**Under 8’s Day**

Next week, Rachelle Taylor and Helen Gassman will be taking P12T to Moura State School to celebrate Under 8’s day. Our Prep, Year 1 and Year 2 students will participate in a range of fun hands on activities in small groups. **Please ensure all excursion forms have been returned to school** so your child does not miss out on this wonderful excursion.

**Numeracy Professional Development**

Next Thursday 26th May Bauhinia State School will host a Numeracy Professional Development for teachers in the region. This workshop will involve the regional Numeracy coach, Paul Sumpter, delivering maths lessons to our students for a group of visiting teachers to observe. Paul will then work with the teachers to further unpack the best practice for delivering the mathematics curriculum. This is a fantastic opportunity for our school and for our teachers – ensuring we are at the forefront of research based teaching strategies that will improve numeracy outcomes for our students.

**Uniforms**

Our brilliant uniform coordinator, Carmen, has made sure our uniform cupboard is fully stocked with all your uniform needs. We have hats, track pants, jumpers, vests, school and sports shirts galore. As well as a fabulous selection of shorts and skorts.

A reminder, winter uniform items are to be all maroon – track pants, jumpers and vests. Beanies, scarves, and gloves are not to be worn while at school.

If you need any new uniform items please come in and see us.

**Chaplaincy Week**

This week we have celebrated Chaplaincy week with our wonderful Chaplain, Chappy Di. We are so pleased to have a Chaplain again working at our school. Thanks Chappy Di for all your help and for your kind gifts this week in celebration.
Kindy Sessions
Kindy aged students joining Prep students each Tuesday. Contact the school if you would like more information.

P & C Meeting
Thursday 16th June - 3:00pm
Bauhinia State School Library
New members are encouraged to attend
Please let Jody Moore know if you have and items for the agenda, or any apologies for the meeting.
Find out what is happening in and around the school. We hope to see you there.
Jody Moore
0403 311 344

Every Day Counts
The Future Is In Your Hands
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b9iIBeJ5CU5
Robotics Club
National Reconciliation Week - 27th May to 3rd June

National Reconciliation Week, held from 27 May to 3 June, provides an opportunity for our school community to learn about our shared histories, cultures and achievements. It’s a time to celebrate and build on the respectful relationships between Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and other Australians.

The 27 May and 3 June are important dates in Australia’s history, and mark the successful 1967 referendum and the High Court Mabo decision.

As Australians, we are all here, woven into this country.

As part of our reconciliation journey, there are truths to tell, stories to celebrate, and relationships to grow.

Reconciliation is at the heart of our nations’ future.

Join us on our nation’s reconciliation journey.

About the 'Our History, Our Story, Our Future' theme

‘Our History’ reminds us all, that historical acceptance is essential to our reconciliation journey. Historical acceptance will exist when all Australians understand and accept the fact that past laws, practices and policies deeply affected the lives of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, often having devastating immediate impacts and causing much of the disadvantage that exists today. It is also a commitment to ensuring these wrongs are never repeated in the future.

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‘Our Story’ reflects the fact that the journey towards reconciliation forms a significant part of Australia’s story, as do the stories of both trauma and triumph told by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. It also encourages each and every one of us to make reconciliation part of our own story.

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‘Our Future’ reinforces that reconciliation must live in the hearts, minds and actions of all Australians as we move forward, in the knowledge that we believe in fairness for everyone, that our diversity makes us richer, and that together, we are stronger.

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