

FINGAL HEAD PUBLIC SCHOOL



Dates to remember...

Senior Chess

- Monday for 3/4/5/6

Library Borrowing

- Monday-K/1/2
- Friday-2/3/4 and 5/6

Jenny's Piano students

- Wednesday

AFL Sports

- Each Friday until 4 June

Yr 4 Yuli and Seniors—Christine Anu at KHS

- Tuesday, 11 June

P & C Meeting

- Wednesday, 12 June

Stemshare Robotics

- Thursday, 13 June

Kindilan

- 17, 18, 19 June

Stewart House Concert

- Tuesday, 2 July

Last Day of Term 2 for Students

- Thursday, 4 July

Staff Development Day

- Friday, 5 July

PB4L Award

Congratulations to Bella, Archie, Anikyn and Milan!

Principal's Award

Congratulations to Beau, Kayden, Amba, Jada and Milan!

Story Dog Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who supported our Story Dogs fundraiser last Friday. \$120 was raised for the Story Dog Program.



This program is free to all participating students. This is a fantastic program and the children love being part of it.

Many thanks Meg and Kyah.....our story dog!

Stewart House Concert

Our students will be performing at the Stewart House Concerts being held on **Tuesday, 2 July** at the Tweed Heads Civic Centre. The students will be performing in the **Matinee and Evening performances**. Please mark this day on your calendar.

Costumes are being finalised at present. Some items of the costumes are being purchased and some are to be made. These will be part subsidised by the school and there will be a \$10 fee per child for costumes.

Transport -Parents are asked to organise transport for both the **Matinee and Evening performance**.

Tickets will be available to purchase from the school. These will be capped due to limited seating regulations in the Civic Centre. This is unfortunate, but will mean seat allocation will be limited initially to 1 ticket per family with an option to be included on a waiting list for further allocation of tickets.

Further information will be sent home when all details are finalised.

Christine Anu at Kingscliff High School

Our Year 4 Yuli students and our Senior Class have been invited to attend the Christine Anu School presentation; 'In Conversation and Song', being held at Kingscliff High School on Tuesday, 11 June.

Christine is an entertainer from the Torres Strait Islands. Throughout the presentation Christine will share personal anecdotes, music and story-telling.

Transport—Thank you to Mary and Joel for the use of the Yuli bus for this day. We will be needing the help of a couple of parents to transport the remainder of the children, approximately 8, to and from Kingscliff High School. Yuli parents are invited to stay for the performance. This is a free performance.

Times—

9.30am	Leave from Fingal
10.00am	Arrive at KHS
10.30am	Anu performance

Lost.....

Much loved Birthday present bought to school for Show and Tell!

Feisty Toy.....Huski dog – may have been put in another child's bag by mistake.



Please check, and return to school if found.

Many thanks.

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Kindilan Camp

The students attending the Kindilan Camp have received their information eg Packing List. Please contact the school if you did not receive your list.

Reminders.....

Library Stocktake

We will be conducting our School Library Stocktake on the 17, 18 and 19 June.

Please check at home and return any Library Books to the school by Tuesday, 11 June to allow them to be entered into the Library system ready for stocktake.

Stemshare

On Thursday, 13 June Stemshare will be coming to the school for Robotics Workshops with the student.

This is a full day program for the school commencing at 9.00am with the 4/5/6 class followed by the 2/3/4 class and finishing in the afternoon with the K/1/2 class. There is no charge for the workshops.

Woolworths Earn and Learn

Thank you to everyone who have been sending in their Earn and Learn stickers. The program has commenced and will conclude on 25 June. If you shop in Woolworths and collect the Earn and Learn stickers, please send these into the school and we will redeem them for school resources.

Sushi Lunch

Don't forget to put your Sushi order in this Thursday for **Tuesday** lunch.

An order form is attached to this Newsletter. Please send in 1 order form per child with correct money.

Orders **MUST** be returned in an envelope with payment to school by Thursday each week for your child to receive their order the following week.

Thank you.

2020 Enrolments

If you know of any parents considering enrolling their children in 2020, please encourage them to contact the school as soon as possible.

Out of Zone Enrolment Forms are available from the school and applications for next year will be considered by 18 September and parents contacted soon after.

School Website

A reminder....to check our school website for updates. You will find our weekly Newsletter on this also.

Occasionally photographs are taken of individual students or classes and may be included on our School Website. If you DO NOT wish your child's photo to appear on the Website please notify the school.

Kibera Education Sponsorship

Milan and Shylee are selling ice blocks to raise funds for Irene's 2020 fees. The students can purchase Quelch Fruit Juice Ice blocks for \$1.00 at lunch time each day.

Friday Breakfast

All students and families are invited to breakfast at the school each Friday morning from 8.15am to 8.50am.

Many thanks John for organising the Friday breakfasts once again this year!

School Travel

Applications for 2019 school travel are now open via www.transportnsw.info/school-students
A new application is required if you are applying for a travel pass for the first time; enrolling in Kindergarten or requesting an additional entitlement as a result of a shared parental responsibility situation.

An updated application is required if the student has a current school travel pass and is progressing from Year 2 to year 3 or Year 6 to Year 7. It is also required if you change address or school.

Certificate of Exemption from Attendance at School

The Department implemented a new policy in 2008 regarding student's exemption from attendance for periods in excess of 10 days.

Parents can apply for an exemption from attendance at school or the child under the following conditions.

- ◆ Domestic Necessary
- ◆ Health of a Child

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Forms are available from the school. An exemption should be applied for prior to leave of absence. If this is not possible an application must be completed on return.

Working with Children Check

We greatly value our parent and community volunteers who assist with classroom activities, fundraising events and transporting children to sports carnivals etc.

To ensure a safe environment for the children we require our volunteers to apply for a Working with Children Check and present the school with their clearance number.

A Working with Children Check is a prerequisite for anyone in paid or voluntary child-related work in NSW.

Previously, school volunteers were required to complete multiple forms and present 100 points identification to the school. This process has now been simplified.

Fill in an online application form, at www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/check

When you have completed the application form, you will receive an Application number (APP) by email.

Take this application number and proof of identity (drivers licence) to the NSW Motor registry. If you are helping at school on a volunteer basis there is no fee to pay.

Once approved you will receive a Working with Children Check number (WWC) by email or post.

Please present this certificate (WWC) to the school for registration with the NSW Education Department.

There is a brochure attached to this Newsletter for further information. Thank you.

Online Payments

Parents can make online payments to the school for amounts owing for students, via a secure payment page hosted by Westpac. Payments can be made using either a Visa or MasterCard, credit or debit card, and can be made via computer, tablet or mobile phone.

The payment page is accessed from the front page of the schools website by selecting [\\$ Make a payment](#).

Items that can be paid include voluntary school

contributions, subject contributions, excursions, sales to students and creative and practical arts activities. There is also a category called 'Other' this to cover items not covered in the previous headings, Other can be used to make a complete payment of a school invoice.

When you access the [\\$ Make a payment](#) you must enter:

♦ the students name, and class and reference number

OR

♦ the students name, and date of birth.

These details are entered each time you make a payment as student information is not held within the payment system. **There is also the option to enter the Student Registration Number and Invoice number if you are aware of them, these are optional fields OR there is also the option to enter the Student Registration Number and Invoice number these are not used at our school, please leave blank.**

This is a secure payment system hosted by Westpac to ensure that your credit/debit card details are captured in a secure manner, these details are not passed back to the school.

You have the ability to check and change any details of the payment before the payment is processed. Receipts can be emailed and/or printed.

Details of the payments are passed daily to the school where they will be receipted against your child's account. As a receipt has been issued from the payment page a further receipt will not be issued by the school.

For any enquiries regarding the Online Payment process please contact the School Administration Office.

Term Dates and Staff Development Days

Staff Development Days—The last day of Term 2 and the last 2 days of Term 4. Students do not attend school on Staff Development Days.

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P & C Meeting

Our next P & C meeting will be held at the school on Wednesday, 12 June.

P&C meetings are held at the school on the second Wednesday of each month at 3.00pm. (2 meetings per Term).

We must have 5 members attending each meeting for the quorum or it is not a legal meeting, so please attend even if you can only make the occasional meeting. Everyone is welcome to attend our P & C meetings. There is a yearly \$1.00 membership fee.

Items for P & C Agenda

Name _____

I would like the following item/s included on the Agenda for the P & C Meeting to be held on _____ at the school.

Agenda items/s _____
(Please submit Monday morning prior to Wednesday's P & C Meeting)

Signed _____ Date _____

FINGAL HEAD PUBLIC SCHOOL – SUSHI ORDER

Order for Tuesday, 11 June.

Form & payment to be returned to school by Thursday, 6 June.

Please enter the amount of sushi's you would like in the box next to the sushi & complete the details below

\$2.50 per roll

Chicken Teriyaki Roll

Chicken & Avocado Roll

Tuna Roll G/F

Tuna & Avocado Roll G/F

Salmon & Avocado Roll G/F

Avocado Roll G/F

Popper \$1 per popper

Name of Child: --

Amount Enclosed (CASH ONLY):--