Dear Parents

We are back into full swing for the school year with everything moving along very smoothly. All the students have settled in really well and are meeting the expectations of the teachers and working really hard.

The school has renewed its subscription to Reading Eggs and Mathletics, two online programs that can be accessed on computers at home as well as at school. I would encourage all students to be using these programs rather than playing games on computers at home as they support their learning in a big way. Teachers have a copy of the student’s login details if you wish to write them down. The apps for these programs can also be downloaded onto iPads and android mobile devices.

I will be having a teleconference with district office tomorrow afternoon to get directions on how the new federal funding is to be spent and how we are to manage individual learning plans for those students who may be at risk of not being at minimum standard in the NAPLAN tests for Years 3 and 5. The focus is on the early years of learning so we will be concentrating on students in Years P-3.

I will not be at school on Thursday as I have my final appointment with my back surgeon at Southport. Therefore I will be taking Friday as my administration day and Mrs Goodwin will be coming in to teach the 4-7 class for the day.

Next Monday is the P&C annual general meeting with the election of office bearers for the year. The meeting will be preceded by a ‘meet and greet’ barbeque at 6.00pm. Everyone is invited as it is a good opportunity to meet new families and to welcome them to our school community.

I would like to thank Susan and Scott Radke for their hard work in the school gardens. All help given by families is always appreciated.

Dates to remember for this term:

- 20th March: Bowenville Softball Carnival
- 4th April: Bowenville Cross Country

All other dates will be on the school website in the calendar.

Have a great week everyone!

Lee.
COMMUNITY EVENTS:

TENNIS LESSONS
Tennis Lessons in 2014
At the Bowenville SS
Lessons for all ages & standards
Friday mornings before school
Contact Club Professional
Ben Campbell
M: 0414 645 916
(enrolment form attached)
e: faultless@samford.net

DALBY EAGLES JUNIOR TOUCH
ASSOCIATION MUSTER
12TH FEBRUARY 2014
Contact Kasey White—Junior Development Officer.
Time—4.30pm
Dalby Touch Football Fields.

Dads Read Family Fun Day in Dalby
Saturday 8 March 2014 | 9am – 1pm—MyALL107 – 107 Drayton Street, Dalby
This family fun day, full of free activities and food, will entertain your family.
Featuring entertainment from:
Rhys Muldoon (Play School and House Husbands)
Tim Jackman (children’s entertainer, The Corner, SLQ)

P-3 News:
Dear Parents,

Can you believe we are already in week 3? We are all settling into a Class routine and working really hard! The focus in science for this term is: “Watch them grow”, so you would be hearing a lot of conversations on gardening, seeds and babies! We are exploring families in history, with a bit of focus on our school’s history and the reasons people came to this school. We will be learning about the role the school played in family life for the next 4 weeks. Thank you for all the parents who support us in homework! We have a Prep who already has the yellow sight words mastered!

Have a great week.
Kim and Ronel

4-7 News:
4-7 News: This week the students are focusing on Reading Comprehension and the textual features of a text in English. In Mathematics we are spending a lot of time trying to understand command and decimal fractions and how to use them in a Mathematical world. For Art this week we are making treasures out of recycled materials with Mrs Genis. The students are having so much fun they are doing it in their lunch times too.

P & C News:
We will be starting the first meeting on Monday 17th with a Family BBQ tea at 6.00 pm. Drinks and food provided by the P&C. This will be followed at 7.00pm with the 2 bus committees’ AGMs. It is important if you have children travelling on the buses that you attend. At 7.30pm the P&C AGM will commence. A movie will be provided for children during the meetings. We look forward to seeing everyone there. Tami hasn’t many replies for the Tuckshop roster, so please if you can help, get the form back in or see Tami. Tuckshop is a service to our school students and staff, and the more people that can help, the easier the load. With young children, it is possible to help for just the morning period. It is possible for men to also help. Matt and I have proved it!!
John Hensel 0429 92 42 92

Tuckshop:
I still need helpers for tuckshop especially all-day helpers. Can anyone do all-day on Thursday Feb 20th and/or March 20th?
This weeks special: Hot Cross Bun and drink - $ 3.00 (please indicate which flavoured milk or juice)

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Please find sent home today our first Book Club for 2014. All orders need to be back to me by tomorrow Wednesday February 12th.

Kim Welke—Book Club Co-ordinator.

There will be a BOWENVILLE FIRE BRIGADE GENERAL MEETING on Tuesday 18th February at the Bowenville Fire Shed at 7.30pm. It is essential that as many Local Property Owners and Residents attend as possible. So spread the word to those afar, for the Bowenville Fire Brigade district goes from the EAST, Prospect Rd near Jondaryan along Malu Rd, the Old Acland gravel road, Morgan’s Rd and Wonga Plains South Rd to the WEST, east side of Griffiths Rd to the creek, east of Auchmah Boundary Rd and over to the NORTH, south side of Quinalow Edgefield Rd almost to the North Branch of the Myall Creek to the SOUTH on the Jondaryan St Ruth Road. Many people are NOT on the Bowenville Mail Run, so will not receive this notice.