From the Headmaster

This week saw our academic scholars – those young men who achieved an OP1 or 2 - return to the College. The Scholars’ Assembly provided an opportunity for us, as a community, to acknowledge the exceptional achievement of these young men as they prepare for their next challenge, tertiary study.

The 2016 student cohort achieved outstanding results with 31.9% of OP eligible students securing an OP1 or 2, 55.4% achieving a score between 1 to 5 and 100% between 1 and 15. However, the real success story belongs to all of our 2016 Seniors, who are now forging their individual journey beyond the school gates, having excelled in their pathway of choice.

At this time of year, commentary is often focused on OP scores alone. However, at BBC it’s the future we’re interested in; we’re interested in enabling each boy to get where he wants to go and in helping him navigate from one academic arena to another.

This week the College received news that 95.2% of students who applied for a tertiary course of study via QTAC, received an offer. More than 88% received their first, second or third preference. Offers continue to be provided by QTAC on an ongoing basis and we believe the overall percentage will ultimately rise to close to 100%. These figures speak to the legitimacy of pathways and the importance of supporting all boys to reach their goals, by empowering them with choices as to how they can achieve them.

We recognise that the future isn’t what it used to be so we must empower our young men to set and achieve big ambitions and take responsibility for their own journey.

It’s exciting to see boys opting to pursue a variety of careers from agribusiness, medicine, engineering, psychological science, music, environmental management, property economics and more. For us, these are the real stories; the outcomes that result from an exceptional education and we look forward to hearing of our young mens’ ongoing achievements.

We are immensely proud of all of our young men and congratulate them once again for their efforts in what was an outstanding year and for their commitment to the possibilities that lie ahead.

Mr Graeme McDonald
HEADMASTER

Upcoming Events

Term 1

Friday 27 January
GPS Swim Meet (1) - Years 5 and 6 - Chandler Aquatic Centre - 3.30pm - 9.30pm

Saturday 28 January
GPS Cricket - Round 1 - v - BGS (A) - Years 5 and 6

Monday 30 January
Prep Commences - Welcome Morning Tea
JS Technology Lab - 9.00am - 10.00am
Athletic Development (1) - Prep and Year 3 - JS Green 7.30am - 8.00am
No Junior School Assembly [House Official Elections] - 2.15pm - 3.00pm
Athletic Development - Cricket (1) - Year 4 JS Green - 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Tuesday 31 January
Athletic Development (1) - Prep - Year 4 - JS Green - 7.30am - 8.00am
Boys’ Club - Years 1 to 3 with Mrs Hamilton - TLC Room - 12.50pm - 1.20pm
Bagpipe Drum Major Mini Clinic - Pipe Band Room - 3.00pm - 4.00pm
Athletic Development (1) - Prep - Year 3 - JS Green - 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Wednesday 1 February
Athletic Development (1) Year 4 - JS Green 7.30am - 8.00am
Athletic Development (1) - Prep - Year 3 - JS Green - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
Junior School Parents Information/Welcome Evening - Prep to Year 6 - Undercroft and classrooms 7.00pm - 9.00pm

Thursday 2 February
Athletic Development (1) - Prep - Year 3 - JS Green 7.30am - 8.00am
Boys’ Club (1) - Years 4 to 6 with Mrs Hamilton - TLC Room - 12.50pm - 1.20pm
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Friday 3 February
Athletic Development (1) - Year 4 - JS Green 7.30am - 8.00am
Pipe Band Drum Major Mini Clinic and Drums Mini Clinic - Pipe Band Room - 3.00pm - 4.00pm
Athletic Development (1) - Prep - Year 3 JS Green - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
GPS Swim Meet (2) - Years 5 and 6 - Chandler Aquatic Centre - 3.30pm - 9.30pm

Saturday 6 February
Welcome to Pipe Band Function - Junior School Undercroft - 5.00pm - 9.00pm

Important Dates

Parent Information/Welcome Evening
Week 2 - Wednesday 1 February
Prep to Year 6 Junior School Undercroft and Classrooms 7.00pm to 9.00pm

Interhouse Swimming Carnival
Week 4 - Wednesday 15 February
BBC Pool - 8.30am - 3.00pm

2017 Term Dates

Term 1
Monday 23 January - Thursday 30 March

Term 2
Monday 18 April - Friday 16 June

Term 3
10 July - Friday 15 September

Term 4
Tuesday 3 October - Friday 1 December
FROM THE HEAD OF JUNIOR SCHOOL

Welcome to 2017

I am excited to be writing my first newsletter to you. This marks a major personal milestone, as I take up the role of Head of Junior School. Welcome to you all – but a very special welcome to my fellow ‘newbies’ those who, like me, are brand new to BBC. I have experienced a very warm welcome to the school (both literally and metaphorically) and I hope you have too. Already I can see that BBC is a very special place to be: a vibrant learning community, which understands boys, and packages the learning accordingly. Also it is clear that the Junior School staff are passionate about the work they do and are dedicated to bringing out the very best in your sons. I look forward to a very enjoyable and rewarding year.

Of the many things that have impressed me so far about BBC, the simple acronym ‘BRAVE’ is close to the top. It’s a succinct yet powerful summary of what we are all about.

B – ‘Boy Focus’ – for us it’s all about the boys, understanding them and bringing their talents to fruition. We strive to be experts in boys’ education, to be inspirational in how we teach and to make the boys our priority in all we do.

R – ‘Relationships’ – one of the enduring strengths of BBC is its capacity to build community, based on genuine, caring relationships. For teachers this means understanding each individual boy and valuing him for who he is; celebrating his strengths and helping him to identify and modify weaknesses.

A – ‘Above and Beyond’ – this is about aiming high, about having high expectations of the boys in their learning, participation and conduct. Over my many years of working in schools I have seen it proved time and time again that if we expect much of the students, they will deliver.

V – ‘Values-led’ – if we are looking for success in life, the most outstanding academic results will never compensate for deficient personal values. Therefore at BBC we seek to imbue our boys with integrity, honour, compassion and courage. We know that many of them will go on to lead and shape the world beyond school. We want them to do so selflessly, and with an approach to life that blesses others and honours God.

E – ‘Empowerment’ – we aspire for our young men to develop the confidence and capability to change the world. We urge them to set big ambitions for themselves … and to achieve them.

Who am I?

You will gradually get to know me … my personal and professional passions, and my way of going about things. It was fun to share six features about myself with the boys at our assembly on Monday. In summary these were:

1. I am very scary (not!)
2. ‘Dalleywater’ gives you a clue that I like being on the water, in the water and under the water.
3. I enjoy music and play a bit of alto sax.
4. I enjoy travel … which is one reason the big journey from Sydney to Brisbane is so exciting!
5. I am father of two grown-up sons, who also attended a boys-only school (The King’s School in Parramatta, Sydney), and I am a grandpa. My granddaughters call me ‘Dutti’.
6. I have a belief about socks which is not necessarily held by all people.

See if your sons can fill in some of the details for you!

New Junior School Staff

I am not the only newbie on the Junior School staff. We welcome Ms Julienne (Jules) Davidson to our team. Apart from being an excellent classroom teacher, Jules has a deep interest and strong skills set in all things NAPLAN. Mrs Nicole Simon is not new to BBC, but returns to us after 18 months of maternity leave. Welcome, Jules, and welcome back Nicole!

Assembly

Junior School Assembly will be on Monday afternoons. They commence at 2.15pm each week unless otherwise stated. There will be no assembly next week due to House Official elections. The next assembly will be held on 6 February, hosted by 6B. Parents most are welcome.

Parent Information Evening - Wednesday 1 February

The Junior School Parent Information Evening will be held next Wednesday 1 February. The evening will begin at 7.00pm in your son’s classroom. Refreshments will be available in the Undercroft at the end of the evening. This event is a wonderful opportunity for you to meet your son’s teacher, fellow parents and to find out about what you can expect from the year ahead.

School drop off, collection and parking

To ensure the safety of students we have two dedicated ‘Stop and Drop’ Zones – one outside the Prep Centre for Prep to Year 3 and the other outside the Junior School for Years 4 to 6. If you have more than one son in the Junior School, please use the drop down zone applicable to your youngest.

If boys arrive at school prior to 8.00am they are to go to the Undercroft with their bags and sit down. The teacher on duty will dismiss the boys at 8.00am to enable them time to take their bags to class and for any play. The only exception to this will be if boys have rehearsals or sports training.

We also ask that you be mindful of arriving before school officially finishes at 3.00pm as this can cause congestion during this peak time. If your son is not ready for collection when you arrive, you will be required to move on and circuit on to Miskin Street. Please be aware that there is no right turn onto Miskin Street. Please be respectful of residents in the area and in particular keeping driveways clear.

The majority of onsite parking is reserved for staff, however if you are visiting the campus during the day a number of spaces are allocated for visitors. Please note parking is unavailable during peak pick up and drop off periods.

Medical Information, Emergency Action Plans and Nut Free Environment

If your son has a medical condition that requires an Emergency Action Plan please supply all details to the office as soon as possible. Any EpiPens that have expired will need to be replaced and although we will check the dates, your assistance in notifying us of any changes is greatly appreciated.

As we have a number of boys that have a severe reaction to nuts, that can be life threatening, we ask our families to provide lunches that are nut free. While it is sometimes difficult to ascertain if food products contain nuts we do encourage everyone to be proactive in this area.

Mr Keith Dalleywater
HEAD OF JUNIOR SCHOOL
From the Head of Early Years

All students of the Junior School are to be commended on the fabulous start that they have made with respect to their uniform and personal grooming. It is already apparent that both existing and new students of the Junior School wear the distinctive uniform of Brisbane Boys’ College with immense pride.

As per the Junior Student Diary the appropriate (correct and complete) school uniform is to be worn to all school functions, including sporting fixtures. The only exceptions are: if a specific announcement is made or if a student travels to and from a sporting event by car, in which case (the correct and complete) sports uniform may be worn. Further to this, it is important for all students to remember:

• Unless a student is being picked up by car from the internal ‘Stop and Drop’ Zone, he is required to change prior to leaving the College campus so that he is wearing the correct and complete school uniform.

• The correct and complete sports uniform must always be worn for any (co-curricular or extra-curricular) activity which is conducted before or after school. If the activity is before school, students are required to change into the correct and complete school uniform prior to period one.

• To minimise the amount of lost (unclaimed) property, parents are asked to ensure that lunch boxes, drink bottles, sports gear and every article of clothing that is worn to school and a school related activity (e.g. camp and excursions) is always clearly marked with their son’s name and class.

• As is clearly illustrated on page 12 of the Junior School Student Diary, hairstyles must be a regulation ‘college cut’ unless written approval is given by the Head of Junior School.

• The ‘sun-safe’ policy at the Junior School with regards to students playing at both playtime and during any other outdoor activity (which includes PE) is quite simply ‘no hat, no play.’ As hats will not be available for loan from the Junior School Office, if a student does not have a hat for playtime he is required to sit in the shade of the Undercroft.

If a student arrives at school without an item of school uniform (other than the green BBC play-hat and PE gear) he is required to go to the office to either kindly request a loan of apparel or have a ‘Uniform Pass’ stamped into his Junior School Student Diary. Any item of apparel which is loaned to a student needs to be laundered and promptly returned to the office. A student should expect a consequence if this becomes a frequent occurrence.

In order to ensure that all students of the Junior School continue to maintain a high standard with regards to their uniform and personal grooming, random spot checks of the Uniform Checklist (right) will be conducted. So as to avoid a detention point and a possible detention for a uniform misdemeanour, parents and guardians are kindly requested to assist their son(s) in being appropriately attired and groomed at all times. Your support with regards to ensuring that all our boys are immaculate in their presentation is greatly appreciated.

Term 1 Calendar

The Term 1 Calendar will be distributed to every student next week. Parents are encouraged to display the calendar in a prominent place at home and highlight the events which are particularly pertinent to your son.

Mr Mark Griffith
HEAD OF EARLY YEARS

Uniform Checklist

1. Polished/Clean Shoes
2. Socks (Named)
3. Garters (Named)
4. Shorts (Named)
5. Shorts (Pressed)
6. Grey Belt (Named)
7. Shirt (Named)
8. Shirt (Pressed)
9. Shirt (Buttons)
10. Tie (Named)
11. Blazer/Tracksuit Top (Named)
12. Blazer (Buttons)
13. Jumper (Named)
14. Boater (Named)
15. Boater (Condition)
16. Boater (Named Band)
17. Green Play Hat (Named)
18. Green Play Hat (Condition)
19. Grooming of Hair
20. Personal Grooming

College Cut

BACK TO SCHOOL

School transition can be a time of nervousness and excitement for children and their families. The change may involve moving class levels, developing relationships with new teachers, moving friendship groups or a move to take on new responsibilities within the school.

Notably, there’s also the demand on organisational skills and adapting to each teacher’s different scholastic and behavioural expectations.

BBC is a KidsMatter school and in addition to academic matters will also focus on social and emotional learning to assist a sense of belonging. When children feel connected they are more likely to learn and have fun. Where possible, families can encourage friendships with other children to help strengthen the ties to the school community in readiness for the new school year.

If you are concerned about the health and wellbeing of your child as they start or return to school this year, please contact your child’s teacher in the first instance. I am happy to assist and can be e-mailed at hraymond@bbc.qld.edu.au I am also taking expressions of interest from parents who would like to be advisors to the KidsMatter action team.

Ms Hazel Raymond
SCHOOL COUNSELLOR
BBC BUS SERVICE 2017

Brisbane Boys’ College offers five chartered bus routes each morning and afternoon, during term time. All vehicles are air conditioned, equipped with seat belts, GPS tracking and carry only BBC students.

Bus Routes can be found on the Getting Here section of the College website with links to Google maps to outline each route.

How to register for bus travel

If your son/s will be travelling on a BBC chartered bus this year, there is a two-step process that you will need to follow:

Step 1: Purchase a bus pass (Term or 20 Trip Pass)

Families have the option of purchasing a Term Bus Pass ($315 per term) or a 20 Trip bus pass ($110 per pass). A Term bus pass is most cost effective for passengers travelling more than 40 trips per term.

Click here to purchase a Term 1, 2017 bus pass
Click here to purchase a 20 Trip bus pass

Note: The default bus route is Bus Route 1 to Clayfield. Please ensure you purchase a bus pass for the registered bus route.

Once you have purchased a 20 Trip Pass, your son will be notified to collect his pass from his school office (Junior School Office, Middle School Office or Main Reception). No bus pass is issued for Term Pass holders.

Step 2: Complete the bus registration form

Brisbane Boys’ College requires every passenger to be registered prior to travel (once per school year). Please complete the Bus Registration Form below, once you have purchased a Bus Pass, to register your son’s pick-up and drop-off stops. It is recommended that students in the Early Years (Prep to Year 3) travel with an older brother or friend.

By the end of week two each term (co-curricular schedules should be finalised by this time) families must identify the bus route and pick-up/drop-off bus stops for the remainder of the term.

Your understanding and acceptance of the BBC Bus Service Conditions will be required upon registration. The registration information will be passed on to Brisbane Bus Lines to ensure your son’s pick-up and drop-off stops are added to the travel register. Your registration will enable BBC to gauge the size of the bus required for each term ensuring there are enough seats for all travellers.

Click here for the Bus Registration Form

Further information can be found on the Events section of the College website http://www.bbc.qld.edu.au/events/bbc-bus-passes

Brisbane Boys’ College remains committed to providing the best possible charter bus service to our community.

FROM THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Welcome to BBC Music. The 2017 Music Rehearsal Schedule is attached to this newsletter.

Meet Music © BBC

Monday 6 February - 6.30pm to 8.00pm
Earl Larmar Rehearsal Room (College Hall)
Come along to meet the Music staff of BBC and learn about the program. Junior, Middle and Senior school parents and students are welcome.

Save the Date

Wednesday 8 March - 6.30pm - College Hall
More information to follow.

Ms Emma Carey
DIRECTOR OF WOODWIND

JUNIOR SCHOOL SUPPORT GROUP

Welcome Message from the President & Committee of the Junior School Support Group

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself and the other committee members of the Junior School Support Group (JSSG) 2017. My name is Catherine Burnie and my son Hamish is in Year 6, this being our fourth year in the Junior School.

The other members of the committee are:

- Sam Bayford-Brown, Vice President - Frazier Year 6
- Jenny Cosgrove, Secretary - Charlie and Samuel Year 5
- Jeanne Shelburn, Treasurer - Nicholas Year 4
- Katherine Payne, Events Coordinator - Josh Year 4, Ben Year 6

The role of the JSSG has a number of elements to it. We provide a way for parents to connect with the rest of the school community, and we encourage new and continuing parents to reach out to the committee if they have questions or wish to contribute on issues that may be impacting the Junior School. We also support the Junior School as the result of fund raising efforts through our events. For example last year, JSSG funding supported the further set up the Junior School “Hobby House” workshop as well as assisting the Learning Support team with computer purchases and additional programmes. Thank you to all who have supported our efforts in the past and we hope that you will be able to continue supporting us further. As a committee we are looking forward to working together on delivering a number of fun and interesting events for 2017.

Looking ahead

Term 1

Junior School Parents Information Evening/JSSG Welcome - Wednesday 1 February 2017

Information evening in the classrooms, followed by refreshments with the opportunity to meet, mix and mingle with your fellow Junior School Parents.

Wednesday 29 March - Easter Fun

Easter bonnet parade, egg hunt and easter competition for the boys.

Term 2 - Ladies Lunch - Friday 19 May

Mark your calendars for the Ladies Lunch, a great time to get together with old friends and make some new ones.

Term 3 - Trivia Night - Saturday 19 August

Time to dust off the books and get ready for trivia night. Teams will compete once again for the glory of being known as knowing lots and lots, about not very much.

Term 4 - Bush Dance - Week 7

Who doesn’t love a bush dance? We look forward to welcoming assistance from parents in the functions that we have planned for this year. If you would like to get involved, please contact me (cc1999@hotmail.com) and the JSSG Executive. Remember, parent help is the key to our success. Your assistance and participation is gratefully appreciated.

Junior School - Class Contact Distribution List and Class Representative Volunteers

A link will be emailed to all parents next week. Please complete all details as soon as possible. A contact list will then be collated and emailed to each class by your class representative. This allows for your family’s inclusion in the class list for your son’s class and details. It also enables the Class Representative of your son’s class, to contact you with useful information about what is happening in your son’s individual class including news, social events and happenings around the school. If you would like to volunteer for this or find out more, please contact me or the JSSG secretary Jenny Cosgrove (cosgrove9994@hotmail.com) and we will be happy to discuss this with you.

In anticipation of a fun filled and successful 2017 at the BBC Junior School

Catherine Burnie (President) and the JSSG Committee
TARGETED AND TAILORED EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCES FOR BOYS

What is needed to educate and develop boys for the world in which they’ll live? This question informs our approach at BBC on a daily basis. We have a number of initiatives in place to ensure we can provide a targeted and tailored experience for each boy.

This week your son will have completed activities in class that are part of our specialist Prep to Year 6 screening program, unique to the College and run by BBC’s dedicated Speech Pathologist, Evelyn Terry. The initiative is focused on screening each student’s ability in phonological awareness - skills that are fundamental to literacy development. The program enables us to identify each boy’s strengths and weaknesses and importantly assists our teachers in differentiating the curriculum in class to accommodate for individual needs.

Should your son require any additional support, his teacher will be in contact with you over the coming weeks.

Ms Evelyn Terry
SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST

BOYS’ CLUB

Boys’ Club is an activity group for boys from Years 1 to 6 that runs two lunch times per week. It is manned by at least two staff who supervise and interact with the boys as they choose books to read, LEGO to construct, puzzles and games to play. It is set up to help boys meet friends, find a quiet haven or simply as a place to do something different in their lunch hours. Boys come each week by booking in on a sheet on the Junior Map Centre door.

Mrs Jill Hamilton
LEARNING SUPPORT TEACHER

THE PROP PROGRAM

As part of the Kidsmatter Program at BBC, parents are welcomed and encouraged to play an active role in the school community. We do this in a variety of ways and the PROP Program is one of them.

The PROP Program (Phonic Revision Often Program) was established a year ago and its purpose is to support families whose children have need of extra support in reading. Three mornings a week before school, parent volunteers or others within the BBC community, come before school and:

- listen to the students as they practise the sounds they need to read well,
- hear the sound patterns they need to spell accurately and
- play an educational game that reinforces what they are learning.

Each student is heard individually and we have found by practising these skills regularly with the students, the boys’ skills in reading improve significantly over a relatively short space of time. Not only do their skills improve, but they enjoy both the camaraderie they experience with the other boys and the individual support they receive at PROP.

All parents or volunteers taking part in the program, will do a training course in Term 1 where they learn about phonics and how children learn to read. This year, our training course involved a time commitment of one and a half hours each Wednesday morning for five weeks. Volunteers who complete the training course are encouraged to commit to at least one term’s participation in PROP once a week.

Looking for volunteers

We are planning to hold another training course and will be seeking interested parents or grandparents through the school newsletter. Please email jhamilton@bbc.qld.edu.au for further information.

Mrs Jill Hamilton
LEARNING SUPPORT TEACHER, PREP TO YEAR 3

COLLEGE SHOP

For your convenience BBC College Shop will be open every day next week from Monday 30 January to Friday 3 February from 7.30am to 3.30pm.

All orders for hats, towels and bag tags have now been delivered to the respective classes.

Mrs Lesley Ross
COLLEGE SHOP MANAGER

TUCKSHOP

Tuckshop roster week commencing Monday 30 January

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Mrs Barbara Harvey
TUCKSHOP CONVENOR
Co-curricular Activities

BBC ROBOTICS CLUB

Robotics Club at Brisbane Boys' College aims to:

- Foster creativity in students at Brisbane Boys’ College
- Develop problem solving skills in students
- Create a rich learning environment for young scientists and engineers
- Promote fine motor coordination in students
- Promote teamwork

Robotics Club is offered from Years 4 to 12 and is a competitive activity aimed at teaching the skills necessary for students to construct and program robots to compete in the RoboCup Junior Regional, State, National and International Championships. The commitment is one afternoon per week.

There is a Robotics shirt that is available to students through the College Shop. This is a compulsory uniform when boys are competing at RoboCup. Boys can also wear the shirt at training.

There are three challenges in RoboCup:

- Robot Dance and Robot Theatre, where the robot is choreographed to music.
- Robot Rescue, where a rescue robot has to follow a line around and over obstacles to locate and rescue victims of a chemical spill at an industrial plant.
- Robot Soccer, where teams of two robots play soccer on a field 2.4 metres x 1.2 metres chasing a ball that emits infra-red light.

The groups offered are:

- Years 4 and 5 students who have not participated in Robotics Club in 2016, will have a 10 week structured program where they will learn the basics of robot construction and programming. At the end of this program the boys will demonstrate what they have learned to their parents on a display evening. Numbers are strictly limited by resources available. Boys will be able to participate in Robotics in either Semester 1 or Semester 2, but not both. This enables them to participate in other co-curricular activities in the alternate semester.

- Year 5 students who were Club members in 2016 will have a 10 week program during Semester 1, followed by a display evening. Talented individuals identified by trainers may be invited to participate in an advanced group in the second semester to prepare them for RoboCup competition.

- Year 6 students will have a 10 week structured program during Semester 1 to prepare them for the RoboCup Dance challenge, followed by a display evening. Teams that are considered ‘competition ready’ will be invited to compete in the RoboCup Junior Queensland Championships at the University of Queensland in August.

There is a strict limit to the number of places offered in Robotics due to resource availability. Boys need to enrol in the co-curricular program through the College to be considered for a position in the groups. A link to an online form will be placed in the Robotics section of Highlands for boys who wish to try robotics, or those who wish to continue in Robotics. The groups will be allocated as replies are obtained. For enrolment information please see the Robotics section of Highlands.

All students who have chosen Robotics as an activity in 2017, please click here to obtain enrolment information.

Robotics is expected to start around the last week in February or earlier once trainers are allocated to groups. You will be notified when teams are finalised.

Mr Colin Noy
MIC OF ROBOTICS

2017 GPS Cross Country Season

The 2017 GPS 10 years to Open Cross Country Championships will be held in week seven of Term 2 - Wednesday 31 May at Limestone Park.

GPS Cross Country Training

Training for Junior School boys will commence in week four of Term 1 (week beginning Monday 13 February)

NB: Middle and Senior School training commences next week. Any motivated Junior School boys are welcome to join in these differentiated training sessions.

Training sessions:

- Monday and Thursday mornings: 6.45am-7.45am
- Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons: 3.15pm-4.15pm

GPS in season sports cricket and swimming take priority over cross country training – that is, no student representing BBC in GPS cricket or swimming should be absent from training for those sports to attend cross country training.

Term 1 meets:

- Friday 17 March Prep to Year 6 Interhouse Cross Country
- Thursday 26 March GPS Years 5 to 12 Lead Up Meet 1 (BSSH-BBC host) Minnippi Parklands, Tingalpa.

Mr Russel Hansen
DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS (TRACK & FIELD, CROSS COUNTRY)

Term 1 Co-Curricular Activities commence:

Week 1

GPS Swimming - Friday nights
GPS Cricket - Saturday mornings

Week 2

Tennis Coaching - Monday to Friday
Pipe Band Mini Clinics - Tuesday and Friday - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
Athletics Development Programs
Monday to Friday - 7.30am - 8.00am
Boys’ Club - Tuesday and Thursday - 12.50pm - 1.20pm

Week 3

Art Club - Tuesday - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
Chess Club - Tuesday - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
Robotics - Monday - Friday - 3.15pm - 4.30pm
Expressive Arts: Dance - Thursday - 3.15pm - 4.15pm
BBC TENNIS

Over the holidays BBC competed in the Brisbane International Primary Schools Challenge. The College was represented by Sam Bell, Angus Norris, Jay Pyman, Mitchell Slattery and Sammy Taylor. The boys finished in a creditable 6th position. They also had the opportunity to watch some great tennis and met some players. Thanks to Ethan Wilkinson for managing and coaching the team.

All tennis coaching commences next week on the newly resurfaced blue/green Junior School courts. Students have the options of doing group coaching, private coaching and the more advanced students can participate in the Junior Development squads. The registration forms are attached to the newsletter or can be picked up from the Junior School Office and Tennis Office.

Mr Chris Rolph
DIRECTOR OF TENNIS

GPS JUNIOR SWIMMING

The boys began their preparation for the GPS Carnival with a swim camp in the final week of the holidays. Over 30 boys attended the four days, with one day being held at Dunlop Park as the boys tested their skills in a 50m pool. All the boys trained well and this dedication was reflected in their improved times. Term 1 training times are shown below and every Friday (beginning 27 January) we will be attending a lead-up meet until the Carnival on 3 March. A bus is provided to and from these meets and boys must register on the list outside Mr Bassingthwaighte’s classroom by the Wednesday. As with all GPS events, boys must attend in the complete uniform. We have over 55 boys training at the moment but it is not too late for new boys to join the program. If you wish to do so, please contact rbassingthwaighte@bbc.qld.edu.au

Term 1, 2017 Training Session Times

Morning Session

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BGS Playing Fields: Nudgee Rd, Northgate (look for the electronic sign near BGS No 1 Oval for field locations and draw details)

BBC Playing Fields

Oakman Park – opposite BBC campus across footbridge (For parking, enter off Union St, Taringa)

Miskin Oval – on BBC main campus, Parking on Miskin St, Toowong

QASMT Oval (Qld Academy of Science, Maths & Technology), Fmr Toowong College, Parking off Miskin St, Toowong, opposite BBC Miskin Oval

BGGS Playing Fields No 2 (Brisbane Girls Grammar School Playing Fields), Sprunger Street, Fig Tree Pocket

Jack Cook Park - 47 Indooroopilly Road, Taringa

Weekly training times:

Year 5: Monday - 3.15pm – 5.00pm, Thursday - 6.50am – 8.00am
Year 6: Monday - 3.15pm – 5.00pm, Wednesday - 6.55am – 8.00am

Mr Mark Pitura
MIC JUNIOR CRICKET

GPS CRICKET

GPS Cricket draw for the Saturday 28 January v BGS:

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Mr Russell Bassingthwaighte
MIC JUNIOR SWIMMING
BBC Pipe Band

I would first like to wish everyone all the best for 2017 from BBC Pipe Band. This year is very busy once again for BBC Pipe Band with pipers and drummers requested to perform at many school and community performances. On top of this, our band will be building towards the five week tour to Scotland in 2018 to participate in the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo.

The band looks to head overseas every two years, and ask any of the Pipe Band boys, it is a fantastic opportunity.

If boys in the Junior School would like to join the Pipe Band or find out a little more about what’s involved, don’t hesitate to contact either Mr Quill squil@bbc.qld.edu.au or Mr Stanley sstanley@bbc.qld.edu.au

Pipe Band Mini Clinics

This year will see much more on offer from the Pipe Band in terms of after school activities in the Junior School.

If you are in Years 3 to 6 why not enrol in the Pipe Band mini-clinics and give it a go. It doesn’t matter if you have participated before or if you are new to this year, come along, as we will have staff in place to look after you and your skill set.

Tuesday: Learn bagpipes - 3.00pm – 4.00pm
Friday: Learn Pipe Band drumming - 3.00pm – 4.00pm
Learn how to be a Drum Major - 3.00pm – 4.00pm

Registration forms are available in this edition of the newsletter, or via the Junior School Office.

Mr Steven Stanley
DIRECTOR BBBC PIPE BAND

Junior School Chess Club

Chess lessons for Term 1 will commence on Tuesday 7 February to 14 March from 3.15pm to 4.15pm in the Junior School for boys in Years 1 to 6. The lessons cater for all abilities, from beginners to advanced players. The boys will be divided into groups for tutoring during each session. Numbers will be capped for Term 1. Worldwide studies have shown that Chess improves thinking, math, lateral, creative, spatial, cognitive and social skills. Chess is considered to be the ‘gymnastics of the mind’ and is a part of the school curriculum in more than 25 countries throughout the world.

Please complete the attached registration form and return it to the Junior School Office.

Mr Shaun Thompson
MIC JUNIOR CHESS

Art Club

For those boys who wish to follow their individual interests, explore new mediums and techniques or build upon what they are working on in class, Art Club is a great after school activity. The boys are given the freedom to choose their mediums and techniques in an environment that encourages them to share, collaborate and enjoy the making process and their final works. Art Club will commence in Week 3 on Tuesday 6 February and continue each Tuesday until 21 March.

Please complete the attached registration form and return it to the Junior School Office.

Ms Kim Murray
ART TEACHER

Expressive Arts Workshops

Expressive Arts are co-curricular activities which give the students the opportunity to participate in Dance, Drama, Theatre and Media workshops. They’re run after school with groups of students from 15 to 100 participants. Expressive Arts will incorporate Dance, Drama and Theatre workshops in Term 1 and activities are co-facilitated by industry professionals. Audio Visual and Movie Making workshops will return in Term 2.

• Dance - Tuesdays (Years 1 to 6), 3.00pm – 4.00pm
• Drama/Theatre – Thursdays (Years 3 to 6), 3.15pm – 4.15pm

Expressive Arts: Drama (Term 1)

To develop basic speech and drama techniques the boys will be actively participating in theatre games and sports. Matthew from Mashed Theatre is excited to return for his second year working at BBC.

Expressive Arts: Dance (Term 1)

The students will have the opportunity to dance alongside industry professionals. This term the focus will be on hip-hop. Each week the boys will learn new concepts and moves.

Expressive Arts: Audio Visual (Term 2)

Audio Visual workshops will allow the students to create, direct and produce their own movies. Using a range of programs and devices the students will take photos and video clips. They’ll then edit them to create their own movies.

Numbers are limited so submit your enrolment form as soon as possible to ensure your sons spot. Registration forms will be available next week in the Junior School Office.

Mr Shaun Thompson
MIC - EXPRESSIVE ARTS
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 and 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 019 195. For further information visit www.actionfactory.com.au

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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!
Each year Brisbane Boys’ College offers a number of scholarship and bursary opportunities for boys to benefit from a BBC education.

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS
Awarded for excellence in academic achievement. Please ensure you apply for the correct exam type.

DECUS (EXCELLENCE) SCHOLARSHIPS
Awarded to boys who exhibit the personal qualities for which the College is known and can demonstrate excellence in sports or performing arts.

BOARDING SCHOLARSHIPS
Awarded to students with the potential to achieve good results in the classroom and embrace the wider school programs.

BUSH KIDS BURSARY
Recently established to provide an opportunity for a deserving student from a rural background who has the potential to maximise the benefits of a BBC education.

GUY ROBERTS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
Awarded to a young man who demonstrates sound academic ability, character and leadership attributes, and the ability to contribute to the co-curricular life of the College.

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS
Academic scholarships are awarded based on ACER examination results, recent academic record and may involve an interview with parents and the applicant.

2017 REGISTRATION AND EXAMINATION DATES
Monday 6 February - closing date to register for the Cooperative Program and Primary Cooperative program.
Saturday 25 February - ACER Scholarship exam
Saturday 18 February - closing date to register for the alternate ACER Scholarship exam day (Tuesday 28 February).

To register visit www.bbc.qld.edu.au/scholarships

FURTHER INFORMATION
Student Admissions
Brisbane Boys’ College
T (07) 3309 3658
E admissions@bbc.qld.edu.au
As our boys move into Year 4 of our Junior School, we maintain our focus from our Prep to Year 3 ‘Adventure’ theme and introduce the specific rules, regulations and plays for Football, Cricket, Rugby, Basketball and all Track and Field events, including Cross Country. At this level, we do not engage in formal competitions. Rather, we seek to enable boys to learn a range of sport specific skills, experience the dynamic of achieving set goals and, in the process, develop a determination to excel.

Year 4 is a natural link between our Prep - Year 3 program of developing skills of locomotion, manipulation and stabilisation, and the GPS Years 5 to 12 competitive sporting environment. In Year 4, we explicitly focus more on boys operating within a team environment – with all the excitement, trepidation and complexities that derive from that experience. We know that positive contributions to “team” construct character strengths, develop skills of communication and provide a platform to continue our decision to meet World Health Organisation recommendations of 60 minutes per day of moderate to vigorous activity. To our Year 4 boys, “We will encourage and empower you – not just coach you.”

“We encourage you to discover what you’re good at.”

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Please tick the appropriate box/es - five classes are available. For all enquiries contact Coordinator Athletic Development Prep to Year 4, Paul Shepherd via pshepherd@bbc.qld.edu.au

I hereby give permission for my son ___________________________ student number ___________________ class __________________ to participate in the Prep to Year 4 Athletic Development Program during Term 1. I am also aware he must wear complete HPE uniform.

Parent’s Name______________________________________________ Parent’s Signature __________________________

* Please return form to the Junior School Office
"We know you as the knight, crusader, viking, gladiator or pirate you are."

We want our Prep - Year 3 boys to have enormous fun while developing their athleticism and we have prepared our programs specifically for the purpose of utilising ‘play’ without being restricted by rules and regulations of specific games or known sports.

We regard three main areas as fundamental in guiding what we do and we see this program as an essential part of the adventure of early learning. In line with our Prep -12 Athletic Development program, we want to develop in your son the three broad skills of ‘Locomotion, Manipulation and Stabilisation.’ The activities we have planned cover the full range for each of these – running, skipping, hopping, catching, throwing, grasping, striking, balance, rotation, anti-rotation and bracing.

Part of our Prep – Year 3 ‘Adventure’ supports the World Health Organisation recommendations of 60 minutes per day of moderate to vigorous exercise. We believe, in our drive to develop your son’s physical and character strength, that puffing and sweating through play based exercise everyday whilst learning specific skills, is a terrific base from which to build confidence – and to our Prep – Year 3 boys, “We will help you find confidence by unearthing your talent.”

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I hereby give permission for my son __________________________ student number __________________________ class __________________________ to participate in the Prep to Year 3 Athletic Development Program during Term 1. I am also aware he must wear complete HPE uniform.

Parent’s Name___________________________________________________ Parent’s Signature __________________________________

* Please return form to the Junior School Office.
I wish to enrol my son in the Bagpipe Mini Clinic, Term 1 2017

First name: ________________________________________ Surname: ____________________________

Student number: ____________________________ Class: ____________________________

Students are encouraged to continue each term in the Pipe Band Mini Clinics.

Are you new to the bagpipe mini clinic? Yes / No

Are you returning to the bagpipe mini clinic? Yes / No _____

Parent Signature: ___________________________________ Date: ______ /______ /______

* Please return completed form to the Junior School Office - attention Mr Stanley
Due to the nature and the art of drum majoring, this mini clinic will be capped at 10 Junior School boys. Placement will be on a first come registration.

This is an exciting new mini clinic which will give the boys an experience in the art of drum majoring and will encompass marching, mace flourishing and voice commands.

**DATES:** Every Friday (for eight weeks) from 3 February to 24 March 2017

**TIME:** 3.00pm - 4.00pm

**WHERE:** Boys are to assemble at the Junior School Office where they will be collected by staff to be taken to the BBC Pipe Band Rooms. Parents can collect their son at 4.00pm from the Junior School pick up zone.

**Mr Stevie Stanley**  
**PIPE BAND DIRECTOR**

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I wish to enrol my son in the Pipe Band Drum Major Mini Clinic, Term 1 2017

First name: ______________________________________ Surname: ________________________________

Student number: __________________________________ Class: _________________________________

Students are encouraged to continue each term in the Pipe Band Mini Clinics.

Are you new to the drum major mini clinic? Yes / No

Are you returning to the drum major mini clinic? Yes / No __

Parent Signature: ______________________________ Date: ______ / ______ / ______

* Please return completed form to the Junior School Office - attention Mr Stanley
The aim of the clinics is to introduce boys to the Pipe Band, which has become synonymous with the College, and to provide an environment where they can simply ‘have a go’ at learning the pipe band drums.

The sessions will promote team work, social skills and discipline as boys work through a structured music book on the practice pad with their drum sticks in a fun environment. This will cover holding the sticks, basic technique and basic rudiments and maybe even cover a ‘wee’ drum score.

DATES: Every Friday (for eight weeks) from 3 February to 24 March 2017

TIME: 3.00pm - 4.00pm

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Mr Stevie Stanley
PIPE BAND DIRECTOR

I wish to enrol my son in the Pipe Band Drums Mini Clinic, Term 1 2017

First name: ____________________________________ Surname: ____________________________________

Student number: __________________________ Class: __________________________

Students are encouraged to continue each term in the Pipe Band Mini Clinics.

Are you new to the drums mini clinic? Yes / No

Are you returning to the drums mini clinic? Yes / No ______

Parent Signature: __________________________ Date: _____ / _____ / _____

* Please return completed form to the Junior School Office - attention Mr Stanley
Music Rehearsals

All Music rehearsals will begin next week (Week 2). If you are unsure of your ensemble please email the Music Department (music@bbc.qld.edu.au)

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BBC Tennis 2017 – Term 1 – Prep to Year 3

Prep: 6 students/coach – 30 minute lessons
**Program goals:** program is designed to develop skills such as movement, hand-eye coordination and balance. Low compression balls are used to make players control the ball easier. At completion of the lesson the coach will take all the students to class. **Cost:** $18 per person, per session. Lesson time: Tuesday 7.50am to 8.20am

**Year 1:** 6 students/coach – 30 minute lessons – Thursday 7.50am to 8.20am
**Program goals:** program is designed to develop skills such as movement, hand-eye coordination and balance. Basic stroke production is introduced using low compression balls. At completion of the lesson the coach will take all the students to class. **Cost:** $18 per person, per session.

**Year 2 and Year 3:** 6 students/coach – 45 minute lessons – Wednesday 3.10pm to 3.55pm
**Program goals:** the program also concentrates on basic skill acquisition as for Prep and Year 1 but in addition includes tennis techniques and strategies. A written program is available. **Cost:** $20 per person, per session.

**Private Lessons**
**Cost:** $45 per lesson - 1 to 2 students – 30 minute lessons. **Lesson times:** Before and after school and lunch time.
- Please direct enquiries to Chris Rolph, Director of Tennis on T 33093619 | E croph@bbc.qld.edu.au
- Further information is also available from the Tennis Office (located behind the Senior Courts).

Term 1 Registration Form - All lessons commence in Week 2

**Name:** ___________________________________________ **Age/Year:** ______________________

Please tick selected sessions as indicated on the table below. If requesting private coaching please indicate name of coach in space provided and they will contact you regarding schedule. **Fees are payable in full with this registration.** Last week of term is available for make-up lessons.

I consent for the above named to participate in the BBC Tennis Training Program

Signed Parent/Guardian: ___________________________________________ Email: ___________________________ Ph __________________________

Relevant Medical Conditions: ___________________________________________

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Enclosed (Please tick) Cash........ Cheque......... Total fees enclosed: $____________

**NB:** Cheque payments should be made payable to ‘Kensington Terrace Ltd’ and returned to: Chris Rolph, Director of Tennis, Kensington Terrace, Toowong Qld 4066.

**Credit Card Payments:**
MASTERCARD………… VISA………… Name on Card: ______________________________
Card No: ......................... Expiry: .......... Amount: ............... Signature Required: ______________________________

Please direct enquiries to Chris Rolph, Director of Tennis on T 33093619 | E croph@bbc.qld.edu.au
BBC Tennis 2017 – Term 1 – Years 4 to 7

Junior Development Squad (Year 4 to 7) - 4 students/coach – 1.5 hour lessons
Catering for: GPS standard players; fixture players; tournament players (At Senior School Courts)
Cost: $35 per person, per session. Lesson times: Monday 3.10pm to 4.40pm/Thursday 3.10pm to 4.40pm

Private Lessons - 1 to 2 students; 30 minute lessons
Cost: $45 per Lesson. Lesson available: Before and after school and lunch time

Junior School (Year 4 and 5) - 6 students/coach – 45 minute lessons (maximum 6 boys per group)
Catering for: Beginner to intermediate level players. Cost: $20 per group lesson
Lessons available: Monday/Thursday afternoons - 3.10pm to 3.55pm; Friday mornings - 7.15am to 8.00am

Junior School (Year 6 and 7) - 6 students/coach – 1 hour Lessons (maximum 6 boys per group)
Catering for: beginner to intermediate level players. Cost: $22 per group lesson
Lessons available: Tuesday/ Friday afternoon (3.10pm to 4.10pm). All sessions at Junior School courts.

- Please direct enquiries to Chris Rolph, Director of Tennis on 3309 3619 or crolph@bbc.qld.edu.au
- Further information is also available from the Tennis Office (located behind the Senior Courts).

Term 1 Registration Form - All lessons commence in Week 2

Name: ____________________________ Age/Year: ____________________________

Please tick selected sessions as indicated on the table below. If requesting private coaching please indicate name of coach in space provided and they will contact you regarding schedule. Fees are payable in full with this registration. Last week of term is available for make-up lessons.

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Signed Parent/Guardian___________________ Email:______________________Ph_________________

Relevant Medical Conditions: _________________________________________________________

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Enclosed (Please tick) Cash......... Cheque......... Total fees enclosed: $  

NB: Cheque payments should be made payable to ‘Kensington Terrace Ltd’ and returned to: Chris Rolph, Director of Tennis, Kensington Terrace, Toowong Qld 4066.

Credit Card Payments:
MASTERCARD........... VISA............ Name on Card: .................................................
Card No: ................./................./................./................. Expiry: ................./........ Amount: .................
Signature Required: ..................................................................................
Chess lessons for Term 1 will commence on Tuesday 7 February to 21 March from 3.15pm – 4.15pm in the Junior School. The lessons cater for all abilities, from beginners to advanced players. The boys will be divided into groups for tutoring during each session. Numbers will be capped for Term 1.

Studies conducted worldwide have shown that Chess improves thinking, math, lateral, creative, spatial, cognitive and social skills.

Chess is considered to be the ‘gymnastics of the mind’ and is a part of the school curriculum in more than 25 countries throughout the world.

Mr Shaun Thompson
MIC Junior Chess

To be returned to the Junior School Office

Chess Coaching Term 1 2017

I wish to enroll my son in Chess Coaching in the following Term1.

Son's Name: ________________________________ Student ID: ____________

Class: ________

Date of Birth: ___/___/___

Email: ________________________________

Signed:__________________________________ ___/___/___
Term 1 Art Club is run on Tuesdays for 6 weeks commencing 7 February to 21 March (there will be no Art Club on 7 March due to school camps) from 3.00pm to 4.00pm in the Junior School Art Room. There are only 20 places available each term. The boys are encouraged to use their initiative and creativity to make art works of choice. There is no cost for Art Club. The boys only need to bring their afternoon tea.

If your son is interested in joining Art Club please complete the form below and return to the Junior School Office as soon as possible.

I wish to enrol my son in Art Club in Term 1 2017.

Student Name: ___________________________ Student No.: ________ Class: ________

Address: _______________________________________________ Postcode: ________

Mobile No.: ________________________________ Email: __________________________

Parent Signature: __________________________ Date: _______/_____/______

* Please return form to the Junior School Office