Dear Parents/Guardians & students

We would like to thank all our students, staff and parents for a great Athletics carnival despite the fact that we had to change the date on short notice. Thanks for your understand-

Calendar

- **Year 7-10 Assessment Free**
  20 -26 Jun
- **Brainstorm K-6, Yr7-9**
  23 Jun
- **Blaze Out**
  23 Jun
- **Pathfinders & Adventurers Hall Night**
  24 Jun
- **Year 7-10 Exams**
  27-30 Jun
- **Term 2 Ends**
  30 Jun
- **HOLIDAYS**
  3 - 18 Jul
- **Term 3 Begins**
  19 Jul
- **Blaze Out**
  21 Jun
- **Japanese Arrive**
  21 Jun - 3 Aug
- **Pathfinders & Adventurers Hall Night**
  22 Jul
- **Bonfire Night**
  29 Jul
General News

Bookmark Winners!

As part of the Blue Hills College Auction/Trivia Night, students submitted some beautiful artworks for parents to view and purchase. Many parents commented on the effort from students and teachers and loved the wide range of different techniques used this year! A big thank you to all of the families who made a donation on the night.

Mrs Carden

Depression & Anxiety

Get Your Life Back!
DARP - Nedley Depression Recovery Program.
Learn How To:
• Enhance your energy levels and mood
• Manage stress without distress
• Overcome depression and anxiety through positive lifestyle choices and right thinking

(Contact: Leanne Rudwick Mobile: 0473 969 090)

ATTEND A FREE INFORMATION SESSION!

When:
Sunday, 25 June at 3:00 pm or
Tuesday, 27 June at 6:30 pm

Where:
Blue Hills College, Goonellabah

Japanese host families

Blue Hills College will be hosting 20-25 Japanese students from our sister school in Tokyo this year from 21 July — 3 August and we would love it if you could host a student at your home for a small amount of time.

The experience of hosting a Japanese student is often both an enriching and exciting one for you and your family. Students usually develop friendships with each other that last a lifetime as well as gain an important insight into other countries and cultures. If you are interested in hosting a Japanese student then please do not hesitate to contact Mr Neuhoff or Mrs Spence ASAP! Thank you for your support in this matter.

*Families will receive $300 at the conclusion of their students home stay to assist with covering expenses

SRC Fundraiser

SRC fundraiser for our Asian Aid Sponsored Child - Friday 23rd June, students will be able to purchase Spider Drinks for $2 in order to help raise funds for our Sponsored Child.
Pupil Free Days

Please remember that the first two days of Term 3 are Pupil Free Days. Schools are required to do a number of professional development days per year and Monday (17 July) and Tuesday (18 July) are scheduled for the staff.

Dental Poster Competition

Holiday Poster Competition aimed at primary school aged kids.

Please see the poster and website for more details.

Poster Requirements

Posters are to be minimum A4 in size. Actual dimensions can vary, but larger than A4 is acceptable.

Any medium will be accepted, including painting, drawing, collage, photography, digital, etc.

Winners will have their posters displayed at Bytes Dental Ballina and Bytes Dental Lismore.

Digital images will be displayed online only, unless a paper print is also supplied.

Age categories are:
8 years old and under (including 8 year olds)
12 years old and under (including 12 year olds)

Prizes:
A Playdoh Dentist Drill and Fill set is the major prize and an electric toothbrush is for the runners up.

The theme of the poster is dental. This can include dental health, healthy foods, going to the dentist, having dental work, getting a surprise at the dentist, shiny white teeth, dental disease, germs, plaque, dental decay, dental drills, surgery, blood, guts or whatever "dental" means to you. May your creativity be unleashed and May the floss be with you!

Posters and printed entry forms can be submitted at either practice by the due date, 17th July 2017.

Hardcopy posters will be displayed during Dental Health Week. The winners will be announced during Dental Health Week on 1st of August. Prizes

School Holiday Workshops

For high school students 14-17 years old

Get a headstart on your peers, meet new people and have fun on your holidays.

Workshop 1—Communication—Stand Up and Deliver

Workshop 2—Business Knowledge—Starting the Start-up

Workshop 3—Effective leadership and goal setting—Be the Change

Monday - 10 July, Lismore
9am-12pm
$25 pp
To register call or email:
mikhara@groundchai.com OR 0424 044 247
GROUND CHAI
www.groundchai.com
General School News

Year 3

We had fun playing with the Bee Bots on Friday. They were used to navigate around the map and work out strategies for finding the best way to get across. Here is a picture of Charli and Gigi with their Bee Bots.

Absenteeism

If your child is absent from school could you kindly email: absentees@bluehills.nsw.edu.au

OR

telephone the College on the day.

If this is not possible, please provide a note when your child returns. This will ensure our records are kept up-to-date.

Thank you

Semester 1 Examinations 2017—Tuesday, 27 June – Friday, 30 June

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School holidays are approaching...come spend them with us!

GSAC
50 Oliver Avenue Goonellabah
We have all our regular fun games, swimming and craft activities happening every day, plus our main morning and afternoon activities.

**DAILY FEE**
- HOURS: 7.30am - 6pm
- PROGRAM FEE: $55*
- YOUR FEE: $27.50
  - After receiving the Child Care rebate

*Less any Child Care Benefit deducted immediately from the fee.

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<td>North Coast Dance Academy show us some cool moves! Bring your dancing shoes</td>
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<td>Make SUNCATCHERS &amp; Play STOCKING BALL</td>
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<td>Basketball knockout + DYNAMIC DUOS</td>
<td>Cook a Jacket Potato to have with Lunch</td>
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<td>TUE 11TH JULY</td>
<td>Dress up day - Super hero or Your Favourite character &amp; play HOOP TAG</td>
<td>Miming CHALLENGES Plus SAUSAGE SIZZLE LUNCH</td>
<td>MAKE SNOW GLOBES &amp; Parade your outfit to win a prize</td>
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<td>WED 12TH JULY</td>
<td>STATE OF ORIGIN SHOW DOWN Come dressed in your team colours &amp; play for your chosen state</td>
<td>-Leap cane toad -Tunnel cockroach -Three legged races And more</td>
<td>TUG O WAR FINAL * Make a Footy inspired Biscuit Treat</td>
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<td>Balloon Frenzy + ROTATIONAL GAMES</td>
<td>SNOW BALL FIGHT</td>
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<td>CRAZY HAIR + Hula hoop &amp; Skipping rope comp</td>
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How to Book or Enrol

Bookings are essential - Enrol on line at https://activekids-gsac.hubworks.com.au
Contact: gsac@activekidsasc.com.au M: 0412 797 916
Congratulations once again to Malachi Canning. Malachi finished in 3rd place and has made it to the next level of the NSW PSSA (NSW Primary Schools Sports Association). Well done!

Self Defence — Hapkido

Starting on Monday, 12 June John Koronui will be holding classes for a type of Korean Marshall art called ‘Hapkido’ which teaches self defence, self confidence, and discipline. John has 20 years experience in Hapkido and will love to help anyone who is willing to learn self defence. The class will go for an hour from 3:30pm until 4:30pm and will be held at Blue Hills College in the MPC. For further information please contact John on 0409 142 704—Facebook page— jkhapkido.

WANTED - House For Rent

WANTED HOUSE TO RENT — BHC school assistant, Wendy, her primary aged daughter and small dog are looking for a rental property in the area. Excellent references are available. If you know of a place, please contact Wendy on 0435 035 633.

Prayer List

At Blue Hills College, we believe in the power of prayer. Please contact us if you would like to share specific prayer requests with our staff. We ask you to join us in praying for specific individuals, both students and staff.

“Don’t fret or worry. Instead of worrying, pray. Let petitions and praises shape your worries into prayers, letting God know your concerns. Before you know it, a sense of God’s wholeness, everything coming together for good, will come and settle you down. It’s wonderful what happens when Christ displaces worry at the center of your life.” (Phil 4:6-7, MSG)

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