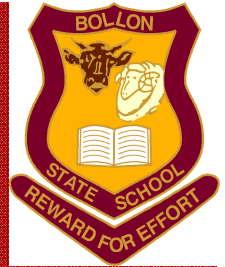




# Bollon Bugle



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## From the Acting Principal...

### School Attendance

Our attendance has remained the same with a high of 94%. Well done everyone as you know every day counts. Remember if your child is going to be away please contact the classroom teacher via phoning the office, seeing the teacher or e-mailing them. Remember it's not okay to be away.

### Cross Country

Thanks to Mrs Gray and Mr Bennett for a well organised school cross country competition last week. In preparation for the interschool competition the following students have had some intense practice sessions with Mr Bennett every day before school. So good luck in Hebel on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Damien, Henry, Tyler, Isaac, Owen and Thomas.

### Tennis Trials

Good luck to Jackson and Henry in St George today trying out for the Balonne tennis team.

### Touch Footy Practice

Every Monday 3:30-4:30 (straight after homework club) our police officers Steve Love and Ben King are here on the oval running through a variety of ball skills and all are welcome to come along and join in.

### Student Council News

Congratulations to the following winners in the Easter raffle –

- \$50 Seafood tray - John and Carol Niland
- \$50 Seafood tray - Barry Foster
- Easter Egg Basket - Amanda Hicks
- Boxed Easter Egg - Lucy Burns

Thanks to the following who kindly donated the prizes: St George Handy Store and the Sumner family.

The student council in conjunction with the P&C currently have a Mother's Month Raffle on sale at \$2 per ticket. This will be drawn at the Blue Light Touch Footy Day.

Prizes are as follows:

1. \$100 hairdresser voucher thanks to Sam
2. Dinner for 2 at the Bollon Hotel thanks to Ian and Caz
3. Selection of Wines thanks to Ian & Caz at Bollon Hotel
4. Dinner for 2 at Deb's Café thanks to Deb
5. Baylis & Harding weekend essentials bag thanks to Sumner Family

### Band Camp

Imogen, Isaac and Tyler took the opportunity to partake in a two day band camp in St George this week. We look forward to hearing the new tunes they have learned.

### Blue Light Touch Footy Day..... SAVE THE DATE

Blue Light will be holding a Touch Footy day on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May starting at 10:00am on the school oval. Come along for a fun family day. Bring a chair, sit back and relax, or even better, join in and have some fun. A sausage sizzle and canteen will be available all day with the bar opening at 12 noon.

### Acting Principal

Vanessa is currently away on school review duties as well as professional development. I am relieving her as Acting Principal until Friday 26th May.

Ms Sandra Sumner

### TERM CALENDAR

Mon	22 May	Balonne Cross Country at Hebel
Sun	28 May	Blue Light Touch Footy Day
Sat	17 June	P&C Working Bee
Wed-Wed	14-21 June	Year 1-6 Canberra/ Snow Camp

## Senior Class News

The students had fun decorating cookies for Mothers' Day.



This week saw the start of 'NetsetGo'. For the next four weeks our students will participate in a netball skill program. We were fortunate to be offered this program as we received a complimentary kit as well as dedicated staff to run the students through a variety of skills.

Ms Sumner

## Junior Class News

Junior class has been busy learning about directions and grids in maths this week. This was put to the test when they had the challenge of directing a blindfolded friend through an obstacle course.

Students have also begun learning about poetry in English. Students have learnt about the purpose of a poem and how rhyming makes poems entertaining. In small groups students brainstormed and created a list of rhyming words.

Students also practised their teamwork and problem solving skills building a shoe tower.



Mitchell Bennett

### PRINCIPAL

Miss Vanessa Sumner

### TEACHERS

Mr Mitchell Bennett

Mr Doug Bryant

Ms Sandra Sumner

### TEACHER AIDES

Mrs Rhonda Mobbs

Mrs Robyn Toop

Mrs Chris Sheedy

### ADMINISTRATION OFFICER

Mrs Tiki North

### SCHOOL CLEANER

Mrs Kylie Bottrell

### GROUNDSPERSON

Mrs Vicky Weatherall

### VISITING SUPPORT STAFF

#### LEARNING SUPPORT/ STUDENT WITH DISABILITY TEACHER

Mrs Kelly-Anne Webster

#### HPE TEACHER

Miss Georgie Scott

#### MUSIC/ARTS TEACHER

Mrs Lauren Brumpton

#### INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

Mr Luke Todd

#### LIBRARIAN

Ms Colleen Dunn

#### CHAPLAIN

Mr Elton Thompson

**STUDENT AWARDS**

Congratulations to:-

**TERM 2 WEEK 4 AWARDS**

**Senior Students:**

**Imogen**

*Great attitude towards completing set tasks*

**Patrick**

*Following teacher's instructions*

**Junior Students:**

**Xyeisha**

*For hard work in Geography*

**Byron**

*For great work in spelling and effort with writing*

**School Captain's Award:**

**Thomas**

*Playing well in tiggly*

**Sports Captain's Award:**

**Xyeisha**

*Playing well with others*

**TERM 2 WEEK 5 AWARDS**

**Senior Students:**

**Imogen**

*For resilience completing the technology challenge*

**Neville**

*For great work calculating time lapsed*

**Junior Students:**

**William**

*For improved effort participating in activities*

**Finn**

*For creating fantastic rhyming words*

**School Captain's Award:**

**Akayla**

*For being nice to others*

**Sports Captain's Award:**

**Tom**

*For playing well with others*

# Focus Expectations:



## WEEK 5— Be Safe

Walk inside

## WEEK 6 - Be Responsible

Keep noise to a minimum

# Reminders

Camp fees are overdue.

Centrepay is now available as a payment option. Please see Tiki in the office if you wish to set this up.

# Education Queensland News

## Free online positive parenting help now available

The Triple P — Positive Parenting Program really is for every family with the launch of [Teen Triple P Online](http://www.triplep-parenting.net.au/teens) ([www.triplep-parenting.net.au/teens](http://www.triplep-parenting.net.au/teens)).

It sits alongside the popular [Triple P Online](http://www.triplep-parenting.net.au/kids) ([www.triplep-parenting.net.au/kids](http://www.triplep-parenting.net.au/kids)) for parents of younger kids.

These programs provide the tools to tackle all of parenting's big (and little) problems.

## Save the Date: Bollon ICPA supports St George ICPA with hosting the.....

# 2017 Queensland ICPA State Conference!

## Inspiration through Education

- When: 8 & 9 June
- Where: Civic Centre, St George
- How: With many valued volunteers from Bollon and Bollon ICPA
- Why: State conference is the vehicle through which our voice reaches Canberra!

### What Happens at an ICPA Conference?

Proposals are put forward in the form of "motions." They are voted on and either upheld or not. If upheld, ICPA State Councilors take the issues to the relevant Government Departments. This is where change can happen!

### How Can I Help?

Bollon ICPA is responsible for catering for approx 200 guests & delegates on 8 June. This will require a mammoth effort. However, if everyone contributes what they can (donations of time, cakes or both) it will be a lot easier. As the time gets closer we will be seeking volunteers to help serving on the day, and home bakes etc from the capable kitchens of Bollon. If you are able to help or for more details please contact Kerry Cribb on 0428554913





### P&C COMMITTEE

#### PRESIDENT

Vacant

#### VICE-PRESIDENT

Mrs Kylie Bottrell

#### SECRETARY

Mrs Kate King

#### TREASURER

Miss Carly Lowe

#### PROVIDORE

Miss Bec Steer

#### TUCKSHOP

Miss Bec Steer

#### UNIFORMS

Ms Amanda Hicks

#### SCHOOL BANKING

Mrs Bec Halliday

Mrs Kylie Bottrell

## Parenting Tips

### The language of Independence-building – By Michael Grose continued

#### 4. “Which of these two would you prefer?”

**Goal:** Decision-making

Parents as wise leaders need to call the shots on how the family life is conducted, including health and welfare issues such as appropriate bed and bath times. Some things are not up for negotiation. But there are areas where parents can rightfully hand autonomy to children and say, ‘It’s your call!’ Choice of clothes, how they keep their bedroom, what they eat and who they play with are the types of decisions they can make. Naturally, this is age-related and you do need to have some influence on their choices.

#### 5. “How can you make this happen?”

**Goal:** Problem-solving

Kids get used to bringing their problems to parents to solve. If you keep solving them, they’ll keep bringing them. A problem-solving approach relies on asking good questions, which can be challenging if you are used to solving your child’s problems. The first question when a child brings you a problem should be: ‘Can you handle this on your own?’ Next should be, ‘What do you want me to do to help you solve the problem?’ These questions are not meant to deter children from coming to you; rather, to encourage and teach them to start working through their own concerns themselves.

#### 6. “We rely on you to do this.”

**Goal:** Reliability

Reliability is closely connected to responsibility and other aspects of independence. Every child over the age of five, at the eldest, should do something that someone else relies on whether it’s looking after a pet, clearing the meal table or emptying the garbage on a regular basis. Having others rely on you has its challenges and can be a learning curve. They’ll inevitably forget to put the rubbish bins out on garbage night, meaning your bin will be overflowing for the next week. They’ll need to be reminded about feeding the pet or clearing the table. Kids inevitably won’t get things right, but that doesn’t mean we should stop giving them responsibilities.

#### 7. “What can you learn for next time?”

**Goal:** Self-sufficiency

Learning from mistakes is part of the independence-building process for children. Often adult impatience or unwillingness to put up with errors prevents us from giving kids the chance to do things for themselves or take real responsibilities. If independence is to be a major part of your family’s culture then it’s imperative that we help kids learn from their mistakes whether social, behavioural or just messing up while helping out at home.

## P&C News

### TUCKSHOP DUTY ROSTER:

**26.05.2017** Barb Halliday & Bec Halliday **Extra Homebake** - Amanda

**02.06.2017** Bec Steer & Carrie Wilkinson **Extra Homebake**—Velda

**PRESIDENT POSITION** - still vacant. Contact Secretary Kate King if you are interested.

**BULB ORDERS:** Delivery Date TBA

**WORKING BEE** - Saturday 17th June - help is needed for the removal & replacement of concrete path near pedestrian gate.

**SAND WANTED** - Would someone be able to deliver a load of sand to the playground? Please contact Secretary Kate King or the school if you can assist.



# Ready Set Go Netball



# Cross Country



*At Bollon State School, we are RESPONSIBLE by being SAFE, RESPECTFUL and ACTIVE LEARNERS*



## Community Classifieds

### THE BOLLON BIGGEST MORNING

#### TEA FOR CANCER

Will be held at the CWA cottage Monday 22nd May to correspond with the Breast Screen Bus visit to Bollon.

Day starts at 9am

Lucky door, multi draw raffle, competition, lots of delicious food, excess for sale later.

Any one wishing to donate a prize for the multi draw will be very welcome.

I also have the following Cancer Council merchandise mugs \$10, tongs \$10, tea towels \$6.00 and aprons \$20

Thank you Barb Turner

Ph 4625 6358

### BOLLON QCWA

#### **Women Walk the World:-**

Sunday 11th June

9.30am start for a walk around town ending at the CWA Cottage for smoko

Gold coin donation. All welcome!

#### **Next Meeting Date:-**

TBA

#### **QCWA COUNTRY KITCHENS**

**Next 2 workshops at the Bollon Tennis Club on Thursday 10am - 2pm:**

**25 May, 15 June**

**Find out how to improve your families' diet - Let's get healthy!! All welcome!**

**For further information contact Carly Lowe on [clowe1981@bigpond.com](mailto:clowe1981@bigpond.com) or 0408 703861**

### **BOLLON TENNIS CLUB**

Closed Tennis Tournament  
Saturday 24th June

### **BOLLON AND DISTRICT COMMUNITY GROUP**

**General meeting**

**Bollon Civic Centre**

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May**

**4pm**

### **BOLLON BUGLE**

Next issue out on Friday 2nd June. **Please submit ads by 9.00am Thursday 1st June** preferably via email to:-

[bugle@bollonss.eq.edu.au](mailto:bugle@bollonss.eq.edu.au)

Sm classifieds \$2.50; larger ads & colour to be negotiated.

### **JD Berghofer – Goats & Sheep**



Transporting for Western Exporters, Charleville  
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Jake & Emma Ph: 07 4655 4837 E: [springvale2@bigpond.com](mailto:springvale2@bigpond.com)

### **BLUE LIGHT DATES**

**Sun 28th May - Touch Footy Family Day** at Bollon State School from 10am

**Fri 9th Jun - Blue Light Disco** at Bollon Civic Centre 5.30-7.30pm

### **Bollon Community Clinic**

**Queensland Health – SWHHS Ph: (07) 46256105**

**Hours: 8:00am – 4:30pm Lunch break at 12:30 – 1:30pm**

Closed Weekends/Public Holidays.

There will be a nurse on-call for all public holidays. A new buzzer is located out-side the clinic for after hours or if the clinic is unattended. This buzzer will contact the on-call nurse. Emergencies are able to be seen at any time. In case of an emergency where an ambulance is required, please contact 000 and not the health centre. As this will then activate the nurse/driver and ambulance. (this opens the lines of communication and allows personnel to set up for departure).

**For non-emergency health assistance out of hours – please call 13 HEALTH 13 43 25 84**

**ARE YOU AGED BETWEEN 70-79yrs??? If so, you may qualify for a FREE immunisation against shingles. Contact the Clinic for more information.**

**Doctors Clinics:** Tuesday/Thursday – 9:00am – 11.00am –Please bring your medicare card and Healthcare cards. All patients are bulk billed.

**Child Health Nurse:** Tuesday 20 June; **Physiotherapist:** Wednesday 14 June; **Dietician:** TBA; **Occupational Therapist:** TBA; **Women's Health Nurse:** Wednesday 24 May (please contact the Clinic for Appointments)

**FluVax are still available. Please contact the Clinic for any enquiries.**

**The Breast Screening bus will be visiting Bollon on Monday 22 May. Please contact Breast Screen Qld to make an appointment - online or call 13 20 50.**

## **Community Calendar**

<b>MAY</b>	22	Biggest Morning-tea for Cancer
	24	Women's Health Nurse at BNC
	25	QCWA Country Kitchens Workshop 2 (10am-2pm)
	26	Bollon & District Community Meeting (4pm)
	28	Blue Light Touch Footy Family Day at Bollon SS (10am)
	29/30	Skin Clinic at BNC
<b>JUN</b>	09	Blue Light Disco at Bollon Civic Centre (5.30-7.30pm)
	11	Women Walk the World (9.30am)
	14	Physiotherapist at BNC
	15	QCWA Country Kitchens Workshop 3 (10am-2pm)
	20	Child Health Nurse at BNC
	24	Bollon Tennis Club Closed Tournament