NORTH BURNETT BRAIN BASH

Yesterday, Mundubbera State P-10 hosted the first North Burnett Brain Bash (NB3) which involved a day of creative thinking and problem solving for children in grades 4 to 6. 42 students participated in 10 teams from 7 schools in the North Burnett.

Congratulations to the students from across the region who participated in the ‘brain bashing’ activities with a positive attitude and willingness to think creatively. The next NB3 will be held in term 3 for grades 7-9 students.
UNDER EIGHTS’ DAY TOMORROW
Young children from throughout the district will converge on our school tomorrow to participate in a wide range of art, craft and other fun activities. It is expected that a sausage sizzle (orders were appreciated) will be available for our students from 11.15 at the event. Thanks to all involved with organising and working at this fun activity.

YEAR 11 ENGLISH SUCCESS
This week I had the pleasure of reading two assignments, one written by Tray Chapman, the other by Colin Clements. Both assignments addressed the topic of ANZAC Day, and the significance of the day in Australia in the present day. It was great to see the successes of these students in their studies in the Burnett State College extension program. Congratulations to Tray and Colin. I encourage current Year 10 students who may wish to take part in this program (the extension campus of BSC at our school) next year to speak with me. We can then start to put processes and programs in place so that the end of year transition is a little less stressful—J Balshaw.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CROSS COUNTRY RUNNERS
The Mundubbera participants in the Wide Bay Cross Country competition last week were very successful. Congratulations to Sophie Zipf (1st, 10 year girls), Darcy Lawson (18th, 10 year girls), Bridie Emmerton (5th, 11 year girls), Matthew Duffin (4th, 11 year boys), Ryan Marshall (22nd, 10 year boys), Skye Ward (15th, year girls), Felicity Sharp (11th, 13 year girls) and Lane Summers (19th, 14 year boys).

Many thanks to our community coaches who have worked with some of the runners. Their dedication has shown results.

Thanks and congratulations to Melanie Pope for coaching Sophie, Bridie and Matthew who will all progress to compete at the state competition in Ipswich next month.

The training has given them essential skills and confidence.
**QSCHOOLS APP**
Education Queensland has announced the release of the QSchools app. This app is available for android and apple devices and links to school websites. As Mundubbera State P-10 is running an updated site in the Websites for Schools program, there is a large amount of information available in the app. The app will also clearly show new data such as calendar entries, news stories and newsletters. If you have an android or apple device and wish to have up to date information about the school, download the app and mark Mundubbera State P-10 as your favourite.

**MOSAIC WORKSHOP AT SCHOOL**
We are fortunate to have a skilled mosaic artist at school next week to lead us in the creation of a Centenary Mural. All students will participate in this activity. Parents and grandparents are invited to assist their child/ren in the construction of the Centenary Mosaic. If interested in assisting, please ask your child’s classroom teacher for the day and time that your child will be working on the mosaic.
Donations of the following would be appreciated:
Clean 2 and 1 litre plastic milk/juice bottles, newspapers, ice cream containers, old rags (such as t-shirts).
Please leave the above items at the office or with the classroom teacher.

**BOOK WEEK COMING SOON**
Book Week activities will be held during the last week of this term: 17 to 21 June. A range of fun lunchtime competitions and games will be held at the library and the culminating activity for the week will be the fancy dress parade on Friday 21. The theme is *Reading Across the Universe* so this gives some great opportunities to dress up.

**FREE DRESS DAY TOMORROW**
A free dress day will be held on Under Eights’ Day, Friday 31 May. All students are invited to wear appropriate non-uniform clothing and give gold-coin donations to the P-3 resources fund or the Years 4—10 charity project.

**INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC NEWS**
**Gig Guide:**
31st May        Under 8’s Day
3rd August      Pet Show
15 August       Gala Night
7 September     Centenary/School Fete
The band will perform this Friday along with both choirs as part of Under 8’s Day. Students will leave instruments at school after lessons today in preparation for tomorrow’s performance. Students are not required to wear band uniform for this performance.
Beginner lessons will recommence next week following unavoidable disruptions for the past two weeks. I apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.
EXPLICIT INSTRUCTION
On the 6 and 7 June, 18 staff members from other P-10 schools in our region will be coming to Mundubbera to discuss the developing Explicit instruction strategy. Six schools will work with Yvana Jones to improve the teaching practices shown to improve student learning outcomes.
Three of our teachers will be showcasing their classes during these two days, so a very big thank you to Mr Van Elst, Miss O'Kelly and Mrs Enchelmaier.
Also thanks to the P&C who will be providing some quality catering for our guests over the two days.

MATHS TUTORING
Maths tutoring continues each Monday afternoon from 2.35 until 3.30pm. Students are encouraged to attend.

BOOK CLUB
Orders and payment must be received at the school office by 11.30am tomorrow.

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL COMMUNITIES
The last AASC day for this term will be next Thursday 6 June.

CRAFT CLUB
Craft club activities have been held each Wednesday lunchtime from 12.50 at the Prep room. Next week’s is the final for this term. Children will be constructing a mobile.

SCHOOL STALLS FOR THE CENTENARY FETE 8th September
Prep and Year 1—Cent sale—require donations of suitable prizes
Years 2, 3 and 5/6—Cake stall and lucky bag stall—require fresh cakes, slices etc and small clear bagged prizes valued $1 and $2.
Year 4 and 5—Coin Toss—require multi-pack small chocolates as prizes
Student Council—Face-painting and drink stall—require volunteer roster
Secondary—Games to be arranged.

NETBALL
Mrs Whelan requires all Mundubbera Netball shirts to be returned to her for stocktake (bright orange shirts with black collar). Please leave these at the school office by Friday 7 June.
These shirts have been lent out to community members from time to time so please check that you have returned this borrowed item.
Senior netballers will require these shirts on 9th June for a game in Gayndah.

Please remember that this weather increases appetites and your child may need extra lunch.
BECOME A COMMUNITY COACH

Would you like to help kids in your community become active?

The Australian Sports Commission’s Active After School Communities (AASC) Program is conducting a FREE COACHING COURSE

If you are a student, club coach, teacher, parent, community member, volunteer, professional coach, beginner coach or athlete, you can register.

Prior coaching experience is not necessary, just a love and passion for delivering sport and other structured physical activity to children.

The Community Coach Training Program will provide you with the necessary skills and resources to deliver sport and other structured physical activities within the Playing for Life philosophy.

What are the benefits?

♦ It’s free
♦ You can help more kids in your community to get active
♦ Opportunities to promote your local club or sport
♦ Gain a nationally recognised coaching certificate
♦ Access to ASASC online—a secure website with loads of resources and information
♦ Professional development

COACHING COURSE
At Mundubbera State School
4pm Thursday 13 June

To register or for further information, contact: Tony Dreger
Phone 4121 0769 or Anthony.dreger@ausport.gov.au

Registration forms available from school office and can be returned to school office.
**Mosaic Workshop**

*Come along to a free introduction to mosaics workshop*

**When:** Thursday June 6th  
**Time:** 6pm  
**Where:** Marg Kelly Hall (Mundubbera State School)  
**RSVP:** June 5th  
**Email:** roslyn@schmidtmotors.com.au  
**Phone:** 0741654613 (W); 0741654084 (H)

Mundubbera School Centenary Committee has applied for RADF funding to complete a large mosaic to be completed by the students, staff, interested parents and community members as a lasting memory of the school’s centenary.  

Sandra Robertson of OzMosaics has been teaching the art of mosaics for 13 years, check out Sandra’s work at [www.ozmosaics.com.au](http://www.ozmosaics.com.au)

A small donation towards our centenary event would be appreciated.

The Regional Arts Development Fund is a Queensland Government through Arts Queensland and North Burnett Regional Council partnership to support local arts and culture

**Family members are also invited to take part in their children’s class workshop during the school day. Please check with the teacher about the scheduled time.**

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NEW DRESS WATCHES IN NOW!
Mundubbera State School
Country Music and Pre Centenary Celebration Night
Mundubbera Golf Club
Friday June 7th
6:00 til Late
Gold Coin Entry
Live Music from AICM
(Australian Institute of Country Music)
BBQ tea available. Coffee & Slices/Cake
Meat-tray Raffles

BEARD/FACIAL HAIR GROWING COMPETITION - $5 nomination
Prizes for: Most Colourful Beard; Longest Beard; Softest Beard
Most Celebrity like Moustache/beard; Most under-performing growth

Participants will be clean shaven on the night and have 3 months to grow their beard or moustache. Judging will be at the Mundubbera P-10 Centenary Weekend
Nominations taken at Burnett Mapping, 4165 4468 or at the School, 4165 5333

Well done to our academic and classroom achievers

(left) Project 600 Awardees
(below left) M100W Words achievers
(below) Students of the Week

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