

**DATE: Monday, 3 December 2018**  
**TERM 4 WEEK 8**  
**Principal: Drew Green**



## Principal's Message

Hello all,

Lovely to be back on deck after a week's long service leave in week 6. I spent the week in Sydney with my youngest boy. He's not really that young, 15 actually. He was one of quite a few featured artists to perform in the School's Spectacular at Olympic Park. This really is a spectacle, with five and a half thousand kids performing in a variety of ways including lots of vocal stuff, dancers, circus skills and drama groups. The precision and training to coordinate that many kids into an almost flawless performance moving from one act to another needs to be seen to be believed.

If you like that sort of thing, channel 7 will televise the show on Saturday, 8 December at 7pm.

Lots of exciting things have either already happened or are about to happen to reward the vast majority of our students for their efforts this year. It's busy times as we run towards Christmas. Have a great week!

*Drew*

### ANNUAL ASSEMBLY

On Monday, 10 December KPS will hold their major annual assembly at the Kyogle High School hall. The assembly will commence at 9.45am sharp.

Dear Parents/ Caregivers,

As you may be aware the Kyogle Lions Club Christmas Carols are on Sunday, 16 December at the Kyogle Amphitheatre.

The Lions Club have extended an invitation to the KPS Choir to take part in this very popular evening concert.

This event is a wonderful opportunity to showcase talent in a fun and relaxed family atmosphere. Santa will be popping in to see the young and the young at heart members of the audience. The final song will, as always, be performed by the local members of the Kyogle Lions Club, with a lot of help from their friends!

Students can wear their own clothes, Santa hats, elf ears, reindeer antlers, Christmas earrings etc. if they would like to. No need for school uniform.

We will know our performance time prior to the event and will let you know ASAP. Please contact the school and ask to speak to me if you have any questions.

Kind regards,

Aoife Bryant



**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 classroom**

**Aim:** To always be a respectful learner in the classroom.

- ★follow teacher instructions
- ★listen to speaker

- ★use school talk
- ★participate in all learning

- ★speak respectfully
- ★raise hand to ask questions

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

## This weeks playground winners

**Stage 1: Tyson Barnes  
Stella Pederson**

**Stage 2: Ruby Nix  
Ollie Byrnes**

**Stage 3: Tiara Forster  
Jasmine Piggott**

**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.**



from all the staff and volunteers at  
KFSS Neighbourhood Centre Inc.

### Christmas Closures

Service  
(including Centrelink)  
will close  
1pm Friday the 21st December  
and re-open  
Wednesday the 2nd January at  
9am.

**Sound Waves is a word study program. This week we are the learning the sound:**

|     |           |
|-----|-----------|
| ch  | chicken   |
| tch | match     |
| ti  | question  |
| te  | righteous |
| t   | picture   |

## Coming Up...

### YEAR 6 CELEBRATION

**Year 6 Graduation**—This Wednesday, 5 December at 5.30pm we will be celebrating the end of Primary school for our Year 6 students. The celebration will be held in the hall and will be an informal gathering of parents, teachers and students. There will be a photo booth, delicious snacks and dancing. The formal part of the evening will be the presentation of certificates and cutting of the year 6 cake. Looking forward to a memorable night.

### KPS ABORIGINAL COMMUNITY BBQ

To celebrate the end of a successful year and to say thanks to all the community for their support. KPS will be holding an end of year BBQ at the Kyogle Swimming Pool on Friday, 7 December at 3.45pm. A big thank you to Kyogle Council for supporting this event and giving free entry to all attending.

| Term 4            | Week 8   |
|-------------------|--|
| <b>Tue 4/12</b>   | •Year 6 to Kyogle High School transition day<br>•Social Year 6 Farewell & Welcome Year 2                     |
| <b>Wed 5/12</b>   | •Assembly 1-2M performing 2.40pm<br>•Year 6 Celebration Dinner 5.30pm  |
| <b>Fri 7/12</b>   | •Aboriginal Community BBQ @ Pool 3.45pm  |
| Term 4            | Week 9   |
| <b>Mon 10/12</b>  | •Major Assembly at KHS 9.45am  |
| <b>Tue 11/12</b>  | •5-6S Border Ranges Excursion<br>•Stg 1 Currumbin Excursion  |
| <b>Wed 12/12</b>  | •County Fair   |
| <b>Thur 13/12</b> | •Scripture Christmas Assembly 2.30pm   |
| Term 4            | Week 10  |
| <b>Tue 18/12</b>  | •Jump Rope for Heart 10.20am<br>•Volunteers Christmas Lunch 11.30am<br>•Christmas Carols in the Hall 12.30pm |
| <b>Wed 19/12</b>  | •Last Day for 2018!  |



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## What's Happening

# Scripture Christmas Assembly

The Christmas Assembly will be held on Thursday, 13 December at 2:30pm. This year a group from QuizWorx will be presenting the events of the first Christmas through puppets, stories and songs. Parents, grandparents and friends are welcome to come.

Vernita Clapham

**Quiz Worx**  
sharing Jesus with kids everywhere



## P & C - Update on the KPS Instrumental Music Program 2019

Next week we will have a link to the *Northern Rivers Conservatorium* website where families will be able to officially register their interest in this program. Meanwhile, more information can be found at

<https://nrcac.edu.au/music-in-schools/> and <https://nrcac.edu.au/fees/>

The P&C will be seeking funding to subsidise this program to make it more affordable for families. I would love to hear from anyone with ideas in this regard.

Meanwhile, anyone interested in how music might benefit their children can check out the recent documentary "Don't Stop the Music", available to watch on ABC iView. It follows the musical journey of one Western Australian primary school, and features Guy Sebastian.

Helen Black will be the school contact for this program. Please contact Helen on ([helen1black@outlook.com](mailto:helen1black@outlook.com) or 0491 482 853) if you have any questions.

## VOLUNTEERS CHRISTMAS LUNCH

To say thank you to all of the volunteers who help at KPS throughout the year, we will be holding a luncheon on Tuesday, 18 December. There will be activities prior and Christmas carols afterwards in the hall.

## Jump Rope for Heart kicks off this Term!

Jump Rope for Heart is a fantastic physical activity and fundraising program that has been run by the Heart Foundation for 35 years. It's a great way for your child to keep fit and learn new skills, but it also helps raise funds for vital heart research and education programs.

Since Jump Rope for Heart started in 1983, schools like ours have raised more than \$75 million for the Heart Foundation's lifesaving work.



It's important you **register your child online** so they can receive the full benefits of the program and participate in online fundraising. Simply follow the link below to get started.

[https://jumprope.heartfoundation.org.au/2018/Kyogle\\_Public\\_School - KYOGLE NSW - 138275?utm\\_medium=Email&utm\\_source=ExactTarget&utm\\_campaign](https://jumprope.heartfoundation.org.au/2018/Kyogle_Public_School_-_KYOGLE_NSW_-_138275?utm_medium=Email&utm_source=ExactTarget&utm_campaign)

Students who will be skipping during this time can share their online fundraising page with family and friends to help raise money for this great cause.

We will hold our school Jump Off Day in **Week 10 Term 4 Tuesday, 18 December 10:20am**. This will mark the end of the program and is a chance for everyone to come together to skip and show off their newly learned skills.

Thank you for supporting the Jump Rope for Heart program!

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# Public Notices



Many tracks, one road, sustaining community.  
Northern Rivers Community Gateway

## Christmas WITH Vacation Care

Rainbow Region Kids

Rainbow Region Kids Vacation Care is now taking bookings for the Christmas 2018/January 2019 school holidays in Casino, Kyogle, WoLongbar, Lismore and Ocean Shores!

For enquiries and to enroll, call us on 02 6621 7397 and 0447 244 835 or email us at [rrkassis@nrcg.org.au](mailto:rrkassis@nrcg.org.au)



[nrcg.org.au](http://nrcg.org.au)



The Child Oral Health Service would like to remind parents and carers that teeth are important for normal development, function and health. They help children eat, speak and smile.

- Poor oral health can have adverse effects on growth, self esteem, nutrition and social behavior.
- Adult molars erupt behind the baby molars at about 6 years of age. Children need help to clean their teeth effectively
- Help your child to brush their teeth until age 8-10. Use a small amount of fluoride toothpaste, encourage children to spit out not rinse.

## School Social

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

Date: **Tuesday, 4 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!

## Kyogle Christmas In the Park

- Santa Pictures
- Colouring in Competition
- Dress up competition
- Movie Under the Stars
- Jumping Castle
- Face Painting



8th of December at the Kyogle Amphitheatre.



## KNEAD ME MASSAGE THERAPY

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open days, nights & weekends

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