Principal’s Message:

School Focus
Soccer and Netball Carnival – the soccer and netball carnival is on at the end of this term and the students have elected to all play soccer. The date is Friday the 16th of September and the years 4 to 6 students are attending, but we may be able to include the year 3 students.

First Aid – We have been discussing for some time for the student to do some first aid. We have arranged this and the date was to be in a few weeks time, but now due to unforeseen circumstances the date has moved forward. We will have a Tania from McNellies coming to work with the students. The cost again for this has been covered by the P&C as they see the value of this for our students, thank you very much for this. A note will be going home outlining the information, as it will be a simplified version for the students. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Book Week – We will be holding book week on the 5th September and will be asking if parents would like to pick a section out of their favourite child's book to read in the mornings. We will be holding a book fair and character dress up day as a part of the celebrations.

Quote of the Week
Dreams are the touchstones of our character.
Henry David Thoreau

Michael Sutton.
COMMUNITY EVENTS:

Bismarck to Maclagan
100 years celebration
10th September 2016

Do you have any old photos, memorabilia and/or stories about life in Maclagan and district? We’re using them for the Bismarck to Maclagan 100 year Anniversary.

Ring Sherryl Hansen 4692-1265

Calling for Expressions of Interest for a Tug of War at the 10 September Bismarck to Maclagan 100 year Anniversary.

Ring Sherryl Hansen 4692-1265

TRIVIA NIGHT
Saturday 3rd September 2016

Maclagan Hall
Doors open 6pm starting at 7pm
Entry $10

Contact Claire 0408 754 292
Kait 4692 1274
for more information

Dear Members,

Thank you to everyone who ordered from Issue 5. Thank you Kim Welke.

Book Club:

Playgroup:

Playgroup is held at the school every Wednesday from 9-11am. Please bring a hat, piece of fruit to share and a gold coin donation. For further information please feel free to call the school.

Reminders:
School library is on Mondays.
Mobile library is every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month, including holidays.
Please remember to bring your Library bag to help protect your Library books. Homework is due every Friday.

Thank you Kim Welke—Playgroup Co-Ordinator—kwelk4@eq.edu.au

P & C News:

New matting and glue has been purchased (at a cost of about $1,000) for re-surfacing the cricket pitch. We will need help during working bees to grind down rough sections of the old concrete and lay down the new surface. John Hensel is kindly organising all this and will be in contact regarding dates for this work to be undertaken well before the cricket season is upon us. Please be generous of your time for the benefit of our sporting children this year and in years to come.

Next P&C meeting: 14th September at 6pm

Cheers
Karen Smith
P&C President 0407 765646

Tuckshop:

Volunteer/baking this week is Naomi Cleary.
Many thanks to all Tuckshop Mum’s for your continues support.

Cheers
Karen Smith
Tuckshop Convenor 0407 765646
The Bowenville Rural Fire Brigade will be having **TRAINING NIGHTS on FIRST WEDNESDAY of EACH MONTH commencing at 6pm** going for about an hour, just to REFRESH members and fire fighters with various procedures and equipment. Any interested Community persons and Bowenville Residents are most welcome to come along and see what happens and how things work, it’s YOUR FIRE BRIGADE. If you wish Contact Mat Finch 1st Officer and Training Officer on 0418 194696.

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The Barn Owl

Yesterday, we saw a Barn Owl. We think it was an Eastern Barn Owl. It was sitting up in a tree, looking at us as we watched it. We believe that it was looking for some delicious little mice for a snack. Lucky Aaron brought his binoculars so that we could have a closer look. April and Kelly.
Parents and guardians of students attending Dalby State High School in 2017 now have the ability to start paying Student Resource Scheme fees by instalment. A discount applies for fees paid in full by 1st December 2016. Layby of uniforms is also available. Ring Megan or Karen on 4669 0953 at the Resource Outlet between 8:30am and 2:30pm Monday to Friday for further information or visit www.dalbyshs.eq.edu.au and search Resource Scheme.

Karen Smith, tuckshop convenor ph 0407 765646
Bismarck to Maclagan
100 years Anniversary
10 September 2016

Festivities start 9:00 a.m. Official Opening 11:00 a.m.

Tour the Town
Watch the Parade
Cheese making
Cream Separating
Wool spinning
Rope making
Corn Shelling
Grain Threshing

Enjoy a “Bismarck Sausage” crafted especially for the day by our local butcher
Eat a tasty pie from our “Bake House” & have a cuppa at the Sunshine Café
Buy some Malling Red Cheese and Planet Cheese
Photographic & historical displays
Displays from local towns and organisations
Souvenirs for Sale – Raffle
Bush dance with the Ridgee Didge Band and Beverley Richards

For more info, ring Sherryl Hansen 07 4692 1265
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