



DATES TO REMEMBER

Tuesday 25 May	PSSA Rugby Union Gala Day
Thursday 27 May	Netball Gala Day
Monday 31 May	Life Education Van arrives
Wednesday 2 June	FNC Rugby Union Trials
Tuesday 8 June	PSSA Rugby League
Monday 14 June	PUBLIC HOLIDAY

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Congratulations to all students who participated in the Cross Country at Byron Bay last week. The feedback I received was that all students were well behaved and did exceptionally well on the day. Best of luck to all our runners that are now off to the regional championships in Lismore on 7th June. Well done to our students who also participated in the Far North Coast Dance Festival last week too. Mrs Foley said everyone danced so well and made her very proud on the night. A huge thank you to our Dance teachers, Miss McMahon, Mrs Thomas and Cassie, we couldn't do it without you. It was so nice to read the lovely comments on our Facebook Page too. Don't forget the Life Education van is almost here. Harold, the Giraffe will be visiting our school in weeks 7, 8 and 9. Please make sure your child's note and money is returned so they will get to attend this worthwhile event. To find out more about Life Education please visit their website: <https://www.lifeeducation.org.au/about-us>

This term our school has undertaken a new initiative, the Student and Parent Portal, to provide parents and carers access to their child's academic report and attendance records. In the coming weeks we are asking all families to join up to the Parent Portal either via the internet or the 'Sentral' App. In the next 12 months you will be given access to even more information, as we bring your child's information across for you to be able to access easily and simply. By linking up to Sentral, you will be able to clearly see your child's attendance record and even download their report. We will be making a printed version of your child's report an 'opt in' at the end of the term.

Today you will be receiving an email to give you access to the parent portal. If you don't receive it in the coming days, then please email the school (kingscliff-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au) or come into the office to make sure we have a copy of your correct email address (make sure you include your child's name and class).



<https://www.facebook.com/KingscliffPublicSchool>



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I am confident that you will see the benefits of your registration immediately and be part of our journey in providing this facility to you.

As we progress this initiative, I am confident that the Parent Portal will become more and more significant in your day to day management of your child's enrolment at our school.

Should you experience difficulties please do not hesitate to contact the office for assistance. I look forward to hearing from you about your experience with our Parent Portal, and any feedback will be gratefully received with a view to adding further functionality and improvement.

Kind Regards

Mrs Mirana
Relieving Principal

COVID update

Thank you to all parents and carers that continue to assist us with COVID guidelines.

In accordance with advice from NSW Health parents and carers are reminded **NOT** to send children to school if they are unwell, even if they have the mildest flu-like symptoms.

NSW Health has requested that schools encourage anyone who is unwell or has even mild flu-like symptoms, to arrange to be tested through their local medical practitioner or one of the COVID-19 clinics

Students and staff with flu-like symptoms need to be tested and provide a copy of a negative COVID-19 test result and be symptom-free before being permitted to return to school.

Students who do not undertake a COVID-19 test will not be permitted to return to school for a 10-day period. Additionally, they must be symptom-free for at least 3 days prior to returning to school.

Students who have seasonal allergic rhinitis or another condition that presents similarly to flu-like symptoms are still required to get tested for COVID-19 and return a negative test result. Where their symptoms continue beyond 10 days, students should provide documentation from their GP confirming their symptoms are typical for their condition. If the student develops new or changed symptoms, they should get tested for COVID-19. Find more information about COVID-19 symptoms.

CANTEEN CORNER

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



PLEASE HAVE ORDERS IN BY 9:00 AM

VOLUNTEER ROSTER

Thursday 27 May	Thursday 3 June
Bec	Volunteers required
Friday 28 May	Friday 4 June
Melissa Kylie	Melissa Kylie
Ange Ashlee	Debbie
Janet	

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.

REMINDER - CANTEEN CLOSED MONDAYS

LIBRARY NEWS

Book Club Issue 4

Book Club issue 4 will be sent home this week. Please place all orders online via LOOP. Orders close on Friday 4th June.

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



Office News

Life Education

Life Education van will be visiting KPS in weeks 7,8 and 9. Please return notes and payment to the front office by Thursday 27th May. Thank you .

Statement of Accounts

These have been posted out today. Please note they were printed on Friday 21 May so any payments made after this date will not be reflected on this statement.

Stage 2 (Yrs 3&4) and Stage 3 (Yrs 5&5) Camp

Final payment for both camps are due by Friday 23 July at the latest.

OFFICE HOURS 8.30am to 3.15pm



National Simultaneous Storytime

On Wednesday 19th May all students at Kingscliff Public School participated in National Simultaneous Storytime 2021. This year's book was *Give Me Some Space!* by Australian author Philip Bunting. It was an intergalactic experience as we enjoyed a reading of the book by astronaut Dr Shannon Walker from the International Space Station. It was such a fun event to promote the value of reading and literacy, and we discovered so many students had a wealth of knowledge about space.



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PBL WINNERS

Josiah - 3/4N

Zar - 1L

Archie—KT

Harry—1L

Billy—5/6J

Samara—3/4M

Jacob—3/4N

SPORTS NEWS



Cross Country

Cross country was held on Friday at North Byron Parklands with 37 students representing KPS, with 9 students going through to the North Coast Trials to be held on 7th June in Lismore. Special congratulations to Elliot M. who was age champion on the day. (see back for photos).

Rugby League

Our boys rugby team competed last Thursday and come out undefeated champions. Beating Mt St Pats, St James, Bilambil, Brunswick Heads and finally St Anthony's in the final. Awesome effort boys.



Hockey

Last week our hockey team represented the school in Murwillumbah.



A big congratulations to Bianca M who played in the North Coast Hockey Team last week in Wollongong. (Her team finished joint winners with Sydney North in the competition! What an achievement.



Dance

Congratulations to our Far North Coast Dancers, you did Kingy proud! It was a wonderful night and all dancers performed beautifully. A big thank you to Miss McMahon, Mrs Thomas and Cassie Canas.



KIMP NEWS



Intermediate Band News!

It has been great seeing Intermediate Band grow in recent weeks with some new musicians joining band. It is pretty hectic first thing Monday morning with now 39 students in the band! We now have a trombone section in Intermediate Band (Ben and Joey) and a new bass player in Lucas who is being mentored by Daniel our bass player. We are busy rehearsing for a mini concert in Week 10 (like we did last term) and parents are welcome to come along on Monday 21st June 9.30am in the hall. Our percussionists in the Drumline will also be performing on this morning so we are super excited to see and hear what they have been busy doing with our wonderful Mr Walsh.

Senior Band News!

We have had a great couple of weeks with Senior Band and the excitement has really been building as we finalised our repertoire for the Eisteddfod. So it was incredibly disappointing to find out at the end of last week that the band sections in the Eisteddfod won't be going ahead this year. They have tried so hard to make it work but can't given the COVID regulations they are still required to meet at HOTA. I was and still am so disappointed and I know parents will be as well. Telling the kids at band this morning was very difficult as they are as disappointed as me. On the positive side though I am working on some exciting new performances for us and will give you details once they are confirmed. We will still need band uniforms so don't panic if you have organised black pants and shoes already. Our Senior Band workshop is still going ahead on Sunday June 6th and our mentors are really excited about the opportunity to come again and work with the KIMP students.

Mr Moodie will be back for Week 8 and all our brass players are looking forward to having him again for lessons and Big Band. I'm trying not to take it too personally that they can't wait for him to be back!!!!

Any questions please email me anytime,

Have a great week.

Nicky Cooper

(and Mr Walsh and Mr Moodie!)

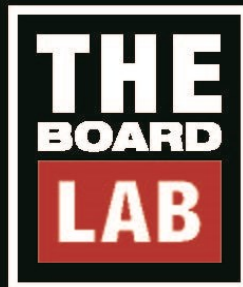
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Far North Coast Cross Country



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