bounty Boulevard SS - Principal's Update

Week 1, Term 3 2021

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Welcome to Week One of Term Three! We hope you had a restful break from the regular routine of school lunches and early wake ups. To start the term, I would like to welcome back Fiona Hornung who will be replacing Ariel in 5 Green, and Corey Millers who is returning from leave to re-join the HPE team. Sarah Kenworthy will be teaching Prep Red for the remainder of the year, Kylie Lloyd will commence full time work in 5 Green, and Jody Jorgensen will replace Tammy K in 6 Yellow. I would also like to welcome Caitlan and Joel who will be teaching for the first few weeks of this term in our Prep and Year 5 cohorts.

Attendance

Our attendance for Semester 1 was as follows. Our aim is to have all students' school attendance be 95% or above. Please consider how you as a family can ensure that your children are attending every day they are well.

Year Level	Prep	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
YTD%	91.88%	91.26%	92.04%	91.41%	91.26%	90.88%	90.19%

Academic Results

In Semester 1, **91.8**% of our students achieved achievement grades of A-C. **93.9**% of our students received an A-C for behaviour and **96.3**% received A-C for effort. What fantastic results!

Can I thank all staff for their hard work in preparing report cards. These are in the final stages of checking and will be released on Friday 23rd July. I am very pleased with the progression of many students and that we have continued the growth of our results from past years.

For your inbox to receive your child's report, please ensure the following email address is added to your safe sender list: **OneSchool.application@dete.qld.gov.au** and ensure that your inbox is not over quota.

If report cards are not received by Monday 26 July, please email: reportrequest@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au

Covid Update

As per the most recent government announcements, we will continue with our current COVID-19 restrictions. This includes mandatory mask wearing for all visitors to the school. School staff are not required to wear masks when working with children, and children are not required to wear masks at school. We appreciate your support in these matters for the health and safety of our school community.

Updated Family Records

As we enter a new term, I would like to remind families that if they have any updated or new documents relating to students, whether it be medical plans, Family Law Court (or other) Orders, to please provide a copy of these to the school. Similarly, if any of your contact details or addresses have changed, please ensure these are updated, as this will allow us to work as effectively as possible with our families.



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2021 School Opinion Survey

Families with one or more enrolled children will receive one invitation via email to complete the survey. This survey is managed externally and was sent over a number of days in the week beginning Monday 5 July by the School Opinion Survey Team.

The survey invitation email uses the subject line: School Opinion Survey of parents, 2021 and may appear in the junk email folders for some. If you have not received the survey, please email ckirk97@eq.edu.au using the subject title – 2021 SOS Parent Survey. A request will then be sent on to the School Opinion Survey Team to attempt to rectify.

Students in Years 5 and 6 will have also received an invitation via email to complete the student survey. Year 5 and 6 teachers will be allocating time in class for students to complete this survey independently, if not already completed.

The survey closes Friday 30 July 2021. We thank you in advance for your time and support in completing this survey.

The Bounty Harmonies

A big congratulations to The Bounty Harmonies!! After receiving a Platinum Award for their performance in the Creative Generation Choral Fanfare Competition Regional heats, The Bounty Harmonies made it through to the Regional Finals. They travelled to the Caloundra Events Centre to compete against other choirs in the region, where they were awarded the Best Performing Choir at the North Coast Regional Finals!!

This is a wonderful accomplishment and is a credit to the hard work and effort the students put into rehearsing and performing. We are so proud of the students who have worked so hard to achieve this fabulous award!

Keep Clear Zone

You may have noticed the addition of a Keep Clear Zone on Aurora Boulevard over the holidays. Please ensure you are abiding by this new road marking, and the direction of staff on duty.



Prep 2022 Enrolments

Our Prep 2022 enrolments are now open. Please contact the office or our Enrolments Officer on enrolments@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au to register your interest and have an enrolment package posted out to you. Don't forget to RSVP for the Jump into Prep and Prep Orientation Sessions!

Date Claimers

- School Photos Monday 19, Tuesday 20 & Wednesday 21 July
- Year 2 Street Science Incursion Wednesday 21 July
- Excellence Assemblies Friday 23 July
- Year 3 Street Science Incursion Tuesday 27 July
- Pine Rivers Show Performances (Senior Choir and Strings) Friday 30 July
- Strive to Be Kind Day wear yellow Friday 30 July



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Payments Due

Event Date	Event	Year Level	Cost	Payment Due
Wednesday 21 July	Street Science	Year 2	\$10.00	11.00am, Monday 19 July
Tuesday 27 July	Street Science	Year 3	\$10.00	11.00am, Friday 23 July
Thursday 05 August	Living History	Year 5	\$12.00	11.00am, Tuesday 3 August
Friday 27 August	Gala Day Sports	Year 5 & 6	\$8.00	11.00am, Thursday 5 August
7 - 10 September 14 - 17 September	Swimming Lessons	Prep, Year 1 & Year 3	\$64.00	11.00am, Tuesday 24 August

Stephen Auer, Principal