

Parent Communication at MBBC

What do I need to know?

Newsletters

The College newsletter comes out fortnightly by email. You will receive this on Wednesday afternoons in the odd weeks, Week 1, W3, W5, W7 and W9 of Term. We also email out a Week 0 before Term 1 commences so that you are ready to start the year. Regular features include articles from the Principal, Head of College, Primary and Secondary news, Chaplains' Corner, Teaching and Learning, P&F reports as well as announcements, co-curricular, sport and student news. The newsletter is emailed direct to your nominated inbox, is also live on our website with all of the back issues under the "News and Events" tab. In addition to this, the Sports team produce a sports newsletter *Soar Weekly* which is delivered every week to your email inbox.

We welcome contributions from parents on exciting updates about your son, together with any supporting photos. If your news is big we can also arrange for a media release to be sent to local newspapers. Email: newsletter@mbbc.qld.edu.au.

Social Media

Facebook:

We post regular photo albums, event reminders and information to this page. You don't have to be a parent to follow, it can be a great way for your son's grandparents and overseas family to check in. Our posts will pop regularly into your feed if you select like and comment on posts. Otherwise, you can search directly for this page from our web page, the College App (see info below) or by typing in Moreton Bay Boys in your search tab. www.facebook.com/moretonbayboys.



Most importantly, **you will need to like the page** in order to have our posts show up in your feeds. If you want to look but don't want to comment, you can interact by sharing posts with your friends, or tag your friend's name or simply "like" a post or photo. You may be asked by parents to join class pages, you are welcome to do this, please be aware your main information should be sourced from the MBBC page.

Twitter and YouTube:

We have a twitter page at [/twitter.com/moretonbayboys](https://twitter.com/moretonbayboys) our handle is @moretonbayboys and we often use the hashtag #weareeagles. We post the occasional photo here, link to newsletter, video and updates. Our Principal, Head of College and other key staff also tweet. So if you are a tweeter you can follow us, retweet and check out our links. Tweet us your weekend sport photo, or after school event pic and we can retweet and share to our community. Our Youtube channel is [moretonbayboys10](https://www.youtube.com/moretonbayboys10) if you wanted to subscribe to see videos.

College App



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Download this for free and keep up to date when you are out and about. There are live links to our social media pages, you can order lunch on your phone or device by clicking straight through to the tuckshop, press a button to phone Reception or OSHClub (our Before and After School Care) or check the wet weather line to see if sport is going ahead.

Can't remember what time you need to be at your son's school for Father's day breakfast? Click on the pdf link. Bus late back from an excursion? We send a notification direct to your phone. Notes or invites which are sent home are also posted to the App. The Events tab displays up to 30 upcoming events streamed live from the College Calendar.

How do I sign up?

If you have an iPhone or iPad, go to the App store on your device and search for moreton bay boys college. Download. Moreton Bay College also have an APP if you have children attending both schools. On your Android search under Google play to download.

What if I don't want all of the notices?

You can adjust your subscription in Settings, to only receive Primary, Secondary or Senior school notices, or just sport or art. We need to send out notices for all year levels, so you will automatically get these as well.

Any questions about any communications please email our Marketing Manager Rachel Wilkinson on wilkinsonr@mbbc.qld.edu.au.