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ISSUE 8 TERM 2 WEEK 8

Thursday 15 June 2017

IMPORTANT DATES

TERM 2

WEEK 9

19 June—P&C Pie Drive orders & money due

23 June—Special photo orders due back

23 June— SRC Paper Plane Competition

WEEK 10

28 June—NAIDOC Cup

29 June—PBL Reward Day

29 June—Pie Drive delivery

30 June—Last day Term 2

30 June—School Bank account transition begins

TERM 3

WEEK 1

18 July—First day for students

WEEK 2

24 July—Transition to new school finance system.

28 July—Zone Athletics Carnival

Year 3 Teacher

Next term our school will welcome a new permanent staff member—Maxine Power. Maxine will be taking Year 3 for the remainder of the year. Mrs Power has been teaching in Dubbo for the past 20 years.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Malam for her fantastic work with Year 3 this year and to wish her all the best for the safe arrival of her baby in July.



Debating

Congratulations to our debating team who had a narrow loss to Nulkaba last week. Our school hosted the debate, with classes having the opportunity to be part of the audience. Thanks to Mr Folpp for organising and supporting our debating team. The next debate is against Abermain next week—Good luck!



Bunnings BBQ

Thank you to the wonderful community of Kearsley PS for their support and generous donations of time and resources. The Kinder BBQ would not have been such a success without you all. A special mention to our beautiful P&C, who spent most of the day with Mrs Manderson at Bunnings and helped behind the scenes with all their generous contacts. We raised a grand total of \$1624.90.



**PLEASE RETURN ALL CHOCOLATE BOX MONEY
BEFORE THE END OF TERM—THANKS**



Kookaburra Awards

Mrs Manderson	Mrs Pitt	Mr McLoughlin	Mrs Malam	Miss Rawlins	Mrs Graham	Mrs Stipack/ Mr Folpp
Xavier N	Joseph K	Evie S	Luke A	Luke B	Aryahn H	Selene H
Paige L	Bruce R	Brock H	Ava D	Joaquin H	Jarrold H	Emily P
Kaiden P	Cooper V	Montannah V	Clare C	Montana k	Madison K	Zac B
Zoe M	Conner M	Riley C	Gavin F	Rella S	Malakai L	Sophia M
Maclyn W	Levi H	Hannes M	Pierah K	Savanna C	Harley M	Syd P
Jessie O	Gracie B	Jett G	Mike L	Tyler D	Annabelle R	Hannah C
Jesse P	Syd P	Seth K	Olivia S	Jason W	Maddi H	
Armani P	Ella B	Cooper M	Mary W	Lilly B	Trenten M	
Zach K		Antonio H				
Leah M		Murray M				
Sienna K		Maddi M				
Ella B		Nate P				

Principal Awards

Hannah C	Koa P
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Assistant Principal Awards

Olivia S	Owen H
Evie M	Sophia M

P & C Pie Drive Reminder

The P&C pie drive money and orders are due on **Monday 19 June** and are to be delivered on **Thursday 29 June**, they can be picked up from the hall from 2pm-3pm. **All orders must be picked up by 3pm as the school has no facilities to refrigerate any unclaimed orders.**

P & C Chocolate Drive

There are still 22 boxes of chocolates to be sold if anyone would like to collect a box to sell. They are available from the canteen between 9am and 12pm or the school office outside of these hours. Outstanding money is now due for those families who have already taken a box. Please return all money to the office ASAP. All money raised goes directly to the students for various P&C projects.



Lost Property

As the weather begins to cool down in the mornings students are wearing their jackets/jumpers to school and taking them off as it warms up at lunchtime. Please mark all items of clothing clearly so it can be returned to students when found. There is a lost property box in the hallway outside the office and parents are welcome to check for lost items there.

Payments to the Office

Between 30 June 2017 and 24 July 2017, we will not be able to accept payments by online banking, cash or cheque as we prepare to close our current bank account and transition to the new one. Please ensure that you have made any outstanding cash or cheque payments before 30 June 2017. From 25 July 2017, payments will be accepted as before.

Learning and Management Business Reform (LMBR)

Kearsley Public School is currently undergoing training for (LMBR) Learning and Management Business Reform (LMBR). The LMBR is designed to modernise school systems and provide a consistent way for all schools to manage financial and student data. It is one of the largest public sector business reform initiatives in NSW and as such the training and implementation stages will have considerable impact on our school. Mrs Weekes will have the most demands placed upon her and she will require our support and patience above and beyond as LMBR unfolds. Mrs Weekes and Mrs Reed will attend 15 training days over the next two terms and Mrs Trigg will attend 5 training days. Thank you for your support during this busy time.

Friday Assembly

As our school is growing in size, you may have noticed that the whole school does not fit comfortably in the hall for assemblies. To give our students more room, as well as more opportunities to share their work, we have made changes to our assemblies.

We will alternate between K-2 assembly one week, followed by a Years 3-6 assembly the next week. We will still have whole school assemblies in week 5 and 10 and for important occasions.

Our first K-2 assembly was last Friday and was a huge success, our first Years 3-6 assembly will be held tomorrow commencing at 2.30pm. All are welcome to attend.

Fruit and Veg Sense Workshop

Come to our **FREE** Fruit and Veg Sense Workshop run by the Cancer Council of NSW. This workshop shows you how you can easily Save time and money making healthy meals and learn clever ways to entice fussy eaters. You will also receive a free recipe book by simply attending. The workshop will be held on **Thursday 22 June 2017 at 9am to 10.30am. To make sure you don't miss out please register to book your place.** You can do this online by going to cancercouncil.com.au/find-a-fruit-veg-sense-workshop or visiting the front office.

School Photos

School photos have been sent home with children who ordered them. Some special school photos are on display in the office foyer and are available to order. Order forms have been sent home with children last week if eligible. Photos to order include the School Captains, Sports Captains, School Representative Council, Year 6 group photo and the Kulawayn Team. **Orders and money are due back by Friday 23 June 2017.**



P&C News

The P&C Thompsons Pie Drive order forms are due back by Monday 19 June 2017. Pies will be ready for pick up on Thursday 29 June 2017, between 2 – 3pm from the hall.

There are 10 boxes of Cadbury Chocolates still available. Boxes are available from the canteen between 9am -12pm daily. If you have chocolate money at home, don't forget to bring it in as soon as you can. **Money is due in by the end of this term, Friday 30 June 2017.**

The P&C still have some school shirts available. The shirt price has been dropped down to \$20. Size 10, 12, 14, 16 and 1x18 are available. If you are interested in purchasing a shirt, please see Amy Archibald of a morning before school begins on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

A Red Food day will be held early next term. A note will go home before the holidays.

The canteen is urgently looking for someone who would like to help out with the rosters for 2017. If you are interested, please contact the school office on 49901705 or Amy Archibald on 0431891776. Special thanks to Bee Scarborough for handling the rosters up to this term. Much appreciated.

The next P&C meeting will be held on Thursday 3 August 2017 at 1.30pm in the hall. All welcome.

Attendance

The Department of Education requires staff to record all absences, whole day or partial. After an absence a note must be sent within a week to school and be signed and dated by parents. Notes must state the date of the absence and the reason for the absence. A Home School Liaison Officer (HSLO) examines school records regularly and follows up unexplained absences. Absences are recorded on pupil reports. The school should be contacted if your child is going to be away for two days or more. For absences of more than fifteen school days, where you are taking your child out of school for reasons such as a family emergency, visiting family overseas or having a family holiday, approval needs to be granted by the school Principal. At least two weeks prior to your departure you will need to complete an Absence from Attendance form which is available from the school office.

It is important that children arrive at school in time to commence the day's activities. This enables them to be well prepared for the day and doesn't disrupt the learning of others. All parents/caregivers must ensure that their children arrive at school on time. All children should be lined up in their class lines when the bell rings at 9:05am. Important information is provided to students each morning at lines. Parents bringing children to school after the commencement of the teaching program are asked to go via the office and fill in a late pass, which is then handed to the classroom teacher. This will ensure that your child is not marked absent. If an occasion occurs when you need to take your child early, it is required that you notify the child's teacher and sign the child out at the office before collecting your child. NB: If a person other than a parent is calling for the child, the school must be notified prior to collection and a form of ID must be produced by the person collecting your child. If an emergency arises, a telephone call from the parent to the school prior to collection of the child will be acceptable.

PARKING IN TOMALPIN STREET

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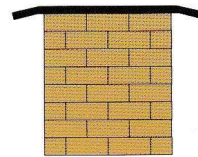
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Kearsley Canteen Roster—Term 2, 2017

June

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
19 Rochelle Brady Simone Goman	20 HELP NEEDED Tammy Crane	21 Rochelle Brady Jenny Brooks	22 Karen White HELP NEEDED	23 Melva McLennan Lynn Dunncliff
26 Rochelle Brady Sam Edwards	27 Julianne Duggan HELP NEEDED	28 Rochelle Brady Bee Scarborough	29 Karieanne Clifford Anne Stanley	30 Melva McLennan Amanda Penfold

July

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
17 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	18 Jane Apthorpe Tammy Crane	19 Rochelle Brady Jenny Brooks	20 Kate Sharpe Karieanne Clifford	21 Rochelle Brady Sam Edwards
24 Rochelle Brady Miranda Delaney	25 Julianne Duggan HELP NEEDED	26 Rochelle Brady Bee Scarborough	27 Karen White Anne Stanley	28 Melva McLennan Lynn Dunncliff

August

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
31 JULY Rochelle Brady Allison Powell	1 HELP NEEDED Tammy Crane	2 Jodi Hodges Rochelle Brady	3 Karieanne Clifford HELP NEEDED	4 Rochelle Brady Bee Scarborough



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All volunteers who work in the school canteen, reading groups or who volunteer and are on school grounds need to pay a membership fee to be covered for insurance purposes. Please pay your \$2.00 P&C / Canteen membership to the school office ASAP. A prohibited employment declaration form needs to be filled in as well as providing 100 points of ID. These can be collected at the office or one can be sent home with your child. Bee Scarborough is doing canteen rosters and can be contacted at 0400343076 or email cams_mum@hotmail.com for any questions regarding rosters. If you are unable to make your canteen day please contact the person you are doing canteen with to let them know you can't make it and try to find your own replacement. Thank you!

SCHOOL BANKING

Please send in bank books every Thursday for Ms Crane to process. Some great prizes can be earned for regular banking! Thank you.



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Good for Kids good for life RECIPE: BROCCOLI & SPINACH FRITTATA



INGREDIENTS	QUANTITY
OLIVE OIL COOKING SPRAY	-
BROCCOLI, CUT INTO SMALL FLORETS	1 CUP
SPRING ONIONS (SHALLOTS), CHOPPED	2
SPINACH LEAVES, READY-TO-EAT	1/4 CUP
EGGS	4
REDUCED FAT CHEDDAR CHEESE, GRATED	50G

METHOD:

1. PREHEAT OVEN TO 180°C AND GREASE A MUFFIN TRAY WITH COOKING SPRAY. LINE THE BASES WITH SOME BAKING PAPER.
2. STEAM, MICROWAVE OR BOIL BROCCOLI UNTIL TENDER; DRAIN AND COOL SLIGHTLY.
3. SPRAY A NON-STICK PAN WITH COOKING SPRAY AND SAUTE ONIONS OVER MEDIUM HEAT FOR TWO MINUTES.
4. MIX EGGS AND GRATED CHEESE TOGETHER. STIR THROUGH ONIONS, COOLED BROCCOLI AND SPINACH LEAVES.
5. SPOON FRITTATA MIXTURE EVENLY BETWEEN THE MUFFIN TINS AND BAKE FOR 30 MINUTES, OR UNTIL SET AND GOLDEN ON TOP.
6. STAND IN THE TIN FOR FIVE MINUTES BEFORE REMOVING. SERVE WARM.

Adapted from: National Heart Foundation of Australia



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Good for Kids good for life HEALTHY WINTER WARMERS

In winter it can be easier than usual to say no to exercise and eat more energy dense, nutrient poor foods for comfort and warmth.

But this doesn't have to be the case!



Here are some ideas for healthy meals that are cheap, delicious and warming:

- Soups – think pumpkin, vegetable, lentil, tomato or minestrone
- Toasted sandwiches – fill them with baked beans, cheese, ham, roast beef, tomato, avocado, spinach etc.
- Mini pizzas – made using English muffins, tomato paste, lean meat/veg and topped with grated cheese; cooked under the grill or in the oven
- Casserole – pack them full of vegetables such as potato, carrot, peas, celery or pumpkin



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Venue: Kearsley Public School



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- Learn clever ways to entice fussy eaters
- Get a free recipe book simply by attending

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