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From the Principal

- STAFFING UPDATE:** On Monday next week we welcome back Mrs Holmes on Year 7KWO. Thank you to Ms Renee Kelly for her work at Bohlevale State School.
- INFLUENZA A:** On Tuesday a letter was sent home to all parents about Influenza A. On this letter there is a website link for all parents and caregivers to access for extra information. There will also be regular updates on our Bohlevale State School website. If you have any concerns please contact the school.
- TOP OF THE CLASS:** Bohlevale State School's Top of the Class team participated in the second round of this competition against Heatley State School on Thursday night at Willows Shopping Centre. Congratulations to the team who won the round 21 to 12. The team will compete in Round three against Hermit Park State School on Saturday at 10.00am. Shopper Dockets to help the school can be handed into the school office and taken to Willows Shopping Centre.
- CROSS COUNTRY:** Congratulations to all students who participated in the District Cross Country on Tuesday. The following students placed in the top five and have now been selected as part of the North Queensland team: Sascha 1st, Ashlee 4th and Ricky 3rd. Well done to these students.
- HONOUR ROLL:** Each week on assembly we congratulate students on their work and behaviour in the school. Honour Roll awards are based on our School's Program; 'You Can Do It' and focus on a different area of development each week. This week's focus is; **Taking work risks.**

Donna Statham
A/Principal

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| 11 June | Art Council Payment Due |
| 12 June | Art Council Show - The Riddle of the Dragon's Hat |
| 24-25 June | Inter-house Athletics Carnival |
| 26 June | Report cards & profiles go home |
| 6 August | Mathematics Competition – entries close 6 May |
| May - August | Australian Schools Competitions |
| 21 August | School Fete |

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

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| PMSP | Mackenzie | Being a great prep student |
| PDMA | Mick | Contributing well to class discussions |
| PWLL | Kaitlyn | Working well in all areas especially planning |
| PPB | Siena | Great listening and following instructions |
| 1/2AB | Talia-May | A positive attitude towards school |
| 1LVI | Joshua | Being always ready to listen |
| 1JSW | Kymbalee | A big effort in writing tasks |
| 1MWH | Shye | Working hard on writing tasks |
| 1KBA | Cody | Doing excellent diary writing |
| 2DWI | Patrick | Settling in beautifully to his new class and working hard |
| 2JPH | Georgia | Being well mannered and courteous |
| 3RFO | Sarah | Great work habits! |
| 3KFE | Cade | Excellent work habits |
| 3BN | Blake | Consistent effort in work and behaviour |
| 3MHO | Isla | Excellent effort in all work |
| 4CMA | Sean | Improving in spelling and completing homework |
| 4GC | Jacinta | Always trying her best |
| 4LLI | Tyler | A great art creation! |
| 4AWO | Stephen | Always trying his best! |
| 5MFR | Skye | Always working independently in class |
| 5HAL | Talia | Great spelling results |
| 5DPR | Sam | Outstanding effort |
| 5MVI | Tahnee | Help class members with their school work |
| 5/6AM | Nicola | Being organised and always having a go |
| 6MMO | Jacinta | Always trying her hardest with all tasks |
| 6SBO | Derek | Always displaying a positive attitude |
| 6STI | Zac | Being a well behaved and independent worker in class |
| 6/7KA | Kasey | Showing all of the keys to success Well Done |
| 7KWO | Michael | Trying hard in maths |
| 7MBU | John | Making a big effort to improve behaviour |
| 7JSO | Tayla | Working hard to complete all tasks |

HONOUR ROLL – Responsibility

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| PMSP | Tiara | 3BN | Georgie | 6MMO | Tiah |
| PDMA | Billie | 3MHO | Cailin | 6SBO | Rebekah |
| PWLL | Megan | 4LLI | Aaron | 7MBU | Michaela |
| PPB | Jordan | 4AWO | Sarah | 7JSO | James |
| 1LVI | Georgia | 4CMA | Felicity | 7KWO | Taylah |
| 1JSW | Muriel | 4GC | Tessa | 6/7KA | Zach |
| 1MWH | Zachary | 5HAL | Ashlee | | |
| 1KBA | Simone | 5DPR | Callum | | |
| | Skye | | | | |
| 1/2AB | Elena | 5MFR | Kelsey | | |
| 2DWI | Dean | 5MVI | Tomomi | | |
| 3RFO | Thomas | 5/6AM | Austin | | |
| | Amber | | | | |
| 3KFE | Brody | 6STI | Madison | | |

PE NEWS

FUN RUN MONEY/SPONSORS FORMS_- The prizes asked for will be collated and sent away for as soon as possible. We are hoping to have the prizes back before the end of term. If you still have forms and money please return them or you will miss out and have to hand all money back to sponsors.

NORTHERN REGION RUGBY LEAGUE SELECTION_- Congratulations to Nathan who was selected in the Northern Region Rugby League team. He will now go to the State Championships and trial for a position in the Queensland team.

THURINGOWA CROSS COUNTRY TEAM SELECTIONS_ - The following three students were selected in the Thuringowa Cross Country team and competed in the NQ Cross Country trials held on Tuesday 26th May. Congratulations to Ricky, Sascha and Ashlee.

NQ CROSS COUNTRY TEAM SELECTIONS - Congratulations to Sascha, Ashlee and Ricky they were all selected in the NQ School Cross Country team to attend the Queensland Championships on the Gold Coast in July. Sascha won the 10 yr girls race and Ashlee placed fourth. Ricky finished 3rd in the 11 yr Boys race.

THURINGOWA TOUCH FOOTBALL SELECTION - Congratulations to Connor who was selected in the Thuringowa Boys Touch Football team and will now go to the Northern Region Trials later this term.

INTER SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS - Well done to our students who ran at this event last week. It is a tough course and each age group had over 150 nominations: -Ricky, Sascha, Ashlee, Nikita, Kaleb, Bryce, Meshach, Jacob, Liam, Jack, Damien, Nathan, John, Christian, Taylor, Kyla, Taylor, Kada, Tahnee, Michaela, Jessica, Kayley, Kate.

Inter School Football Results and Draw

Last week's results were as follows:

Open Boys – Bohlevale 0 and Holy Spirit Blue 4

Open Girls – Bohlevale 0 and Holy Spirit Blue 9

Speed Boys – Bohlevale 7 and Willows Jade 19

Speed Girls – Bohlevale 13 and Ryan Gold 16

This week's (Thursday 28th May) games are as follows:

Open Boys - 12.30 pm Field 1 – v Rasmussen

Open Girls Div 2 – 1.15 pm Field 1 – v Kelso Brown

Speed Boys Div 1 – 1.15 pm Field 10/11 – v Holy Spirit Royal

Speed Girls Div 1 – 12.30 pm Field 14/15 – v Kelso

Athlete Development Program NEWS - Vacancies – the program currently has a number of spots as some students have left the school. Any students who have represented our school in the Swimming Team, Inter School Sports Season 1 and 2, Cross Country Team and are in yr 4 – 7 can express an interest to Mr. Floyd in writing. A simple note from home stating that you're interested to be a part of the program needs to be handed to Mr. Floyd by Friday 29th May..

Camp – There are 6 spots left for the ADP Sports Camp to the Gold Coast. 1 boys' spot and 5 girl's spots left. Please pay a deposit as soon as possible if you want one of these spots.

William Ross State High School Visit – Last week was the first visit and the yr 6 & 7 students had a great time and used the equipment that they had for testing and had a look around their amazing gym. The yr 4 & 5 students will be attending this Friday 29th May – please ensure your note is returned.

ANQ Student Games – any students who would like some practice in an athletic competition can enter this event being hosted at the Sports Reserve on 6th and 7th June – see Mr. Floyd for more details. This will be good practice for the upcoming inter house athletics carnival. **NOMINATIONS CLOSE ON SUNDAY 31st MAY**

LIBRARY NEWS

THANK YOU!



The school receives free books [percentage of Book Fair sales] and these are added to the library collection, and as a result of our Jurassic Book Fair we received over \$1000 to spend on new books – so we bought 89 new books – look out for them on the shelves very soon!

There will be another Book Fair later in the year.

Premier's Reading Challenge for students in Prep-Year 7 – It's not too late to start reading!

Are you up for the Challenge? Can you read 20 books between 11 May and 21 August? P-2 students can have the books read to them. Collect your Reading Record form from the library – we are aiming for 100% participation from P-7 this year!



Borrowing: Please follow up with your child to ensure that they are returning their books each week. Thank you to those who have returned overdue books – much appreciated – we even received one the other day that was due in 2007! A great effort for finding that one! We have started tracking class overdues each week – congratulations to **PDMA, 3RFO, 4CMA, 5/6AM, 7MBU** – these classes had no overdue books as of Monday morning this week.

Book Club: Brochures for Issue 4 have been distributed. Orders and money are due back to the Cash Window by Friday 5 June. Please ensure the student's name is written on the order form. **Book Club is offered as a service, parents are under NO obligation to purchase items from Book Club.**

Wanda Austin

Teacher Librarian

P & C NEWS

Are you sick of paying top dollar for second rate Fruit and Veges. The P&C has started a fruit and Vege Co-op. Please express your interest to Debbie McCarthy (pandcpresident@bohlevaless.eq.edu.au), via P&C box in the office or ring Debbie on 0424151628.

The following three items are projects that the P & C is giving consideration to :

1. Assisting with bus fares for all year camps therefore reducing cost to parents, assisting with bus fares for excursions for younger grades who don't go to camp
2. Redoing the Prep play area – needs turf, leveling and draining.
3. Making the year 1-3 adventure playground “Waterproof” so that it can be used all year round.
4. Cracker dust for secured bike area to prevent dust and mud issues.

Thank you for your support with the Mothers day stall and raffle, over \$3000 was raised.

If you have any suggestions on how to raise money or projects to put the money towards please email suggestions to pandcsecretary@bohlevaless.eq.edu.au or place them the suggestion box in the office.

2011 is the year that our time capsule is opened. Do you know any past students. Do have any photos or information on the school, if so please drop details off to Jo at the Office Cash Window.

For further information on P&C meeting, minutes and reports please visit the school website or contact the Secretary – Sara Adams on 0422109492, email : pandcsecretary@bohlevaless.eq.edu.au ,

ARTS COUNCIL NEWS

Arts Council: The Riddle of the Dragon's Hat

Date: Friday 12th June 2009

Cost: \$6 per student or \$15 family discount rate (3 or more)

Payment: Place money in the green envelope provided and hand it to the cash window by 9am Thursday 11th June 2009.

Overview: Students will meet Alvin, a geeky, unassuming lad, who is always off with the fairies in a magical world painted by his rich and wacky imagination. In this world, Alvin is a mighty dragon slayer, rescuing damsels in distress. When the princess is whisked away by a fierce dragon, Alvin is thrown into his most dangerous imaginary mission yet! Faced by the snorting dragon, Alvin bargains for the princess' safety. The dragon is prepared to return the princess unsinged if, and only if, Alvin can solve The Riddle of the Dragon's Hat.

WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

FRIDAY JUNE 5TH, World Environment Day.

WEAR SOMETHING BLUE

“YOUR PLANET NEEDS YOU”

Coin Donation – All funds raised go to Landcare Australia



WHY DOES YOUR PLANET NEED YOU?

Things such as global warming, air pollution, water pollution, water wastage and overflowing landfills are all affecting our planet in a negative way.

HOW CAN WE HELP? By donating a coin to go to Landcare (who are working with local environments to help our planet) and entering our competitions at school.

Prep – Year 3 Colouring Competitions

Year 4 – Year 5 Poster – On A4 paper to show what you think we can do to save our planet

Year 6 – Year 7 A short written report outlining what we as individuals, as a school and as a community can do to help “OUR PLANET”

If you are interested in doing the colouring competition, see Mrs Morrison to get a sheet. Other grade levels if you are interested complete your task and hand to Mrs Morrison by Thursday 4th June. Please make sure your name and grade on your entry.