## Dates To Remember

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### Upcoming Events

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Principal's News

School Opinion Survey 2016: Have Your Say!

The annual School Opinion Survey will be conducted state-wide between 11 July and 29 July 2016 (closes 5pm this Friday). Families, school staff and a random sample of students will be invited to participate. You will have received the information enabling you to complete the survey with your eldest child in week 1 of this term. We encourage you to take this opportunity to have your say about what this school does well, and how this school can improve.

Parents/caregivers are welcome to complete their survey online at the school, and school computers will be available for this purpose should anyone require this service. Please let the office know if you would like to take advantage of this offer.

Survey queries or requests for translations can be directed to Julia Wyer on telephone 07 3480 9111.

Every Minute of Every Day COUNTS

Every minute of every day counts: Be at school every day and be on time. Australian Rugby League players have got behind this very important initiative. You might like to share the animation at the link below with your children.

If your child is sick or unable to be at school for another legitimate reason, please ensure that you call our office on 3480 9111 and choose option 1 during office hours. Outside office hours please leave a message on the answering service clearly stating your child’s name and the reason for their absence. We would like to completely eliminate any “Unexplained absences” showing against any student records.
School Wide Routines = Better Learning

Last week in our school wide behaviour focus we continued to reinforce expectations around whole school routines. The focus was on how we move around the school safely and without disturbing other learners. I was very impressed watching classes moving around the school as they walked from location to location in an orderly way without a sound. Well done – your respect and consideration for other learners in the classrooms you passed were truly appreciated.

Opportunity to Receive Gifts of Movie Tickets and Books

An opportunity exists to receive gifts in return for allowing your child to participate in a research project in language. See below.

Date Claimer

Next Community Cuppa: 1:50pm Tuesday 2 August in kitchen on north side of hall. I would love to see you there!

Have a fantastic week,
Kylie Smith

Congratulations to the following students joined Mrs Smith for Principal’s Afternoon tea last week.


Positive Behaviour For Learning (PBL) News

As a PBL school, Undurba teaches students the behaviours that are expected at school. By using this approach, we encourage all students to understand how to behave at school and therefore be successful learners.

This term, our rule focus is **I care for myself.** Students will be participating in lessons which discuss the ways that we care for ourselves at Undurba. In the past few weeks, students have been re-visiting the school routines. In week one, students looked at the before and after school routines, as well as the learning routines in their classroom. In week two, students revisited moving around the school routines. It has been great to see so many students walking quietly with their classes during learning time. **This week the behaviour focus lesson is learning the routines for noise zones, Undurba quiet sign and visitor greetings.**

The school is divided up into noise zones, so that students understand where they should be silent, where they use quiet, inside voices and where they can talk freely.

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The Undurba quiet sign is a hand up. When a teacher puts a hand up in the air, students will raise their hand and be quiet. Visitor greetings will also be discussed: how to greet people who enter the classroom and how to speak courteously to visitors in the school.

Clubs and Activities for Semester Two

Don’t forget to check out the range of clubs and activities for Semester Two, including Ms Smith’s Groove Club on Wednesdays in the hall.

ICAS Science Competition

Congratulations to the following students who received their awards today.

**Participation Award:**
- **Year 3:** Summer, Jared
- **Year 4:** Abigail, Giancarlo, Emily
- **Year 5:** Jessica, Rahid, Iaesha
- **Year 6:** Zane, Emily, Tyler

**Merit Award:**
- **Year 4:** Locky
- **Year 6:** Grace

**Credit Award:**
- **Year 3:** Daniel, Jaydan
Year 4: Ryan, Shriharini
Year 5: Nina
Year 6: Jade, Luke, Aidan, Sarah

Distinction Award:
Year 3: Shivesh, Georgia

PE News

2016 Brisbane Broncos 9's Schoolgirl Challenge
Congratulations to Kyiesha M 6D on her selection in the team to compete at the 2016 Brisbane Broncos 9's Schoolgirl Challenge in September. Well Done!

State Rugby Union Carnival
Good luck to Siliva L 6A and the Met North Regional Rugby Union Team at the upcoming State Carnival on the 4-7th August. GO MET NORTH!

Pine Rivers District Cricket Trials
Boys turning 10, 11 or 12 years old this year are invited to trial for the Pine Rivers District Cricket Team on the 9th August. Please see Mrs Jo Jones or Mr N for a permission form ASAP as nominations are due on the 5th August.

Met North Regional Girls Cricket Trials
Girls turning 10, 11 or 12 years old this year are invited to trial for the Met North Regional Girls Cricket Team on the 8th September. Please see Mrs Jo Jones or Mr N for a permission form ASAP as nominations are due on the 29th August.

Gala Day - Term 3
Students have selected their sport preferences for Term 3, choosing from T-ball, League Tag, Outdoor Cricket or AFL. Selection trials will be Friday 29th July 2-3pm and permission forms with a $6 payment will be due by the 19th August. Please discuss their sport preference with your child before the selection trials.

Undurba SS Athletics Team
Good luck at the District Athletics Carnival on the 1st & 2nd August to these students in the Undurba SS Athletics team. GIRLS: Maya, Grace, Tilly, Cheyenne, Poppy, Paige, Georgia, Bipa, Makenzie, Lilly, Libby, Hannah, Amani, Chloe, Georgia, Abby. Lytiah, Shinea, Maika, Emily, Hayley, Brooke, Jadda and Anna. BOYS: Rahid, Connor, Zaman, Oliver, Max, Orlando, Tipene, Tauave, Cory, Tyson, Bailey, Lachlan M, Jackson, Travis, Kyaan, Taytem, Tyler, Louis, Lachlan S, Siliva, Aidan, Brayden, Lachlan C, Adam, Lazarus and Hayden. GO UNDURBA!!

Admin News

Urgent: The first aid is running very low on boys shorts. Should you have any old shorts that you child has grown out of and no longer want, please donate these to the office.

Parents, do we have your correct details? Please ensure you notify the school if you have changed your address, medication for your child, consent for photos, phone numbers etc. Please ensure your details are current.

STUDENT ABSENCES: EVERY DAY COUNTS
To record a student absence, please contact the school number 3480 9111 and select option 1. Please note if you are ringing outside office hours, this option is not available. However, please leave a message stating your child’s name and class, your name and contact number and reason for absence.
Invoices Now Due!

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<td>Advanced Music Workshop</td>
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**BPoint - Parent Payments**

Following the implementation of BPoint, many parents are now making their payments via BPoint. When parents make these payments via the BPoint web site they need to ensure that they enter their customer reference number, invoice number and amount to pay. If this is not done correctly payments will be directed to a suspense account. In many cases the parents are correctly entering their details, which causes an automated receipting process. Please ensure that you complete the section on receipt. This is processed through BPoint not the school.

**Payment Box**

No need to wait in a queue - you can place payment envelope in sealed box and receipt will be sent home with your child. Ensure student name, class and reason for payment are clearly marked on the sealed envelope.

Payment window is open from 8.30am to 11.00am to process card transactions. Minimum card transaction is $10.00.

**Student Late Arrivals / Early Departures**

If your child arrives after 9am they need to get a late slip from the office. Similarly, if you need to collect your child prior to 3pm, you will need to obtain an early departure slip from the office before you collect your child. This is an important process and indicates to the class teacher that the person collecting a child is authorised. Thank you for your assistance in following this protocol.

**Chappy News**

**FOOD FOR THOUGHT**

*Planning for the Future*

It’s something we all do. We plan for the Formal, for holidays, for retirement etc. There’s certainly nothing wrong with looking ahead but sometimes we forget to take time to appreciate the present. Each new day brings 1440 minutes for us to make the most of. We can waste that time complaining about life’s problems and disappointments or we can be determined not to let anything steal our joy.

If you really think about it – there’s not one of us who can guarantee that we will be around for the next Formal, the next holidays or our retirement. All we can be certain of is right here and now. Appreciate the opportunities today can bring, use your time wisely and look for ways of bringing joy to the lives of others.

If you can be ‘joyful’, it won’t affect whether you have a long life or a short one, but it will certainly give you far more peace of mind.
Monday Brekkie

This is going well. We’ve had 11 students last Monday and 9 students this Monday. I enjoy the chats and find myself looking forward to Monday mornings. We are still looking for cereal or fruit donations. If you feel like contributing, please send your donation to the SEP, clearly marked as Monday Brekkie. Thank you for those who have donated. It is great to see that we are caring for each other through sharing.

Sub-Monday

85 Students enjoyed their Subway Order today. Subway orders need to be in the Subway box outside the Tuckshop by Friday at 3pm. Envelopes have been distributed among the teachers. Please make sure the correct amount of money ($7 per order) is in the envelope, as no change can be given.

Kindy News

This week in Kindy we started our small group fine motor rotations to help us prepare for Prep. We are all busy tracing and writing our names, scissor cutting, pasting and using a broad range of small construction blocks and materials. We are also doing lots of work learning our shapes, colours and numbers up to 20. As part of our commitment to learning about the environment and developing sustainable practices Group A have been very busy planting seeds in our vegetable garden. We are looking forward to using the carrots, broccoli, peas and tomatoes we are growing in cooking experiences very soon.

Group B have been learning about the importance of recycling and caring for our environment. They are exploring different ways to recycle everyday materials at the kindy though art and craft. They are also making sustainable choices using old pots and pans that have been donated to the kindy by some of our families in the outdoor sand and bark kitchen. To further extend on this learning we found a great recycling game to play on the interactive board.

Have a good week,
Miss Janine

P&C News

Next meeting Monday 15 August 6.15pm

Why would we love you to come along to a meeting? The P&C makes decisions that affect all students at the school. The more school families that give input at meetings, the more we are able to ensure that the decisions we make are the right ones for our school community. And different people have different ideas and experiences – it may be that you have an idea we haven’t thought of, or perhaps have had some experiences that we can learn from.

The meetings are held in the Life Skills room located on the tuckshop side of the hall. Meetings start at 6.15pm.

Father’s Day Stall
If you can spare an hour or two to help with the Fathers Day Stall please contact Carly via email vicepresident@undurbapandc.com

Helpers needed for

- Monday Setup 2 people 2-3 hours
- Tuesday Stall open 9am – 3pm over the counter sales
- Wednesday Stall open 9am – 3pm over the counter sales
- Thursday Stall open 9am – 3pm over the counter sales
- Friday Pack up and Stocktake 2 people 1-2 hours

**Tuckshop News - Winter Menu**

Thursday 4 August Bacon an Egg Breakfast 8.20am to 8.40am

- Bacon and Egg Muffin $2.50
- Bacon and Egg Wrap $2.00

Mexican Nachos every Thursday Term 3

- Tortilla Chips served with Mexican style mince topped with cheese, optional sour cream and salsa available.
- $3.50 each
  - Sour Cream .20c
  - Taco Sauce .20c

Pizza served every Wednesday and Friday Term 3

Pizza Varieties - Cheese Pizza or Ham and Cheese Pizza on a 7” base

- $5.00 each.

Friday only Little Rascals Winterbox 4 nuggets, fried rice and 1 small corn cob

- $4.80 each

Online ordering preferred please

- www.ouronlinecanteen.com.au

We are looking for a volunteer to come in to the tuckshop on Wednesdays to bake mini muffins. If you can help please contact the tuckshop on 3480 9145, email – tuckshop@undurbapandc.com or pop in to the tuckshop.