

DATE: Monday, 23 November 2020

TERM 4 WEEK 7

Relieving Principal: Jane Varcoe



Message from the School

End of year assembly

Recent changes advised by the Department of Education relating to updated restrictions for assemblies will enable us to invite a limited number of adults on to the school site to attend our End of Year Assemblies.

We will be holding our assemblies in Stages to limit the number of students in the hall at one time. We are asking that only parents of students who are receiving an award attend. You will be notified if this applies to you. These will be short assemblies and if you have a student in 2 different stages and they are both receiving an award, you can attend both assemblies. The new restrictions outline the need for schools to ensure compliance with the four-square metre rule for all those attending (including students, staff, parents and visitors). Parents and carers are also required to observe the 1.5m rule, maintaining social distance from adults from different households.

What this means in practice, is that two adults from each family will be able to attend the End of Year Assembly. We acknowledge that families will be disappointed that additional family members are not able to attend in person, but we trust that families will understand that being able to have two adults from each family in attendance is a step in a positive direction. We are also looking at ways to live stream or record the ceremony so that other family members are able to virtually attend.

Parents and carers are required to move directly towards the rear of the school hall on arrival. Social distancing must be observed at all times and visitors should remain seated during the ceremony.

We would like to thank everyone for their understanding, and we look forward to being able to welcome families back on to the school site.

Year 6 Farewell

Our Year 6 Farewell Dinner will take place on Tuesday, 8 December. Only Year 6 students and supervising staff can attend. The size of the year group is too large to allow parents/carers to attend to adhere to COVID guidelines. The event is scheduled to take place from 5.30pm-7.30pm however we are working on a staggered arrival of classes to allow a photo with parents/carers and their child while also receiving their Year 6 Certificate.

Captains and Vice Captains will deliver a speech on behalf of the cohort to sum up their time at KPS. We will record the night through videos and photos and share on our Facebook Page.

Dinner will consist of a variety of party food that will be served to the students by catering staff in line with COVID guidelines.

Dress will be semi-formal (going out for a family dinner or party)

Bacon and Egg Fundraiser

As a result of COVID-19, our Bacon and Egg Fundraiser has been cancelled. Our records will allow us to minus the cost of orders from the cost of going to the movies for the Stage end of year rewards. It will be written on your child's note, how much you paid and this can be deducted from the cost of the movies.

Stage 3 End of Year Rewards

All of Year 5 and 6 will attend the movies on Tuesday, 8 December in the morning. Year 5 students will return to school after the movie with supervising teachers. Year 6 students will go to the pool to start their Year 6 Farewell celebrations. We will have a catered lunch (pizza) at the pool and then return to school in time for normal home time routine. The Year 6 students will return later that afternoon for their Farewell Dinner.

***Annual General long term permission notes have gone home today for 2021.
Please sign and return ASAP.***

Term 4 ends : Wednesday, 16 December, 2020

Term 1 begins : Friday, 29 January, 2021

In our School



PBL Focus - Respect in the Classroom.



- Aim: Being safe in the playground.**
- play by the rules
 - include others
 - walk on hard surfaces
 - listen to and follow instructions from teachers and SLSO
 - use no, go, tell
 - keep hands and feet to yourself

PBL Award Winners

Stage 1: Hazel Catlin Paige Duley
Stage 3: Clair Argent O'Meara
Harrison-Edwards

Term 4 Week 7

Mon 23/11	•Kindy - Year 2 Intensive Swimming all week
Tues 24/11	•Stg 2 - Swimming for sport 2pm Year 6 - Orientation at Kyogle High
Wed 25/11	•Stg 2 Camp Koinonia
Thurs 26/11	•Stg 3 - Swimming for sport 2pm
Fri 27/11	•Stg 2 return from camp Koinonia

Term 4 Week 8

Mon 30/11	•Kindy - Year 2 Intensive Swimming all week
Tues 1/12	•Stg 2 - Swimming for sport 2pm Year 6 - Orientation at Kyogle High
Thurs 3/12	•Stg 3 - Swimming for sport 2pm

Term 4 Week 9

Tues 8/12	•Stg 2 - Swimming for sport 2pm •Stg 3 to Kyogle Cinema
Fri 11/12	•Kindy & Stg 1 to Kyogle Cinema

Message from the KPS Library

Due to the rapidly approaching End of Year, there will be no more borrowing available. Please return all books that have been borrowed from the library.



Early Stage 1 and Stage 1 Rewards

End of Year Party Day. (Early Stage One / Stage One)

Where: Kyogle Cinema (Movies start 10.00 am)

When: Friday, 11 December

Travel: Walking under direct teacher supervision.

Departure from KPS: 9.30 am

Arrival back at KPS: Midday

Students will have lunch/sausage sizzle and attend opening of the Time Capsule.

Water Play: Top Oval: approx 1.00 pm
e.g. slippery tarp, water pistol showdown etc.

Followed by food eg fruit platters

STAGE 2 REWARD DAY WILL BE ON TUESDAY, 15 DECEMBER. THEY WILL BE HEADING TO KYOGLE CINEMA FOR A MOVIE. MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW.

Final payments are overdue for Stage 2 Camp Koinonia.

If your student requires prescription or non-prescription medicine, the paperwork for that needs to be in BY TOMORROW!

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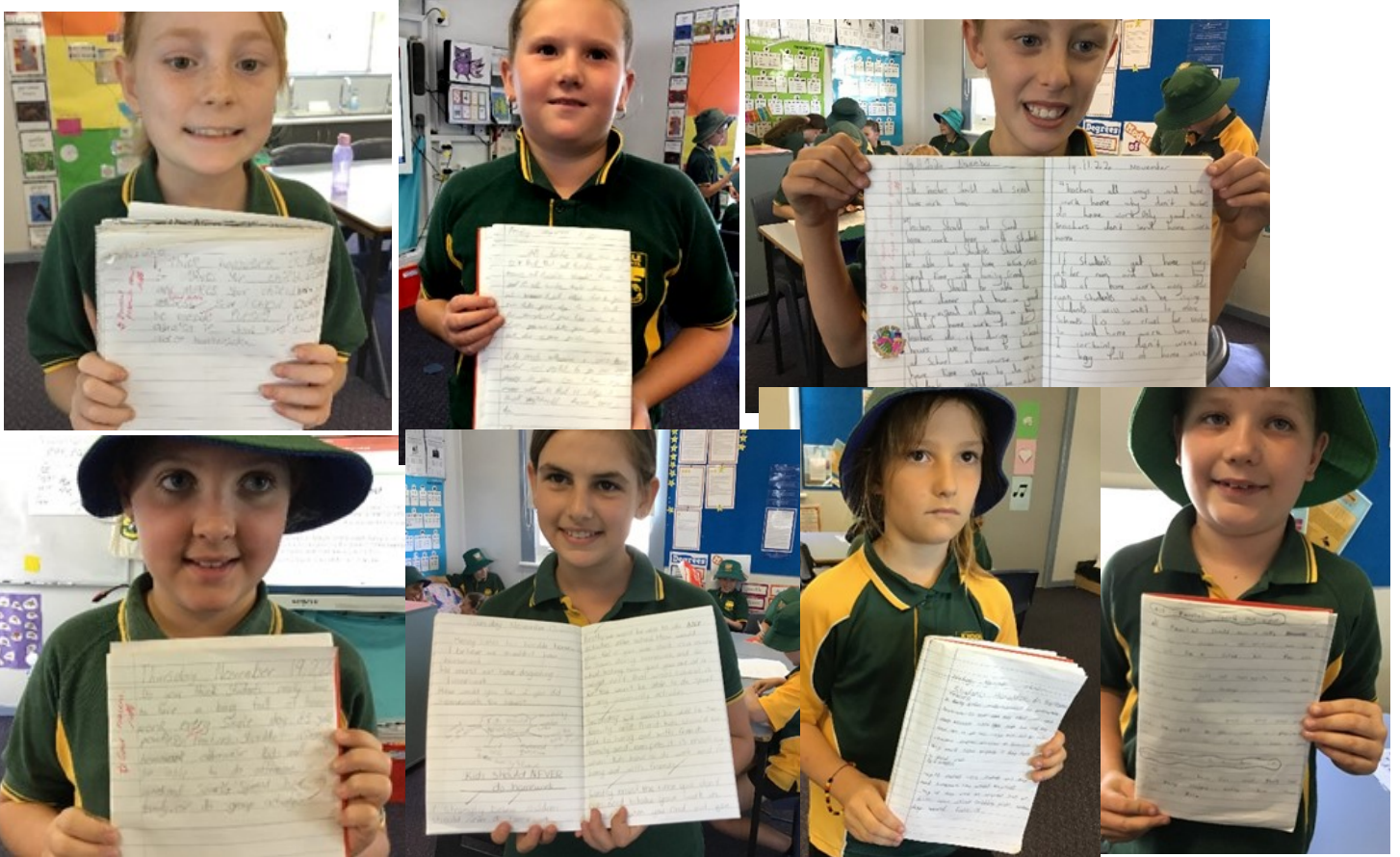
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Website: <http://www.kyogle-p.schools.nsw.edu.au>

3-4H are great at writing persuasive texts!

In class this term we are learning how to write a persuasive text. Students are using persuasive devices to convince a reader and get their point across to the reader. Persuasive devices include things like; **emotive language** (appalling, unfair), **rhetorical questions** (how would you feel if your home was full of rubbish?) and **EXAGGERATION**. Students are structuring their writing into paragraphs, and peer editing (checking each other's work). Here are some thoughts from the students and some pieces of writing from them.

"We are learning about modality words, emotive language and alliteration, exaggeration, personal pronouns and OREO paragraphs. Opinion, reason, example, opinion, that is what OREO stands for." Ty Murray.



Last Thursday some of our students participated in The Rivers Public Speaking Competition. Well done to all of those who took part and a big **CONGRATULATIONS** to Ruby who won the competition!!



Congratulations to Indie & Ruby for participating in The Rivers Public Speaking competition.

Out of School Hours Care

Dear parents

We want to offer families more flexibility with their work commitments and child care arrangements and to create more opportunities across the whole community. Having Out of School Hours Care available at local schools is a great way to achieve this.

As part of the NSW Government's \$120 million Before and After School Care (BASC) commitment, parents at all NSW schools were recently invited to complete a Have Your Say survey. The survey asked parents to tell us how they are using Out of School Hours Care, how much it costs them, whether they plan to keep using it, and what difficulties they experience in accessing it. The survey results have helped us to better understand the needs of families and what's important to them.

We are now asking all parents to complete a [quick follow-up survey](https://surveys.education.nsw.gov.au/s3/OSHCParentSurvey) by **Friday, 27 November 2020**. You can access the survey at <https://surveys.education.nsw.gov.au/s3/OSHCParentSurvey>. This information will help us to target the rollout of more before Out of School Hours Care services in the right areas.

If your child does not require Out of School Hours care, we ask that you please still complete the first section of this survey as it gives us important information about the level of demand at your school.

TENDER

School Canteen Licence

Tenders are called for the licence of the Kyogle Public School canteen for the school year commencing on Thursday, 28 January 2021 for a term of approximately 3 years. Annual school enrolments average 260.

General enquiries and requests for a Tender Information Package should be referred to: Mrs Jane Varcoe.

Telephone: 0266321200.

Tenders must be submitted in a sealed envelope marked "Confidential - School Canteen Tender" and sent to The Principal

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Tenders close 3pm on Friday, 27 November 2020.

A Tender visit and briefing session is planned to be held in the near future. All applicants must make themselves familiar with clause 2 of the tender offer.

Kindy O. 2021!!



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Saturday 5 December
Stan Payne Oval

Gates open at 6pm for a 8pm screening

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