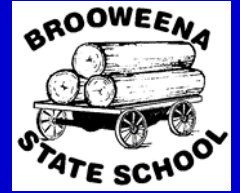




# BROOWEENA STATE SCHOOL Newsletter



**BELIEVE, ACHIEVE, SUCCEED**

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## School Office Hours

Wednesday 8:30am – 3:00pm  
Friday 8:30am – 3:00pm

## Uniform sales

Mon – Fri 8:30am - 9:00am

## Tuckshop dates

**Term 3** orders due Wednesdays

Friday 27 July  
Friday 10 August  
Friday 24 August  
Friday 7 September  
Friday 21 September

## 2018 Term Dates

**Term 1** 22 January – 29 March  
**Term 2** 17 April – 29 June  
**Term 3** 16 July – 21 September  
**Term 4** 8 October – 14 December

## 2018 Public Holidays & Student Free Days

Australia Day Friday 26 January  
Good Friday 30 March  
Easter Monday 2 April  
SFD Monday 16 April  
ANZAC Day Wednesday 25 April  
Labour Day Monday 7 May  
Fraser Coast Show Friday 25 May  
Queen's B'day Monday 1 October  
SFD Monday 22 October

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Hello Brooweena Community,

Welcome to Term 3 ☺ I hope everyone enjoyed the school holidays.

It's been a while since our last newsletter and lots of exciting things have happened. Major excitement was our Years 3 – 6 camp to North Keppel Island. What a fantastic camp we had! The staff on the island told us that it was the best weather they have had all year. The weather was calm and sunny, with daytime temperatures at around 25 degrees minimum every day. The boys were just brilliant to take on camp and the activities that we participated in were very enjoyable. I can't praise the boys enough for their exemplary behaviour while we away. The thing I love most about camp is the personal growth that happens to the children. They were



challenged in many ways (as were Mrs Clark and I with some of the activities). There were physical, emotional and social challenges every day during the activities.

Report cards went out on Friday. If you did not have a parent teacher interview last term and would like to book one, then please call the office to arrange a time.

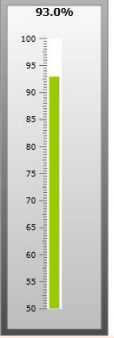
This term we are participating in "Disney's The Jungle Book - Kids"

Production by Biggenden State School. We will be having fortnightly practice sessions at school to learn the songs and two whole day practice sessions at Biggenden Hall. The performance is on two nights – Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September and Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September at Biggenden Hall at 6:00pm.

Have a great fortnight.

*Peta Bullen*

Attendance Rate





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## GOTCHA Winners

Tom, Alex, Amber

End of term: Nate, Tom, Sean Wozniak

## Parade Dates

Term 3

Thursday 26 July 9:00am

Thursday 9 August 9:00am

Thursday 23 August 9:00am

Thursday 6 September 9:00am

**End of term GOTCHA parade:**

**Thursday 20 September 9:00am**

## What's coming up?

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> August – Bookclub due

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> August – Rural Fire Brigade colouring competition

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> August – Gympie Music Muster

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> September – Musical Rehearsal @ Biggenden

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September – Yrs 3-6 Mixed Netball Tournament @ Maryborough Netball Courts

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> September – Musical Rehearsal @ Biggenden

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September – Disney Jungle Book Musical performance

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September – Disney Jungle Book Musical performance



Preparation for our joint production of 'The Jungle Book' with Biggenden State School is well under way. Please set aside TWO fantastic evenings for the performances at the Biggenden Memorial Hall – on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September. Doors will open at 6pm for a 6:30pm start and conclude by 7:15pm. Pre-purchased tickets for school families will be \$5.00 per person, which will include a voucher for free admission to the second evening performance. Tickets will be available online early in term 3.

Students have started learning chorus songs and movement routines. In addition, 37 students from both Biggenden and Dallarnil schools have auditioned for the main parts. We have chosen two main casts, giving many students the opportunity to develop into their role with a rehearsal partner. The two evening performances will therefore be quite dissimilar, with the alternative lead roles starring. The second evening will also be a very different experience for the students as they will be familiar with the stage lights and other equipment, and will therefore be able to enjoy the actual performance much more. If at all possible please try to ensure that students are able to get the most out of this unique experience by attending both evening performances.

It is great to be able to share that the Queensland State Government & the North Burnett Regional Council are actively supporting this project with a large Regional Arts Development Fund grant which will go towards the purchase of digital theatre light equipment for the show and assistance with travel costs to allow our partner schools Brooweena, Coalstoun Lakes and Dallarnil to take an active role in the production. It is unusual for the RADF to fund school events, but they have made an exception in this case due to its potential to involve large numbers of young people in a range of arts activities, which together build to a large-scale community arts celebration.

Kind regards,

David Horner (Music Teacher Biggenden)





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**P&C  
NEWS**

Watch this space for Gympie Muster News!

A warm  
welcome...

This week we welcomed Mrs Kate Beddows who is a pre service teacher to our school. Kate joins us each Tuesday for the next month. Welcome to the Brooweena community Mrs Beddows.

Brooweena State School

Phone 4190 8333

## Playgroup

Playgroup is for parents, caregivers and family to come together in a relaxed friendly environment to learn together through play

**9am:** Sign in and meet and greet

**9 till 10am:** Free Play- activities for children to play,

Indoor and outdoor play (eg obstacle course)

**10am:** Morning tea-sandwiches and fruit provided

**10 15-10 45am:** Inside play-art, craft, home corner etc

**10 45am:** Pack up time-put away toys

**10 50am:** Group time-story, nursery rhymes

**11am:** Goodbyes

Join us on Friday mornings for fun and friendly conversations and support.

