PRINCIPAL AWARD RECIPIENTS

Congratulations to the following students who were awarded a Principal award at week 4 assembly. These students are recognised for consistently displaying our school expectations of being safe, respectful learners.

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BOOK PARADE
Thank you to everyone who came dressed as their favourite book character at our book parade on Tuesday. It was lovely to see so many of our families and community members come and celebrate the magic of books with us. We had our most successful book fair in recent times and raised money to purchase many more books for our library.

Thank you to our P&C for organising the yummy sausage sizzle meal deal and selling so many raffle tickets. A special thank you to our View Club members for selling raffle tickets to support our fundraising efforts. Our P&C have raised money during 2015 to pay for our camp bus this year.

AUTHOR/ILLUSTRATOR VISIT
Mrs Bruce has been able to secure a visit from an up and coming author/illustrator Jemima Trappel.

Jemima will be sharing her journey as an author/illustrator with our students on Wednesday August 26. Jemima will be in our library from 8:30 that morning to meet our community so please come along and say hello.

CRANEBROOK LEARNING COMMUNITY PERFORMING ARTS FESTIVAL
It was a great privilege and honour to watch our students perform at this years performing arts night. The night began with 10 of our students representing KPPS in the combined choir singing beautifully and proudly on the stage.

Next was Isaiah and Judah in the combined band playing 2 songs on their ukulele. The boys have been learning to play their instrument each Tuesday morning at Cranebrook High school and it was a beautiful sight to see Judah leading the band and Isaiah keeping the song going when others missed their notes.

Next was our Infants dance group with Gummy Bears, which brightened up the stage and put a smile on everyone’s face. Our contemporary dance group was stunning with many people commenting on how moved they were by this dance.

Lastly was our Primary dance group with Jai Ho and their bright and musical costumes. This dance group demonstrated commitment and a sense of a true dance group moving with one another and showing real stage presence.

I would like to congratulate all our performers for representing Kingswood Park to the highest standard. I have had many comments from not only our parents but parents and teachers from other schools on how professional our performers were. This would not have been possible without the dedication of our staff at Kingswood Park.

A special thank you to the following staff members who supported our performers on the night: Mrs Buckle, Ms White, Mrs Young, Mrs Rylewski, Mr Walsh, Mr Kean, Ms Hastings and Mrs Phillips. Lastly a huge thank you to Mrs Buckle’s daughters who added the special touch of make up on both nights.

DISTRICT ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
Congratulations to our students who represented Kingswood Park at our District Athletics carnival this week. There was a great team spirit and all our athletes gave their best. Mr Sergeant noted that many did personal bests in their events.

Thank you to our parents who came to cheer all our children along.
Hi all. The children of 1S and 2K are working extremely hard and developing their skills during literacy and maths group time. Both classes have intensive reading and groups on all days and all children are enjoying these activities and are developing their skills and abilities in many areas. Also for the remainder of the year there will be a focus on writing with whole class and group instruction.

Please parents it is very important that your child is at school on time, ready to learn as these groups start straight away in the morning. If your child is late they are missing important instruction and consolidation of skills.

Children from both classes have their login details for both Mathletics and Reading Eggs. These are both excellent resources, so if your child is able to access these from home it is a fun way to engage your child in Maths and English learning.

Home Reading continues on Tuesday and the book changeover will occur Tuesday’s. The children can leave their folders in the box on Tuesday morning and a new book will be ready to take home on Tuesday afternoon.

1S and 2K are involved in other programs throughout the week. Our sport day is now on Thursday afternoon from 2-3. There will also be an excursion later in the term to Elizabeth Farm. Please ensure that you are up to date with your payments and if there are any issues please see the school regarding this. As well as this the Father’s Day stall and breakfast will be on Week 8 so it would be great to see a lot of dads sharing brekky and some fun with the children.

If you have any questions regarding your child’s learning or life at school do not hesitate to contact Mr Kean or Mr Sargeant.

Mr M Kean

KINGSWOOD PARK SCHOOL UNIFORM
We will be introducing a new school shirt for the start of the 2016 school year. Our school shirt will be available shortly for purchase at ABEL School wear, Penrith. It will cost $20.

During term 4 we will share with you news from our P&C on how they will be supporting our families to purchase the new school shirt for our 2016 school year.

EXCURSION/INCURSION MONEY
Thank you to over 65% of our families who have paid their $100 excursion/incursion fee for 2015.

We started Zumba this week which will continue each Wednesday until the end of the term.

For those continuing to pay in instalments please do so before August 28. A minimum of $75 must be paid for students to attend upcoming excursions and incursions.

Notes for upcoming excursions have been sent home, please return these promptly. If you require a personalised payment plan please come and see Miss Berwick.

P & C
I encourage all our families to get involved in supporting our P&C committee. We meet on the first Wednesday of each month at 9am in our staff room.

EARN AND LEARN
We are asking for your donations of the earn and learn stickers from Woolworths this year. We have a box in our front office and also at local Woolworths stores; Emu Plains, South Penrith, Penrith Plaza and Jordan Springs. The earn and learn program will provide our students with equipment in our playground and classrooms.

ENROLMENTS 2016
If you have children or know of local children starting Preschool or Kindergarten in 2016 we are now accepting enrolments. Please see the office for more information.

FACEBOOK
Don’t forget to like our facebook page and follow us to receive regular updates on what is happening at KPPS!
PARKING & SCHOOL GATE
The school has been notified that council rangers and the police will be issuing infringement notices for those vehicles parked illegally.
Reminder: School gates will be opened each afternoon at 2.50pm.

UPCOMING DATES

Wednesday August 26: Author/Illustrator visit
Friday August 28: African Drum show
Wednesday September 2: P&C meeting (9am staff room)
Thursday September 3: Father’s Day Stall
Friday September 4: Father’s Day Breakfast- please RSVP for catering purposes
Friday September 4: Whole School Assembly
Monday September 7: Stage 2 Seymour Centre
Tuesday September 8: Stage 1 Elizabeth Farm
Thursday September 17: Crazy Hair Day- gold coin donation
Friday September 18: Performers to Ballet
Friday September 18: Last Day of Term 3
Tuesday October 6: First day of term 4
Friday December 11: Last day of Preschool 2015
Wednesday December: 16- Last day of term 4

Western Sydney Family Referral Service
A free service that helps children, young people and families to cope during difficult times by linking families with local services providing support and assistance.

We can help you access a broad range of services including:
- home visiting
- intensive family support
- quality child care
- housing
- parenting education
- supported playgroup
- drug and alcohol services
- mental health services
- youth support services
- respite care
- material aid services.

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Monday to Friday, 8.30am to 5.30pm
Email: wsfrs@ransw.org.au
Visit: nsw.relationships.com.au
Call: 1300 403 373
If you have limited phone credit you can request a callback.

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KINGSWOOD PARK

Women’s Group

STARTING WEDNESDAY AUGUST 5TH

Wednesdays, 9am to 10.30am
During school term

Where: The Orana Room, KPPS, Caloola Ave Kingswood Park

Drop the kids off & Come in, take a break and relax.
Great conversation, lots of giggles in a relaxed atmosphere.
Morn tea provided and little ones more then welcome.

Enquiries phone Naomi on 0417550382

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KIDS' DANCE

SUNDAY, 23RD AUGUST 2015 • 10AM - 3PM