

DATES TO REMEMBER

Tuesday 2 March	KHS Year 7 Info Evening
Wednesday 3 March	NC Swimming Carnival
Sun 7 & Mon 8 March	FNC Boys Cricket
Monday 8 March	Leaders Induction Assembly
Monday 15 March	P & C Meeting - 5pm
Wednesday 17 March	Harmony Day
Thursday 18 March	FNC Boys/Girls Soccer
Friday 19 March	Ride to School Day FNC AFL
Wednesday 31 March	Easter Hat Parade K-2
Thursday 1 April	Colour Run

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Another busy week is under our belt and the term is now half over. As we continue to operate with our COVID safe plans, it is nice to have parents able to enter the office to speak to our friendly staff. However, canteen orders remain at the external window. Our class one-on-one "getting to know you" meetings have concluded and have been a lovely way to welcome everyone back to school.

We continue to search to find appropriate activities, to invite groups of our community in to our school. Our Senior Leadership Induction is the next such activity, on March 8th. Each student is limited to 2 guests. We must keep social distancing between family groups and ensure our attendance ceiling is not exceeded. Please ensure you register your intention to attend, through the office, so that the appropriate number of chairs can be arranged. Guest will have to register with the QR code on entry. Thankyou for your cooperation in this matter.

Kiss and drop Zone and Changes to bus routines

One of the major discussion points that has been raised during meetings about our new school has been traffic congestion, bus zones and school pick up in the afternoon. The local council has been in discussions with Infrastructure NSW, as well as the school and our bus companies, together many issues were addressed including the congestion which often extends past the roundabout and back to St Anthony's School.



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There have already been some changes to our school arrangements and more will take effect in term 2. Already some of the buses, which were collecting on Orient Street, now pick up on Sutherland Street, thus reducing space for car pick up on that street. By next term **ALL** buses will pick up students in the afternoon on Sutherland Street. To better facilitate this, parents/ carers will be asked to use the kiss and drop zone on Orient Street only, for car pick-ups.

We have the next 5 weeks to start putting this into practice so that by the time buses are all changed over, car traffic is redirected to the larger kiss and drop zone at the school entrance. Thank you for assisting us with this matter.

School Uniform

Please remember to label all clothing items. There are a number of jumpers in the lost and found, without names. Please check at the office if your child is missing any clothes. Unclaimed items will be placed into our second-hand clothing pool.



Reminders: According to our current uniform policy, students are to wear white socks. Recently, there is a trend to wear multi colour and often odd matching socks to school daily. In the past, this has been saved for fun events like "Silly Sock Day". Please endeavour to send your children to school in the appropriate socks each day and save the colours and patterns for special occasions. We ask for all students to be in white socks by the beginning of Term 2.

I also ask that students do not graffiti their hats, or intentionally rip or fray the edges. All students, and student leaders in particular, are expected to wear the proper school uniform, including hats. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

P & C Meeting

Don't forget the next meeting is March 15th at 5pm. There is a face to face or zoom option. If you intend to attend face to face, please register that intention with the office by Friday, March 12th.

Diana Foley
PRINCIPAL

CANTEEN CORNER

School Canteen operates four days each week - Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday



PLEASE HAVE ORDERS IN BY 9:00 AM

VOLUNTEER ROSTER

Thursday 4 March

Rechelle

Friday 5 March

Janet Kylie
Ashlee Luan
Stacey

Thursday 11 March

NIL—Volunteers Urgently Required

Friday 12 March

Melissa Debbie
Kylie Ange

Volunteers Required

***If you are interested in helping ,
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 - at the school office only

Online - via the school website 'Make A Payment' tab.

Please include online payment receipt number on the paper bag.

Cash - correct money in the bag is appreciated.

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

**The Canteen is limited to Orders Only.
There will be no sales over the counter.**



PBL Winners Week 6



CONGRATULATIONS

Abbie V. 3/4N	Neve E. 1H	Ari K. 3/4M
Noah P. 1H	Noah R. 2B	Zach D. 3/4M
Ellie S. 3/4C	Stella H. 3/4M	

Office News

Stage 2 Camp

Please return the Stage 2 Camp Expression of Interest forms to the office or Ms McMahon as soon as possible.

Stage 3 Sydney/Canberra

The final balance for Sydney/Canberra has now been invoiced and statements have been posted home. Parents/carers can now start making payments online or through the office.

Year 6 into 7 Expression of Interest

Forms have been sent home with students last week. Please complete and return to the office by Friday 5 March.

OFFICE HOURS 8.30am to 3.15pm

Thank You!

**Year 7
2022**

Information Evening

Tuesday 2 March 2021
6:00pm – 8:00pm

at Kingscliff High School MPU (School Hall)

All Year 6 parents/carers and students welcome

Please note that due to COVID regulations you will need to check in with a QR Code upon entry and maintain social distancing. Please do not enter the event if unwell.

Please be aware that changes to the event may occur if COVID restrictions change.



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Kingscliff Public School Swimming Update

After a very successful school carnival, Kingscliff PS took 40 of our super swimmers to the Tweed District PSSA swimming carnival at Banora Point and boy did they impress. Kingscliff PS was the **champion school** on the day and amassed a total of 360 points.

We even had five of the six age champions. They were:

Jnr boys - **Alfie G** 11yr girls - **Charli M** 11yr boys - **Lachie P**
Snr girls - **Elliot M** Snr Boys - **Charlie G**

No other school was within cooe of KPS and the students were fantastic in and out of the pool.

Last Wednesday, over 20 KPS students then went on to compete at the Far North Coast PSSA zone carnival in Ballina. Once again, our students were displaying a lot of talent in the pool and they represented the school so proudly. Overall, they came runner-up to Byron Bay PS in a carnival that had the best swimmers on the far north coast representing 20 schools. **Elliot M.** was a stand out swimmer on the day and took home the **senior girls age champion** award. This was after she had also broken a 20-year school swimming record in butterfly.

Congratulations to all of the KPS team and I wish them the best for the upcoming North Coast PSSA regional carnival in Coffs Harbour this Wednesday.



LIBRARY NEWS

Premier's Reading Challenge

The Premier's Reading Challenge (PRC) has commenced for 2021. Last year was a huge success with over 450 of our students completing the challenge. This year let's encourage the whole school to be involved! All K-2 students will be completing the PRC in the Library with Mrs Kershler. Years 3-6 will be taught how to record their books on the PRC Student Site and it will be up to them to complete the challenge. The PRC closes 20th August 2021. Visit <https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/studentExperience.html#/>



NSW Department of Education

2021 NSW Premier's Reading Challenge

Start reading now!

www.premiersreadingchallenge.nsw.gov.au

Key dates for students in K-10:

Challenge opens Monday March 1

Challenge closes for student entries Friday August 20

Artwork by Dr Bronwyn Bancroft



Kingscliff Public School

first wave playgroup

Thursdays 9:00-11:00am

During SCHOOL TERM

@ KINGSCLIFF Primary School Hall

\$5 Per Session

A place for parents and carers with children 0-5 to play with their child/ren in a supported environment and connect with other parents.

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KIMP NEWS



It's hard to believe we are halfway through the term already. We are in a great routine with rehearsals and lessons and most students are remembering to turn up for lessons with their instrument and music...thank you parents and teachers!!

It's a very exciting time to be a percussionist with KIMP this year. We were very sad to lose our whole Senior Band and Big Band percussion sections at the end of last year with them all moving onto high school and Mr Walsh and I were wondering how on earth we would go this year. Well the great news is that it has provided a wonderful opportunity for our current percussion students to step up and they are doing just that. Following try outs for band last week (the first time in many years we have had to have try outs) we now have new percussion sections for Senior Band, Big Band and Intermediate Band. It was wonderful to see 5 new excited percussion students arrive for Intermediate Band this morning and we are looking forward to seeing our new look sections at Senior Band and Big Band this week. Our percussionists who are not yet in one of the bands will make up the Kingy Drumline which was a lot of fun last year and will also have opportunities to perform at school this year.

Performances this term!!!!!! I know, it's very exciting to be even typing that (as I cross my fingers that everything stays on track with COVID). Senior Band has its first gig lined up for the year - the Easter Hat Parade on Wednesday 31st March! Intermediate Band are planning a performance for kindergarten classes at the end of term and Big Band might do a lunchtime concert as we head towards the holidays. Performances are so important for our musicians as they lift them, inspire them and motivate them to practice (we love that!) and they are lots of fun.

In the meantime...keep encouraging that practice at home. It's easy for us as teachers to see which students have a practice routine happening at home and it will mean the difference between your child enjoying learning their instrument and wanting to continue and them losing interest and wanting to give up.

Email me anytime if you need tips or have questions, have a great week.

Nicky Cooper (and Mr Walsh and Mr Moodie!)
Kingscliff Instrumental Music Program

nicole.cooper15@det.nsw.edu.au

SAVE
THE DATE

Thursday
1st April 2021



REGISTER NOW
Boys & Girls U7 to U16

Kingscliff Hockey Club is located in Kingscliff NSW and has a proud history within the local community. The club welcomes players past, present & new and promotes hockey as a fun, inclusive, healthy and enjoyable activity/sport.

Come join in the fun or contact the club for more information. You can also follow us on facebook or instagram.

All registrations are completed online:
<https://www.revolutionise.com.au/kingscliffhc/registration/>
kingscliffhockey@gmail.com

Kingscliff KHC Hockey Club

"A GAME FOR ALL"

COMMUNITY NEWS

READY TO PLAY?

Kingscliff Dolphins JAFc
Come join in on the fun of NAB AFL Auskick!

Starts: Thursday 4th March 2021
Time: 4:00pm to 5:00pm for 8 weeks
Venue: Merv Edwards Field, Sand St, Kingscliff
Cost: \$90
Contact: Trent Ryan - 0424 156 247
trent.ryan@afi.com.au

play.afl/auskick

SCAN ME

nab AFL Auskick

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