Week 7 – 11th March 2015
Sharing Our News

Community News

Our King Street P&C have fronted up for another important event last Saturday coordinated by Ros Kelley. The BUNNINGS BBQ! Coming just one week after the working bee, you would think they would need a weekend off! Thank you so much to those who have helped run and supported these community events – not just for the fundraising aspect but as an important way to promote our wonderful school in the town.

I would also like to acknowledge our new P&C executive – a delightful team who often balance jobs and young children along with this role. Thank you:

President: Mark Newton
Vice Presidents: Sharee McLoughlin and Samantha Morgan
Secretary: Dawn Knight  Treasurer: Tania Almond
Fundraising Co-Ordinator: Samantha Morgan
Uniform Shop Co-Ordinator: Dawn Knight
Canteen Committee President: Maxene Hamson

Annual School Report

It is a DEC requirement that all schools have their reports submitted and on their websites by the 1st of May. Our 2014 report is now on our website. If you would like a hard copy, please see Cindy in our front office.

Thank you to all those who have coordinated projects and prepared reports for this purpose.

Our 2015-2017 Strategic Plan is in draft form and has been emailed to our P&C. This will also be added to the website after discussion with the Director. If you would like a copy of this draft please let Cindy know and I will then make sure you have the latest version.

Thank you, Cath Larkman

UPCOMING EVENTS 2015

Term 1

WEEK 7
Fri 13th Mar UHPSSA Netball/Soccer Trials

WEEK 8
Mon 16th Mar Book Club Orders Due

WEEK 9
Tues 24th Mar Debating Workshop SPS
Wed 25th Mar Early Stage 1 Parent Interviews
Thurs 26th Mar Stage 1 Parent Interviews
Fri 27th Mar Zone Cross Country

WEEK 10
Mon 30th Mar Stage 3 Parent Interviews
Tues 31st Mar Stage 2 Parent Interviews
Wed 1st Apr Easter Hat and Pedlar’s Parade
Thurs 2nd Apr Last day of Term 1
Fri 3rd Apr Good Friday (Public Holiday)

Term 2

WEEK 1
Mon 20th Apr Staff Development Day
Tues 21st Apr Students Return to School
Sat 25th Apr ANZAC Day

WEEK 2
Fri 1st May Gold Card Assembly

WEEK 5
Fri 22nd May Cracker Night

Important Information for all Bus Travellers

As of 2nd March 2015, it has become a requirement from Hunter Valley buses that ALL STUDENTS PRESENT A VALID BUS PASS. If a bus pass is not available, a photocopy of the application form must be shown or a payment of $1.20.

If your child requires a bus pass, please see the office as soon as possible.

Book Club Orders

REMINDER: Book Club order forms are due back on MONDAY, 16TH MARCH.
CAFE ROSTER

Week 8 Term 1
16/3/15 Judy Wyllie
RECESS HELP NEEDED
17/3/15 Mel Barber
RECESS Sarah Graham
18/3/15 Gorgia Tritten
RECESS HELP NEEDED
19/3/15 Jackie See
RECESS HELP NEEDED
20/3/15 Vanessa Ridling, Penny Stewart
RECESS Mel Barber

UNIFORM SHOP HOURS:
Tuesdays 2-3pm, Thursdays 9-10am

Stage Assemblies
Infants (Tuesday of even weeks at 2.30pm in the Hall)
17th Mar 2R
31st Mar 1T

Stage 2 (Friday of even weeks at 1.00pm in the Hall)
20th Mar S2T
3rd Apr Good Friday

Stage 3 (Friday of odd weeks at 12.00pm in the Hall)
13th Mar S3H
27th Mar S3M

Infants Assembly Awards – Term 1 Week 6

Merit Cards:
KB: Tayne G, Riley M, Sophie S
KF: Maben D, Dylan T, Erin B
K/1M: Cohen C, Abigail S, Armani D
1M: Charlotte R, Kailla H
1T: Koby F, Eliza P
2F: Evie H, Jack G, Holly F
2R: Tory M, James F, Baxter F

STAR Card Awards: Tori M, Bree S, Murray H, Scott C
EWOKS Awards: Sophie K, Kiarah H

Stage 2 Assembly Awards – Term 1 Week 6

Merit Cards:
S2G: Tamara S, Chris W, Aiden J
S2I: Abbott S, Grace K, Jade M
S2S: Porsha C, Lachlan F, Lucy R
S2T: Lotus R, Taylor M, Imogen M, Christopher A

Sports Awards:
S2G: Chris A
S2I: Kurtis S
S2S: Riley M
S2T: Stephen P

STAR Card Awards: Lillie B, Zoe M, Samantha S

King Street PBL Values

At King Street we are:

Kind, Safe, Proud and Supportive.

In our classrooms we:

❖ Co-operate...always cooperate with teachers, classmates and visitors
❖ Listen...be an attentive listener for effective learning
❖ Attitude...have a positive attitude for successful learning and be proud of our work
❖ Sensible...move and behave safely in the classroom
❖ Studious...be studious and enjoy the sharing of knowledge with teachers and classmates.

At King Street Public school we have CLASS.

Thank you to the following students for displaying our KSPS values and rules (Term 1, Week 6):

KB: Maddison G, Dana J
KF: Xander I, Madison S
K/1M: Arlie S, Matilda H
1M: Nathan D, Grace N, John M
1T: Ty-John M, Tayla G, Alana M
2F: Marshall B, Kadi C
2R: Chloe S, Frankie D
S2G: Zoe M, Sarah N
S2I: Malachai S, Paris F
S2S: Tayla S, Ava N
S2T: Nikita E, Naite H

Canteen News

Re-useable Lunch Bags Still Available
The Canteen still has a number of re-useable lunch bags for sale. They are $11.50 and available at the Canteen in a variety of colours.

At the Canteen on Mondays!
Chicken Caesar Salad Wraps only $5

Tuesday Meal Deal
Pizza Meal Deal: Pizza and Juice $3.50
(normally $3.70)
Nugget Meal Deal: 6 Nuggets and Juice $4
(normally $4.40)

Canteen Movie Ticket Fundraiser
Please find in today’s newsletter order forms for movie tickets. Fill out and return to the Canteen by Friday 20th March. Thank you!
Thank you for Supporting Bunnings BBQ

On Saturday the P&C held its first fundraiser for the year in the form of a Bunnings BBQ. We had a successful, fun day earning just over $500.00. Thanks to our volunteers Chris, Amanda, Jodie, Donna, Emma, Bec, Mel, Cheryl, Peter, Mrs Larkman, Drew and Jack as well as students Cameron & Sophie. Thank you also to members of our KSPS community who came and purchased sausage sandwiches and drinks.

Thanks again, Ros Kelley.

It’s Easter Raffle Time

It’s that time of year again when members of the KSPS P&C will begin collecting donations for our MONSTER EASTER RAFFLE. This is a highlight for our students each year with many prizes being drawn and announced at the Easter Hat Parade.

Donations of Easter Eggs will be accepted by P&C members each morning in the quad from NEXT MONDAY, 16th March. Every student that makes a donation will go into the draw for a prize.

Thank you everyone in advance for your support.

A Colourful Stage 2 Assembly

Stage assemblies are held every 2 weeks to celebrate achievement by our students. It is also an opportunity for the class hosting the assembly to showcase some creative talent in the form of a class item.

This week at the Stage 2 assembly Mr Ingram’s class presented a very energetic and colourful dance item to “Uptown Funk”.

Year 6 Receive High School Information

On Monday our Year 6 students received an Expression Of Interest form for Singleton High School.

We ask that parents/carers of Year 6 read the documents carefully, complete the information and return to school by NEXT FRIDAY, 20TH MARCH.

Thank you,
Cameron Upcroft (Stage 3 Supervisor)

Respect for Neighbours Appreciated

At King Street we value the community surrounding us and their support of our children. We ask that all parents/carers that are dropping off or picking up their children from school do the same.

There have been a number of instances lately where neighbours have been unable to access their driveways during these times.

WE ASK THAT DRIVERS PLEASE REFRAIN FROM PARKING IN THE DRIVEWAYS OF OUR NEIGHBOURS.

Thank you for your support.
National Ride to School Day

On **Friday 13 March 2015** we'll be celebrating the 9th **National Ride2School Day** event, where over 300,000 Australian students, just like yours, will ride, walk, scoot or skate to school.

Children may participate in the day. Students who ride we ask that your bikes are put in the bike area behind the computer/art room. If your child scoots or skates we ask that these are put in their classroom in the morning when they arrive.

**What the law says:**

**Helmets**

All riders and passengers on bicycles must wear an Australian and New Zealand Standards (AS/NZ2063) approved helmet that is securely fitted and fastened on the rider’s head.

**Riding on the footpath**

Children under 12 years and older riders who are accompanying and supervising them may ride bikes on the footpath unless there are signs that specifically prohibit cycling. Riders must keep to the left and give way to pedestrians.

**Riding on the road**

Bicycles must be fitted with a working brake and a bell, and if used at night the bike must have a front white light, a rear red light and a rear red reflector. Bicycles can be fitted with power assistance up to 200W. A vehicle with more power than that has to comply with appropriate registration requirements. Cyclists, just as other road users, must comply with all road rules.

Foot scooters, skateboards and rollerblades may be ridden on footpaths unless there are signs that specifically prohibit them. However, riders must keep to the left and give way to other pedestrians. Powered foot scooters cannot be registered and therefore can only be used on private land. On separated bicycle and pedestrian paths, foot scooter, skateboard and rollerblade riders must use the section designated for bicycles, but must keep out of the path of any bicycle.

Foot scooters, skateboards and rollerblades can be used on the road only during daylight hours. They cannot be used on roads with a dividing line or median strip, or a speed limit greater than 50km an hour, or a one-way road with more than one marked lane.

**Sporting Success Continues**

**Swimming**

Congratulations to Jemma E who represented the Upper Hunter at the Regional Swimming Carnival last week. Jemma swam a personal best time of 36.95 in the 50m freestyle to be placed 12th in her age group.

**Rugby League**

Christopher F also had success last week. Chris represented King Street at the PSSA Upper Hunter Rugby League Trials. Chris has gained a place in this side in the forwards, and will go on to play at the Regional Trials on Friday 20th March.

**Cricket**

To top off a successful month of sport for our students, Samuel H has also reached the next level in his chosen sport. Sam competed at the Upper Hunter PSSA Trials for cricket, and has also made it to the Regional level.

Congratulations Jemma, Chris and Samuel.
King Street is an Allergy Aware School

This is a reminder for all families that some of our students have serious reactions to products containing nuts and fish.

We ask that you please do not send foods or containers to school that contain nut or fish products.

New Sizes Available at the Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop is now able to provide additional sizes to the regular range that is currently stocked.

If you are after a particular size that is currently not available, please see the Uniform Shop volunteers.

King Street Values the Wellbeing of our Students

Please be aware that we have an immuno-suppressed student in our school. If your child develops a contagious disease, please let the school know ASAP. If you are unsure if the condition is contagious, please still notify your class teacher or the office so we can act accordingly.

KSPS NEWSLETTER

I would like to receive the KSPS Newsletter by email each Wednesday instead of a paper copy.

Eldest Student at School:

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Students
Class:................................................................................................

My email address is:

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Parent/Carer
Name:..............................................................................................

Signature:...........................................................................................(signature)
Autumn Village Fair

10am to 2pm
Friday, 20 March 2015
Broke Hall, Adair St, Broke

Legends of Australian Cricket

Free
Fully catered Market stalls
Live entertainment Displays and activities

Seniors in the Park / Autumn Village Fair
Further Information Cynthia Mulhallond
02 6578 7217

ATTENTION PARENTS!!
The Hunter River District Golf Association and Jack Newton Junior Golf are hosting fun come and try golf day at

Singleton Golf Club
Sunday 15 March
8.30am—12.30pm

- 6-12 YEARS OF AGE
- ALL EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED
- NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY
- BBQ LUNCH INCLUDED——YUM

Register to join in the fun
Contact Zig on 49345311 or Email: hrdga@bigpond.com

SINGLETON MARTIAL ARTS & FITNESS ACADEMY
ZANSHIN JU-JITSU
World Ju-Jitsu Federation Representative Academy
Self Defence – Adults & Children

Steve 0473 169 573
Email: zanshinjujitsu15@gmail.com
"Old Ambulance Station"
At rear: 58B John St Singleton

We here at Singleton Martial Arts and Fitness Academy specialise in Japanese Ju-Jitsu, the art of the Samurai.
We have World Ju-Jitsu Federation Accreditation and Recognition.
We are the WJJFA District Representative Academy.
Instructors are MAIA Accredited.
We are a full time Dojo.
Kids classes Mon to Thurs 5 pm
Adult classes Mon to Thurs 6 pm
Advanced & Personal Ju-Jitsu & Fitness Fri to Sun

Join our Easter Family Night
Thursday 26th March 6pm—8pm
Bring the family along for a great night of fun!
- Easter D.I.Y. Workshops
- Visit from Easter Bunny
- Fun Easter egg hunt
- Easter activities for the whole family
- Light refreshments provided

Bookings recommended — for more information or to book speak to a team member in store or go to www.bunnings.com.au and locate your nearest store.

LOWEST PRICES EVER AT THE BEGINNING...
Save the Date!

King Street Public School
Cracker Night
FRIDAY 22\textsuperscript{ND} MAY 2015

- Great Food
- Fantastic Entertainment by Local Groups
- Activities and Stalls for the Whole Family
- Singleton’s Best Firecrackers!
- Entry $5 or $15 per Family

**What Can You Do to Help?**

- Donate Prizes
- Donate Paper Lanterns (For Students to Decorate)
- Put your name on the Roster to help on the Night
- Encourage your Family and Friends to Come Along

*More information will be in future Newsletters. Please contact P&C Members or the School Office if you can help in any way.*
and in return be given tickets to the cinema of your choice for your group members
and assume responsibility for their group members.

Pursuant to the expression of your interest in attending the event, you
are advised to contact your local cinema to book your tickets for the event.

The key: Cupid and the beautiful woman in red.

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