Kingseliff Public School



Monday 10 February 2020 Term 1 Week 3

DATES TO REMEMBER

Wednesday 12 February P/T Meetings Commence

Thursday 13 February First Wave Playgroup starts 9am

Friday 14 February Yr 3-6 Swimming Carnival (8yo +)

Monday 17 February Student Leadership Assembly 9am

Scripture Starts

P&C Meeting

Tuesday 18 February District Tennis

Wednesday 19 February District Swimming

PRINCIPAL NEWS

"Getting to know you" Meetings

While some students were informed of changes to classes last week, all students have settled in to the school year well. The teachers have enjoyed having time to get to know their students and have recently sent our information calling for short meetings with parent/carers, in order to get to know your children better.

With the restructure to occur on Monday, we will begin parent meetings on Wednesday this week, following through until next Wednesday. Each teacher has provided their availability on the school interview app, details of which were provided on Friday. Please log on to book your meeting time. If you are unable to find a suitable time slot, please contact the teacher to negotiate other arrangements.

Please come to the meetings ready to tell us about your child: their likes, dislikes, passions, strengths and challenges; also, any external factors to school, that may impact on their learning.

Our goal is to know our students and their families better, so that we can work in partnership throughout the school year to support your child's learning.



Enrolment Information

As you were informed last week, our enrolments are down from last year. A restructure of classes and a staff nominated transfer was necessary. Thank you to all parents who have been supportive as we rearranged classes on Friday. Students started in their new rooms on Monday. It has been a difficult time for our staff as well, with the possibility of one of their colleagues waiting for information of a transfer.

For your information, this process is long and controlled by "Human Resources" (HR) in Sydney. All schools have until February, 20th to notify HR of their final numbers. After that time, teachers who have been nominated by schools, with a reduction in numbers, will be offered a place at a school that may have increased. The teacher in question remains at their current school, until such time that a placement has been found.

ASSEMBLY TIMES

Whole School

11:45am

Monday weekly

While I have had private conversations with the nominated teacher, paperwork is yet to be submitted and I have not received permission to publish their name. Once the raw emotion of the process has calmed, I will share this information with the community. The teacher may let others know, but that is not my place, as yet.

Thank you for your support and understanding at this time.

Major Works Program Information

After recent meetings, in the school holidays and again last week, we are not far off finding out the timeline for our major works program. Several schools on the Far North Coast are awaiting the commencement of their 'build projects' and next week each Principal will meet Goeff Provest, our local member, to discuss our schools.

I understand that shortly thereafter, there will be a release of information for our works projects and community information meetings.

This is an exciting time for our community, stay tuned.

School Pick up



A reminder the "Kiss and Drop Zone" is a **no parking area**, that is patrolled by rangers. Once in the zone, you cannot leave your vehicle. Please load your children and leave as quickly as possible, as others queue up behind cars that remain in place for too long.

Name Cards: We recommend a family name card for your dash board; please let the office know if you want one. We will be happy to create one for you. If you would like to create your own, use the <u>largest BOLD BLACK</u> font you can. Hand written signs are difficult to read from a distance. <u>Surname across the top</u>, first names in a smaller size, below that. Signs do speed up the pick up process. Thank you for your cooperation in using this system.

Students Leaders Announced

Next Monday, 17th February, from 9:30am, we will be presenting our student leaders to the school community. Our School Captains and Vice Captains, Sport Captains and Vice Captains, School leaders and SRC members will be presented with their badges and introduced to the school. We are very lucky to have a community benefactor, whose children went to this school many years ago, Mr Copping. The Copping Family's kind donation has enabled the purchase of these badges. Anyone is invited to attend, however, a special invitation will be sent out to parents of these students and we ask that you be involved in our badge ceremony. If you are unable to attend I am sure our special guest will assist us in this task.

I look forward to seeing you all next week

Diana Foley Principal

UNIFORM SHOP

Monday & Wednesday 8:30-9:30

The KPS Uniform Shop has a variety of stock available for purchase and will be available until stock is sold out.

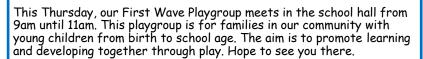
Spray Jackets - Sizes 4, 12 & 14 Only (Limited Stock) Shorts - Size 8, 10, 12 & 16 Shorts OUT OF STOCK Shirts - Limited stock in sizes 8, 10 & 12

If we do not have the item you are after, it can be ordered from Mr Charles by phoning 1800 810 182 or email admin@mrcharles.com.au.

Thank you.

Kingscliff Public School

FIRST WAVE PLAYTR®UP



Mandy Ellem

School Banking newsletter.



In light of the recent devastating bushfires, we want to share how we can help. Applications are now open for Bushfire Recovery Grants to help rebuild community facilities, schools, fire brigades and replace lost or damaged equipment. Please encourage your local community groups to apply by 31 March 2020, for grants of up to \$50,000. If you're a CommBank customer and you've been affected, we can also give you a hand with your finances. commbank.com.au/bushfirerecovery

2020 Treetop Savers Adventure.

This year, the Dollarmites (Pru, Addy, Spen, Lucas and Pat) are ready to take children on a Treetop Savers adventure to the enchanted Treehouse of Savings. Here they'll discover lots of fun financial activities and rewards for saving.

Many surveyed parents think it's important to make learning about money engaging and to reward good saving behaviour". And this year, we're changing our School Banking rewards for the better. We're introducing new eco-friendly and reusable rewards, alongside other rewards that encourage creativity, as well as indoor and outdoor play.

Activity 1: Add up Addy's pocket money

Addy gets \$2 pocket money every time she does a job in the Treehouse of Savings. If she does 9 jobs, how much will she have earned?

A: \$____

Activity 2: Find and count how many frogs and butterflies you can see

A: _____ Frogs and _____ Butterflies.

bumper book Silly Stuff

Terry Denton's Activity Book



Mini Soccer Ball

Term 1 Treetop Savers rewards

When your child makes 10 deposits with School Banking, they can redeem one of our Treetop Savers rewards. Term'l rewards are available now, while stocks last.

Any questions about the School Banking program? Ask your School Banking Co-ordinator for a parent's pack or visit **commbank.com.au/schoolbanking**

*Parents of Australian primary school children, School Banking Research, conducted by FiftyfiveS, May-June 2018. Commonwealth Bank of Australia ABN 48 123 123 124

Assistant Activity 7: 518. Activity 2: 10 Trags and 11 Butterfiltes



Office News

Swimming Carnival

The Swimming Carnival for Yrs 3-6 (8yo+) will be held this Friday, 14 February. Please return permission forms and \$5 payment by Wednesday.

Permission Forms

Please return the pink General Permission to Publish and purple Permission to Walk & PDHPE forms to the office ASAP.

Scripture

Mr. Charles

Play,

Term 1 update.

Learn

Grow...

Tegether!

Special Religious Education will commence next week. Please ensure you have returned your form with your scripture selection as soon as possible.

OFFICE HOURS 8.30am to 3.00pm

Thank You!

LIBRARY NEWS



Book Club Issue 1

will be sent home this week and closes *Monday 17 February*.

Orders and payments only through Book Club LOOP (NO CASH)

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CANTEEN CORNER

School Canteen operates four days each week
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
PLEASE HAVE ORDERS IN BY 9:15 AM



We are always looking for new volunteers.

if you are interested in helping even for just an hour once a
term, please contact the office on 02 6674 1467.

New volunteers will require Working With Children Checks.

Please see the office for the paperwork

PAYMENT OPTIONS

EFTPOS—This is only for Parents / Carers to use NOT children

Online—via School Stream or the school website.

Please include online payment receipt number on the paper bag.

Cash—correct money is appreciated.

All orders require a paper bag with the students name, class and order details.

REMINDER - CANTEEN CLOSED MONDAYS



KIMP NEWS



A huge welcome back to all our KIMP students!

It is so exciting to have so many new students learning instruments with KIMP this year ... we currently have 105 students in the program which is fantastic.

All students should have brought home a timetable and lengthy letter from me, if you have not yet received one, please email me.

Rehearsals are up and running this week:-

Intermediate Band—Monday 7:45am;

Senior Band—Tuesday 7:30am; and

Big Band—Wednesday 7:45am.

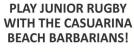
The office will send accounts home shortly. Please make sure these are paid by Week 4.

Tutor Books are now available for purchase from the office for \$22 (apologies, not \$20 as in letter).

I am looking forward to a wonderful year of music. Please email me anytime.

Thank you,

Nicky Cooper nicole.cooper15@det.nsw.edu.au





If your child wants to play Rugby in 2020, we want to hear from you!

Register on line now at <u>www.casuarinabeachrugby.com.au</u> (registration tab)

All boys and girls welcome
All players receive training t shirt, shorts and socks
Enquiries – Danielle Hevers (Junior Registrar)
daniellehevers@hotmail.com



Our Club Vision –
For more people in our local community to love Rugby!

WE FOCUS ON: Learning the game, sportsmanship, respect ... and having FUN with mates in a safe environment!!

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Pre session training

Junior Competition

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Britingscliff Junior AFL Club is
embarking on their second
year of existence in 2020. Our
inaugural year saw the club
attract player numbers over
and above expectations.

The club is full of great volunteers, parents and both girls and boys who participate in both skills sessions and competition throughout the year.

The Kingscliff Junior AFL Club & AFL QLD work together in ensuring all kids have fun whilst playing the great game of Australian Football.

2020 REGISTRATION DATES

February 2nd - 9am

February 16th - 9am

Merv Edwards Field Sand Street, Kingscliff.

2020 BOYS/GIRLS REGISTRATION FEES

U6- \$80 (or free if you register for the Auskick program)

U8- \$100

U10- \$140

Contact details: President- Tim Young Ph: 0409 390 009

kingscliffjafc@gmail.com



THIS WEEK AROUND THE SCHOOL



KIMP Students Sienna & Izzy,
presenting FEROS Wommin Bay with
Christmas Hampers
from the Kingy staff.

December 2019





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