

## DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday 14 October	Stage 2—Hastings Point (Yr3)
Monday 17 October	Stage 2—Hastings Point (Yr4)
Monday 19 October	NSW/PSSA Primary Athletics Championships
Tuesday 20 October	NSW/PSSA Primary Athletics Championships
Wednesday 26 October	Stage 1—Fingal Heads
Friday 4 November	Colour Run (Robert Dixon Park)

## PRINCIPAL NEWS



Welcome back to Kingscliff Public School. Term 4 is upon us and is looking to be a busy 10 weeks. I want to thank you for your ongoing support and engagement with the school.

Over the holidays, the Department of Education announced a date change for the last day of Term 4 classes. **Students will now finish school on Friday 16 December 2022.**

This is due to an additional School Development Day announced for staff across NSW public schools.

School Development Days allow our staff to participate in professional learning that was put on hold due to COVID-19 staffing pressures and to plan ahead for 2023, to ensure we meet the needs of our students.

With this change, we ask that you arrange alternative care for your child on Monday 19 December. There will be **NO CLASSES on 19 December.** Local vacation care services will be as per usual contacts.

Our busy term commences with CPR training for all staff this week and excursions for Stage 2 to Hastings Point. These were postponed due to bad weather last term. Hopefully, sunshine will stay with us this time!



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**Kindergarten Orientation** commences next week with preschool children and their families having their first taste of school life. I welcome all new families and trust everyone will enjoy this new adventure.

The annual **Colour Run** is back and will be a highlight of the term. Funds from previous runs have bought new sports uniforms for some school teams and the new KPS pop up tents that are used for carnivals. This year we will focus again on purchasing new uniforms for the remaining teams, who are yet to have an upgrade! Let's get behind **Colour Run 2022!**

Summer is approaching and I remind all students and families that **HATS are essential**. "Hats on, game on!" is our PBL rule. Outdoor excursions, trips to the park and foreshore area also require hats that look respectable and are sun safe. No caps. Torn and tattered hats or those with graffiti are not acceptable. Please upgrade student hats if required. They are available at the office.

Stage newsletters will be out soon, with more information about 'What's On' around the school. Stay tuned!

Diana Foley  
PRINCIPAL



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### KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENT 2023

**Kingscliff Public School is now taking  
enrolments for 2023**



Please contact Kingscliff Public School for information about our 3 part  
Orientation Program.  
Contact: (02) 6674 1467  
Address: 12 Orient Street, Kingscliff 2487  
Enrolment applications can be made online at:  
[kingscliff-p.schools.nsw.gov.au](https://kingscliff-p.schools.nsw.gov.au)



## CANTEEN CORNER

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



**PLEASE HAVE ORDERS IN BY 9:00 AM**

### VOLUNTEER ROSTER

<u>Thursday 13 October</u>	<u>Thursday 20 October</u>
Katherine	Katherine
<u>Friday 14 October</u>	<u>Friday 21 October</u>
Jean	Jean

### 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.

**Hardship/Flood Fund** - Only pre-arranged canteen credit is available. Please contact office to arrange. Minimum \$20, maximum \$100.

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

**REMINDER - CANTEEN CLOSED MONDAYS**

## Office News

### Stage 1 Excursion to Fingal Heads

The postponed Stage 1 excursion to Fingal Heads will now be run on Wednesday 26 October. New updated notes went home this week, please return the updated note and payment of \$8 as soon as possible if you haven't already done so.

### Stage 2—Hastings Point

The excursions to Hastings Point that were cancelled last term have now been rescheduled. Year 3 will be attending Friday 14 October and Year 4 attending on Monday 17 October. New notes have been sent home, please return this updated note along with payment of \$28 if you have not already done so.

### Term 3 KIMP Fees

KIMP fees for term 3 are now overdue, if you could please finalise your account as a matter of urgency. Statements for Term 4 fees will be sent out this week, payment is due by Friday 29th October. Thank you

**OFFICE HOURS 8.30am to 3.15pm**



**Thank You!**



# THE COLOR RUN



## \*\*SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT\*\*

This week we are launching our 2022 Colour Run Fundraising. Keep your eyes peeled for the parent information letter and sponsorship booklet that will be sent home with students. More information about the Colour Run EVENT DAY will be available shortly.

### Important Dates

Fundraising starts: Monday 10th October (Term 4, Week 1)

Colour Run Event Date: Friday 4th November (Term 4, Week 4)

Fundraising stops: Friday 11th November (Term 4, Week 5)

Order prizes by: Wednesday 16th November (Term 4, Week 6)

This year we will have a class competition for the most profiles created by Friday 14th October (based on percentage). The winning class will choose their prize from the following: a mufti day OR a movie OR iPad afternoon OR board game afternoon.

If parents have any questions please contact Mrs Kershler in the Library, visit <https://schoolfundraising.com.au/> or 1800 FUN RUN.

## Kindy Orientation

Dear Kindy 2023 parents, we are very excited for our orientation program to start on Thursday 20 October. Please ensure that your child is enrolled in this program by completing the google form

<https://forms.gle/NpAEG51HSuhMNhft8>

Orientation dates are as follows;

Thursday 20 October—9.15-11.10

Friday 21 October—9.15-11.10

Thursday 27 October—9.15-11.10

Friday 28 October—9.15-11.10

Thursday 3 November—9.15-11.10

Friday 4 November—9.15-11.10

To ensure you and your child get the most out of our orientation program, students are required to attend **THREE** orientation days across three weeks. Please register your child's attendance for **ONE** orientation visit per week (either Thursday or Friday).

Please be advised that students need to be enrolled at KPS in order to attend as well as registering via the google form.

We look forward to meeting our Kindy 2023 students and parents next week.



### Junior School Survey Feedback

Thank you to everyone who recently participated in our survey for the junior school.

The majority of feedback requested that we purchase at home readers for use across our K, 1-2 classes.

We are finalizing the text now and hope to have them available in term 4.

We will need lots of hands to future proof and cover these text before they are sent home with students so please volunteer if you can.

We wanted to give some feedback on other ideas you put forward.

Kitchen gardens - we love this idea too! While we are in our build phase we are mindful of space and portability. Rest assured we have this planned in the new school. ♥

iPads - currently we have 8 iPads in each class. Teachers feel this is suitable and we also have a large tech investment coming with our new school which is fantastic.

Sports and play equipment - we will be purchasing a set of hula hoops and skipping ropes for play times.

Calling for items: lets be resourceful and recycle. During recycle week in November you will hear more from us on this.

Bigger cubby! Yes!! We need one!!  
It's not likely we can pull this off before the end of this year but it is on our priority list!

Sports equipment - Rebel sport are amazing at partnering with schools and donating equipment.

Please register your next purchase to Kingscliff Public School OR update your preference to support our school if you have moved from another school.

We are super excited to also be purchasing 10 more picnic mats for the school and a brand new ping pong table for the seniors.

You will likely see our cola painted with some great games and log stump seating donated too.

We could not have come this far without our community thank you so much for your support!

Stay tuned for our upcoming end of year celebrations!



### End of Year Drinks

Kingscliff Hotel, Sunday 4th December 2pm (NSW)

End of year drinks

The P + C would love to invite you to celebrate the end of a fantastic year!



We know that the calendar can get full in December but we would love see you.

Casual afternoon drinks.

No need to RSVP or book. We have a table reserved from 2 - 4pm.

Look forward to connecting as a community and enjoying a cold beverage or 2 !

Pop it in the diary now.



### Calling all parents! 📢

Want to gain an understanding of how games, apps and social media can influence young people's mental wellbeing? Head to [edu.nsw.link/cyberparents](https://edu.nsw.link/cyberparents) and register for one of the Digital Technologies and Mental Health parent webinars today



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**GREEN GATE- Sea Eagle**  
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