Term 3 Week 8
31 August 2017

Top Attenders

Student of the Week

Celebrating our Centenary
29 April 2017
THE FATHERS DAY RAFFLE
WINNER IS MICHELLE SMITH
The raffle prize is...
* a Deadly Choices Jersey
* a Qld Maroons cooler personally signed by NRL legend Shane Webcke
* a $25 CALTEX Thabeban voucher
* BBQ tool set (tongs and spatula)
Thanks very much everyone for supporting our P&C.
Over $360 was raised for Thabeban children.

ATTENDANCE is slowly creeping up again to 91.5%
I hope you are all well now and can attend school for the rest of this term.
ONLY 10 DAYS LEFT

Mr PEACOCK ACTING PRINCIPAL AT WALKERVALE WELCOME TO THABEBA Mr NASTASI
Dear Parents and Carers,

It is with mixed emotions that I write to inform you I will be Acting Principal at Walkervale State School for Term 4 and possibly longer. The current Walkervale principal, Mr Brad Young, is moving to Bundaberg East State School next term.

I am very grateful to be asked to take on this new role, however it was always going to be hard leaving a school I love. I am finding this process very difficult indeed.

I would like to thank every Thabeban student, parent and staff member for your commitment to this great school during my nearly 7 years as principal. Together we have made Thabeban a special place. This year’s centenary celebrations were the best example of this. Our combined efforts were on show for all to see and Thabeban was rightfully acknowledged as being a wonderful Bundaberg school.

Mr Frank Nastasi will be Acting Principal at Thabeban next term. Mr Nastasi comes with a wealth of curriculum knowledge and expertise. I am sure that he will let us know more about himself in the coming weeks. Mr Nastasi is excited to be joining Thabeban and I know he will be warmly welcomed by the Thabeban State School community.

Thanks for your support of this great school,
Ken Peacock
Principal

BOOKWEEK and BOOKFAIR FUN

Colouring in Competition
Prep 1st Zeki
2nd Tyler
Year 1 1st Jai
2nd Rebekah
Year 2 1st Jasmine
2nd Tahlia
Year 3 1st Braiden
2nd Kevin
Year 4 1st Zoey
2nd Bradley
Year 5 1st Nicholas
2nd Keoni
Year 6 1st Hayley
2nd Fiona

2017 School Opinion Survey
$50 Book Pack Prize
(Lilly and Bella)

Jungle Book Jumble
(Tyneisha)

Guess the Number of Lollies in the Jar (Tyrell)

Thanks very much to Mrs Baillie for organising such a wonderful bookfair and to Mrs Lynch and Mrs Findlay for the bookweek activities.

$1603 was spent in the bookfair this year. Of this around $600 is returned to the school for new library books.

Champions read and read and read at Thabeban State School
PLEASE RETURN YOUR EYES OPEN SOCIAL MEDIA SAFETY PROGRAM
Do you really know who your children are talking to online?

On Wednesday all students participated in sessions with a serious safety message.

BEING SAFE ONLINE
Trish, the EYES OPEN presenter talked about the main risks and dangers of using social media and internet. Things like...

online bullying, identity theft, predators, inappropriate material and leaving digital footprints.

Eyes Open Social Media Safety are providing our school with a follow up online social media safety course which can be accessed by year 3-6 students and parents via a secure logon for the remainder of the school year.

The online course reinforces the same safety messages covered in the face-to-face sessions and in addition includes comprehensive training on how to apply the security settings on the main social media sites to significantly reduce risk.

Permission forms have been sent home with all year 3-6 students. Please complete and return these to the class teacher.

WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN 2017
We are participating in this program again this year. By doing so we will be able to get new educational resources for our school playgroup.
Stickers can be collected until Tues 19 Sept.
Sticker forms are at the office.
Do you have one?
We also have a box at Hinkler and Stockland (Sugarland). Ask your family and friends to drop their stickers in our box.

P&C MEETING THURSDAY 2:45pm
Our End of Winter disco is on next Friday 8 September and on Thursday we will be planning and making final preparations for the night.

Help will be needed next Friday to run the sausage sizzle, drinks and lollies stalls and also with supervision throughout the night.

Please come along and help make the night fantastic!

KALKIE STATE SCHOOL
Invites you to a
MOVIE UNDER THE STARS
(with Big Screen Movie Events in conTROLL of the screening)

Trolls

FRIDAY – 1st SEPTEMBER
on the big screen on the Kalkie School Oval
Gates Open - 4:30pm  Movie Starts - approx. 6:00pm
Gold Coin Donation at the gate to support Kalkie Kids Playgroup

• Lucky Gate Prizes
• Live Entertainment – by Rod Winklesday
• Face Painting, Balloon Shapes, Henna Decorating
• Food, Drinks and Popcorn for Sale

Bring your friends, family, and a blanket or a chair to sit on

Bundaberg Little Athletics
Family. Fun. Fitness
COME & TRY DAY

WHEN: 10am–12pm
Saturday 2nd September 2017
WHERE: Thabeban State School Oval. Parking, End of Kepple Crescent
COST: FREE
WHAT TO BRING: Hat, Waterbottle, Shoes, Manners

Like us on facebook: Bundaberg Thabeban Little Athletics
Contact: 0476205857
DATES TO REMEMBER

AUGUST
Thu 31 Support Staff Day
Fathers Day Raffle Draw for Newsletter
Life Long Learners pre-prep parent meeting 4pm (A Block)

SEPTEMBER
Wed 06 Information Technology Event (years 4-6)
Thu 07 P&C Meeting 2:45pm
Fri 08 School Disco 4:30pm—6:30pm
Tue 12 Year 6 at Deadly Sports PCYC
Fri 15 Celebration Day

LAST DAY TERM 3

OCTOBER
Tue 03 FIRST DAY TERM 4
Mon 16 STUDENT FREE DAY

REGULAR EVENTS
Every Monday 2:30pm
Parade in the hall (Everyone is welcome)

Every Wednesday
Student Banking

Every Thursday before school
Chess Club (near tuckshop)

Every Thursday 8:30am
Breakfast club

Every Wed, Thu, Fri
Tuckshop is open for lunch
Volunteers are always needed. Please help.

Every Fri
Icy cups for sale 50c (Outside Year 6)

BELL TIMES
8:45am Start of the day
11:00am First break
11:40am End of first break
1:30pm Second break
1:55pm End of second break
3:00pm End of the day

Those advertisers support us, please support them.