TERM 1 CALENDAR
Family BBQ—Friday, 12th February @ 6pm
Information session—16th February @ 3.45pm
School Council—Wed, 24th February @ 7pm
Labour Day Holiday—Monday 14th March
End of term 1—Thursday, 24th March

SCHOOL NURSE
Trina Douglas our school nurse will be visiting on Tuesday March 8th. Trina will be completing the health screening of our Foundation students and will also undertake health checks for other students on request.

Forms for our Foundation students have been sent with the newsletter. Parents who wish to have their student/s checked can request a form from the office.

PERSONAL ACCIDENT AND AMBULANCE COVER
The Department of Education does not provide personal accident insurance or ambulance cover for students. Parents and guardians of students, who do not have student accident insurance/ambulance cover, are responsible for paying the cost of medical treatment for injured students, including the cost of ambulance attendance/transport and any other transport costs.

PREMIERS ACTIVE CHALLENGE
The school has again entered the Active April Challenge. We will be completing 30 minutes of physical activity each day and we would like the students to do the same on non-school days. More information will be sent out closer to the event.

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IMMUNISATION CERTIFICATES
Please note that students without immunisation certificates will be excluded from school during outbreaks of serious illness/ infectious disease cases as prescribed under Regulations 13 and 14 of the Health (Infectious Diseases) Regulations 2001 – Schedule 6.

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SCHOOL COUNCIL
Our next school Council meeting will be Wednesday 24th February. This will be the last meeting of our current council. I would like to thank all of our councilors from 2015 for their support and hard work.

A notice of election & call for nominations will be sent home next Monday.

TRANSITION
Broadford Secondary College Open Night—For parents from grades 4 through to 6 will

For more information, please contact your child’s teacher or the school office.

For ideas and resources, visit: www.darraweitguimps.vic.edu.au

Loki & Christine: For having been outstanding members of the classroom, helping and
Class of 2016

Our new students