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From the Principal:

1. **STAFF UPDATE:** Congratulations to Mr Matthew Bulger, who has been appointed to the position of Acting Principal at Millaroo State School for Term 2.
2. **STAFF CAR PARK:** The Staff car park within the school grounds is out of bounds for all students. It is a very busy area, particularly in the mornings when staff are arriving at school. Please do not use this area as a walk through to drop off or pick up students, as this can put our students at a serious safety risk. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.
3. **TRADING CARDS:** Any type of trading cards are not to be brought to school. This action can lead to arguments between students and can also cause distress to students if they are lost. If they are at school, staff will confiscate them and students will be able to pick them up from the office after school. This is also a timely reminder that all mobile phones and MP3 / Ipods that are brought to school must be handed and signed in at the office in the morning and picked up at the end of the day.
4. **WAKAKIRRI:** Thank you to Ms Julie White who has taken on the task of organising this event for 2009. If you are able to assist the team in any way please see Julie. Bohlevale State School has participated in this competition for many years and it has always been one of our highlights. Last year our students won three awards on the night: Third place, Best use of recycled materials and Best behaved school in public.
5. **EASTER HOLIDAYS:** Thursday is last school day for Term 1. The term has been a very busy term with some very large challenges in regards to severe weather conditions. Through all this our students have achieved great results in many areas of work. Parent / Teacher interviews have also been successful and I thank everyone for their involvement.

The staff at Bohlevale State School wish everyone a safe and enjoyable holiday. School will resume on Tuesday 21 April for all students. Monday 20 April is a Student Free Day.



Donna Statham
A/Principal

STUDENT COUNCIL

Student council will be holding an Easter Egg guessing competition. If students would like to participate, the student council will be in the Tuckshop CPA during lunch breaks. It will cost 50c a guess.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

PMSP	Grace	For being a great helper in the classroom
PDMA	Hannah	For doing great thinking during indoor time
PWLL	Grace	For trying really hard to settle, in the mornings
PPB	Ian	For doing his best with his work
1/2AB	Joshua	For excellent achievement in Term 1
1JSW	Ashleigh	Always trying hard!
1MWH	Rhys	For great listening and trying his best
1KBA	Shanika	For excellent presentation of her "All About Me" poster
2DWI	Riarna	For thinking hard and sounding out her spelling words
2JPH	Hayden	Good work on his board game
3RFO	Liam	For trying hard and working well
3LHE	Brodie	For being a great student
3KFE	Annabel	For always presenting her work neatly
3BN	Sunni	Amazing work in her fairytale unit book
3MHO	Brielle	Excellent work all the time
4CMA	Billy	For being a great class member and working hard
4AWO	Rylan	Always willing to help others
4GC	Harrison	For persevering with his number facts
4LLI	Zaniah	For a creative effort on her unit task
5MFR	Manny	Improvements in effort in classwork
5HAL	Michael	Working quietly and trying his best at all tasks
5DPR	Shannai	For an outstanding effort
5MVI	Maddison	A top effort in Narrative writing
5/6AM	Madison	Working hard and showing good listening
6STI	Karleigh	Consistently working well in class
6MMO	Liam	For fantastic homework sentences
6SBO	Kirsten	Always displaying a Great Attitude!
6/7KA	Karrah	Consistently trying your best in everything you do
7KWO	Kahly	Making a great start to your "Discovery" narrative
7MBU	Michaela	For being enthusiastic and trying hard
7JSO	Lizzie	For improved concentration in class and always trying to do her best

HONOUR ROLL – Co-operation

PMSP	Dylan	3KFE	Shyanne	6MMO	Lachlan
PDMA	Michael	3BN	Riley	6SBO	Emily
PWLL	Lochlan	3MHO	Parris	6/7KA	Jayde
PPB	Hannah	4LLI	Lachlan	7MBU	Michelle
1LVI	Danielle	4CMA	Haylee	7JSO	Jordan
1JSW	Kyja	4GC	Zane	7KWO	Ao
1MWH	Riley	4AWO	Jayden		
1KBA	Aimee	5MVI	Daniel		
1/2AB	Sharon	5HAL	Aka		
2DWI	Lachlan	5DPR	Brianna		
2JPH	Caleb	5MFR	Tasia		
3RFO	Joshiua	5/6AM	Karl		
3LHE	Kelly	6STI	Jaymie		

TUCKSHOP NEWS

SPECIAL NOTE: There will be no hot food available at Tuckshop on Thursday 9 April. Cold food (sandwiches/ salad etc).

Thank you to the ladies who have volunteered to help in the tuckshop this term. You are invaluable and your presence is greatly appreciated. There will be no change to the current menu or prices at the tuckshop for next term. There is one discontinued item – Mini Fruits 50c (ice block), therefore unavailable.

Could I please remind parents and caregivers that all orders need to be written on brown bags with child's class, name, break and what your child wants all clearly visible and legible. These orders need to be in by 9.00am so as to prepare the food on time.

It is a Red Food Day on Thursday 09/04/09. There will be some lollies available to buy at the Tuckshop – both breaks. *Have a safe and happy Easter*

Julie Vickery
Tuckshop Convenor

LIBRARY NEWS



School Holiday Activities at City Libraries – Townsville: April Antics School Holiday Program – all the information you need to know is available from:

http://townsville.qld.gov.au/recreation/events/holiday_program/april#Download or call into one of the Branches at Thuringowa, Aitkenvale, Flinders Mall or the Mobile Library to find out more or phone and ask for the City Libraries Youth Development Team 4727 9000.

Book Club: Issue 2 and Easter clearance orders have been distributed. I still have items from the Issue 1 order that were submitted to the office without student names – these items are waiting for you to identify and collect them.

There are 8 issues of Book Club per year [2 per term]. The school does receive free books as a result of purchase and these are added to the library collection, however **parents are under no obligation to purchase books at any time.**

Book Fair: Early May – keep an eye on Links for information next term!



Borrowing: Students are permitted to borrow over the Easter break – please ensure that they take extra care with their books – these will be due back in the first week of Term 2.

Wanda Austin
Teacher Librarian

P and C New

Another busy week for the P&C. Thanks to the group of ladies who are putting endless hours in to make gifts for the Mothers Day Stall. Thank you also to those parents who emailed suggestions to the P&C. These will be put on the agenda for the next meeting on the 27th April. New members are welcome; meeting is at 6.30pm in the staff room behind the administration office. If you have any further 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.

Upcoming Events:

Mother' Day Raffle, - Tickets will be sent home the first week back to school. Tickets will be \$1 each. Prizes are: -
1st Prize : Night for 2 at the holiday Inn including Buffet Brekkie.
2nd Prize: \$100 Gift Hamper – Thank you to the Chemist Outlet
3rd Prize: \$70 Massage from Body Works
4th Prize: \$50 Woolworths Gift Card
5th Prize: 1 Frangipani Tree

Thanks to the above businesses for their donations and support of the school.

7th May – **Mothers day stall**, gifts will be available from \$1 to \$5. Donations of craft items are required as parent volunteers will be making the gifts for the stall. These can be dropped into the office.

August 21st - School Fete – watch this space for further information

School Disco – term 2 - date to be advised

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 ,



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SPORTS RESULTS

Bohlevale Hockey Seniors mixed

Date		Opposition	Winner
12/3	Bohlevale	Calvary Christian	Bohlevale
19/3	Bohlevale	Kirwan gold	Bohlevale
26/3	Bohlevale	bye	No result
2/4	Bohlevale	St Anthony's	Bohlevale

Year 5 Netball News Week 10

The Bohlevale C1 (green) team played Good Shepherd last Thursday. The whole team played a fantastic game putting everything learnt from training into practise. They won with a score of 11 goals to nil.

The Bohlevale C2 (red) team also played Good Shepherd and were winning until the 3rd quarter by 2 goals. Unfortunately we remained at 4 points while Good Shepherd scored another 3 unanswered goals eventually winning 5 goals to 4.

Mrs Tiller

Netball Coach

WAKAKIRRI - EASTER WRAPPERS

Could all students please keep their foil Easter egg wrappers, we may need to use them for our props for Wakakirri. Please hand them into the office.



Please be aware of where you are parking when collecting children from school. We have had people parking on the median strip near the bus pick up area. These vehicles obstruct the view, making it very dangerous. Police will be called if you are parked in this area.

There is also a designated area, in front of the bike racks for the Day Care buses to park and load children. Please keep this area clear. Do not double park. We have a designated area at the front of the school, for picking up students.

SCHOOL SHIRTS FOR SALE – Bohle Size 12 x 2 , Size 6 x 2, Size 4 x 2 (\$10.00)

SKORTS – Size 6 x 2 (\$8.00)

Please phone Sarah Ralston 47 889 574



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

10 April	School Holidays Commence
20 April	Student Pupil Free Day
21 April	School Resumes
07 May	Mothers Day Stall
May	Jurassic Book Fair - Library
Various dates	Australian Schools Competitions
21 August	School Fete