FROM MELISSA PROVOST-BOYLE: ACTING PRINCIPAL

Great Results Guarantee 2014 Funding

In February, Ascot School received $217,614 in Great Results Guarantee (GRG) funding to improve student outcomes. As a school we submitted the following strategies to improve student outcomes:

- Implementing targeted, evidence-based strategies to improve student performance in Literacy and Numeracy:
  - Employing a Pedagogical Coach to coach and mentor teachers in explicit teaching practices.
  - Providing professional development (internal and external) to all teachers and teacher-aides in explicit teaching practices.
  - Purchasing TRS to release teachers for Coaching Conversations.
  - Developing capacity of all teacher-aides to enhance learning in collaboration with classroom teachers.
  - Purchasing TRS to release Prep Teacher/s to establish networks with feeder Pre-Prep Providers.
  - Purchasing additional resources to complement initiatives.
  - School Team to visit “like schools” performing at higher level in Melbourne and/or New South Wales.

As a school, we implemented targeted, evidence-based strategies to improve student performance in Literacy and Numeracy:

- Implemented Teacher Peer Coaching and lesson observations.
- Employed additional teachers, with identified expertise in Literacy/Numeracy, to extend/support Years 2/4 and additional support (T/TA) in Years 1 and 3.
- Employed a Specialist Math Teacher to support extension students in Years 5, 6 and 7 (Terms 1 and 2).
- Additional Learning Support in Prep/Year 1.
- Implemented a remedial Speech Language Therapy program for Prep students requiring support in Oral Language.
- Implemented a remedial Phonics program for Year 1 students identified as requiring support.
- Implemented additional support (T/TA) for English as an Additional Dialect (EAL/D) students across the school identified as requiring support.
- Purchased additional resources to support initiatives in English, Maths, EAL/D and Learning Support.
- Two administrators and six classroom teachers (Prep, Years 4/5/7/6) visited “like schools” performing at higher level in Melbourne. Each participant, including Administrators, wrote a report identifying differences in pedagogical and leadership practices between Ascot State School and the schools visited and implemented these better practices at Ascot State School.
- PD for aspiring leaders to develop leadership, coaching skills, pedagogy and data analysis.
- PD (internal and external providers) for teachers and teacher aides in effective pedagogical practices in Literacy and Numeracy.
- Released Prep Teachers to visit and host visits with Pre-Prep providers to build stronger partnerships and have shared understandings around skill and routine expectations of students entering Prep.

The following strategic initiatives are in place for the 2015 GRG funding agreement:

- Full time, highly qualified Maths Specialist Teacher to work with students and coach teachers.
- Full time Head of Curriculum.
- Professional development (internal and external) to all teachers and teacher-aides in explicit teaching practices.
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Ascot State School will undergo a School Accreditation process through Australasian School Accreditation Agency (ASAA) in Term 1 2015. The ASAA Accreditation process is a high quality, high status tool that attests the effectiveness of the school across seven domain areas:

- Identity
- Learning Outcomes
- Curriculum
- Effective Teaching
- Governance
- Leadership
- Management.

This week, Monday to Wednesday, Angela Dawson and I will be panel members for an ASAA School Accreditation process for Banksia Beach State School. This is a valuable opportunity for us to self-assess our readiness for the accreditation process in 2015.

On Friday teachers acknowledged the wonderful support we’ve received throughout the year from our Class Parent Reps with a morning tea. Once again, thank you to our Class Parent Reps for the work you’ve done to support the school and the P&C; it is greatly appreciated.

Congratulations to our fabulous Music Department for the Musical Evenings; they were an overwhelming success. Our students are just so talented - it’s great for them to have the opportunity to shine!

Reminders:

End of Year Arrangements are well underway, starting with classes for 2015. Classes are being finalised. Please note that requests regarding car-pooling and parent friendship groups have not been considered in forming 2015 classes; our focus is always on the children’s needs.

A new class and a new teacher is an opportunity for children to make new friends and to have new learning experiences.

Meet the Teacher afternoon will be held on Wednesday 10 December. Children will go to their classroom for next year to spend the afternoon with their new teacher.

As we move into the Christmas period I know that many parents wish to give teachers a gift to thank them for the year. I wanted to draw your attention to the EQ’s policy on receiving gifts and benefits. In particular, employees must refuse any offer of cash or any items which are readily converted into cash — such as a lottery ticket or “scratchie”, shares or a gift voucher.

All gifts that have a value of more than $150.00 must be recorded in DETE’s gift registry.

Have a great week.

Regards

Melissa Provost-Boyle
Acting Principal

BOUQUETS

Thank you to the Music Department and Friends of Music for the Choral Music Evening last Thursday - it was an entertaining evening.

Thank you to the P&C for their generous support through the year; working together as a team has significant outcomes and benefits for our children. Thank you to everyone who attended the P&C last Wednesday night - a wonderful way to thank and acknowledge the great supporters of our school.

Thank you to Anna Harte for volunteering to be the Parent Representative on the Discipline Audit Review.

FROM YOUR P&C

At some time, we all stop and contemplate our purpose in life. Well, I don’t know THE answer to that question, so instead, what do you think is the purpose of Ascot State School P&C?

For me, the answer is threefold:

- To provide resources and opportunities to support students and enhance their learning.
- To support and value our teachers and encourage them to create opportunities and be innovative in their classrooms.
- To improve the physical school environment.

Obviously to do these things, requires funding and I thank the parent and local businesses for their financial support throughout this year. It has allowed us to approve a program of improvements for 2014/2015 to the tune of $170,000.

Last week I thanked those parents who had gone above and beyond. These 25 wonderful parents were given gift baskets by way of appreciation at our final dinner last week.

Today I acknowledge and thank my Executive team: Catherine McLeod, Stella De Jager, Michael Spork and Toni Mitchell. In my first year as President, I have appreciated their support, commitment and encouragement.

I would also like to thank the heads of the Sub-Committees: Nicola Warda, Julia Collins, Kate Rutter, Marion Wilson, Tracy Roberts, Cameron McLeod, Pat Gerry, Katrina Murphy, Beck McWilliam and also Rachel and Peter from the Welcome Group. Quite simply – you are all awesome!
On Monday 8 December, there is an assembly for the school to say goodbye to Jane, but we took the opportunity last week to thank Jane for her unwavering support of our P&C during the last 15 years. She was touched and very appreciative of her gift. Here she is with Jacqui Conias (who designed the pop art piece) and Marion Wilson (who designed the building.)

A good time was had by all - the children were beautifully behaved and had a great time.

Thank you to Mrs. Mason, Mr. Marsh and those wonderful parents who joined them, for providing this experience and taking such excellent care of their students.

The second group leave tomorrow and I’m sure they will have an equally fun time.

Assembly

Year 4 presents our final Middle School Assembly for the year next week, highlighting the Surf Life Saving Association and the work they have completed about sun safety and the Australian lifestyle. Thank you Year 4 and teachers. What a fun way to finish our Assemblies!

Student of the Week: Years 3-7

The Award for the week is for “Being a Good Sport”, a skill that children need to work on and develop in order to gain the most benefit from team pursuits and activities.

Our Awards are purposely selected each year to demonstrate the importance we place on not only academic, musical and sporting achievements, but on the development of the personal and social attributes of each child.

Well done to the recipients of this week’s Awards and congratulation to all the children who have worked hard throughout the year to achieve their goals.

FROM MRS HADDEN: MIDDLE SCHOOL YEARS 3-7

The year is flying by at the speed of light and here we are again with all those exciting events just around the corner.

Underwater World - the travellers return!

Welcome back to our first group of Year 4 students who had their first overnight excursion to Underwater World this week.
Year 6 and Year 7 Graduation

The Year 6 and Year 7 Graduation Ceremony will be held in the hall on Wednesday 10 December. Please note: all students in Years 5-7 are required to wear their formal uniform. Students and parents of graduating students are required to be seated in the hall by 8.55am ready for a prompt 9.00am start.

Bursary Recipients

On Wednesday 3 December those students receiving Bursaries will be informed and their parents notified by letter. On Friday 5 December photos of Bursary winners will be taken at 9.00am. Bursary recipients should be in full school uniform for their photographs with Mrs. Sedgman. Formal uniform is to be worn. The children can then change into their summer uniform. Advanced Life Photography will inform the children of order details.

Swimming Carnivals

Thank you to Mr. Harris and Mrs. Graham for organising our Swimming Carnivals. The children love these days and we appreciate the parents and grandparents who brave the heat to cheer the swimmers and participate in the day. Parents: remember to bring hats, sunscreen and an umbrella to the Carnivals next week.

Have a great week!
Sharyn Hadden, Deputy Principal

FROM MRS HEINRICH: EARLY YEARS

Prep Orientation for 2015

Date Claimer: Prep Orientation for Parents

Prep Orientation for parents is being held Tuesday 2 December in the school hall. Class lists will be announced in this session.

Today some of our new Preps for 2015 had an Orientation visit. This visit helps to ensure a smooth transition into Prep. The next visit is Thursday 27 November. For current parents with Prep children starting next year, please arrive ready for your child to participate in the program from 9.30am. Your child does not need to bring anything. Pick up is at 10.45am. Please meet for both drop off and pick up in the Prep Eating area, located under the Administration building.

2015 Book Lists – A reminder

Kookaburra Educational Resources will again be supplying our student packs for the 2015 School Year. Paper copies of the book lists will be available from the Office on request.

Online Ordering:

- If you do not have online facilities you may pick up a hard copy order form from the school Office.
- A new order must be completed for each student.
- The cut-off date for all orders is 10 December 2014.
- All student packs will be individually wrapped and delivered to your nominated daytime delivery address prior to the start of the 2015 school year (prior to January 21).

• Orders received after 10 December 2014 will be given a low priority and may not be received prior to the start of the 2015 school year.
• Please ensure your orders are received by the due date.
• All orders are firm sale.

Instructions for ordering packs on-line

2. Enter username: ASCOT003 and password: studentpack (lower case).
3. Select Student Packs.
4. Select your student’s 2015 year level.
5. Add the quantity next to products required by your child in the “Quantity” box.
6. When you are satisfied with your selection, click on “Add to Order” at the bottom of the page.
7. Once you are satisfied with your order, click on “Complete Order” at the bottom of this page.
8. Your order will be delivered to your NOMINATED DAYTIME DELIVERY ADDRESS. Please ensure someone will be available to receive the goods at time of delivery or indicate that you would like the delivery left at your front door. You can indicate this in ‘Order Instructions’ box.
9. Please ensure your child’s details are added to this page before proceeding.
10. Proceed to “Payment Details”.
11. Select your payment method and proceed.
12. Click on “Submit Order”.
13. Fill out all details required to complete your order.
14. A copy of your order will be emailed to you as a receipt and a message similar to “Your order has now been placed with Kookaburra. If you have any queries, please contact their office on 1300 766 997”.

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www.kookaburra.com.au

Student of the Week: Prep-Year 2
Week 9 - Completing All Work

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Anita Heinrich, Acting Deputy Principal

STUDENTS ACTIVATING SUCCESS

Ascot students in Years 6 and 7 use the work of Dr. Andrew Martin, UNSW, to further their understanding and growth of learning. Our students discuss their own education; what it means to learn; the value of helpful thinking and behaviour; and how to use their passions and strengths to participate and grow their learning and mindset. Dr. Martin states that students’ self-belief is the key for engagement and motivation in learning.

This week, we hear the final wise words of Student Voice from Miss West’s class:

Every student is a good learner but to be a good learner you need to have a growth mindset. That means you need to think positively and if you fail you get back up and try again.

Ruby

Mrs. Clark teaches us about learning and about having a growth mindset, helpful thinking, helpful behaviors and being in our “control circle”. This helps me to become a better person and a better learner. We should persevere and never give up.

Laura

Learning is like a tree. It keeps growing. Every student can be the best they can be and succeed at life. There are no mistakes in life because we can always fix our problems with a growth mindset. Everyone has a meaning in life. We all have a voice. Mrs. Clark teaches us to help people in need and to be nice and kind to everyone and to live life to the fullest and with no regrets.

If you do something you are not happy with, you should fix it. You can’t blend in when you were born to stand out. That is on the cover of “Wonder”. I think everyone can succeed at life.

Tyler

Listen
Encouragement
A growth mindset
Retry when you fail
Negatives to positives
Imply hard work, practice and commitment
Never give up
Give it a go.

Xandro

Warm regards,
The 7/6 Class Teachers, Students and Deanne Clark

MUSIC NEWS

The school Choirs will be performing at the Racecourse Road Community Carols this Friday night, 28 November at 6.00pm. The Carols are held in the grounds of St. Augustine’s on Racecourse Road and there are Christmas market stalls and a BBQ from 5.00pm. Bring the family and have a picnic on the lawn and sing your favourite carols. If it rains, the Carols will be held in the church.

Choir children performing on Friday should have received a note with details for the night. If your family missed the note, please collect one from the Music Department.

Debbie Daley/Margaret Howard

P.E. NEWS

YEARS 4-7 SENIOR SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2014

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WEDNESDAY 3 DECEMBER

9.00AM-2.45PM

Program of Events

Morning Session - 9.00-11.00am

House Captains should be at the pool by 8.00am to assist with the setting up of the Swimming Carnival.

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Middle Session - 11.30am–1.00pm


Afternoon Session – 1.45-2.45pm

| Finals |
| Presentations |

Children need to be dressed in their sports coloured House shirt/shorts with towel, togs, goggles and water bottle.

Paul Harris

PREP-YEAR 3 JUNIOR SWIMMING CARNIVAL
2014 –
THURSDAY 4 DECEMBER
9.00AM-2.55PM

Program of Events

For all events listed below, boys will compete first followed by girls.

Preps (9.00–9.40am)

Prep students will swim in one half length race performing either Freestyle, Rocket or kick with a board.

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Alayne Graham

SCHOOL COMMUNITY LIAISON OFFICER’S NEWS

Last Wednesday evening was the dinner wrap up P&C meeting of the year. A canvas created by Jacqui Conias, was presented to outgoing Principal of 15 years, Jane Sedgman, with the building Marion Wilson designed featured. A very fitting acknowledgment of Jane’s role in the school.

P&C Outstanding Volunteers of 2014:

Sarah Comiskey, Catherine McLeod, Stella De Jager, Jacqui Conias, Amanda Butler, Melissa Josephson, Kelly Hynes, Nathalie Martin, Katrina Murphy, Rebecca McWilliam, Amanda Howard, Deborah Pilkington, Richard Turnbull, Rachel Beckett, Anne Sherman, Melissa and Nick Allen, Rod Peirce, Shannon Marshall, Julia Reynolds, Philippa Spork, Bec Duhig, Hilary Lauder and Karen Kose were warmly thanked and acknowledged:

This Friday is the community Carols by Candlelight celebration in St. Augustine’s Church grounds as a part of the Racecourse Road Festival. All our Choirs are performing. There is a sausage sizzle from 5.00pm. At 5.45pm all Choir students are required to report to Deb Daley for a 6.00pm performance.

Prep Orientation for 2015 (Tuesday and Thursday mornings): This week future Prep students visit the Prep classrooms in readiness for their new chapter. Please keep an eye out for them and welcome all where possible.

Next Monday the 2014 Swimathon winning classes will be announced on Assembly. Thank you for your support: $18,225.10 was raised; 409 students participated.
Swimming Carnivals are next week: Wednesday 3 December Years 4-7 and Thursday 4 December is Prep-Year 3. Be prepared for the heat (wear broad brimmed hats and bring umbrellas). Please take note of the race schedules that Mr. Harris and Mrs. Graham have included in this week’s Digest. The Swim Club canteen will be open to serve parents. Thanks to Tracy and her team of Swim Club volunteers for serving. (Please note that we are not permitted to sell to students.) Go Meibusch, Henderson, Ryan and Lilley!

Have a great week.

Leanne Buckle, SCLO, 0403 576 688, leannebuckle11@gmail.com

STUDENT BANKING

The lovely Jo Cranstoun has been helping with student banking each week since the beginning of 2009. She is leaving the school at the end of this year and we will need someone to take her place in 2015. We process banking deposits on Wednesday mornings from 9.00am until approximately 9.45am.

If your child banks each week and you can spare some time, please give me a call on 0438 570 616.

Thanks
Catherine McLeod

NEWS FROM THE P&C HEALTH AND WELLBEING COMMITTEE

Walk to School Wednesdays: Only three weeks of term left to have your children participate in Walk to School Wednesdays. Why not organise it with neighbours and walk together as a group?

Congratulations to Chloe and Isabella C from Years 4 and 2 who are both competing in the National Cheerleading Titles on the Gold Coast this weekend. Good luck girls!

Exercise for the brain: Have you considered having your child try out chess? “The Game of Kings” has been the subject of many studies over the years, with claims varying from increasing IQ and problem solving ability as well as improved creativity and originality in thinking. These claims suggest it could be related to players using both sides of the brain and the complex integration of geometrical shapes and strategy. If you think your child would enjoy trying out chess, then perhaps the St Joseph’s College Nudgee Chess Camp in December is worth a try. It runs on 14 and 15 December and enquiries can be made through: mglipin@nudgee.com .

Baseball: Summer is, without doubt, the season for cricket in Australia. However a sport with growing participation and interest is Baseball. The All Stars Baseball Club has a long history going back to the 1960s and is always looking for new members and is nice and local being on Gerler Road. For more information, check their website: www.allstarsbaseball.com.au .

Pat Gerry. Co-Ordinator.
Email: pandc@ascotss.eq.edu.au

WELCOME GROUP

Have you recently enrolled your child at our school? Have you recently moved into the local area? Are you interested in meeting other school parents and families? You may be interested in joining our school’s Welcome Group. Our Welcome Group has been set up primarily as an opportunity for new parents to our school to meet other school families, although anyone who is interested in making new friends is welcome to attend; everyone is welcome!

Our Welcome Group meets from 9:15-11.00am every Wednesday during school term at White Jam Cafe, Hendra. Our coffee catch ups are a great opportunity to chat to other parents and to share information about local family services (medical, kinder and child care) and children’s activities (music, sport, etc.). Hope that you can join us.

Rachel & Peter, Welcome Group Co-Ordinators
Email: welcome@ascotss.eq.edu.au

FROM THE TUCKSHOP

The Tuckshop is recruiting volunteers for next year. We will be attending the Prep Enrolment session and hope to have 2015 roster out before the end of school.

Just a reminder that in the last week of school the Tuckshop is open as usual Monday 8-Wednesday 10 December inclusive. Thursday 11 December it only opens until 11.30am - no lunch on this day due to it being Party Day. The Tuckshop is closed on Friday 12 December.

Due to stocktaking in the last week there may be some items unavailable and they will be taken off the menu until next year.

Any queries, or if you would like to volunteer for next year, please ring or email Kathryn on 3326 8326 email Tuckshop@ascotss.eq.edu.au.

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UNIFORM SHOP

Ascot State School

Ascot State School Uniform Shop
Phone: 3692 2476
Email: ascotuniformshop@eq.edu.au

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the Ascot State School Uniform Shop. The Uniform Shop is located in A Block which faces Anthony Street.

Our trading hours for the remainder of 2014 and 2015 are as follows:

Normal Hours of Operation: Mon, Wed, Thurs 8.15-9.30 am
Prep Appointments only: Mon, Wed, Thurs (November 3rd - December 4th 2014 only) 9.00-10.20 am
Tuesday 26th November 2014 Prep Orientation Day 8.15-11.15 am

Extended Hours for Back to School 2015:
21st Jan – 27th Jan Wed, Thurs, Fri 8.00-12.00 am
27th – 30th Jan Tuesday - Friday 8.15-11.00 am

Please call the Uniform Shop to make an appointment as soon as possible.

We recommend purchasing prep uniforms in November or December 2014 as replacements can be hard to determine and sizes needed to manufacture uniforms are 6 to 10 weeks. January also is extremely busy with families who have relocated to the area and existing families who need to replace worn out and missing uniforms.

You can contact the Uniform Shop on 3692 2476 during opening hours or by email at: ascotuniformshop@eq.edu.au

Keko Matusu
Uniform Shop Convener

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Blue Light Disco: Friday 28 November 6.00-8.00pm at Eagle Farm Racecourse (entry via Lancaster Road). $5.00 entry. Primary school aged children only. Join us for our end of year celebration and prize draws. Fully supervised by Police and Blue Light volunteers.

Carols on the Beach: Sunday 21 December 6.30-8.00pm on Surfers Paradise Beach. For more information visit surfersparadise.com.

Fancutts Annual Grade Singles Tournament (for trophies) is being held at Fancutts, Lutwyche on Saturday 29 November and 6 December. Players can represent their school. Raffle will also be held with a Xmas party sausage sizzle. McDonald’s voucher and free Tennis Australia t-shirt is given to every player. Friendly Hot Shots Tournaments at Fancutts for trophies are on Saturdays 10.00am-12.00pm (Serving and Green Ball) during school term. Super League fixtures are on Saturday afternoons and Sunday evenings for children and teenagers and Tuesday/Wednesday nights for adults. Entries close 30 November. Adults social, fitness and music (Ladies) is on Monday evening 6.30-7.30pm and Friday morning 9.00-10.00am. Restrings – a 24 hour service or possible emergency restring while you wait. All enquiries, please contact Fancutts 3857 2922 in office hours or email admin@fancutts.com.au.


Tennis is held 8.15-8.55am for 3-6 years. Fancutts Annual Grade Singles Tournament (for trophies) is being held at Fancutts, Lutwyche on Saturday 29 November and 6 December. Players can represent their school. Raffle will also be held with a Xmas party sausage sizzle. McDonald’s voucher and free Tennis Australia t-shirt is given to every player. Friendly Hot Shots Tournaments at Fancutts for trophies are on Saturdays 10.00am-12.00pm (Serving and Green Ball) during school term. Super League fixtures are on Saturday afternoons and Sunday evenings for children and teenagers and Tuesday/Wednesday nights for adults. Entries close 30 November. Adults social, fitness and music (Ladies) is on Monday evening 6.30-7.30pm and Friday morning 9.00-10.00am. Restrings – a 24 hour service or possible emergency restring while you wait. All enquiries, please contact Fancutts 3857 2922 in office hours or email admin@fancutts.com.au.