

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday 4 May	Playgroup 9am
Friday 5 May	KPS Cross Country Carnival
Tuesday 9 May	Rugby 7's Gala Day
Wednesday 10 May	FNC Netball Trials
Thursday 11 May	Mother's Day Brekky 7:30am Playgroup 9am
Friday 12 May	District Cross Country
Mon 15 - Wed 17 May	Yr 5 Camp Maranatha
Tue 16 - Fri 19 May	Yr 6 Sydney/Canberra
Thursday 18 May	Playgroup 9am
Monday 22 May	Hot Potato Band

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Welcome back to school everyone. We've had a great start to the term, with the transition into the new administration block going smoothly. We are still getting used to the new space and as per any move, it has been a task to remember where we have put everything! Drop by and check out the new office and say hello to our wonderful office staff.

Unfortunately, there were some bus issues last week. We thank everyone for your cooperation and changing plans to collect students from school unexpectedly. It was a difficult afternoon for some. While it was challenging, we sent out Seesaw and Facebook messages as soon as we got updates from the bus company. These did change a few times throughout the day. Apologies to anyone who did not see the communications.



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Car pick up each afternoon is moving quite well. Can I remind all drivers to please place a name card on the dashboard of the car (available from office if required). It makes for quick and easy identification, so that the students can be called out. Remember we "load" vehicles from the top end of the pick-up zone. Thanks for your help with this.

Tomorrow, the **SRC** (Student Representative Council) is holding a mufti day. Gold coin donations will be collected and the SRC will be purchasing some student identified playground equipment. This SRC activity is an example of how student voice is considered and acted upon. Well done to all the counsellors.

There were some outstanding swimming results for relay teams and individual swimmers, at the end of Term 1. The boys and girls junior relay teams both made the finals, with the girls' team coming 2nd in the state. How awesome is that! (see pictures on page 4).

It was great to see a fantastic turn out of students and staff at the Kingscliff Anzac Day march. Well done to all involved.

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



<u>Thursday 4 May</u> Krystal, Jean	<u>Thursday 11 May</u> Volunteers Required
<u>Friday 5 May</u> Heather, Lisa Cross Country Limited Orders	<u>Friday 12 May</u> Catherine, Carin

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.

Office News

New Office

Our new office is now functional and fantastic! All late students and early leavers are to be processed through the new office, as well as any enquiries and payments.

Hot Potato Band

The Hot Potato Band will be performing at KPS on Monday 22nd May. Please return your permission forms and **\$6 payment** before Monday 8th May. Thank you!

Year 3-6 Skipping Program

Notes have gone home this week about the Years 3-6 Skipping Program to be held this term. Please return permission forms and **\$12.00 payment** before Friday 19th May. Thank you!

K-2 Dance Program

Notes have gone home this week about the Kindy, Year 1 and Year 2 Dance Program to be held in Term 4. Payments are required ASAP for bookings. Please return permission forms and **\$12.00 payment** before Friday 19th May. Thank you!

OFFICE HOURS 8.30am to 3.15pm

🌸 Thank You! 🌸

Playgroup

When: Every Thursday

Where: KPS Hall

Time: 9-10:30am

If you have a child due to start school in 2024, please feel free to join us at one or more of our preschool sessions at playgroup over the year.

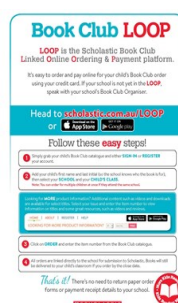
Playgroup is open for families with children aged 0-5.

We look forward to seeing you there!



Library News

Book Club



Book Club orders close

Friday 12 May.

All orders must be placed online via LOOP.

FNC Dance

Kingscliff Public School will be competing at the Far North Coast Dance Festival on Wednesday 7th June

[Tickets go on sale Friday 5 May 9am](https://TwinTownsSales1.sales.ticketsearch.com/sales/salesevent/108600)

Please click on the link below to book tickets.

<https://TwinTownsSales1.sales.ticketsearch.com/sales/salesevent/108600>

CONGRATULATIONS

**PBL WINNERS
Week 2**

Dominique - K Wahoos
Harlyn - 1 Malibu
Frankie - 4 Clownfish
Max - 5/6 Jetskis

Isabella - K Kookaburras
Fisher - 2 Herons
Alice - 4 Clownfish
Autumn - 5 Manta Rays

Sport News



State Swimming Championships

Kingy has a new awesome foursome in the house - namely Mia, Olivia, Zali and Piper. These incredible swimmers gained 2nd in the Junior Girls Relay at Olympic Park in the State PSSA Swimming Championships! Improving their time by a massive 5 seconds from their last carnival, these girls were a class act. Kingy is so proud of you!



Stem Olympiad

Today a nominated group of our year 6 kids went to Kingscliff High School to participate in the Stem Olympiad.

There were three challenges that we participated in, the first one was a Balloon Powered Car challenge where we had to construct a car that would run on the moon's surface, the second one was called The Makey Makey challenge where we had to turn objects into a control pad and the final challenge was a cup drop challenge where we had to make a landing pad to slow the cups fall. Then in the hall the winners for the three sections was announced. The focus areas were communication, teamwork and problem solving. The Lightning McQueenies team made up of Mylo, Elliot, Tommy and Kai B won the Teamwork award. We had an amazing day with lots of different learning in each of the Stem challenges.
By Abbee & Maggie



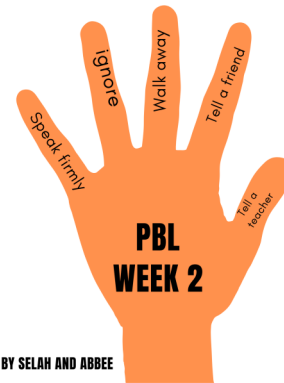
PBL

**BE SAFE, RESPONSIBLE AND
RESPECTFUL**



PBL is Positive Behaviour for Learning

KPS says no to bullying



KIMP News



Instrument Section of the Day

Band Member of the Day

Great Rehearsal Everyone!



Bandtastic
INSTRUMENTAL
MUSIC
PROGRAMS



PLEASE JOIN US FOR

MOTHER'S DAY BREKKY

CELEBRATING MUMS, GRANDMAS, AUNTIES AND ALL
THOSE SPECIAL WOMEN IN OUR LIVES!

KINGSCLIFF PUBLIC SCHOOL-FRONT PLAYGROUND
THURSDAY 11TH MAY- 7:30-8:30AM



PRE-ORDERS OPEN WEDNESDAY 3RD MAY-
MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW



Kingscliff Public School

State Swimming Championships



State Relay Teams - Olivia, Zali Piper, Mia, Archie, Remi, Carter & Banjo



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