



Kelly's Plains Public School Newsletter

Term 4 Week 3
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“SHARING LEARNING CARING”



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A member of the Armidale
Community of Schools

From the Principal's Desk...

A big thankyou to all who came to the start of the Annual Kelly's Plains Author Festival. The Book Fair went well and has provided the students with their book of interest for Presentation Day. We thank the many supporters and special friends that have donated the books back to the school. The speeches were fantastic and a lot of time and effort has been obviously spent to make these speeches interesting and exciting. Congratulations to our speech presenters. Brandon, Seamus, Kate and Dimity. The books from the Book Fair will continue to be displayed in the library until tomorrow. You will be able to purchase any further books if you require.

Another big thank you goes out to the staff for organising and providing the time to make sure another fantastic opportunity was provided to the students of the school. Well done Mrs Morley and Cathy for supplying all that wonderful food and cooking such a great feast. Thanks again to Mrs Weier and Mrs Piddington for their passion to make sure all students are catered for and the insight to organise this event.

Lake Ainsworth Excursion will be taking place in Week 6. We ask that payments be made over the next few weeks so that final payments are made before we go. The students have finalised the activities and are really excited. The bus will be leaving the Information Centre no later than 6.30am on Monday 10 November. We will be assembling at 6.00am. This will allow us time to have lunch and then participate in activities that afternoon. I will continue to send home some reminders about the excursion over the next few weeks.

A reminder that the school raffle that is taking place at the moment is a great opportunity to limit costs for both the Upper and Lower Division excursions. Please take the time to sell these tickets and talk about the wonderful opportunities the students at Kelly's Plains Public School get to participate in with others in the Armidale School Community.

This Thursday, sees Kelly's Plains students participate in the Armidale and District Touch football competition. I am assured that games will be taking place this week. Congratulations and good luck.

A reminder that our final Presentation and Speech Day will take place on Thursday 11 December. It will take place at school and will be starting at 9.45am. All presentations and school performances will be taking place and we anticipate we will be finished by 11.30am.

A big welcome to Mrs Furze who will be joining us as a Prac Teacher from the University of New England for the next four weeks. Mrs Furze will also be joining us at Lake Ainsworth.

Vacancies exist for enrolments at Kelly's Plains Public School. Should you know of anyone who is seeking to enrol at Kelly's Plains, please encourage them to contact us to make an appointment to come and look around the school and discuss enrolment options. Enrolments for Kindergarten 2015 are now being taken.

On a final note for this week, it makes me extremely proud of each of our students and staff as we look forward each day to improve and achieve only the highest expectations, learning outcomes and real life experiences to make Kelly's Plains the best it can possibly be.

Andrew Watson

STUDENT AWARDS

Prestyn Mavin
Jesse Gardiner
Maeve Sinclair
Sunita Davy

Great writing about transport
Participation in 'Bravehearts'
Beautiful running writing
Welcome to our School

Dimity Evans

Excellent work in English and her
Description

Seamus Hunt
Kate Cartwright

Great work in all areas in class
Being a good friend to everyone



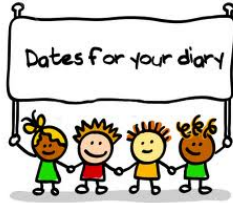
Georgia White
and
Nicholas Weier



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

OCTOBER

FRI 24 Assembly
Student Speeches
Dartanjan Chmieluk
Georgia Edwards
Millie Edwards
Indy Edwards
Nicholas Weier



FRI 31 Assembly
Student Speeches

NOVEMBER

WED 5 Raffle tickets returned to school
Student Speeches
FRI 7 Assembly
Student Speeches
Excursion Raffle Draw
MON 10 Upper Division Excursion to meet at
6.00am at the Tourist Information
Centre
WED 12 Lower Division Excursion
THUR 13 Upper Division Return
FRI 14 Assembly



Star Students

**Ned, Maeve and Joss
Sinclair**

**Make our school a
Happy Place**

Upper Division Excursion

Payment for the Upper Division Excursion can be paid by Direct Deposit at Westpac Bank. Payment can be the full \$300.00 or paid by instalments.

Account Name: Kelly's Plains Public School
Administration Account
BSB: 032-001
Account No. 142170
Ref: Student's Name

Excursion Raffle Tickets

Have you sold your raffle tickets?

The child/family who sells the most tickets will receive a prize.

Extra books of tickets are available at the office.

Sold raffle books must be returned to school by
Wednesday 5 November.

Term 4 Speeches

This Week

Dartanjan Chmieluk
Georgia Edwards
Millie Edwards
Indy Edwards
Nicholas Weier



Week 4 (31/10/14)

Oliver Weier
James Weier
Alyssa Matheson
Cody Matheson
Cooper Schumacher

Week 6 (14/11/14)

Cambell Mavin
Prestyn Mavin
Winter Hogwood
Josiah George

Week 5 (7/11/14)

Joel Croft
Lily Croft
Elijah Croft
Caleb Bettison
Bronte Bettison

Week 7 (21/11/14)

Zeke Weber
Layla Weber
Oakley Weber
Georgia White

Week 8 (28/11/14)

Jesse Gardiner
Sarah Gardiner
Kai Hyland
Sunita Davy

The topic for our speeches is 'Festival of the Authors'. Students need to present a 2 minute speech about their favourite author/book.

Dress up as an author and give a 'This is Your Life' speech in role.

Dress up as a character out of your favourite book and use the authors language to take on your character.

Read/memorise a section of your favourite book and recite it.

Image you are the author reading the book to the group.

Present an information report about the author.

Review a book from that author and encourage people to buy a copy.