

Kalinda School Newsletter

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Week 9 Term 1, 2018



Last week we celebrated Harmony Day. It was a wonderful day for our students and staff who together engaged in many cultural activities. We wish to thank Miss Libby Ridgeway, students and staff from Griffith High School for inviting our senior students to be included in their celebrations. A lovely time was had by all.

Easter is just around the corner it is a timely reminder for us all to stay safe, particularly when on the roads. On behalf of all of the staff at Kalinda School, I would like to wish you and your family a very happy Easter.

I also wish to thank all of the staff, in particular Mrs Emma Heins and Miss Jasmine Cliff who both took on the role of relieving Principal in my unexpected absence.



Tathra Public School Fundraiser: On Tuesday 10th April, we will be holding a Crazy Hair Day to raise funds to assist Tathra Public School in the aftermath of the recent bushfires. Fundraisers are being held by students in

schools across the state as schools hold special items, memories and connections, not just for our current students, but also past students, teachers and community members. Our donations will be used to help provide much needed support to the students and staff of Tathra Public School. In order to participate in the Crazy Hair day, we are asking that students contribute a gold coin donation.

It is wonderful to see 'communities assisting communities' and truly amazing to know that our contribution will amount to a generous donation that will greatly assist the Tathra community.

Review Meetings: Thank you to those who have returned your Review Meeting time preferences. If you have not yet done so, we ask that this is done by next Tuesday 3rd April.

Change of Clothes: Please ensure that you pack a change of clothes for your child in case there has been an accident.



UPCOMING Events

Week 9 26th March to 30th March

Thursday Easter Hat Parade & Raffle drawn
2:30pm

No scripture

30/3/18 Good Friday – no School

Week 10 2nd April to 6th April

2/4/18 Easter Monday – no School

Wednesday LST meeting

Last Assembly for the term 2:40pm

Review Meetings from 3.30pm

Friday AFL Clinic

PPA Meeting – Mrs Sampson out

Pearl Party Fundraiser

Week 11 9th April to 13th April

Monday Ruby class RDA Meet and Greet

Tuesday Malachite & Jade classes RDA Meet and Greet

Crazy Hair Day Tathra PS Fundraiser Gold Coin Donation

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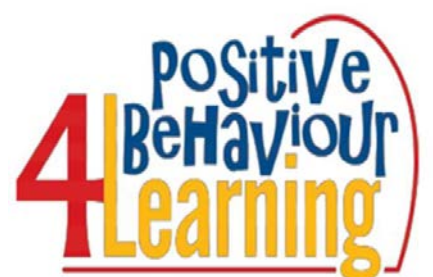
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Multi Sport Wagga Wagga 2018: Kalinda School have been invited to participate in the Special Schools Multi-Sports Day at Bolton Park Indoor Stadium in Wagga Wagga. Seats available on the bus to Wagga Wagga are limited. Students who bring in notes and money first will be given preference to attend. Once the allocated seating number has been reached no further notes will be accepted. Notes and money are required at school by Thursday 5th April. Notes and money will not be accepted after this date.



Coles Sports for Schools: Sports for school finishes on April 3rd. Get in and do all your Easter Shopping and collect those vouchers. The bins are located near the flowers at Coles and in the office.



Positive Behaviour for Learning:

Congratulations to PBL raffle winners this week.

Victoria, Joel and Tryrese who have chosen something special for their rewards.

Our Values Award this week was given to Victoria Hughes for 'being inclusive by considering others when playing'.

Whole School Assembly: The last assembly for term 1 will be held on Wednesday April 4th at 2.40. We would like to invite all families to join us in celebrating our student's achievements. Any student that have received two or more merit awards will be receiving their Bronze Award at this assembly.

GAMS Workshop for Years 9-12: Unfortunately due to illness, Sid was unable to attend today. We hope to reschedule for another time.

Stewart House: Envelopes were sent home last week. Please return them to the school by the end of Term 1 (13th April) if you are participating. Thank you.

NAPLAN: A reminder to parents and carers that if you wish for your child to be exempt from NAPLAN please contact the school and complete an appropriate form, otherwise, your child will sit all of the NAPLAN assessments.

Kalinda School Choir: is back again in 2018. Mrs Gill and Mrs Sampson are excited to be providing our students with additional opportunities to perform. A permission / agreement form has been sent home with the newsletter today. As there are limited spaces available in the choir, students will need to audition. Interested students must return their signed notes by Friday 6th April for auditions to be held the following week.



Borambola Reminder: Just a reminder that deposits are due on Wednesday May 9th. We would love for everyone to be involved. Please let Julie or Mrs Sampson know if financial assistance is need or a payment plan to be put in place.

KROP News: A note is included with this newsletter for you to sign for student's participation. Melissa's Dance Studio is coming to help us on Fridays to prepare our KROP performance for this year. We are so lucky to have her volunteer her time to make our kids shine on stage.

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Pearl Party Fundraiser: If you missed last year's amazing event, not to worry, this year's will be even more exciting. April 6th is right around the corner so come in and purchase your tickets. Tickets include a buffet dinner, dessert and an oyster opening. You are guaranteed to get a pearl but the colour and size will be a surprise. Tickets are limited so first in best dressed.

FUNDRAISING EVENT PRESENTED BY:
OUTBACK PEARL GIRLS

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Kalinda School

PEARL PARTY

Southside Leagues Club

FRIDAY APRIL 6TH @ 6PM

Shuck your own oyster and keep your pearls
Buffet dinner, dessert and an oyster opening

TICKETS \$40 (10-16yr) \$50 16yrs and up

To purchase tickets contact
Kalinda School on 69623271



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Harmony Day 2018



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