



Kearsley Public School

NEWSLETTER

"Individuals Achieving Goals Together"

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From The Principal's Desk

Congratulation to the award winners

Once again, congratulations to all the awards winners who received their prizes and certificates at the presentation assembly. It is a wonderful achievement by all these students and the acknowledgement is thoroughly deserved. I'd also like to wish Year 6 students all the very best for their future as they embark on the new adventure of high school.

School Reports

Last week all students received their Semester 2 report cards. It was lovely reading through the reports to see the improvements that many of the children have made since the beginning of the year. If you would like to discuss your children's progress report with the teachers please make an appointment at a time convenient to you and the class teacher.

Final P&C meeting for the year

A reminder that the on Tuesday 4th the P&C will hold it's final meeting for the year. This is a great opportunity to find out about what is happen in the school as we come to the end of another successful year. The meeting starts at 9:15am in the library.

Open Forum

Tuesday 4th commencing at 2:30pm, with the teachers joining the meeting at 3:05pm. The open forum is for everyone to have their input to the development of the school. We are happy to take all ideas and comments that will assist the school plan for a better future for the education of your children. If you are unable to make the meeting please send your ideas in writing to the office and we will raise your comments at the meeting for you. I look forward to seeing you there.

Important Dates:

30 Nov	Last day Yr 6 at Kearsley PS
3 Dec	Yr 6 to start at C.H.S
4 Dec	Open Forum 2:30-3:30pm
7 Dec	P&C Christmas Carols Evening
19 Dec	Last day Term 4 2012
20 Dec	Staff Development Day
21 Dec	Staff Development Day
29 Jan	Staff Development Day
30 Jan	First Day Yrs1-6 Term 1 2013
4 Feb	First Day Kindergarten Term 1 2013
15 Feb	School Swimming Carnival
2 April	School Photos

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Class Awards

	Mrs Pitt	Mrs Singleton	Mrs Alcevski	Mrs Fairlie	Mrs Graham
Week 6	Jy D	Callum M	Liam O		Nina R
	Cody P	Jock D	Sam A		Nikki M
			Leah-Maree P		
Student of the week: Izaiah W					
Week 7		Alex B	Rex C-R	Crystal T	
		Courtney S	Kye B	Henry K	
			Darcy B	Braith G	
				Chloe S	
Student of the week: Courtney S					

Farewell to Long Serving Families

We would like to bid a fond farewell and a huge thankyou to the following families of Yr 6 students who have been a wonderful support to the school: Arthur, Brodie, Burke, Tattersall, Vickers and Witherspoon families. Your support over the many years has been greatly appreciated and we wish you and your family many happy days to come.

Kearsley's Got Talent Quest

There were some very exciting and interesting acts at this years Talent Quest. First place went to Izaiah W of Kinder. Second place went to Nick W of Yr 6 and third place went to "The Drummers" Kyle A, Jakob S and Zac T of Yr 6. Harrison R and Courtney S of 1/2 were awarded the Encouragement Award.



Yr 6 Fun Day

Thankyou to all the helpers on our recent Yr 6 Fun Day. \$1017 was raised which was a fantastic effort by all involved. The students and staff enjoyed themselves.



Kearsley PS Christmas Carols Evening

Friday December 7 2012 6pm to 8pm. Bring along a picnic blanket or chairs, your singing voice and your Christmas cheer.

Sausage in a roll and soft drinks available for purchase \$2 each.

Electronic light up candles \$2 each. Also available to tempt you -

Cake stall with Christmas yummys, Christmas cake & puddings, white Christmas, coconut ice, rum balls etc.

A small Christmas hamper raffle will be available to purchase tickets. This raffle will be drawn on the night. No other food will be available so don't forget to bring your own nibbles & drinks.



Year 6 Farewell Dinner & Farewell Disco

The Year 6 Farewell Dinner will be held tonight **Thursday November 29 starting at 5pm.**

At 7pm the rest of the school students will be joining Years 5 & 6 for the Farewell Disco. The disco will conclude at 8:30pm and it would be greatly appreciated if students could be collected promptly. Entry to the disco is \$3 per student. The P & C will have drinks, chips & glow sticks available for purchase.

P&C News

Our next (and final for the year) P&C meeting will be held on Tuesday, 4th December at 9.15am in the library. In this meeting we hope to put together a fundraising plan for next year, so please bring along all your inspired ideas. Or if you can't make it that day, please email them to the secretary, Christina Batey, at chevbrock@yahoo.com.au."

School Banking Token Redemption Day

Kearsley Public School is having its 2012 4th term Token Redemption Day on **Thursday 6th December.**

What can be claimed? Your choice of a Moneybox (Pru, Addy, Cred, or Pat) OR USB Stick OR Book Light OR Pen Pod (while the bank's stocks of each lasts).

What do you need to do? Please bring in your 10 tokens and redemption coupon in with your child's School Banking on **Thursday 6th December.** If you need redemption coupons they are available from **Mrs Duggan.** We will then order the reward and have it back to your child as soon as we receive it.

Notifications will be placed in the school newsletter to keep you posted on future redemption days.

School Choir

On 13 November, 31 members of our school choir visited Jacaranda Grove and Mt View Lodge. The students sung for the residents, mixed and mingled, shared stories about old times and their families. The residents enjoyed the singing so much they asked for an encore and invited the choir to come back and perform Christmas carols for them. The students had lunch on the grounds at Jacaranda Lodge and were treated to a soft serve cone at McDonalds. They are looking forward to their next visit.




P.B.L Reward Day

Recently 34 students were treated to a game of putt putt golf and picnic lunch at Hunter Valley Gardens. The students who attended were rewarded for their positive behaviour towards learning.

Kearsley Canteen Roster December - Term 4 2012

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December 2012

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
3 CLOSED	4 Amy Archibald Vanessa Rockley	5 Julianne Duggan Angela Matuissi	6 Faye Brodie Amanda Penfold	7 Katrina McGill Amanda Penfold
10 CLOSED	11 Jane Hayes Kylie George	12 Sandy Robinson Angela Matuissi	13 Allison Powell Tammy Trappel	14 Kristy Callaghan- Wilkinson Melva McLennan
17 CLOSED	18 CLOSED	19 CLOSED		



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School Banking

Thank you to Mrs Duggan for running our school banking. Money and deposit books should be sent to school each Thursday.

Fruit and Veg Orders

Thank you to Mrs Duggan for handling the orders. Please have your money in with the order by Monday to ensure delivery on Wednesday.