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2016 DATES (not that anyone wants to think about these just yet!)
Staff return Wednesday 20th January
Students return on Wednesday 27th January

Hooray!! The bus leaves at 6 a.m. sharp tomorrow.
Please bring a named water bottle, a snack for the break at Gympie (about 8 a.m.) and optional spending money ($20 maximum) in a named zip-lock bag. School uniform must be worn.
Due to family commitments, Mrs Dyer will be absent.

HELP: DVDs Wanted: If you have any G rated DVDs that we could watch on the bus, could you please let me know. Thanks  Home-bake donations would also be appreciated.

Contact number: 04 686 1979.  Our estimated time of return is 7.30 p.m.

Congratulations to everyone involved in the Graduation/Awards Evening and Pirate Pizazz.
It was a wonderful celebration to end a very successful school year at Booyal Central.

I only have few photos of the evening at the moment. If you have any that you would be happy to share please let me know, they would be very gratefully received. Thanks.

On behalf of all the staff, a big ‘Thank You’ to each one of you for the amazing role you have played this year supporting your child/ren and our school. Your varied contributions are an important part of what makes Booyal Central so special and they are never taken for granted. Acknowledgement and many thanks also go to our terrific, hardworking teaching and non-teaching staff.

I hope that you and your family thoroughly enjoy the holidays and are looking forward to 2016. May it be your best year yet!
The end of the year always signals change.

We farewell our graduates, (Dan, Maddy, Mitchell, Paul & Toby) with pride and a sense of excitement for what lies ahead. Thank you all for leaving special memories with us and for being such wonderful students and friends. We also wish Rachel every happiness and success at her next school.

At the same time, we are very much looking forward to welcoming our new Preps; Beau, Callum, Keenan and Lucia, as well as saying ‘G’day’ to AJ when he returns.

Staff-wise, we anticipate (hope!) that Mrs Dyer will remain at Booyal, teaching the lower grades, either in a part-time or full time capacity. As always, this is dependent on enrolment numbers. Mr Green will also return as the PE teacher.

Although Mrs Ilett’s contract has finished, she will definitely be around school next year too, although in what capacity we are unsure. At the least, she will be a regular relief teacher.

I would like to thank Mrs Illett and recognise the valuable (and varied) role that she has undertaken at school this year. She is an extremely experienced and caring teacher who we love having as part of the team.

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Reports: Reports will be mailed out on Monday. Just like many other small (and some larger) schools around here there have just not been enough hours in the day or night to complete all the reports before the end of term. It is an incredibly hectic time of year and, even with Mrs Dyer and me being here until the early hours some mornings, the usual ‘reporting mission’ could not be accomplished.

Booklists: Copies of the 2016 booklists will be put on the school’s Facebook site and web page soon, just in case you need them. Paper copies were attached to a recent Waffle.

Christmas Sing-A- Long: A lovely group of students from Prep – Year 6 sang beautifully at the ‘Christmas Sing-A-Long’ at the Booyal Hall on Sunday evening. They were magic and enjoyed the whole evening of lively singing and dancing with Pilot Light Productions. It was a delightfully fun evening. Well done everyone. 😊

Acrobatics: Tara Thompson came and coached the children in acrobatic skills today. What a treat.

P&C: We were all thoroughly spoilt today, with a special luncheon treat by P&C. What a wonderful surprise. Thank you! 😊
Merry Christmas everyone. I hope that you enjoy every minute of the holidays.
Take care, Dawn 😊

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