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Kolan South Established in 1878



**Kolan South State School strives for a Quality Education for All Students ~ Respect ~ Responsibility ~ Safety**

*Principal's Messages ~ It has been a great effort from students, staff and parents, this term. Thanks, everyone!*

### Interhouse Sports

We were very fortunate to have excellent weather for Friday's Sports Day. Well done to all students for their efforts last Friday at the Interhouse Sports. Congratulations to the age champions, and to the winning house, Thompson. Congratulations to all teams for the march past effort. Beatty house was awarded the marching trophy again this year in a close contest. Well done to the Corps of Drums, for an excellent display leading the march past. Thank-you to Janelle Duffy, Sherry Wilson and the team of parents who contributed to the success of the day by running the canteen, and thank-you to all parents and family who were able to make it along to support the day. It was a terrific turn-out. Thank-you to Jan Foster for the photos.

Selected students, 10-13 years old, will continue to train for the District Sports to be held at Gin Gin on Friday, 26 July.

### Overall House Points

**Thompson 294 Beatty 259 Gibson 214**

### Age Champions

Year	Girl	Boy
7 Years	Eloise R	Taj S
8 Years	Haylee W	Byron G, Ethan R
9 Years	Chloe G	Rydar W
10 Years	Desiree C	Mitchell D
11 Years	Britani J	Connar W
12 Years	Billie-Jo P, Kimberley D	Rick Wirth



### P&C Meeting this afternoon

The P&C meets this afternoon, Monday, 17 June, at 5.00pm. Final arrangements for this week's Disco will be confirmed, but our main item is the Twilight Fair. All welcome at the meeting in the library.

### NO TUCKSHOP this week

There is no tuckshop, this week. Tuckshop resumes next term. Thank-you to all of our volunteers throughout this term.

### Semester One Reports

Student folios will go home this week along with Semester One Reports. Folios should be returned to school after the holidays. Semester One Reports can be kept at home. Congratulations to students on their achievements, this semester.

\*Parents, please refer to the information in this newsletter regarding the A to E rating system we are using for Semester reports.

### Next Newsletter

School photos are being taken on Tuesday, 23 July. The Dental Van will also be arriving early next term. Keep an eye out for information being sent home in our first Informer after the holidays.

### Woolies Earn & Learn

The Woolworths Earn & Learn promotion ended on Sunday, 9 June, so if you have any stickers lying around, would you kindly bring them into the office as soon as possible. Keep your eyes out in the newsletter as we'll let you know how we went in the final tally. Thank you to everyone who has contributed towards the school earning more school resources.

### Relief Teacher

Helen Donald will be on Long Service Leave for Term 3. The relief teacher for Year One will be Mrs Cindy Jennings. Best wishes to Helen for a relaxing break from the routines of school, and we will look forward to seeing her back at the start of Term 4.

### Pyjama Party Disco

The end-of-term disco is on this Thursday, 20 June. Please refer to the information in this newsletter regarding the disco arrangements.



### Free Dress Donation Day

Free Dress Day is this Friday, 21 June. Families are invited to contribute a gold coin donation to support this year's class stalls at the Twilight Fair on Friday, 6 September. The funds raised go towards purchase of prizes and lucky dip items for the class stalls. Thanks to families in anticipation of your support.

We are also seeking Raffle donations for the Twilight Fair. All donations will be recognised in the newsletter.

*Don't forget, students to read some books over the holidays for the Premier's Reading Challenge. Have a nice mid-year break, everyone. We'll see you back for the new term on Monday, 8 July.*

Jeff Searle

### School Calendar

June 17 (Mon)	P&C Meeting 5.00pm
June 18 (Tue)	Health & Safety Committee meeting
June 19 (Wed)	NO TUCKSHOP
June 20 (Thur)	Semester 1 Reports / DISCO
June 21 (Fri)	Last day of term / FREE DRESS—Support the Fair
<b>Term 3</b>	
July 8 (Mon)	Term 3 commences
July 23 (Tue)	School Photos
July 26 (Fri)	Gin Gin District Sports
July 31 (Wed)	Arts Council—Crazy Scientist
Sept 6 (Fri)	Twilight Fair



**Assembly is on Thursday morning at 9.00am in the library. All parents are welcome at Assembly.**



**June Birthdays**

27 Jesse B, 30 Zachary S

**July Birthdays**

3 Sophie B, 6 Chloe F, 7 Tahnaya D  
8 Emily R, 10 Flynn P, 11 Nicole J  
16 Abby D, Seth D, 21 Jacob D  
22 Savannah D, 26 Zac S, 27 William B  
31 Connor W



**Semester One Reports**

Queensland State Schools report on an A-E standard. Achievement standards indicate the quality of learning students should typically demonstrate by a particular point in their schooling.

It is important to note that under the Australian Curriculum there has been a marked raising of the bar for student achievement standards.

Parents and students need to be aware that when they read through the reports that a student who is understanding and completing the work that is expected of a student in a particular year level is meeting the standard for that year and thus would be awarded with a C standard.

This is the meaning of achievement standards:

- A Working well above the expected standard for this year level.**
- B Working above the expected standard for this year level.**
- C Working at the expected standard for this year level.**
- D Working below the expected standard for this year level.**
- E Working well below the standard for this year level.**

**Effort levels** are an indication of how hard your child is working and the effort your child is applying in class.

In this standard an 'A' tells you that they are working really well in class.

**HOLIDAY TENNIS**

A "Get Active" Clinic conducted by the Bundaberg & District Jnr Tennis Assoc Inc and Bundaberg Tennis Academy Coaches, Kevin Banner & Murray Whitbread for Boys and girls 5-16 years of age, will be held at Rotary Park Tennis complex, George Street, South Bundaberg on Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 26th, 27th & 28th June, the first week of the School Holidays.

The Clinic is based on the Tennis Hot Shots program which includes fun, racket and ball skills, movement skills and games.

Times: 8.30am - 10am; 10am - 11.30am; 8.30am - 11.30am (5-12 years); 1.30pm - 4.30pm Advanced & High School. Registration is Essential!

Please phone Kevin 4152 0753 or 0409 520753 or Murray 0407 639824

**Location:** WIN Stadium, 3 Flint Street Bundaberg  
**Date:** Monday 24 June - Wednesday 26 June  
**Time:** 8.45am for 9:00am start - 3.00pm finish  
**Participants:** Open boys & girls 7 - 18 years, with appropriate groups for all ages  
**Coaching Staff:** Will Shackelford, Rodrick Stewart, Zarryon Fereti, Brent Wallace, Vonnice Turner, D'Leshia Lloyd, Alice Honnery

**INTERHOUSE SPORTS DAY 2013 Well done, everyone.**



**ICE CUPS are back on sale this Friday 50c each**

**CLASS AWARDS**

- Cody R:** Great singing all week!
- Riley P:** Fantastic effort in "Kid Writing".
- Lachlan M:** Improved listening.
- Brandon W:** Explaining two different ways to solve 5 + 6 =.
- Seth D:** Good efforts with handwriting.
- Emerson P:** Great weekly spelling tests results.
- Jacob D:** Factual responses on his History Revision test.
- Kelly L:** Fantastic shoe design and creation.
- Bailee T:** Consistently working at a high level.
- Tyson D:** Working well in class and setting a good example.
- Zane P:** Good oral presentation on Ancient Civilisations
- Jane A:** Great project presentation on Ancient Civilisations



**Kolan South State School Student Disco 'Pyjama Party'**

Thurs 20 June 2013

St George Hall

6.00 to 8.00 pm

\$2 ADMISSION

(Supports Excursion Fundraising)

Come along for heaps of games and fun to celebrate the end-of-term!

See you there!

**Canteen**

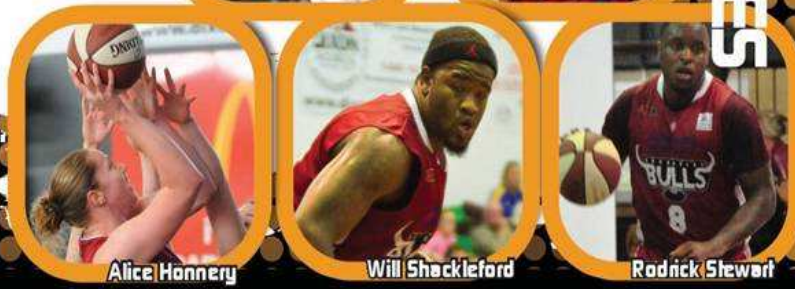
Following our P&C meeting, a note will be sent home later this week regarding canteen prices for the disco.



Bundaberg Basketball Inc. WIN Stadium - Flint St

**CAMP HIGHLIGHTS**

- 6 hrs of Basketball every day with your favourite QBL stars
- Teaching geared towards fun and learning.
- Individual games
- Team skills
- Hands on coaching and supervision
- Awards and contests
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- Offence skills



**COST** \$120 for 3 days (or \$45 a day). Morning tea/lunch provided. MUST bring own water.