GOOBURRUM
State School

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Great state. Great opportunity.
January 25th 2017

Principal’s Report

Hi Everyone,

Firstly I want to wish you all a huge welcome back to school for 2017! This year promises to be another action packed one for our school community.

We have welcome a new group of Prep students and families to our school this week as well as several new students/families in other grade levels.

At present we sit on 129 enrolments which is one above the cut off of 128 students required to hold six classroom teachers. Student numbers are counted next Friday 3rd February and following this the process of teacher allocation on a long term basis will roll on for our 1,2,3 class. So while we await this we need a Plan B. Emma Haack is teaching this class this week and has done a magnificent job settling the children in and getting learning well underway.

Unfortunately regional funding is not available to provide a relief contract in this class for the next two weeks, until a teacher can be placed with us on a more permanent basis. Because of this it is a school decision on how we manage this class for the next fortnight starting Monday.

The plan will be as follows:

Myself and Mrs. Preuss (our Special Education Teacher) will run the 1/2/3 class for the next two weeks until Friday 10th February. We will do a half day each day Monday – Thursday and Mrs. Preuss will have the class all day each Friday. Ms. Haack will be moving into Mrs. Kimber’s room to teach the 1/2 class for two weeks, due to Mrs. Kimber needing to take leave as her husband is undergoing serious surgery in Brisbane. So, although we are up against a few obstacles in the early couple of weeks, we have a strong and organized plan in place to ensure that all of our students are working and learning right the way through. Both Mrs. Preuss (Ulrike) and I are very much looking forward to working together with the students in our care in 1/2/3 as of Monday.

We welcome our new teachers, Mr. Kitchen and Mrs. Preuss to our staff this year and also Mrs. Buettel as a Teacher Aide in the lower school.

Can I thank all parents for their support in terms of preparing your children for school and sending them in looking so wonderfully dressed in their uniforms.

Looking forward to a fantastic year! 😊

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BIRTHDAYS

JANUARY

4  Angus W.
8  April & Erin K.
10  Ebony S.
14  Jack C.
17  William M.
18  Jake F.
20  Rocco K.
27  Toby H.
30  Charlotte B.

Happy Birthday!

PARADE

Parade is held each Tuesday afternoon starting at 2.30pm. We would love to see you there.

P&C MEETING

The first P&C Meeting for 2017 is next Monday, 30 January starting at 6.00pm in the staffroom. We would love to see you there. Everyone is welcome to attend.
STUDENT BANKING
The school offers Student Banking after your child’s “Dollarmite” account has been set up at the CBA. Banking is on Thursday but may be left any day. See Su (Office) if you would like any information.

BOOK CLUB
We regularly send home Book Club brochures. Whilst the school benefits by receiving rewards used to purchase books, the purchase of books through Book Club is entirely optional.

TUCKSHOP
Tuckshop is every WEDNESDAY at first lunch. Frozen treats are served at the afternoon break. Tuckshop orders are to be written on paper bags along with Name, class and amount enclosed. Payment to be placed in a sealed envelope. Orders with payment are to be left in the tuckshop box located in the foyer of the office area by no later than 8:45am Tuesday. Orders will not be accepted on the day of tuckshop. Any change will be given on tuckshop day.

MEDICATION
- Before any medication can be administered to your child, you will need to complete the appropriate record sheet.
- Medication will only be administered if it is prescribed, in the original container and has a pharmacy label. If the medication is more complex with specific administration requirements then a letter from the medical practitioner should be provided.

TENNIS
Private tuition is available on our multipurpose court Friday mornings. This is in no way linked to the school other than convenience of on the spot access.

DETAILS:
Coach Murray Whitbread
Cost $9 per session
Time 7:50am – 8:40am commencing this Friday
Racquets are available from Murray.
If you are interested, see Murray on Friday.

PARKING/BUS ZONES
Parking is available along the front fenceline of the school. Parents of Prep students may park in the school grounds behind the Prep building. Please do not park beyond the sign at the end of the building as we operate Outside School Hours Care and they use the grassed area.
The Bus Zone is at the Eastern End of the concrete path near the oval. Please do not park in the designated “Bus Zone”.

CHAPLAIN
The school has a visiting Chaplain – Cappy Steve. Chappy Steve is at the school on a Thursday. If you wish a private appointment for yourself or your child, please catch up with Chappy to organize this.

ABSENCES
When your child is absent (or will be absent on a future date that you know) please contact the school. This may be done in several different ways. The school has a designated “Absence Line” allowing you to text a message at any time (0472845451), you can ring the school on 41599296, see Su (office) or class teacher or send a note. If your child is absent and we have not been notified, you will receive a text from the school requesting a reason.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION
Queensland state schools embrace a multitude of cultural, religious and non-religious beliefs and encourage students to grow and develop as a whole person, in particular, in beliefs, values and attitudes. We respect the background and beliefs of all students and staff by not promoting, or being perceived as promoting, any particular set of beliefs in preference to another. All students (except Prep students) are placed in either religious instruction or other instruction in accordance with information provided on their Application for Student Enrolment unless parents have provided other written instructions.

If you do not wish your child/ren to participate in Religious Instruction, please notify the school in writing.
## Gooburrum School Tuckshop Menu Term 1 - 2017

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<td>Traveller Meat Pie (a little easier for kids to eat)</td>
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<td>Chicken Burger – Chicken Burger, Lettuce and Mayo on a fresh bread roll</td>
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<td>Tuna Sushi Slice – Nori, rice, carrot, cucumber, tuna &amp; mayo slice with soy sauce sachet</td>
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<td>Mexican Mince &amp; Rice (mild) FULL OR HALF SERVE</td>
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<td>Cheese and Bacon Pizza</td>
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<td>Chicken or Ham Wrap – Chicken Tender or Ham, lettuce, tomato, cheese, carrot, mayo</td>
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<td>Chicken, Ham or Plain Salad – Chicken or Ham, lettuce, tomato, cheese, carrot, pineapple, beetroot, cucumber &amp; egg</td>
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<td>Chicken, Ham or Plain Salad Roll – Chicken or Ham, lettuce, tomato, cheese, carrot, mayo on a fresh bread roll</td>
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<td>Crumbed Chicken Tender</td>
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<td>Fruit Muffin (flavours vary)</td>
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<td>Fruit Salad Cup (Peach, pear, pineapple, grape &amp; cherries in natural juice)</td>
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**EXAMPLE OF A TUCKSHOP ORDER-**

John Smith-Grade 2

1x Chicken Wrap-NO MAYO- $3.50

1x Breaka Milk-$1.30

Total-$4.80 Enclosed-$5.00