Artistic Landscapes

‘Your vision: our creation’

Phone Greg 0412645991
ABN: 335 960 277 92

LOGAN DANCE ACADEMY

Classical Ballet
Jazz Tap
Drama
& Hip Hop

Phone: 3297 1245
Mobile: 0413 059 338

Browns Plains Baptist Church

- Sunday worship 9.30am
- Sunday School 10.00am
- Kids Club 7.00pm
- Youth Group Fridays

Welcome

Meeting at: Browns Plains High School Performing Arts Building

Enquiries:
Phone 3800 5928
www.browns-plains-baptist-church.com

Fab Driving School

Driving safer in Queensland

M: 0499 506 901
www.fabdrschool.com.au
Rules of the Week:

Expectation: Active play in active supervised areas
Value: Co-operation & discipline

The Yugumbir School Wide Expectations are-

This week’s Positive Behaviour Lesson across the school is focusing on Active play in Actively supervised areas.
In this lesson students will look at the designated areas for play and socialising. Students will learn why they have been allocated different areas of the school and investigate the dangers of playing in areas that are not supervised.

PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

Dear Students, Parents and Carers,

“Caring Hearts – Enquiring Minds – Enriching Lives”

Yugumbir State School continues to tackle bullying head on and ensure all students feel happy and safe at all times.

What is bullying?
Bullying is the psychological, emotional, social, physical harassment or cyber-bullying of one student by another. This includes within the school grounds, travelling to and from school or in cyberspace. The playground is the most common place for bullying to occur.

What are some of the forms of bullying?

- Extortion (blackmail)
- Physical aggression
- Damage to property
- Threats
- Verbal (most common, most painful & longest lasting impact); this includes teasing, harassment and name-calling
- Spiteful rumours
- Anti-social (exclusion, gossip, non-verbal body language and cyber instigated)

From my experience, the first four forms are mainly attributed to boys, while the next three are attributed to girls.

School bullying invariably occurs away from adult attention. It's normally carried out in front of other children. The most promising strategy in reducing bullying is encouraging students who observe bullying taking place to act in such a way as to discourage it rather than encourage it. This appears to be a promising strategy for several reasons:

- Most bullying takes place when bystanders are present.
- Although most bystanders don’t act to discourage it, when any one of them does there is a good chance (around 50%) that the bullying will stop.
- Teachers generally do not have the opportunity to take any action because they are typically not present and are not told about it.
- A large proportion of students would like to see bullying stopped
Stopping bullying is a whole community responsibility, not just the school’s staff. As a community we need to send daily messages that bullying and violence is not okay, anywhere, anytime. The following is our school’s “Wipeout Bullying” strategies to minimise bullying in our school community. I encourage you to discuss these with your child.

**Step 1: Ignore**
- Pretend you didn't hear it.
- Don’t make eye contact.
- Maintain a confident, calm body posture.
- Think positive statements.
- Count to five in your head.
- Take deep breaths.

**Step 2: Talk Friendly**
- Use calm voice.
- Maintain eye contact.
- Confident body language.
- Maintain relatively close proximity.
- Use “I” statements: “I feel when you…because…”

**Step 3: Walk Away**
- Stand tall, head up high.
- Mouth closed.
- Look confident.
- Don’t use eye contact.
- Walk somewhere where it’s safe, near other children or a teacher.
- Don’t look back. Walk confidently, don’t run.

**Step 4: Talk Firmly**
- Use an assertive voice, slightly raised.
- Tell them to stop it.
- Re-state your “I” statement: “I said…”
- State the consequences of continued bullying.

**Step 5: Report**
- Walk away and tell a staff member.
- Go to a safe area near others.
- Look confident.
- Bystanders: Support and report.
- Report, report, report until somebody listens.

Below is a link to a short article about what you could do if you think your child is being bullied at school.

[Bullying Article](#)

**School Feedback**

Below is the link to a feedback survey for members of the school community. You can either click on the link below or alternatively go to our School App and click on the “Your Say” icon.

[Yugumbir State School Feedback Survey](#)

Tony Maksoud
Principal
Yugumbir Student Leaders Induction Ceremony

Last Wednesday 18 March, an Induction Ceremony was held to formalise our 2015 School Leaders into their important leadership roles in our school.

Our Special Guests were:
Mr Manj Singh   Former Yugumbir student, University Graduate in Pharmacy (Honours),
               successful businessman as part owner of approx. 20 Pharmacies
Mr Anthony Kruck  Yugumbir SS P & C President

Our Federal Member of Parliament, Dr Jim Chalmers, wished to attend, but, due to the birth of his son Leo around the time of our ceremony, was unable to. He does, however, send congratulation to all students. On behalf of the Yugumbir community, we also wish his wife and him all the best on the birth of their first child.

Mr Maksoud, Mr Singh and Mr Kruck addressed the whole school parade about aspects of leadership, achievement and setting goals, and congratulated the School Leaders on their election to their positions.

Students were presented with their uniform shirts embroidered with their name and role and / or badges stating their name and role, as well as certificates from our Federal Member of Parliament, Dr Chalmers.

Congratulations to our 2015 School Leaders:

**School Captains**
Chloe Armstrong    Krysta Guarino    Reuben Dela Cruz    Aidan Kruck

**Music Captains**
Chelsea Jackson    Braxton Hohepa-Henry

**Student Councillors**

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**House Captains**

**Kingfishers**
Samara Moses, Isobel Tu, Holden Putaura, Jacob Flegg

**Wallaroos**
Sophie Sayers, Hopelynn Clark, Rieley Halasz, Brendan Kulik

**Goannas**
Jayla Tahere-Osman, Madison Sharpe, Tyler Brown, Harrison Young

**Gliders**
Chloe James, Sally Boyle, Prestyn Nicholson, Lauchlan Murray
QParents is coming!!

Great news: Yugumbir State School is proud to be one the first schools in Queensland to offer QParents, as part of a pilot program in the first half of 2015.

The QParents web and mobile application provides a more convenient, easier way for parents and legal guardians of Queensland state school students to interact with their child’s school. Parents will have secure, online access to their child’s student information, anytime, anywhere, through a smartphone, tablet or computer.

QParents allows parents to connect instantly with their child’s school to access and manage their child’s student information, including:

- Attendance and absence details, as well as the ability to notify the school of an absence
- Behaviour details
- Academic report cards
- Class timetables
- Viewing unpaid invoice details, payment history, and making payments online
- Viewing and updating personal student details, including medical conditions and address
- Enrolment details

QParents will assist both staff and parents in sharing and responding to information in an efficient and effective way.

We will be sending out invitations for parents to register for QParents in Week 1 Term 2.

QParents won’t replace the traditional ways you communicate with our school, but it will provide another way to communicate with us.

More information about QParents can be found at https://qparents.qld.edu.au/#/about

Win an iPhone 6!
By registering for QParents you could win an iPhone 6! All you have to do is register for QParents by Sunday 17 May.

Teresa Perry
A/Deputy Principal

SCHOOL RESOURCE SCHEME 2015 (SRS)

All families are strongly encouraged to support the annual $50.00 Resource Scheme.

The completed and signed Participation Agreement Form should be returned to indicate participation or non-participation in the Student Resource Scheme as soon as possible.

The School Resource Scheme includes the provision of:

- Subsidised dance lessons (10) by Footsteps Dance Company in Term 2
- Reproduced class materials which complement and/or substitute textbooks
- Online subscriptions (Reading Eggs and Ideal Resources)
- Photocopying costs (classroom materials and workbooks only)
- Materials for key learning areas where the instruction is extended through providing practical learning experiences in excess of materials provided by our school grants

Children of parents who choose not to participate in the School Resource Scheme will not be provided with any of the resources above or access to online subscriptions.

Parking around the school
We have been advised by the Department of Transport that complaints have been received regarding lengthy parking in the set down / pick up zone in Wisteria Drive. Apparently, these complaints have been passed on to the Logan City Council Traffic Officers and the local Police.

To avoid anyone getting ‘a ticket’ could you please make sure you obey the rules as displayed on the relevant signs. Also, please be mindful of our neighbours when parking and not park across their driveways.

Library Bags for Sale!
$5 (plain) or $7 (different prints).

Please see Mrs Corrigan in Teaching 4 to purchase one. All funds go towards the Classroom Air Conditioning fundraiser.
This week’s Reading Strategy Focus is **Questioning**.
Readers ask questions before, during and after they have read a text. Asking and answering questions helps a reader to engage with a text and to clarify understanding and meaning. Examples of questions readers ask are:
- I wonder why, where, when, how, if, who...?
- What is the author trying to tell me?
- What if ...?
- Why do you think...?

When answering questions:
- sometimes the answer is right there in the text.
- sometimes a reader has to use their prior knowledge, connections and what is in the text to come up with the answer.
- sometimes a question might not be answered by the text and the reader has to use their own opinion and judgement.

Asking and answering questions helps a reader to look for information which helps to build their understanding.

**Reading Eggs**
The school has purchased Reading Eggs this year for all classes. Please contact your student’s teacher if you require log on details for your child.

Happy reading everyone and don’t forget to activate your prior knowledge and make a prediction before you read. As you read, try to make connections to what you are reading and visualise images. Clarify any words that don’t make sense. After you read summarise your reading by talking about what the text was about and always ask questions before, during and after your reading.

Jackie Sharman
(Head of Curriculum)

**Hamilton Island Raffle**
Just a reminder that the draw date (31st March) for our major raffle of a 5 night stay in Hamilton Island is coming up fast.

All money and raffle books need to be returned by **Friday 27 March**. If you require additional books of tickets please see our office staff.

Thank you again for all of your help with this venture.
Walk-a-thon

A HUGE thank you to the students, staff and parents for your wonderful support of our annual Walk-a-thon.

The results of the best dressed competitions are as follows:

Prep: Girl – Fiza Bashir
Boy – Tyoa Williams
Parent – Neena Bashir

Yr 1 Girl – Bella Gilbert
Boy – Tate Walters

Yr 2 Girl – Kaitlyn Stock
Boy – Aiden Muir

Yr 3 (Thurs) Girl – Emily Tupuola-Teo
Boy – Nathan Britton
Parent – Liam Woods

Yr 3 (Fri) Girl - Dominika Baleinagasau
Boy – Sam Rizk
Parent – Mrs Ivanez

Yr 4 Girl – Indiana Maddox
Boy – Logan Gilchrist
Parent – Pauline Kennedy

Yr 5 Girl – Tamika Zamora
Boy – Mugi Miburo Melekisedeki

Yr 6 Girl – Gurleen Rehal
Boy - Braxton Hohepa-Henry
Parent – Taran Rehal

Please check their photos on the school Facebook page. Now is the time to be collecting the promised money or sponsorships.
We will like to finalise all funds for the Walk-a-thon by the end of term, Thursday April 2nd.

Prizes for the Highest Boy and Girl are a $50 Mr Toys Voucher each.
A Pizza Party will be held for the class that raise the highest amount.

A Special Thanks!
Chaplain Carlos would like to thank all the wonderful ladies that helped out in organizing the hot cross bun fundraiser for Harmony Day, a thanks also goes out to the whole school for supporting chaplaincy within the school

Postcards
Postcards have been posted to the following students as recognition of their great choices and/or behaviours.
Well Done!!

PREP KT Charlee Reid
PREP KB Levi Hull
PREP MB Chelsea Hackett
PREP KA Lilly Ross
PREP KD Cheyenne Salue
PREP EH Noah Cooper
1SG Ruby Young
2LW Malakai Vakabua
2IM Jasmine Rizk
2MP Regina Dela Cruz
2MC Cody Harper
2RD Jemma Parkinson
2/3KS Emily Tupuola-Teo
3JB Blake Hull
3JH Jay Morente
3RB Chloe Rowe
3JC Emily Marshall
3HS Brayden Moore
4KS Thomas Pomeroy
4BR Taneka Dhadlie
4LH Kai Gambling
5LB Wei-Qi Li
5RH Bianca Milligan
5MM Parisha Nadan
5MF Daniela Ward
5BH Rachel Robinson
5JN Jacob Townsend
6GP Georgia Ruge
6CJ Christopher Kukucka
6WC Abby Swords
6GS Isobel Tu
6SW Joshua Kampf

Specialists Holden Putaura
Cody Onink
Kauri Wilson-Hunter
Shauryapartap Singh
Ewan MacKinnon
Hayley MacArthur
Jorja Mitu-Tamainu
Anastasia Hedesi
Jayden Bennett
Shantele Johnson
Charlotte Svensson
Sebastian Butler
Sam Hewitt
Carter Randall
Ella Prior
Student of the Week

5MM  Kyran Goodwin
5LB  Nikola Hendy
        Alex Hedesi
5MF  Stacey Healey
        Emily Hain
5RH  Dominic Moua
        Shalom Nukunu
5JN  June Dayoc
        Alyssa Williams

Wanted Urgently – Uniforms and Clothing

Any uniforms or clothes that have been loaned to students, please wash and return as soon as possible. Donations would also be greatly appreciated.
Please send to the Teacher Aide room.

Interschool Sports Results

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Miss Boyle and the Rugby League boys would like to thank Chaplain Carlos for all his help on Friday.

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Horticulture Program

As you are aware different classes have begun rejuvenating different gardens around the school. I would like to thank students from 4PK, 6SW, 1SS and 1PB for all of your efforts so far. I would also like to thank Rob Ngapo from Rands Combo Hire (0411 288 296).
He has shown great community spirit by donating his time and machinery to help make all of this possible. Without his help the new gardens would not have been possible.

Bikes for Sale

We still have some bikes for sale. The bikes were previously used for the school bike program.
Bikes currently available:
2 x girls bike
1 x male adult bike

If you are interested please see Chaplain Carlos to make an offer. Also if you have any bikes in repairable condition that you would like to donate I would love take them off your hands.

All proceeds go to the school’s care services.
Chaplain Carlos.

FINANCE NEWS

Please remember when paying school accounts via this option it is important that your Student’s ID Number as well as the Activity Code are provided for each payment. This will enable office staff to identify the student and activity. If you require your child’s ID Number please contact the office.

Current Activity Codes:
Student Resource Scheme SRS2015
Instrumental Music Levy MUSIC2015
Year 4 Swimming SWIM2015
Year 1 Wildlife on Wheels 2015WILD

Education Qld does not allow us to accept AMEX (American Express) for any school payments.

School Bank Account Details:
Yugumbir State School General Account
BSB: 064 159
Account No. 00090333
School Arrival Times

It has been of great concern to see that an ever increasing number of students have been dropped off at School well before 8 am.

8.30 am is actually the recommended ideal time for students to arrive at school unless they need to be here earlier for a specific reason eg; Booster Classes, Band Practice, Sport Training etc.

Our new policy will be that any students arriving prior to 8.15 will be required to make their way directly to the Main Under Cover Area, outside the Tuckshop. It would be great if the students had a book to read so that they could be occupied whilst waiting.

At 8.15 the Office Staff will make an announcement to allow the children to move quietly to their class area to wait for the school day to commence. Children should remain quietly with the vicinity of their own classroom until the first bell rings.

NO students are to play on ANY Adventure Playground before School.

PCYC operates Before and After School Care from our School Hall for students who require care. PCYC can be contacted on 0427 755 364 or you are welcome to call in to discuss care with the available staff.

We are seeking your co-operation in this matter to ensure maximum safety for all of our students before school.

Student Absences:
Phone - 3380 0360
email – absent@yugumbirss.eq.edu.au

Please state your child’s name, class and reason for absence

Tuckshop

Hours of Operation – 8.30 am to 1.30pm
Tuckshop does not open before.

ALL Lunch Orders
MUST be handed into the Tuckshop prior to 9.00am

Other Items available:
Recorders $9.00
Mouth Guards $4.00 (Available Mon – Thurs)
Chappy Sticks $4.00 (Proceeds go to the Chaplaincy)

Before School Sales
The only items available for purchase before school are:
- milk (plain or flavoured), water and fruit.
- NO other items will be sold before school.

Ice Cream Vouchers
Ice Cream vouchers are only available for Prep and Grade 1.
- Children bring their bag back to the Tuckshop
- VOUCHERS MUST BE PURCHASED PRIOR TO 1ST BELL
- All other grades come with money to the Tuckshop

Tuckshop Lunch Orders
Parents please remind your child that if they are having tuckshop, to hand in their lunch orders to the Tuckshop prior to the first bell.
There is NO CREDIT available at the Tuckshop. If payment does not accompany the order then the order will not be delivered.

Tuckshop CANNOT change large notes as we do not keep a large amount of change on hand.

If your child’s order does not have the correct money in it to cover items ordered then your child’s order will be changed without any notice given to them.
If your child’s order comes in late they may not receive what they have ordered.

If your child has tuckshop and goes home sick and we are not notified, then No Refund or Substitute will be given.

No orders will be taken over the phone. NO EXCEPTIONS.
If students forget their lunch or it is left at home etc. they have a choice of either a vegemite or jam sandwich NO OTHER CHOICE, plus a piece of fruit and water. Lunch must be paid for by the following day NO EXCEPTIONS.

Allergies: If your child has a certain allergy to food products you are quite welcome to come and check out the ingredients of products offered by the Tuckshop.

Volunteers: If you can spare a few hours on any day, once a month, please contact Kay at the Tuckshop.

Uniform Shop Times:
Monday  2:30pm – 3:30pm
Wednesday  8:30am – 9:30am
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### ADVERTISING

**AK FITNESS**

Boxfit – 9:15am Monday  
Bootcamp – 9:15am Wed (Starts 4 March)  
Redgum Park (behind Yugumbir SS)  
Call Andrea 0407 152 076. Cost $5 per session.
Dear Parents / Guardians,

Students in Year 1-3 will be running the Fun Run as a whole year level. Students in Year 4-6 will run in their Age Group. This will avoid any confusion.

The following are approximate timetables for the Inter House Fun Run / Cross Country. If we are unfortunate enough to have rain, which makes it unsafe to go ahead, other dates will be advised. We hope that you can make it along to watch your child participate. Each student can participate at their own level, so they may walk, jog or run the course.

All students are expected to participate. Those students with medical conditions or illness must bring a note to exclude them from the course.

If your child has a medical condition which we should be made aware of such as asthma please provide written advice to their class Teacher.

* All children who suffer from asthma must carry their puffers with them as they run / walk the course.

Supporters and spectators are welcome but are asked to please stay clear of the children and the running course. Please do not come into the competition area on the oval.

TIMETABLE PROGRAM
WEEK 10 TERM 1

MONDAY 9.00 am – 11.00 am Year 1 (All)
30 March Year 2 (All)

WEDNESDAY 9.00 am – 10.45 am
1 April 12 years (Born 2003)
11 years (Born 2004)
10 years (Born 2005)
Year 4 (Born 2006)

THURSDAY 9.00 am – 10.00 pm Year 3
2 April

Prep classes are running their Fun Run in Week 1 Term 2 during their Phys Ed class times with Mr Alechnowicz.

Mrs S. Elliott
Physical Education Specialist

Mr L Wills
Deputy Principal
Our Stay 'n' Play Playgroup runs for two hours every Wednesday morning, between 9.00am – 11.00am. This program has been made possible through the support of Logan City Council, who has provided us with a grant to assist with our Playgroup & cooking program.

All ‘Prepped for Success’ programs will run from our School Readiness Hub, situated in Modular 1, except for our cooking program which will be held in the School Hall.

Please email Alison Kingdom, aking293@eq.edu.au, to enrol your child for Playgroup. **Playgroup is available to all preschool aged children (0-5yrs),** or to enquire about our cooking program. **Cooking is available to 3-5yrs only, and numbers are limited to 10 students per lesson.**

This program is supported by Logan City Council’s Community Services Grant Initiative.
Adding 10 minutes a day to a child’s reading makes a big difference over the year.

A comparison of Year 5 children

DID YOU NOTICE?
The more minutes children read per day, the more fluent their reading becomes. From 5 minutes to 15 minutes per night there is around a 200% increase in word exposure over one year!

Research shows us that the benefits of reading more improve performance in:

General knowledge, vocabulary, reading comprehension, verbal fluency and spelling.


Let’s Raise Readers!
QPARENTS
Secure online parent portal

Access your child’s student information online and stay connected to your school.

Anytime, anywhere:
- reporting and assessment
- timetables and class times
- attendance records
- invoice and payment details
- and much more...

Visit: qparents.qld.edu.au

Compatible with the following devices:

Android  Apple  Windows 8
Pre- Prep Cooking Program

WHEN: Starting Thursday 26th March

WHERE: School Hall

TIME: 9.30am—10.45am

AGE GROUP: Strictly 3-5 years. Spaces are limited

This program gives children, parents and carers the opportunity to participate in activities within the school community, that also encourages healthy eating habits.

If you would like to be a part of our new program, please see:

Alison Kingdom - School Readiness Hub (Modular 1),
or email aking293@eq.edu.au
Stay ‘n’ Play Playgroup

WHEN: Every Wednesday - Starting 4th March
TIME: 9am - 11am
WHERE: Modular 1 - School Readiness Hub
AGE GROUP: 0-5 years

This program gives children, parents and carers the opportunity to develop positive relationships within the school community.
If you would like to be a part of our new program, please see:
Alison Kingdom - School Readiness Hub (Modular 1), or email aking293@eq.edu.au
Participation Agreement Form
Yugumbir State School

2015 Student Resource Scheme (Please complete a form for each child)

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**Participation**

☐ Yes  I wish to participate in the Student Resource Scheme in 2015. I have read and understand the Terms and Conditions of the scheme and agree to abide by them.

☐ No   I do not wish to participate in the 2015 Student Resource Scheme. I have read and understand the Terms and Conditions of the scheme and agree to abide by them, particularly paragraphs 11 and 12, and supply ALL resources as requested.

**Method of Payment**

I wish to make payment by:  ☐ Cash    ☐ Cheque    ☐ Credit/Debit Card

☐ EFT (Electronic Funds Transfer) please contact the school office for details if paying by this method.

SCHOOL NOMINATED BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS:  Yugumbir State School  BSB 064-159  Account 00090333

For payment by Credit/Debit Card, I hereby authorise the school to debit my:

☐ MasterCard  ☐ Visa  (NO AMEX ACCEPTED)

Card Number:  Expiry Date:

For ☐ an amount of $_________

Name of Cardholder as it appears on the card:  Signature of Cardholder:

The resource scheme provides us with significant opportunities to refine explicit teaching strategies for all students and ensure we personalise the teaching and learning for every child. As we continue to embed the Australian Curriculum and make use of the “Curriculum into the Classroom” units of work developed by Education Queensland, we continue to develop year level and unit specific resources to meet the needs of all students including those with special needs and academic strengths. By inviting and encouraging parents to support an annual $50.00 Resource Scheme contribution we will be able to produce very explicit resources to align to the work being taught in each classroom. It will also provide you with clear savings to online subscriptions that our teachers use to consolidate your child’s learning.

The School Resource Scheme includes the provision of:

- Subsidised dance lessons (10) by Footsteps Dance Company in Term 2
- Reproduced class materials which complement and/or substitute textbooks
- Online subscriptions (Reading Eggs and Ideal Resources)
- Photocopying costs (classroom materials and workbooks only)
- Materials for key learning areas where the instruction is extended through providing practical learning experiences in excess of materials provided by our school grants

Children of parents who choose not to participate in the School Resource Scheme will not be provided with any of the resources above or access to online subscriptions.

The school will provide parents and caregivers with an invoice for the resource scheme payment.

**Payment**

☐ I agree to pay the Student Resource Scheme by the due date and I understand that any failure to make payment by this date may result in my child(ren) being excluded from extra-curricular activities. Access may be withheld even if the student is presenting payment specifically for the extra-curricular activity.

**Details (please print)**

Parent/Carer Name:

Contact Number:

Parent/Carer Signature:  Date:

Note:  Parents must complete a separate form for each child that is attending Yugumbir State School.