DATE: Monday, 12 November 2018
TERM 4 WEEK 5
Principal: Drew Green



#### Principal's Message

Another busy week comes to a rapid close and hump week for the Term looms! Last Tuesday saw the Responsible Pet organisation visit and have some quality time with our K-2 children giving them practical guidance around being safe around our pets and other people's pets. Two lovely dogs helped with the presentations.

Kindy Orientation is going really well with our new Kindys for 2019 discovering that the break from Mums and/or Dads to big school is okay! Separation anxiety more often than not rests with the Mums and Dads! Looks like we've got a good group of families to join our school community next year.

This afternoon at 5:30pm, our Academic Expo will be held in our hall. If you have the time it

will be well worth a sticky. We've got a lot of clever kids

around us. Great work!

Mr Steel has been hard at work as, have a number of helpers, creating a space behind the office for an Aboriginal Cultural Garden and Yarning Circle. It's only in the initial stages however should be a great space for our whole school community to explore when up and running.

An exciting end to the Term is in front of us with lots of reward time for those that have achieved well behaviourally and academically.

Have a great week



### **Annual Assembly**

On Monday, 10 December KPS will hold their major annual assembly at the Kyogle High School hall. As in the past, our School Captains and House Captains for 2019 will be announced and the major Year 6 awards and Class Awards will be presented. Past experience has highlighted the need for better seating arrangements at the hall so that classes, teachers, guests, parents and carers can enjoy the presentations. This year the doors to the hall will be shut and we ask that parents/carers and other guests remain outside until KPS staff and students are seated. KPS staff members will then assist everyone else to their seats. Thank you for your co-operation and understanding. The assembly will commence at 9.45am sharp.

# KS were honoured to attend the 🔝

Memorial Hall for a Remembrance Day Tribute.





Term 4 ends: Wednesday, 19 December, 2018
Term 1 begins: Wednesday, 30 January 2019
Next P & C Meeting Tuesday, 20 November 6.00pm Staffroom

# What's happening



#### Be Respectful - Be Safe - Be a Learner

I am a safe and respectful learner.

#### PBL Focus - Being a Star in the Playground.

Aim: To keep our playground beautiful and clean by putting our rubbish in the bin.

★sit in allocated area ★follow staff instructions ★put rubbish in bin

★eat your own food ★keep hands and feet to self ★be tolerant of different foods

★take lunchbox and drink bottle to and from designated area

Last day for students to earn stars this Term is Friday, 14 December.

### This weeks playground winners

Stage 1: Cooper Hyde Jax Lavelle

Stage 2: Charlotte Wright Bridie Zeiler

Stage 3: Summer Anderson Jake Alvos

The PBL Team meets every Friday. Parents and Caregivers are welcome to attend and participate. Meetings are held in the Computer Room at 8:30 am.

Term 4

Sound Waves is a word study program.

This week we are learning the sound:



z	zebra	ze	freeze
ZZ	puzzle	SS	scissors
s	bears	si	bu <b>si</b> ness
se	cheese	×	xylophone

#### **2019 Annual General Permission Notes**

Thank you to the terrific response in returning these notes. *Unfortunately* there have been a fair few returned that have not been signed, so they are unable to be used. These will be sent back home with your children to be signed and returned.

Week 5

As	sembly Award Re	cipients Week 4	Tue 13/11	•Intensive Swimming - All week •Stg 2 Swimming for Sport
Class	Award	Award	14444	3 1
KC	Hazel Nix	Sophie Humphreys	Wed 14/11	•SRC Mufti Day - Gold coin donation
KS	Addison Tough	Ivy Howell	Thur 15/11	<ul><li>Stg 3 Swimming for sport</li><li>Kindy Orientation</li><li>Yr 6 @ High School Peer Support</li></ul>
K-1N	Milo Radin	Aaron Close		
1-2M	Braythe Bateman	Bella Harris	Fri 16/11	•Public Speaking - Lismore Yrs 3 & 5
1-20	Lily Atkinson	Aidan Welsh	Term 4	Week 6
2W	Syra Halt	Sasha Arnold	Mon 19/11	•Intensive Swimming - All week
3-4C	Tyler Roberts	Yasmin Levis	Tue 20/11	•Stg 2 Swimming for Sport
3-4D	Charlotte Wright	Blayde Predo	Wed 21/11	Captains Speeches @ hall 12.20pm     Assembly (no class performance)
3-4H	Argent O'Meara	Abella Finberg		
3-4M	Kate Disson	Bridie Zeiler	Thur 22/11	•Stg 3 Swimming for sport
5-6L	Chloe Zeiler	Bella Byrnes	Term 4	Week 7
5-6S	Makayla Sneath	Jarrell Hope	Mon 26/11	•Intensive Swimming - All week
5-6T	Lynton Close	Katie Lee	Tue 27/11	•2W Camp

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emember this afternoon is the Academic Expo awards night. Please show your support to all our entrants who will be receiving their awards. Artworks and writing entries will be on display and winners will perform their entries in the remaining categories. The Academic Expo will start at 5:30pm in the Kyogle Public School Hall. Light refreshments will be served at the end of the evening. See you all there.

# Year 6 celebration

The Year 6 evening will be an informal get together for students, staff and families to celebrate the end of their child's journey through the Primary years. It will be held on Wednesday, 5 December at 5.30pm. Invites have gone out. Any parents that wish to help with the organisation of this night please contact us asap.

All notes and money need to be in by this Friday, 16 November!

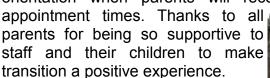
Volunteers Christmas Lunch
We really appreciate the role
that volunteers play at KPS.
To say thanks we will be
holding a luncheon for all
volunteers on Tuesday, 18
December. There will be
activities prior and
Christmas carols after in the
hall for all interested.

If anyone has any spare rash shirts or ones that their children are no longer using, KPS would love it if you could donate it for use durina our swimming season. They can be used for kids who have forgotten theirs on swimming day.

Is your child interested in learning a musical instrument at school? Look out for the KPS Instrumental Music Program 2019 Survey and Information Sheet, coming home with your child this week. Please return survey to school ASAP.

# Kindergarten Orientation

Our Kinder 2019 classes are transitioning really well to their 'big school' experience. They are a great bunch of children and the older kids are really enjoying welcoming them to KPS. We will have classes sorted by the last week of orientation when parents will receive their Best Start





### 2019 Captain Speeches

Our prospective 2019
School Captains will be
presenting their speeches
in the KPS hall on
Wednesday, 21 November
at 12.20pm - 2.20pm.
Parents/carers, friends and
family are most welcome to
attend.

# SRC Mufti Day

This Wednesday, 14 November the SRC are having a mufti day to raise funds towards paying for the photo booth at the Year 6 celebration dinner. Please bring a gold coin donation if you are dressed in mufti. No singlets or thongs.

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## **Public Notices**

## **School Social**

All Stage 2 and 3 students eligible to attend - plus Welcome to Year 2.

Date: Thursday, 13 December

Venue: KPS School Hall

Time: 5.30pm -7:15pm

Farewell to Yr 6 & Welcome Yr 2

Cost: \$2.00

Sausage Sizzle: \$2.00 Chips: \$1.00

Water: \$2.00 Popper: \$1.50

On arrival at the social you will be asked to put your name on a raffle ticket for the lucky door

prize. See you there!

# **Activity Club**

For all ages 5-17

Kyogle Family Support Services
Neighbourhood Centre

8 Geneva St, Kyogle

Starting Thursday October 25, 2018

Every Thursday during school terms.

3:30-5pm Age appropriate Activities

Costs: FREE

(Must be signed up by an adult)

NDIS participants WELCOME.

For info contact KFSSNC on 66321044.

This Youth Program presented by





Kyogle Family Support Services Neighbourhood Centre Inc.

# PARENTS AND TEENS relationships and mental health

Do you have a teenager between 11 and 17 years old? Help us understand how family relationships influence teen mental health

anxiety



raising teens



behaviour



relationships



mental health



Complete a brief anonymous survey online at: https://exp.psy.uq.edu.au/parentingteens/project/mentalhealth



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