Kingswood Park Public School located on Caloola Avenue, is an outstanding school with wonderful students and magnificent teachers. Our innovative programs provide opportunities for all students to reach their full potential through quality teaching and learning experiences. At our school your child will experience:

- Magnificent facilities including connected learning technologies.
- Interactive whiteboards.
- Mobile computer labs.
- iPads in every classroom.
- A well resourced library and beautiful surrounding grounds.

If your child starts Kindergarten in 2015, please feel free to contact us, we would be happy to chat about any questions or concerns you may have.

Tuesday mornings we offer a Kindergarten Transition program from 9am, everyone is welcome. Please contact our lovely office staff for enrolment forms or pop in and see us, our staff will be happy to take you on a tour of the school.

Our Preschool is currently taking enrolments for 2015, this is an opportunity for children going to school in 2016 to attend a quality learning environment that is rich in learning experiences. Please contact our school for more information regarding our Preschool hours and costings.

Relieving Principal- Ms Katrina Berwick
PRINCIPALS REPORT
Thank you to the students, families and staff members of Kingswood Park who have made me feel so welcome. I have enjoyed meeting you all on your way home or in the morning coming to school. Over the last two weeks we have had many events in our school. Our Walk-a-Thon was a great success and many of our students completed 20 laps of the track. Don't forget to bring your sponsorship money in.

We had 7 students attend Maths Deadlys at Cranebrook high school on Tuesday with Mrs Phillips and Mrs McFarlane. The students had a great day completing maths challenges and competing against students from our local schools.

I would like to wish you all a safe, happy and restful school holidays. We are all back at school on Tuesday October 7. Go the mighty PANTHERS!

MATHS DEADLYS
The Maths Deadlys is a numeracy activity day held at Cranebrook High School. It is an initiative of the Cranebrook Learning Community that aims to develop the numeracy skills of ATSI students. The day involves teams of Aboriginal students from a range of primary schools in the Penrith Valley that compete in different quizzes and games.

There are many fun activities conducted throughout the day from timetable killer, problem solving, navigating, Jeopardy and fast money – complete with electronic buzzers, flashing lights and an electronic score board. Aboriginal students from Cranebrook High School and members of the wider community participate as mentors, guides and game masters. There are a range of other visitors, including members of the Penrith Panthers!

The students involved work on their skills prior to the event and also develop a unique team name and poster to be used on the day. The idea is to show how everyone can have fun with Maths while discovering how it’s relevant to careers and academic success.

2014 YR3-6CAMP
Our 3-6 Camp is being held 29-31 October this year. A reminder please that the balance of camp payments need to be paid at the office by Wednesday 22nd October or before.

LITTLE TRACKS TO BIG SCHOOL
Tuesday morning 9:15am till 11am. Encouraging families of our 2015 and 2016 kindergarten students. This is an opportunity for children to make friends with their peers before starting school. Everyone is welcome. We meet at our computer room- we look forward to seeing you all!
CATHOLIC CARE SOCIAL SERVICES
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MOBILE MATHS GAMES
Channel your child’s interest in playing mobile apps into a chance to improve their maths skills and recall. The free School A to Z app has a Maths Monkey game to help test times tables and the follow-up app, Maths Monkey’s Quest ($1.99), challenges kids from Yr 2 to Yr 8 with addition, subtraction, ratios and percentages. Both apps are created by the NSW Department of Education and are available for Apple iPhones and iPads, and Android phones and tablets. You’ll find links to both here: http://bit.ly/oSREYV

DATES TO REMEMBER
Week 2- stage 2 students participating in First Aide course (more information to come)
Week 4- stage 2 and 3 camp! Please continue to pay for camp. Mr Walsh will be organising medical forms closer to the date.
Week 9- Wednesday December 3- High School Transition day
Week 10- Monday December 8- Presentation Day (9-11am)
Week 10- Friday December 12- FUN DAY
Week 11- Monday December 15- Year 6 Farewell
Week 11- Tuesday December 16- Last day for our Preschool Students
Week 11- Wednesday December 17- Last day for all our students
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STUDENT ABSENCE EXPLANATION FORM

Student: ___________________  Class: ___________________

Date of Absence: ___________________

Reason for Absence: ___________________

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