Insight
Maleny State High School

12/14

Principal's Report

YEAR 12 QCS TESTS
Congratulations to our Year 12’s for the positive way they entered into this year’s QCS Test. Thanks to a number of staff our Year 12’s enjoyed a hearty breakfast on both mornings before the tests. Well done year 12’s and this hopefully goes well for the run down to their last assessments for some great results at the end of the year.

BROCK GIBLIN UPDATE
Brock, as you may remember, is recovering from a serious car accident at the end of last term. His recovery has been very positive with a number of operations and skin grafts for serious burns. He has just recently taken his first steps and everyone is delighted in his progress. All our thoughts and best wishes go out to him on his road to recovery and we look forward to the day he returns to Maleny High School.

SUBJECT SELECTIONS FOR 2015
Year 10’s have recently completed their subject selection process on-line and we look forward to collating those choices ready for 2015. Year 8’s and Year 9’s will soon be making choices for electives in 2015. Basically the Year 8’s will choose four (4) electives for next year, studying two (2) in Semester 1 and two (2) in Semester 2. Year 9 students will select two (2) electives for next year studying them all year. Look out for Subject Selection sheets coming home with your students.

YEAR 10 SET PLANS
As part of the subject selection process Year 10’s have been preparing a SetPlan, which is a planning document as part of Career Education looking at appropriate subjects to select to assist in future career pathways. This may include University/ TAFE courses or full-time work options. A big thank you to Mr Wade Jacobsen who has co-ordinated this process with the help of Mrs Cassidy and a number of staff assisting with interviews held last Wednesday 3/9.

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YEAR 10 WORK EXPERIENCE

All Year 10 students have the opportunity to complete a week, 5 days, of work experience later this year. Mr Jacobsen is co-ordinating this process and students and parents will need to assist in returning Work Placement agreements as required. Early next term when Mr Jacobsen is acting DP, that role will be taken on by Mr Brad Owens. All the best to our Year 10’s and represent our school proudly.

ENROLMENTS FOR 2015

Our enrolment numbers for 2015 are progressing well at this stage. Our aim is to finalise our enrolments into Year 7 and 8 next year as soon as possible to begin the long task of setting up classes and preparing the 2015 timetable. ** If you know of any future Year 7 & 8 students who have not yet enrolled, please encourage them to do so ASAP.

STAFFING FOR TERM FOUR

Ian Fitton will be Acting Principal for the first 3 weeks. Wade Jacobsen will be Acting Deputy Principal, as I will be on leave for the first 4 weeks and Brad Owens will be Acting Head of Department for VET and Technology. I have enjoyed my time as Principal, in Brian King’s absence, over the past 15 weeks. The good news is that Brian King will return in term 4, week 4. Thank you very much for your support and encouragement during my time as Acting Principal.

Brian Wilkinson
Acting Principal

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FROM THE GUIDANCE COUNSELLOR

Year 12

Students in year 12 intending on applying for university and TAFE courses through QTAC, or other interstate tertiary institutions, have until 30/09 to apply for on-time applications. After this date, significant late fees will apply. All students interested in applying have the necessary information. There are a comprehensive array of scholarships available. You can check these out by the institution website or see Connie Robins. There are also career-related scholarships not available by the institution. Please contact Connie with any questions.

Boys will be Boys – Understand the Developmental Journey of the Adolescent Male

Guest Speaker will be Andrew Zanos, Child & Adolescent Therapist.
Date: 16/09
Time: 5:30 – 7:30pm
Venue: Headspace – 1/27 Evans St, Maroochydore (entry at the rear of the building)

Parents and carers can call Louise Bowden at IFYS on 0438 146 172 for more information or simply come along on the night.

ParentSpace

Headspace also has a project called ParentSpace, for connecting & supporting parents & carers of adolescents. There is a Maroochydore group (Tuesdays, 5:30 to 7:30pm), and a Beerwah group (Thursdays, 5:30 to 7:30pm). For further information, please contact Louise Bowden (Maroochydore) on 5438 3000, or Holly Aston (Beerwah) on 5438 3000.

Connie Robins

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Contact: Jenny Thomas on 5499 8111
**Visiting teachers from PNG and Guyana enjoy seeing Maleny SHS**

By Jemma Pollari

Late last term a number of visiting teachers from Papua New Guinea and Guyana dropped by to visit Maleny SHS. Seon (from Guyana), Sarah, Elva and Israel (from PNG) are Master of Education students at the University of the Sunshine Coast, and while studying in Australia they were keen to check out local schools and see how we do things here. They were very pleased to see Maleny SHS and enjoyed the tour around the school. We thank them for visiting and for their interest in our school, and wish them all the best as they travel back home now to their own schools.

Seon, Sarah, Elva and Israel
(from left to right)

Checking out the science block – and the view over the oval!

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60 Seconds with Mrs Biggs

Interviewer: Emma Kirby

How are you enjoying the atmosphere here at Maleny?

I’m loving it! This is my 8th state school in Queensland and my 10th school overall, and it’s the best school I’ve ever worked in.

Where were you teaching last?

My last school was Gympie State High School.

On a scale of one to ten, how much do you love your job?

It’s about a 9 because there is just the odd little thing that spoils all the fun in the classroom.

Do you have any favourite students or teachers?

I don’t play favourites because there are so many great people here and there are some examples in this classroom right now who just make it wonderful!

Where did you grow up?

I spent most of my primary school years in Brisbane after coming here from the UK overseas. I did my high school years and grade 7 in the district. My family lived in Peachester and still do!

Did you like living there?

Yes, it took us 17 years to come back to the district. We lived in many places but this is where we intend to stay.

Do you have a favourite grade or subject to teach?

I don’t have a favourite, no. I just love teaching the things I love to do, cooking and sewing.

Thank so much for your time Mrs Biggs.

That’s alright, you’re welcome.
INTERACT NEWS

It has been another busy term, but a very successful one.

We made a visit to the Maleny Kindy to spend some quality time with the little ones. Our Interact members were very enthusiastic and the little ones just love spending time with them. I am never quite sure who has the most fun.

We finally drew our raffle on the 18th August. There were five very happy winners that day. First prize (Mini iPad) went to Roman Jade, second (Apple iPod Touch) went to Barbara Sek, third (iPod Shuffle) went to Tyler Watson, 4th ($50-00 Movie Voucher) to Mike Wynne and finally 5th ($30-00 Movie Voucher) went to Tina Price. Congratulations to all our winners and thank you to everyone for your support. We sold over 2,200 tickets making a profit of $1,023-00.

The next event on our calendar was the BBQ and Free Dress day for World Vision 40 Hour Famine. $700-00 was raised from this. This is a good opportunity to remind all those who did the 40 Hour Famine that your money and your book/s must be returned to Mrs Tickle in the Library as soon as possible. All the money raised through this should be banked by the end of term, Friday next week.

On Saturday the 30th August and Sunday 31st August, the Maleny Trailriders held their big weekend at Green Park in Conondale. This is held every second year and is always a fantastic weekend. Interact was invited to man the coffee machine, so armed with 4 very able baristas, Ryan Webb, Katya Hall, Emma Kirby and Carlyndal Slight-Di Tullio, we headed off to Green Park for the weekend. The students all camped over on the Saturday night which made our Sunday morning a lot easier. We arrived at 7.00a.m. on the Saturday and were gone from Green Park by 3.30p.m. on the Sunday afternoon. Another student, Chanet Kromberg, joined us at 5.30a.m. on the Sunday morning to help out with the anticipated rush hour, or couple of hours should I say. The students did an amazing job, and there were many positive comments about them and the coffees. I would like to take this opportunity to thank these students for giving up their weekend, and their families for their support in this. I was extremely proud to be associated with them. We made $850-00 from this coffee making venture, and now is the time also to thank Maleny Dairies for donating the milk, Montville Coffee for donating the coffee, and to the Maleny Show Society for donating the machine to us. This was definitely a real team effort.

I am sure we are all looking forward to the break, but rest assured we will be back next term, rejuvenated and rearing to go. Have a good holiday.

Thank you,

Fran Tickle
Arts Exposed

Friday, 17 October 2014

More information to follow.

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Work Experience

20—24 October 2014

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Transition Dates

Year 7 into Year 8

8, 15, 22 October 2014

Year 6 into Year 7

29 October 2014

5, 12 November 2014

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Block Exams

Year 12

10 September to 16 September

Year 11

16 September to 19 September

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For Sale

Fax/phone/copier approx. 4 years old,
Brother brand, model 2820,
reasonable condition, $85.

Please contact Carol or Karen on 5499 8111

Winter Warmer

Hot Chocolate  $3.00
Hot Coffee  $3.00

Now selling at the Canteen.

Uniform Shop Hours

8am—10am
11.30pm —12.30pm
Monday to Friday

Cash, Cheque or EFTPOS
MALENY STATE HIGH
CANTEEN MENU

TERM 3
July 14 - Sept 19

Our School Canteen is committed to providing and promoting healthier food and drink choices to the students and teachers at Maleny State High. Our aim is to offer delicious food, mostly made on premises using quality ingredients that children and adults alike can enjoy whilst fuelling them for their school day.

Breakfast Bounty (available daily at the canteen counter - pre order not required)
- Warm Breakfast Rolls $1.50
- Breakfast Muffin - Bacon, Egg, Low Fat Cheese and BBQ Sauce $3.00
- Fresh Fruit of the day $1.00
- Yoghurt Berry Crunch - Natural Muesli, Strawberry Yoghurt & Fruit $2.50
- Hot Chocolate Cup (Lg) $2.00

Wicked Wraps
Toasted Wraps -
  Chicken, Cheese & Salsa Wrap $4.00
  Grilled Vegetables w Pesto Wrap (v) $4.50
Fresh Wraps -
  Ham OR Chicken & Salad $4.00
  Cheese & Salad (v) $3.50

Other Stuff
Homemade Roast Veg Tortilla Stack - Roast Veg layered w Mild Salsa, Cheese & Tortillas (v) $4.00

Fresh Sushi (Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri Only)
(Choose from Avocado (v), Prawn Mayo, Tuna Mayo, Teriyaki Chicken, Crispy Chicken Avocado)
  Per Roll $3.50

Hot Stuff
- Garlic Bread (v) $1.00
- Vegetarian Pasta of the day (v) $3.50
- Meat Pasta of the Day $4.00
- Spinach & Feta Roll (v) $3.50
- Vegetable Roll (v) $3.50
- Lean Beef Sausage Roll $3.00
- Meat pie - Beef & Potato or Beef, Bacon & Cheese $3.50

Homemade Soup of the Week - Served with Garlic Bread $3.50
Chicken Sub - Southern Style chicken tenderloin, mayo, sweet chili, carrot & lettuce on a crispy roll $4.00

Daily Specials...see attached menu!

Drinks
- Flavoured Milks 300ml $2.00
  600ml $3.00
- Nestle Iced Tea $3.50
- 100% Fruit juice Poppers $1.50
- Classic Juice varieties 500ml $3.00
- Up & Go Sm $2.00
  Lg $3.00
- LOL $2.50
- Water 600ml $2.00

Extra Yummies
- Cake & Buns $2.00
- Home Made Muffins $2.50
- Lg Choc Chip Cookies $2.50
- Jelly cups (2nd Lunch only) .50c
- Fresh Fruit $1.00
- Strawberry Yoghurt Cup $1.00

Assorted Ice Blocks & Ice-Creams, Small Chip Packets and Jelly cups - Only available 2nd lunch

We encourage all students to PRE-ORDER before school as we only have a limited quantity of most items, first in first served! Orders can be made at the School Canteen from 8am onwards.
How to get started in Little Athletics

littleathletics.com.au

FAMILY FUN & FITNESS
Who can do Little Athletics? Queensland Little Athletics venues are able to cater for children from 3 to 16 years of age, with many Centres able to cater to athletes with a disability. No matter what your skills or ability Little Athletics is all about family, fun and fitness and making sure you can be your best.

How will I learn?
Many Centres have coaches to help you improve and learn about athletics so you can get the most out of your involvement with Little Athletics. Learning is fun and in no time you will see your personal best (PB’s) performances improve.

What are the benefits?
If you are fit it makes you feel good about yourself and you have the energy to do anything. Young people who take an interest in sport are more likely to stay fit for life.

What does my mum, dad or family have to do?
Apart from making sure you get safely to and from Little Athletics, your mum and/or dad or your family make great helpers and officials and coaches of the future. Organising, raking, recording, directing and measuring are all jobs families and helpers are asked to do.

What events can I do?

How friendly is it?
You will find no shortage of friends or friendships at Little Athletics! Little Athletics has provided a friendly environment for over 40 years with millions of Aussies enjoying their experience. If you are uncertain or a little shy, bring your best friend and do Little Athletics together.

How do I join?
Simply visit our website to register online or contact your nearest Centre for details. You can join at any time!

Run, Jump, Throw, have fun and be healthy.

MALENy LITTLE ATHLETICS
2014/15 Season starts on SEPTEMBER 6 from 8.00am
Maleny Little Athletics Shed on the Maleny High School Oval
For more information call - Maria - 5494 2686
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P & C Calendar

- Next Meeting Thursday 18 September at 7.15pm in Administration.

School Calendar

- 21/9—1/10 Japan Study Tour
- 7 October Term 4 begins
- 8 October Transition—Year 7 into Year 8
- 15 October Transition—Year 7 into Year 8
- 17 October Arts Exposed
- 20 October Student Free Day
- 20-24 October Work Experience
- 21-24 October Year 11 Leadership Camp
- 22 October Transition—Year 7 into Year 8
- 29 October Transition—Year 6 into Year 7
- 30 October Awards Night in the main hall 7pm start
- 30 October Year 11 Careers Day
- 5 November Transition—Year 6 into Year 7
- 12 November Transition—Year 6 into Year 7
- 18 November Year 12 Alternative Program
- 19 November Year 12 Senior Formal
- 20 November Year 12 Beach Day
- 21 November Year 12 Graduation Ceremony—Clap out
Universal Tennis Academy over the past ten years has been based in Victoria, Queensland and Western Australia. We now offer programs for Landsborough and Maleny Tennis Clubs and would like to invite you down to a come and try / sign on day prior to a new tennis coaching block starting on Monday 11th August.

Where: Maleny Tennis Club (Showgrounds)
When: Saturday the 9th August 9am-10:30am

Where: Landsborough Tennis Club
When: Saturday 9th August 12noon – 1:30pm

For more information or if you can’t make it on the day please feel free to contact head coach Jani Kroyherr on 0466-687-373 or email universaltennisacademy@hotmail.com

Tennis Family Fun OPEN DAY

Date: Sat 30th August, 2014
Venue: Maleny Showgrounds
Time: 9.00 am until 12.30 pm
Bar-B-Q: provided with fresh salads

The Maleny Tennis Club invites your whole family to come along, get out in this magnificent weather and have a go at tennis. There will be:-

- jumping castle
- face painting for the younger ones
- all kinds of fun tennis games and competitions – including a Fastest Serve Competition for both the kids and the adults
- Tennis Queensland will be there with lots of hand-outs and prizes.

This day is completely FREE and there will be a Bar-B-Q with plenty of fresh salads provided – if you require refreshments for the kids apart from water, please bring them along with you. There will, of course, be a raffle with great prizes. See you there!
INVITATION
TO THE RENOWNED

Welcome Dinner 2014
Maleny & Blackall Range

Now in its 9th Year
This is an Open Invitation to all Newcomers
to Come and Meet New Friends

Where: Maleny Showgrounds Pavilion
When: Wednesday 17th September 2014
       6pm for 6:45pm
Cost: $35 per head
      (includes gourmet meal and entertainment)
Tickets: Simply Stylish (Maleny)
        Birdy Fashion and Beauty (Maleny)
        Soothe Hairdressing (Montville)
        Mapleton Library
Enquiries: John Blyth      Ph: 54352759
          Colin Sinclair    Ph: 5435 2867
Maleny Cricket Club

The Maleny Cricket Club is looking for players to fill their Under 14 team for this season. We have seven players, so a further 5 would be great. Students need to be either boys, who are 13 or turn 14 after September, or girls who are 15 or younger.

Please contact Greg Corkin on 0427543662.

Looking for a Summer sport?** Come Play Softball!!**

Suncoast Hinterland Softball Association invites interested players to sign-on for the upcoming Summer season.

**Sign On & Come Try Day:** *Saturday 23rd August & Saturday 13th September*

**Where:** *Mooloolah Multi Sports Complex - 129 Mooloolah Connection Rd, Mooloolah (Brand new facilities)*

**Who:** *Males & Females of all ages & abilities - 5yrs to masters*

**Contact:** Karen 0422204661 or suncoasthinterlandsoftball@gmail.com

*Your child may be eligible for the State Govt’s Get Started voucher - valued up to $150.*

Register ASAP to avoid missing out on this opportunity!!