



DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday 16 September	Fitzpatrick Shield Hockey Gala Day
Tuesday 20 September	Jnr & Snr Rugby League Gala Day
Tuesday 20 September	NC Soccer Semi-Finals
Thursday 22 September	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Friday 23 September	Stage 2—Hastings Point
Friday 23 September	Stage 3—Beach Activities Kayaking/Stand-up Paddleboarding
Friday 23 September	Last day of Term 3
Monday 10 October	Staff and Student return for Term 4
Friday 14 October	Stage 2—Hastings Point (Yr3)
Wednesday 26 October	Stage 1—Fingal Heads

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Spring has sprung and gorgeous days continue in our beautiful region. As we approach the end of term 3, we begin to prepare for 2023. Teachers are now planning for Kindergarten **transition activities**, for our incoming preschool students, while Year 6 will be participating in high school transition activities.

Have you enrolled your preschool child yet? If you have children, turning 5 by July 2023, they should be enrolled NOW for next year. Please do not wait until the last minute to complete this task. Most year 6 students now know where they are off to high school and we will work across a group of schools to enable all students to engage in transition with their chosen school.

Beach and Creek week is looming. It is in fact, next week! For our newer families, this is a week we set aside, each year, to learn about where we live. We celebrate our environment, local businesses, community events and organisations and of course the beauty of nature. Each stage has sent out a calendar of events for next week, highlighting their activities. Please note there have been a few changes, as of yesterday, due to the public holiday in honour of the queen. Those affected will be notified of any changes.



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KIMP students have been working hard, with morning band rehearsals. It is impressive to see the commitment from these students, attending band practices at 7:30 some mornings. Well done to you all.

Unless there is a designated activity, students should not be at school prior to 8:30, when supervision and our duties begin. Recently, there have been students arriving before, and shortly after, 8am, who are not in band or any supervised activity. If you require morning supervision for your children, please consider using our before school care provider Flying Start. This is a matter of safety, as there is NO supervision of students before 8:30.

This term marches on there are a few reminders from the office:

Please check **lost property**: we have a lot of unnamed items in the tub, in front of the office. Have you paid for your child's **text book** this year? Students have been using these books all year. Please check at the office. Stage 1 and 2 - \$30 / Stage 3 - \$15.

Voluntary School Contributions: Less than a third of families have paid the \$40 annual fee to support students at our school. The fee contributes to the cost of all consumable items at school, as well as the online subscriptions used by students. Please support the school and make these payments if you can.

Have a great week, enjoying the north coast sunshine.

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 15 September	Thursday 22 September
Katherine	Public Holiday
Friday 16 September	Friday 23 September
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

Due to the recently announced public holiday on Thursday 22 September this excursion will now be run in early Term 4 on Wednesday 26th October (week 3).

Stage 3—Stand-up Paddleboarding

Stage 3 will be finishing the term off with some fun activities for Beach and Creek week with guided tours on kayaks and stand-up paddle boarding. Please return note, including Waters Sports Guru waiver, and payment to the front office by **Monday 19 September**.

Stage 2—Hastings Point

As part of Beach and Creek Stage 2's planned excursion for Year 3 on Thursday 22 September to Hastings Point has now been postponed to Wednesday 26th October. The Year 4's excursion will still go ahead as planned on Friday 23 September. Please return note with payment to the office by **Monday 12 September**.

Donations Requested

If anyone has any boy underwear in sizes 4-6 or 6-8 that they would like to kindly donate please drop off at the school office. Thank you.

OFFICE HOURS 8.30am to 3.15pm



Thank You!



THE COLOR RUN

Colour run special Announcement



**Friday 4th November
(Term 4, Week 4)**

More info to come



Library News

Overdue notices will be sent home this week. Please have a look at home and return any books that are no longer needed



EVERY DAY COUNTS...

A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...	This means that the best your child can achieve is...
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

*Give your child every
chance to succeed...*

Every day counts!



EVERY MINUTE COUNTS...

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...
10 minutes a day	50 minutes of learning each week	Nearly 1½ weeks per year	Nearly ½ a year of school
20 minutes a day	1 hour and 40 minutes of learning each week	Nearly 2½ weeks per year	Nearly a year of school
½ hour a day	½ a day of learning a week	4 weeks a year	Nearly 1 ½ years of learning
1 hour each day	1 whole day of learning each week	8 weeks per year or nearly a term a year.	Over 2 ½ years of learning

*Your child's best
learning time is at the
beginning of the day...*

**Check the time
your school starts.
DON'T BE LATE!**





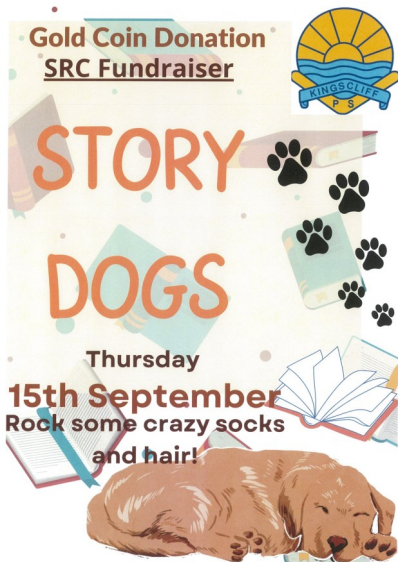
CONGRATULATIONS



PBL WINNERS Week 9



Xzavier—K-Seahorses
Ava—K-Seahorses
Tiyana—1-Longboards
Summer—1/2 Jellyfish
Billie—5-Mantas
Oliver—6-Jet Skis



KIMP News



Beach and Creek Week Concert next

Monday 19th Sept 12pm Rowan Robinson Park!

Senior Band is very exciting to again be preparing for our Beach and Creek Week Concert. We have been able to move it back to the usual spot which is great - the little concrete stage in Rowan Robinson Park (across from Choux Box). Everyone welcome! We are hoping for beautiful blues skies and no wind!!!!

**Intermediate Band and Drumline Mini Concert next
Tuesday 20th Sept 9.15am KPS Hall!**

We are also super excited to have a performance next Tuesday as well. All welcome, come and hear the great work these musicians have been doing this term. **Rehearsals next week** - Don't forget Senior Band and Intermediate Band are swapped next week because of the performances - Senior Band Monday, Intermediate Band Tuesday. There is no Big Band next week because of the new public holiday on Thursday 22nd. Currently seeing if we can reschedule lessons with Mr Ikefuji for another day.

You should be hearing lots of practice at home this week with the performances next week...a final push to the end of term! Thank you for the encouragement at home!!!!!!

Nicky Cooper
Kingscliff Instrumental Music Program
Kingscliff Public School

Primary ETHICS

Why choose ethics classes for your child?

Ethics classes for all age groups run in the SRE/SEE* timeslot in schools each week. Classes are free and are run by specially trained volunteers, who are often parents and grandparents.

The lessons are prepared by experts in the fields of childhood education and ethics. Our curriculum is reviewed by the Department of Education.

Ethics classes are for children of all faiths and none. Ethics classes are designed to get children thinking, deeply and well.

*Special Religious Education/Special Education in Ethics



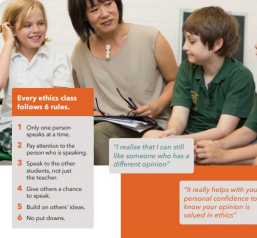
"Ethics classes help me think about things more carefully and try to make better choices"

What happens if you send your child to a weekly ethics class?

Ethics lessons explore everyday ethical issues presented at your child's age level.

- what if I hurt someone without meaning to?
- what if I break a promise?
- when, if ever, should we tell on someone?
- is bragging wrong?
- what is fairness?

These are essential skills as they grow up in our complex and pressured world.



Every ethics class follows 6 rules:

1. Only one person speaks at a time.
2. Pay attention to the person who is speaking.
3. Speak to the other students, not just the teacher.
4. Give others a chance to speak.
5. Build on others' ideas.
6. No put-downs.

"I realise that I can still like someone who has a different opinion!"

"It really helps with your personal confidence to know your opinion is valued in ethics"

Which skills will my child develop in ethics classes?

- careful listening to all points of view
- being able to disagree without put-downs
- seeing your position without being friends
- understanding other children's problems
- giving evidence based reasons for their opinions

What do children say about ethics?

"I learned that it is okay to be honest about what you think"

"I learned how to tell friends I didn't want to do things they need to make me do"



Why not volunteer as an ethics teacher?

- It's a rewarding way to get involved and learn new skills yourself
- you can have a positive impact for the future generation
- we offer comprehensive free training and ongoing support
- join a community of volunteers from all walks of life and all ages



How to enrol?

If your child is starting kindergarten, you should be given an SRE/SEE enrolment form. Otherwise, contact your school office to inform them that you want your child to attend ethics classes.

What if my school doesn't offer ethics?

Ethics classes depend on having enough trained volunteers to run the classes. We always welcome new volunteers and offer free training workshops throughout the year, both online and face to face, to suit your schedule.

Contact us to find out how to start ethics classes at your school and how to become an ethics teacher.

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exiting the
school**



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only



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