Welcome back, I hope you all had a relaxing and enjoyable break and are ready for a jam packed term 4! I would like to welcome the Vaughan family to our school community. We are very pleased to have you at our wonderful school and hope that you have settled in nicely.

Our A block building upgrade is in the last stages of completion and we are looking forward to moving back in towards the end of this month. As we continue to stay up-to-date with our technology we are purchasing four new computers this term and have a wireless upgrade for the whole school booked in for next year.

A large number of staff members at Bloomsbury completed their annual First Aid and CPR training last week. This is such a worthy course, especially with our rural living, and I would encourage you to complete one if you can.

ASTRONIMICAL

“Astronomical” Astronomy Night is being held by NQ Starshine and the Full Throttle Theatre Company at Bloomsbury on Wednesday 24 October. The P&C will have burgers for purchase from 5.30 pm to 6.30 pm. Astronomical will be begin at 6.30 pm and conclude with viewing from telescopes and expertise information and advice. I would like to thank Trevor and Elizabeth Glasson for providing funding towards the event, which has made it possible to be carried out. Please come along with your family and friends and support an exciting event at our school. Pre-paid tickets are preferred and available from the office.
SPORT
Good luck to Cohen who has been selected to represent Capricornia School Support in ages 10-12 Track and Field in Cairns next week. I wish you all the best in your sports and your family a safe trip up and back. Bloomsbury is behind you!

Swimming will commence on Fridays from week 3 (26 October) to week 7 and incorporates our HPE curriculum and essential water survival skills. Forms have gone out to students with a cost of $15 for the four days. Please send forms and payments as soon as possible.

ATTENDANCE
Please remember to contact the school if your child is away as soon as you can. We really appreciate the messages from parents informing us of student absences. I am looking forward to tracking good attendance with term for all students as like Johnathan Thurston says “Every Day Counts”.

SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY
Our school has a uniform policy that has been fully endorsed by our P&C. Please ensure that your child/ren are wearing correct uniform. Sports shirts can be worn on Mondays for PE and normal blue school shirts for the rest of the week. Exceptions include school leaders’ shirts and students in years 4-6 are welcome to wear their Winchester shirts on a Friday if they choose. This also includes navy blue shorts/skirts.

Don’t forget that next Monday 22nd October is a Student Free Day.

The teaching staff will be attending Calen District College and the teacher aides will be attending Victoria Park State School for professional development to support and improve student learning.

Kind regards

Eliza
SO MUCH ON THIS TERM!

- **SWIMMING**

All swimming notes have gone out. Please ensure that your notes and payment is sent through by Friday 19th OCTOBER.

**PLEASE NOTE:** WE ARE REQUESTING THAT PAYMENTS ARE NOT PAID TO ANY BANK ACCOUNTS. PLEASE USE BPOINT ON THE BOTTOM OF YOUR INVOICE OR CASH OR CHEQUE. THANK YOU

- **STUDENT FREE DAY - NO STAFF AT SCHOOL**

  MONDAY 22nd OCTOBER

- **ASTRONOMICAL 2** will be held on **Wednesday 24th October**

  This is a wonderful opportunity to come along, learn something about our universe and have some laughs. Get your payments in for a fun filled evening at Bloomsbury State School. **PRE PREP** will commence in Week 2 on the 17th October

- **PINK STUMPS DAY**

  Pink Stumps will be held on the morning of Monday 29th October. Merchandise can be purchased from the school office with all profits going to the McGrath Foundation. Cost will be a gold coin donation.

  **COME ON AND GET YOUR PINK ON BLOOMSBURY!**

- **BLOOMSBURY HALL MARKETS WILL BE HELD THIS MONTH ON SUNDAY 21ST OCTOBER.** Come along and support the markets. You can pick up some great bargains, believe me.

- And not to mention Pre Prep, swimming etc etc

AND THIS IS JUST OCTOBER!!!

HANG ON BLOOMSBURY.
HOME READING AWARDS 10th October

Joshua, Lucas, Gabrielle, Emma, Laily & Carter

WELL DONE!!!

BIRTHDAYS

Bella, Ivy, Leila, Natalie, Ash, Carl, Kirby & Skye

Hope you all had a great birthday!
CLASSROOM AWARDS

Congratulations to Brayden and Amiah

FANTASTIC!!!
Recycling news.

Thanks to everyone for their help recycling our food scraps. Apologies for the bag dilemma. The bags are a bit too weak for the amount of scraps. If anyone has 4L ice cream containers with lids that they could spare, please send in and we will attempt to rotate these.

I am hoping to do a few "NUDE FOOD" days this term, a notice will go in newsletter before hand. The environment will thank you.

Lastly, on the 1st of November QLD will come into line with most of the country by offering 10 cents for container exchange. As we get info on this we will keep you up to date.

BLOOMSBURY HALL NEWS

BLOOMSBURY MARKET DATES FOR THE REST OF 2018

- Sunday 21st October
- Sunday 18th November

BLOOMSBURY SOLDIER’S MEMORIAL HALL CHRISTMAS PARTY

SAVE THE DATE - 15TH DECEMBER 2018

for Bloomsbury Memorial Hall Christmas Party!!

ALL WELCOME FOR A FUN NIGHT!!

Looking forward to seeing you there.

More information regarding times, entertainment and other activities in the next newsletter.
REMEmBER: Next Mobile Library - Tues July 10th

BE SAFE. BE RESPECTFUL, BE RESPONSIBLE, BE A LEARNER!

TERM 4 - 10 WEEKS

OCTOBER
Tues 16th - Mobile Library
- P&C Meeting 1.30pm
Wed 17th - Pre-Prep Morning
Thurs 18th - Year 6 Parent Night High School
Fri 19th - All swim notes and payments in
Sun 21st - Bloomsbury Hall Markets
Mon 22nd - Student Free Day
Wed 24th - Astronomical 2 - Proposed Date
Fri 26th - Swimming
Mon 29th - PINK STUMPS DAY
Tues 30th - Mobile Library
Wed 31st - Pre-Prep Morning

NOVEMBER
Fri 2nd - Swimming
Fri 9th - Swimming
Tues 13th - Mobile Library
Wed 14th - Pre-Prep Morning
Fri 16th - Swimming
Mon 19th - Spelling Bee
Tues 20th - P&C Meeting 1.30pm
Tues 27th - Mobile Library
Wed 28th - Pre-Prep Morning
- Leader's Speeches

DECEMBER
Wed 5th - Awards Night
Mon 10th - Transition Day Year 6
Tues 11th - Mobile Library
Thurs 13th - Breakup Day
Fri 14th - Last Day
Played every Friday 3.30-6pm @ Proserpine Cricket Grounds
Commencing Oct 12th 2018

PROGRAMS INCLUDE

(5-8yrs) includes backpack with personalised shirt, hat, bat ball and drink bottle

- $85 1 Term
- $125 2 Term

(8-11yrs) includes Master Blaster Cap, Club shirt, water bottle and sticker

- $90 1 Term
- $125 2 Terms

U13 & U16 includes club shirt, water bottle and sticker and inter-town games

- $130 Full Season

Register at www.playcricket.com.au

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