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HOLIDAYS**

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ISSUE NO: 20 – 5 JULY 2019

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 22 July
STUDENT FREE DAY

Tuesday 23 July
TERM 3 COMMENCES FOR
STUDENTS

Wednesday 24 July
NO ASSEMBLY

Thursday 25 July
SCHOOL BANKING

Grade 5/6 students to Gymnastics at
Kingborough Gymnastic Centre

Friday 26 July

TERM DATES

TERM 3

Tuesday 23 July (**Monday 22 July is a
Student Free Day**) to 27 September

TERM 4

Monday 14 October to Thursday
19 December (Friday 25 October is a
Student Free Day)

STUDENT FREE DAY
MONDAY 22 JULY

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Families,

It is hard to believe that today is the last day of Term 2. The last ten weeks has been an extremely busy time jammed pack with achievements. The term kicked off with the Grade 5/6 Camp to Spring Beach, Cross Country Carnivals, Reports, Parent/Teacher discussions ending with a fantastic Early Childhood Concert on Wednesday. We would like to congratulate all students on their endeavour and commitment to learning over the past ten weeks.

STAFFING

We have some temporary staff changes for Term 3. Ms Lesley Wood and Miss Kirby Barker will be taking well-earned Long Service Leave. We wish both Lesley and Kirby a terrific time on their respective trips. Lesley will be returning the start of Term 4 and Kirby Week 9 of Term 3.

Miss Nicola Sykes and Mrs Sue Barr will be teaching Ms Wood's Grade 1/2 and Mr Tim Kirkby will be teaching Miss Barker's Grade 3/4. We would like to thank both Nicola and Tim for attending the majority of the Parent/Teacher discussions to further learn about each student and ensure ongoing continuity and consistency. Mrs Ros Lucas (Flying Start Teacher) will also be taking Long Service Leave for the whole of Term 3 and Mrs Allison Jackson will be replacing her. We wish Mrs Lucas a well deserved break.

We wish all families a safe and enjoyable break from school. We look forward to seeing all students on Tuesday 23 July. Please note, we have a Student Free Day on Monday 22 July.

Kelly Dyer - PRINCIPAL

THE ECE CONCERT WAS HELD ON WEDNESDAY AND WAS A HUGE SUCCESS.
A BIG THANK YOU TO MRS HUNT FOR ALL HER WORK
ORGANISING THE CONCERT AND TO ALL FAMILIES WHO ATTENDED.
(more photos on page 2)



SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

The next meeting of the School Association will be Tuesday 6 August.

Email: kingstonpsassociation@gmail.com

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR TERMS 3 AND 4

MRS GREY'S GRADE 1/2	Ava K William C
MRS PAINE'S GRADE 1/2	Layla F Behram A
MS MILLINGTON'S GRADE 1/2	Emily S Reuben R
MS WOOD'S GRADE 1/2	Madison S Riley S
MRS RUMLEY'S GRADE 3/4	Olivia G Anthony M
MISS BARKER'S GRADE 3/4	Dimitra T Jayda R
MISS KILPATRICK'S GRADE 3/4	Charlotte D Ben C
MRS ABEY'S/ MR DURNO'S GRADE 3/4	Jade D Lily R
MR McVEIGH'S GRADE 5/6	Sharmika D Huon W
MRS AITKEN'S GRADE 5/6	Madyson D Zari M
MR BEST'S? MR ANAGNOSTIS' GRADE 5/6	Isabel P Toby D
MR CLIFFORD'S GRADE 5/6	Elise B Joseph W

AUSTRALIAN MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

On Thursday 1 August 2019, Primary students (Grades 3 - 6) have the wonderful opportunity to participate in the Australian Mathematics Competition. Entrants are asked to solve thirty (30) problems in 60 minutes. The problems get more difficult as the competition progresses, so that at the end they are challenging the most gifted students. The entry fee for each student is \$6.50. If you are interested in your child participating, please email Christine Rumley (christine.rumley@education.tas.gov.au) by no later than Tuesday 23 July.





CAMP



MR McVEIGH'S GRADE 5/6

Term 2 has been an extremely busy time. This term the students have had Camp, NAPLAN, the Swimming Program, an excursion to Parliament House, a visit from John Madin, Cross Country plus all their regular classwork. The students definitely deserve their holidays, getting ready for another busy term.



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STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR TERMS 1 AND 2 CELEBRATING THEIR INVOLVEMENT WITH A MORNING TEA



UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 1 August

Grade 5/6 students to Gymnastics at Kingborough Gymnastic Centre

Wednesday 7 August

The Ned Show in GP Room from 2.00 - 2.45 pm

Thursday 8 August

Grade 5/6 students to Gymnastics at Kingborough Gymnastic Centre

Thursday 15 August

Grade 5/6 students to Gymnastics at Kingborough Gymnastic Centre

Monday 19 August

Mrs Steele's Preps on excursion to Elizabeth College for Science Week activities

Thursday 22 August

Mrs Hughes' and Mrs Steele's Preps on excursion to Marine Discovery Centre

Tuesday 27 August

SPSSA Winter Carnivals

Tuesday 3 September

Huon and Channel SSA Volleyball Carnival

Wednesday 18 September

ECE Athletic Carnival

Monday 23 September - Friday 27 September

ECE Aquatic Program



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CORRESPONDENCE FORWARDED HOME TO FAMILIES THIS WEEK:

Letter to parents of Grade 3 - 6 students re Australian Mathematics



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