From the Principal’s Desk

From the classroom
Welcome to the final week of term 3. It’s been 11 weeks this term. As the term draws to a close it gets closer to the schools centenary and lots of fun. I am sure the weekend will be a great time for all. There have been lots of people from the schools past coming back for a visit which I am sure will be great. During this week the students will be helping make sure the school and the grounds are ready for so many visitors on Saturday. We also had lots of families spend some time at the school over the weekend to tidy things up. Thank you to all those that were able come down and do a little bit.

Keep a watch on our school these holidays
Parents and students can help take care of our school by reporting any suspicious after-hours activity to School Watch on 13 17 88. By keeping an eye out we can work together to create a safer school community and help to reduce vandalism, theft and arson in our school. If you see something suspicious, please don’t intervene. Call the School Watch number and let the local police or State Government Protective Security Service deal with the matter.

Have fun, stay safe and Get Ready during the school holidays
Have a safe and enjoyable holiday everyone. We look forward to seeing you all for the start of Term 4 on Tuesday 8 October. With the summer storm/cyclone and bushfire season on its way Queensland’s Get Ready Week on 14–20 October will encourage people to be prepared before extreme weather or a natural disaster strikes. Over the holidays, families can work through a checklist to help them get ready and ensure everyone knows what to do. Information and resources are available from http://www.disaster.qld.gov.au/

Lecturette Competition
Wednesday night is the North Burnett District Lecturette Competition; students will be giving a 3 minute speech on a topic of their choice. The competition will be at the Gayndah Cultural centre. Mitchell Oppermann will be representing our school. Mitchell I am sure will do a great job and do himself proud. Good luck Mitchell.

Tuckshop
Tuckshop this week will be a Hot Dog along with an LOL can and chips. Please order and pay before Friday. $4
Date Claimers
September
20th - End of term 3
21st - Binjour Plateau State School Centenary
October
7th - Public Holiday
8th - Start of term 4

Community Notice

TENNIS: Holiday "Get Active" Clinic will be held in BUNDABERG on Monday 30th September to Thursday 3rd October with a Games Day, Friday 4th October 2013 at the Bundaberg Junior Tennis complex, 69b George Street, South Bundaberg with Bundaberg Tennis Academy Coaches, Murray Whitbread and Kevin Banner. Registration is essential. Please phone Kevin & Suzie 415 20753 or 0409 520753

TENNIS: MLC Hot Shots Learning for Term 4 commences Friday 11th October at the Gayndah Tennis complex, Barrow Street - all new and existing players are welcome. Please phone Kevin & Suzie for further information.

The Street Party
Saturday, 26th October 2013
3pm onwards
Maltby Place, Gayndah
Raising funds for rural suicide prevention and flood recovery.
Food and market stalls, entertainment, novelty guys & gals auction and more.

Gaileen Wengel is doing a historical display for us at the Centenary and would like to put an expression of interest of lending old things to display. They can be any items that are old ie phone, traps, washing board, saws. If anyone has anything they'd like to lend please contact Gaileen on 41613 180 and have the items named with a tag and the owners name.
General Knowledge Quiz

1. What is the name of the covering, usually made of plastic, at the end of a shoelace?
2. What is the name of the metal ring on the end of a pencil which holds the eraser on the end?
3. What is the French word for tomorrow?
4. From which language do we get the word ‘confetti’?
5. From which language do we get the word ‘poltergeist’?
6. What occurs twice in a lifetime, but once in a year, twice in a week but never in a day?
7. What has keys but will open no locks, has space but has no room and which will allow you to enter but not to go in?
8. Which language is the most spoken language in the world? (The list includes data based on the number of native speakers of each language)
9. What is the name of the dot above a lowercase ‘i’ or ‘j’?
10. What is the nautical term for the back of a ship?

Fun Facts with Mrs Goldie

Nickname: Poodle
My favourite colour: Pink
My favourite food: Tai
Who I’d like to meet: Keith Urban
My favourite song: Footloose
Favourite holiday destination: Greece
I can’t do without: Money, clothing & Mr Goldie

Brain Teaser

If you were to take two apples from three apples, how many would you have?

Quote of the week

ONE TROUBLE WITH POLITICAL JOKES IS THAT THEY OFTEN GET ELECTED.
W.G.P.
Binjouer Plateau State School

CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS

Saturday, 21st September, 2013
from 10am

FOOD & DRINKS
Market Stalls
Dan & Steph from MKR
The Gleneden Bullock Team
Monto Circus Performers
Raffle & Chocolate Wheel
Live Entertainment
JUMPING CASTLE & GIANT SLIDE
Official Role Call & Cake Cutting

CENTENARY PAVERS

FURTHER ENQUIRIES CONTACT JULIE 0741 613241 OR JASMINE 0741 613101