Kingscliff Public School



Friday 12 June Friday 3 July Book Club Issue 4 Closes Last Day Term 2

3:00pm finish - Years K-6

Return to full school days for all students.

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Kingscliff Public School is moving forward! While we are still respecting social distance for adults in our work place, this week marks the start of returning to the full school day, for all students. All students will finish school at 3pm, as per "normal" from here on.

To help everyone get back into the swing of things here are a few reminders and suggestions:

- <u>The school site is only open to Department of</u> <u>Education personnel</u>. Therefore, parents are still asked to wait outside of school grounds for their children. If you need to speak to a class teacher, please make arrangements through the office.
- If your children can get the <u>school bus</u>, let them. This will greatly reduce traffic at each of our access points.



- If you are picking up children in cars, <u>please have a sign in your window</u>. LARGE BOLD BLACK font (size 72-100) please, to make it easily visible. The office is happy to make you one if needed. Please call our friendly staff to request this.
- Respect the "Kiss and Drop" zone. <u>Stay in</u> <u>your cars</u> and move up the line, as soon as you can. No double parking.

NO Parking

- If the line is full, you are asked to drive around the block and try again. <u>Do not queue across</u> <u>the school crossing</u>. Traffic inspectors are looking for this when they visit schools.
- Pedestrians: please do not congregate around the gate<u>. Keep your distance</u> between each other. (i.e. Social distancing)
- <u>Pedestrians: use school crossing</u> to cross Orient Street. Please DO NOT cross between vehicles. This is a dangerous practice and models the incorrect behaviour for your children.



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https://www.instagram.com/kingscliff_ps/

- If you park across the road, children will be asked to walk down to the crossing, to get to their car. Please do not call children across the road.
- Canteen: <u>Thank you for following our</u> <u>protocols regarding orders</u>. Payment is available online, or via EFTPOS at the office. Of course, cash can be taken by students straight to the canteen.



• <u>Drop off: from 8:30am</u>, where possible, as teachers commence duty from then. Students arriving prior to that time must remain seated under the COLA until the duty teacher arrives.

It's hard to believe that term 2 is drawing to a close. Thank you all you're your ongoing support, during these difficult few months. The connection between the Kingscliff community and the school is strong and much appreciated. Here's to a great last few weeks of term.

Thank you,

Diana Foley Principal



Coles/Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Foundation Competition Winner

Congratulations to Tommy M who is one of the 3 lucky winners in the Coles/Stephanie Alexander colouring competition.



Tommy has won a 1-year Kitchen Garden Classroom membership and \$10,000 for Kingscliff Public School to establish a kitchen garden program.

UNIFORM SHOP

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 - Sizes 2, 4, 6 & 14+ available.

Shirts - All sizes available, Limited stock in sizes 6, 8, 10 & 12

Senior Bomber Jackets - Size 12 OUT OF STOCK. All other sizes available.

V-Neck Jumper- Sizes 4, 6 & 14 Only

Track Pants - Size 10 OUT OF STOCK

SPECIAL PRICES!



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



PBL Winners Week 7



Mr. Charles

Congratulations to the following students:

Cleo S. (KN) Zac W. (3A) Noah C. (1M)

Mia H. (35C) Grace L. (5/65) Lieveka J. (5/6S)

Elliot P. (3SC) Ash B. (K/1F)





Late Students

All late students are required to sign in at the office before going to class. Parents are requested to accompany late students to the office, or phone/send a note with student.

Early Leavers

Students leaving early must have their parents sign them out at the office before leaving the school grounds.

Parent's On Site

Parents are welcome at the school office. adhering to social distancing protocols, however the classroom and playground are off limits to parents at this stage. We thank you for your co-operation and understanding.

Name Labels

Please ensure all clothing, including hats, jumpers and jackets, are clearly labelled with student's name. It is also highly recommended to label drink bottles, lunch boxes and bags.

Tissues

With the cooler weather beginning, please provide your child with a box of tissues for their classroom. Your child's teacher will be appreciative!



Contact Details

If your contact details have changed, please advise the office ASAP. Please also ensure we have current emergency contact details.

Anaphylaxis & Asthma Plans

Please ensure your child has an up to date plan and Epipen/Ventolin, as required by the Department of Education. Please contact the office for assistance

OFFICE HOURS 8.30am to 3.00pm



STUDENT ATTENDANCE

Reminder, if students are absent from school, the parent/carer will receive an automated SMS (or email) to remind them to contact the school via School Stream,

Seesaw or phone to provide an explanation.



CANTEEN CORNER



A temporary canteen will be operating in the former Learning Centre while the new canteen is under construction.

The canteen will be operating TUESDAY to FRIDAY with a revised menu. There are no burgers, pizza, lasagne or muffins. Menu's are available on School Stream and the school website.

Price Change - Party Pies \$1.50 ea or 2 for \$2.50

Due to the current situation, parents are not permitted to access the canteen. Parents can make payments at the office, or online and provide your receipt number on your child's order. Children can deliver their pre-paid and cash orders to the canteen.

> The Canteen will be limited to Orders Only. There will be <u>no sales</u> over the counter.

REMINDER - CANTEEN CLOSED MONDAYS

LIBRARY NEWS

Book Club Issue 4

Orders close Friday 12 June.

All orders and payments must be placed on LOOP (NO CASH).

All orders will be delivered to the school as usual.

The Premier's Reading Challenge (PRC)

The Premier's Reading Challenge (PRC) is still running and will close on the 28th August 2020. All K-2 students are completing the PRC in Library lessons with Mrs Kershler.

PREMIER'S READING d I A I I E M G

2020 NSW

Years 3-6 have been taught how to record their books on the PRC Student Site and it is up to them to complete the challenge. Please encourage your Year 3-6 students to continue reading and log their books when they have finished. They are now allowed 10 FREE CHOICE books due to COVID-19.

Visit https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/studentExperience.html#/

KIMP NEWS

THE NTEE

Book Club LOOP



Mini band lessons this week!

This week I tried regrouping our brass and woodwind band students into mini band groups and if today was anything to go by it has been a great success...for both the students and their teacher! I know we have all been missing our band time together and it was SO great to play together in a small ensemble again. Based on the positive results and feedback from the kids today I am going to redo the final weeks of the timetable so we can play in these small mixed groups again.

I will email a **reworked timetable** to everyone by the end of the week so when you see an email from me please check the attachment as it will replace the existing timetable. It's worth changing it so thank you for being so flexible!



"Grit" - I have been reading a book lately called "Grit" by Angela Duckworth and have mentioned it to a few KIMP parents. It makes for very interesting reading showing that the secret to achievement is not talent but a special blend of passion and perseverance - grit. I will share some thoughts about it in next weeks newsletter as there is so much that pertains particularly to learning an instrument and that ties in with the brain research showing all the benefits associated with music.

Have a great week!

Thank you,



Is your child

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in 2021?

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