From the Headmaster

School spirit can be defined as emotional support for the College. It manifests in many ways; in the wearing of the College uniform with pride, attendance at sporting events and with groups of boys coming together in the singing of the school war cry.

However, words do not adequately explain this concept, which in many ways is the defining aspect of our culture. The truth is that you can sense the spirit of a school like BBC when you walk through the gates for the first time.

There are, however, moments which give us special insight into the world of BBC spirit. It could be seen last Thursday in the visit of our Prefects to the Prep Class when they warmly welcomed our youngest boys to the College family. It was quite uplifting to see our Year 12 leaders enthusiastically interacting with the younger boys, playing with Tonka trucks, kicking a football and talking about what they love doing at BBC.

School spirit was also on show at Somerville House on Monday night for ‘The Great Debate’. It was wonderful to see our supporters belting out the war cry under the leadership of The Highlander, aka College Vice Captain, Patrick Jaffe. The passionate support which our boys provided to our debaters on Monday was outstanding.

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This feeling does not come to an end at the conclusion of Year 12, it is a gift for life. As I attended the Sydney reunion for our old boys last Friday evening and the Toowoomba reunion on Wednesday, I saw the same passion in the eyes of men who left the College 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 or more years ago.

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Mr Graeme McDonald
HEADMASTER

Upcoming Events

**Term 1**

**Friday 17 February**
- GPS Swim Meet (4) – Years 5 - 6 Centenary Pool (Spring Hill) - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
- Welcome to Pipe Band Function - Junior School Undercroft - 6.00pm - 8.00pm
- Term 1

**Saturday 18 February**
- GPS Cricket - Round 4 - TSS (A) - Years 5 and 6 - Various Venues

**Monday 20 February**
- All Robotics classes to commence
- Athletic Development (4) - Prep and Year 3 - JS Green 7.30am - 8.00am
- Athletic Development - Cricket (4) - Year 4 JS Green - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
- Year 6 Induction Ceremony - College Hall - 2.15pm - 3.00pm

**Tuesday 21 February**
- Athletic Development (4) - Prep - Year 4 - JS Green - 7.30am - 8.00am
- Year 3 Birrali Cultural Workshop Incursion - Year 3 Classrooms - JS Green - 9.00am - 10.00am
- Chinese New Year Celebrations - Years 5 and 6 - College Hall - 12.50pm - 1.20pm

**Wednesday 22 February**
- Athletic Development (4) Year 4 - JS Green - 7.30am - 8.00am
- Met West Regional Swimming Trials - Sleeman Aquatic Centre - Chandler 7.30am - 4.30pm
- Year 2 Excursion to Lego Education - Southbank 9.00am - 12.30pm
- All Robotics classes to commence

**Thursday 23 February**
- Athletic Development (4) - Prep - Year 3 - JS Green 7.30am - 8.00am
- Boys' Club (4) - Years 4 to 6 with Mrs Hamilton - TLC Room - 12.50pm - 1.20pm
- Athletic Development - Cricket (4) - Year 4 - JS Green - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
- Drama/Acting Expressive Arts Workshop (3) - 3T Classroom - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
- Percussion Mini Clinic (2) - Years 2 to 4 - Junior School Music Room - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
- BBC P&F Association ‘Welcome Party’ College Hall Foyer - 6.00pm - 8.00pm
FROM THE HEAD OF JUNIOR SCHOOL

The impact of kindness

His name was Fleming, and he was a poor Scottish farmer. One day, while trying to make a living for his family, he heard a cry for help coming from a nearby bog. He dropped his tools and ran to the bog. There, mired to his waist in black muck, was a terrified boy, screaming and struggling to free himself. Farmer Fleming saved the lad from what could have been a slow and terrifying death.

The next day, a fancy carriage pulled up to the Scotsman’s sparse surroundings. An elegantly dressed nobleman stepped out and introduced himself as the father of the boy Farmer Fleming had saved.

“I want to repay you,” said the nobleman. “You saved my son’s life.”

“No, I can’t accept payment for what I did,” the Scottish farmer replied waving off the offer. At that moment, the farmer’s own son came to the door of the family hovel. “Is that your son?” the nobleman asked. “Yes,” the farmer replied proudly. To which the nobleman responded, “I’ll make you a deal. Let me provide him with the level of education my own son will enjoy. If the lad is anything like his father, he’ll no doubt grow to be a man we both will be proud of.”

And that he did. Farmer Fleming’s son attended the very best schools and in time, graduated from St. Mary’s Hospital Medical School in London, and went on to become known throughout the world as the noted Sir Alexander Fleming, the discoverer of Penicillin.

Years afterward, the same nobleman’s son who was saved from the bog was stricken with pneumonia. What saved his life this time? Penicillin.

The name of the nobleman? Lord Randolph Churchill. His son’s name? Sir Winston Churchill.

Someone once said: ‘What goes around comes around.’ There are two great morals from this story, it seems to me:

1. The value of a quality education cannot be overstated. The gift you are giving your sons here at BBC is a precious one and not to be treated lightly.

2. We never quite know what the impact might be of a simple act of kindness. But even if it is to be inconsequential, Jesus still requires us to treat everyone as if they are Him: “For such as you did to the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.” (Matthew 25:40)

Personal bests

We enjoyed a successful and rewarding swimming carnival this week. There was a positive vibe throughout, the house spirit was switched on to ‘high’ (perhaps in some cases ‘extreme’) – and the sea of happy faces at the end of the day told its own story about how much the boys had gained from the experience. I was very excited at the end of the day to see a forest of arms point skywards when I asked how many boys had swum a PB (personal best). This spoke volumes about the mighty efforts of the boys. It is theme we switch on to ‘high’ (perhaps in some cases ‘extreme’) – and the sea of happy faces at the end of the day told its own story about how much the boys had gained from the experience. I was very excited at the end of the day to see a forest of arms point skywards when I asked how many boys had swum a PB (personal best). This spoke volumes about the mighty efforts of the boys. It is theme we

A huge thank you to Mr Russell Bassingthwaighte for the many hours he devoted to planning and running the carnival.

Mr Keith Dalleywater
HEAD OF JUNIOR SCHOOL

FROM THE FATHER/SON FISHING WEEKEND

As a father, I sometimes unfortunately feel that quality ‘father and son’ time very much struggles to compete with everything else that tends to happen in the very busy world that we live in. If as a father you too feel equally challenged to find quality ‘father and son’ time may I suggest that you consider joining your son on a ‘father and son’ fishing weekend.

Further to the very successful fishing expeditions over the last five years, this wonderful weekend of fishing and camping which is coordinated by Sports Tuition and is exclusive to Brisbane Boys’ College will be conducted at Maroon Dam during 2017 as per the following dates:

Years 3 and 4 Father/Son Fishing Weekend - Term 2
Friday evening 26 May to Sunday 28 May 2017

Years 5 and 6 Father/Son Fishing Weekend - Term 4
Friday evening 27 October to Sunday 29 October 2017

For more specific information, I encourage you to visit the Sports Tuition website (www.sportstuition.com.au)

Mr Mark Griffith
HEAD OF EARLY YEARS

FROM THE CHAPLAINS

Imagine a world without wind. Lakes would be calm. Falling leaves wouldn’t blow in the streets. But in still air, who would expect trees to suddenly fall over? That’s what happened in a three-acre glass dome built in the Arizona Desert. Trees growing inside a huge windless bubble called ‘Biosphere’ grew faster than normal until suddenly collapsing under their own weight. Project researchers eventually came up with an explanation. These trees needed wind stress to grow strong.

Today, life in a protective bubble might sound appealing. The reality though is that our young men are strengthened by the winds of challenge, disappointment and pressure. It is in this very environment of testing that young men are able to grow in their faith as they learn to trust God. Faith is truly the greatest antidote for anxiety and fear. May each young man at BBC experience that winds of challenge, disappointment and pressure. It is in this very environment of testing that young men are able to grow in their faith as they learn to trust God. Faith is truly the greatest antidote for anxiety and fear. May each young man at BBC experience that

Term 1 Ministry Support Breakfast
The Term 1 Ministry Support Breakfast will be held on Wednesday 22 February from 7.00am to 8.00am in the Conference Room. Speakers at the breakfast will be our Senior ISCF leaders who will share their vision for 2016. This is a wonderful opportunity for parents and staff to connect. There is no cost for the breakfast. RSVP to Graham Cole on 3309 3558 or Thomas McPherson on 3721 5954 by Monday 20 February.

Reverend Graham Cole and Mr Thomas McPherson
CHAPLAIN AND ASSOCIATE CHAPLAIN
JUNIOR SCHOOL SUPPORT GROUP

Junior School - Class Contact Distribution List and Class Representative Volunteers

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered. All classes now have a representative. A reminder to please click here to complete all details if you have not already done so.

SAVE THE DATE

Junior School Support Group
Bubbles and Wine Function
Saturday 25 March
Indooroopilly Golf Club
More details to be advised shortly

ARROWSMITH PROGRAM

The College has many wonderful programs that help boys to achieve their potential. The Arrowsmith Program is one such initiative. This cognitive program harnesses the principles of the brain’s neuroplasticity. Recent discoveries in neuroscience have demonstrated that, by engaging in certain mental tasks of activities we can actually change the structure of the brain. The capability of nerve cell change is known as neuroplasticity.

The Arrowsmith Program began last year at the College and currently there are 14 students enrolled in the program. The founder of the program, Barbara Arrowsmith-Young, is currently in Australia and we have been able to arrange for her to speak at the College on Friday 10 March at 7.00pm in College Hall. There is no charge for her presentation and details about registering your interest in attending can be found in the flyer in College News and Junior School News.

Mr Gary Musson
ARROWSMITH PROGRAM

COLLEGE SHOP

Blazer
Blazer fittings have commenced. A reminder to all students that our supplier is here this week and the following for blazer fittings.
All students from Years 4 to 12 are required to wear a blazer. While we keep stock of blazers if a size sells out or a special make is required we need to order these as soon as possible. An appointment is not required - they will be here from 7.30am – 9.00am on our opening days. If we have the correct size in stock you will be requested to purchase the item and if we don’t we will be placing orders.
It seems early however our blazers take up to 12 weeks to make. Timing is critical for us to ensure we have the item back in time for compulsory blazer wearing in Term 2. We also carry a great range of second hand blazers to chose from in very good quality.

Secondhand Clothing
The College Shop runs an excellent second hand clothing service to the school community. We adhere to a very high standard of quality for any second hand items and all items submitted must meet our specified criteria. We ensure garments are current, freshly laundered and are in acceptable condition (in line with College requirements). Our garments are checked to make sure they are current and are in good quality (no rips, tears, paint marks, stains etc). We have been running this consignment service in the shop now for many years for all parents to give them an opportunity to sell items no longer required and for other families.

Books
There are still books belonging to students that have not been collected. Students have been notified via email to collect these items from the shop. If books are not collected by Monday 20 February they will be returned to stock as we will assume you no longer require the item.

Ms Lesley Ross
COLLEGE SHOP MANAGER

TUCKSHOP

Tuckshop roster week commencing Monday 20 February

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Mrs Barbara Harvey
TUCKSHOP CONVENOR
FROM THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Junior Music Leaders

Congratulations to the following boys for their wonderful examples of leadership within the Junior Music Program and their selection as Music Captains for 2017:

- Junior Music Captain - Lachlan Leow
- Junior Band Captain - Lachlan Scroggie
- Junior Strings Captain - Christian Blucher
- Junior Choir Captain - Tom Walsh

 Twilight Concert

Wednesday 8 March
6.30pm - College Hall
This is a free event. To reserve your seat please confirm your attendance via www.trybooking.com OPVC
Ensembles performing include the College Symphony, College Strings, Symphonic Band, Big Band, Pipe Band, Camerata and Collegians. Please see the flyer on page 10 of this edition of Junior School News for more information.

Junior Instrumental Program Years 4-6 Open Classes

Parents and friends are invited to attend the above Open classes to gain a greater understanding of the process and expectations behind the Junior Instrumental class program. Please find information below:

Year 6
Tuesday 28 February
1.30pm – 2.15pm

Year 5
Tuesday 28 February
2.15pm – 3.00pm
Due to the various rooms allocated for these lessons, please meet your son at his classroom prior to the music lesson you wish to attend.

Year 4
All String classes are held in the Earl Larmar Room – Level 2 of College Hall.
Friday 3 March
4K 10.30am – 11.15am
4M 11.15am – 12.05pm
4N 12.05pm – 12.40pm

If you have any queries, please email me via ecarey@bbc.qld.edu.au

Ms Emma Carey
DIRECTOR OF WOODWIND

Artist of the Week

Hunter Year 5

Keith Haring has always been a favourite artist for the boys to study. His cartoon style images and vibrant compositions make for a really interesting and fun base for class activities.

Here is Hunter with a drawing inspired by Haring. He began this piece with a shape and then his book was passed to his classmates to add to his beginning. Hunter took away and added to complete the drawing, leaving a very interesting piece. Fantastic work Hunter.

Ms Kim Murray
ART TEACHER
FROM THE P&F ASSOCIATION

2017 P&F Welcome Party - Thursday 23 February - 6.00pm to 8.00pm

We will be welcoming all parents to the new school year, and looking to showcase the many offerings of BBC.

We hope to encourage both new and continuing parents to join and actively participate in the BBC community.

Please RSVP here by 20 February.

Parent Forum – Academic Success Strategies
Tuesday 28 February – 7.00pm

Julia Clifford, principal at Advance Academics will be our guest speaker for the first Parent Forum of the year. Julia will talk about goal setting and empowering parents to assist boys to get the best out of their study time. She has a particular interest in personality traits and how this can help parents work out what approaches best suit their child. Please RSVP here by 27 February.

Tired of nagging your sons to study? Can’t understand why they’re so distracted? Overwhelmed with stressed-out teens? Feel as though you’re speaking a different language?

The Term 1 Parent Forum with Advance Academics will give you the answers you need, and you’ll walk away with practical, effective and proven strategies that you can implement straight away.

Any parent will tell you that not all boys are the same. Some are extroverted, some more reserved. Some boys are driven and achievement-oriented, others are more easy-going. Understanding exactly how these characteristics impact learning and study habits is imperative to effectively assisting your sons to ensure they reach their own academic potential. At this forum, you’ll gain insight into the interaction between an individual student’s personality type and their academic habits. Many parents report the relief and ‘light-bulb’ moments they experience when the understand not only how their boys are unique, but why, resulting in greater empathy, consideration and harmony within the home. You’ll gain awareness of your own communication style as a parent, and how you can help to motivate, organise and prepare your boys for success, through personalised strategies.

About Julia

Julia Clifford (nee Minuzzo) is an experienced public speaker, Certified Personality Trainer, tutor, mentor, business owner and registered teacher. Julia has trained in the USA under renowned speaker and author, Florence Littauer, and utilises the user-friendly profiling system, The Personalities. Built on this knowledge, Julia opened Advance Academics in 2008, a unique academic tutoring and mentoring service. She and her team mentor students in the ‘4 Keys to Academic Success’ to develop motivated, organised and prepared students through personalised strategies. “Academic success comes when students understand themselves, and are equipped with the right strategies to apply to their learning.”

Mr Darren Moore
P&F PRESIDENT
**Co-curricular Activities**

### GPS Cricket

**GPS Cricket draw for this Saturday 18 February**

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Please be at fields 30 minutes before start time.

**Playing fields:**
- TSS Fields - Winchester Street, Southport
- NC Playing Fields - Northumbria Ave, Boondall
- QASMT Oval (Queensland Academy of Science, Maths and Technology) parking off Miskin St, Toowong, opposite BBC Miskin Oval
- Jack Cook Park, 47 Indooroopilly Road, Taringa

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### Robotics

By Friday of this week parents should have received information regarding which group their son will be in for Robotics. Groups will have a rolling start as from next Tuesday. Please email me if you have not received this by Friday at cnoy@bbc.qld.edu.au

Mr Colin Noy
MIC OF ROBOTICS

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### GPS Cross Country

**2017 GPS Cross Country**

**Cross country training sessions**

Monday and Thursday mornings - 6.45am to 7.45am
Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons - 3.15pm to 4.15pm
Meet at the John Nobilet Oval Grandstand

**What is a cross country age group team?**

The 2017 GPS Cross Country Championships will be held on Wednesday 31 May at Limestone Park, Ipswich. The following races (and distances) apply to the Junior School:
- 10 Years 2000m
- 11 Years 3000m
- 12 Years 3000m

A school age group team consists of 20 runners. Boys are selected based on performances at the Friday afternoon Years 5 to 12 lead up meets.

**2017 Lead up meets**

Thursday 30 March Minnippi (BSHS/BBC host)
Friday 21 April - TSS
Friday 28 April - BGS
Friday 5 May - NC
Friday 12 May - ACGS
Friday 19 May - Limestone Park

Mr Russel Hansen  
DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS (TRACK AND FIELD, CROSS COUNTRY)
JUNIOR SCHOOL INTERHOUSE SWIMMING CARNIVAL

On Wednesday 15 February, the Junior School was blessed with a day that wasn’t too hot, in fact it was just perfect, as the boys contested the Interhouse Swimming Carnival. With each of the 355 boys swimming at least two races, and many swimming many more than that, it was a hectic carnival. Thanks to the patience, cooperation and support of the boys and the staff, the day went off without a hitch. Whether it was those boys fighting out the hotly contested Age Championship events, or those boys getting into the water and out of their comfort zone, every single boy should be proud of their contribution to their House. At the end of the day and after 127 events, it was the Knights who were victorious, notching 584 points. Vikings were second with 503.5, Gladiators third with 467 points and Crusaders fourth with 355.5 points. The Age Championship races across the four strokes plus the 100m Freestyle was a tough program. In the Under 9s it was Dylan Clive with 26 points nudging out Hamish Seiler with 18 points. In the Under 10s Seb Taylor and Tom Winters pushed each other all day but it was Seb who finished on top with 36 points to Tom’s 32 points. In the Under 11s, it was Avery Thomson who dominated a very competitive age group, outscoring Blake Jennison 36 to 20. Hugh Moore was similarly dominant in the Under 12s, with his 30 points being 12 more than his closest rival, Fergus Mills. This carnival was the wonderful preparation for those boys who will represent the College in the GPS Swimming Championship in just over a fortnight.

Mr Russell Bassingthwaighte
MIC JUNIOR SWIMMING
**BRISBANE BOYS’ COLLEGE OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE**

- Caring for children from Prep to Year 8
- Boys and girls welcome
- After School Care - 3.00pm (2.45pm Prep) to 6.00pm
- Vacation Care - 7.00am to 6.00pm
- Casual bookings welcome
- Great food - great fun
- Quality assured and licensed

Enrolment packs are available from the Junior School Office or by contacting Action Factory on 3720 9094 or Gary Knight on 0407 019195. For further information, please visit - www.actionfactory.com.au

Children are able to complete homework and prepare for lessons with the support of OSHC Educators. Action Factory offers a number of planned and un-planned activities for After School Care. The OSHC Educators collaborate with the children to provide play and leisure opportunities that are meaningful to children and support their wellbeing, learning and development.

Children are provided with an environment to create their own play experiences and activities on the day, but we have suggestions below if the kids run out of ideas.

**Next week at Action Factory**

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**PLEASE NOTE** - Ensure all bookings are made by Friday prior to the week of care required. Bookings made in advance will secure a place. Bookings made on the day or during the week of care required, cannot be guaranteed.

**PLEASE DOWNLOAD A COPY OF OUR ENROLMENT FORM TO ATTEND!**
2017 Gymnastics Season Launch

BBC Gymnastics would like to invite all new and returning gymnasts and their families to the 2017 season launch.

Gymnastics provides boys with an opportunity to train consistently, become strong, fast and agile while learning new skills in a supportive environment - skills that so many wish they could do, but very few people can perform.

BBC Gymnastics continues to move from strength to strength and we look forward to welcoming new boys and returning gymnasts to the program who will play a critical role in helping us to achieve our goal of becoming the strongest performing program in GPS Gymnastics.

The 2017 season begins with the season launch and is for all students currently in Years 5 to 12 who are looking to train for the 2017 GPS Season and beyond. For those new to GPS Gymnastics; regular training is held each Monday and Wednesday from 3.00pm to 5.00pm, beginning Wednesday 1 March 2017 and concludes at the GPS Championships on 10 June 2017.

Event Details

Date  Wednesday 22 February
Time   3.00pm - 5.00pm
Venue  BBC Gymnastics Hall
Tickets Free event (BBQ supplied by the Gymnastics Support Group)
Dress  Boys are required to wear BBC PE uniform
RSVP  For catering purposes please RSVP by Monday 20 February to Gymnastics Coordinator, Ashley Druve via adruve@bbc.qld.edu.au

For more information please contact Gymnastics Coordinator, Ashley Druve on 3309 3601 or via adruve@bbc.qld.edu.au
TWILIGHT CONCERT 2017

WEDNESDAY 8 MARCH

6.30PM START

COLLEGE HALL

PERFORMANCES BY THE PIPE BAND, COLLEGE SYMPHONY, COLLEGE STRINGS, SYMPHONIC BAND, CAMERATA, COLLEGIANS AND BIG BAND

FREE TICKETED CONCERT

RESERVE YOUR SEAT VIA THE EVENTS PAGE ON THE BBC WEBSITE

REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE FROM 5.30PM FOR PURCHASE FROM THE MUSIC SUPPORT GROUP
The Hopes and Dreams Foundation and Brisbane Boys’ College are proud to present an evening with Barbara Arrowsmith Young, Director of the Arrowsmith School and International Best Selling Author of *The Woman Who Changed Her Brain*.

Barbara’s work, begun in 1978, and has been recognised as one of the first examples of the practical application of neuroplasticity, the ability of the brain to change and rewire itself over a person’s lifetime.

Come and share in Barbara’s compelling personal journey and learn more about the outcomes achieved during her 35 years as an educator and researcher.

Barbara Arrowsmith Young holds a B.A.Sc. in Child Studies from the University of Guelph, and a Master’s degree in School Psychology from the University of Toronto. She is the proud founder of the Arrowsmith Program which is now in over 90 organisations worldwide and is helping both children and adults to strengthen cognitive capabilities that underpin learning.

**Date**  
Friday 10 March

**Time**  
7.00pm

**Venue**  
Brisbane Boys’ College  
College Hall  
Kensington Terrace, Toowong

**Tickets**  
Free event

**RSVP**  
Book your ticket today via  

“Barbara’s story...is truly heroic, on par with the achievements of Helen Keller...” - Norman Doidge, M.D., author of *The Brain That Changes Itself*