



Striving together for excellence

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FROM THE ACTING PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Carers,

This week we have the Grades 3 to 6 students enjoying going to Collegiate pool every day for their Swim and Water Safety lessons. Mrs Kadziolka has reported that all students have been making a wonderful effort to do their best and improve their skills. This has been great to hear, particularly as in our Whole School Social Skills Assembly this week we introduced our new focus skill,

'Don't Say No, Give it a Go'!

Senior Staff performed a humorous role play (well we thought so anyway!) showing how everyone needs to give things a go, not just the students. Mr Nash also played a movie he made where our Groundsman, Rodney, was given encouragement to give something a go. Mr Clifford and his class also featured in this. You will need to quiz your children about all of this. It was very funny.

DON'T SAY NO, GIVE IT A GO!



These students were giving it a go at the pool this week!

Tayah M "I can float on my tummy now".

Lisa T "At first I was scared to put my head under the water, but I did it in the end".

Ty K "I am more confident in the water this year".

Poppy S "I can swim under the water now".

Zachary P "I am blowing out bubbles better and putting my head under the water".

Cameron F "I can swim faster and further and have a better arm action with freestyle".

Dorothy Raymond - Acting Principal

KEY DATES FOR 2017

Monday 19 June

Tuesday 20 June
SCHOOL BANKING

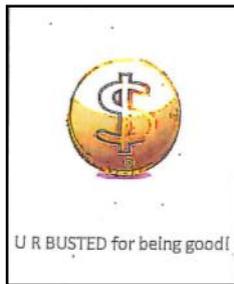
Swim and Water Safety program continues for Grades 3 - 6

Wednesday 21 June
Swim and Water Safety program continues

WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY
School Captains organising
Sharing Units:
Miss Barker's/Mr Warman's
Grade 1/2 and Mrs Graney's/
Mrs Kadziolka's Grade 3/4

Thursday 22 June
Swim and Water Safety program continues

Friday 23 June
Swim and Water Safety program concludes



PRIZE WINNERS

The following students received prizes in the 'U R Busted' Awards.
CONGRATULATIONS!!

Natalie F	Rhys H
Zachary P	Bailey R
Yosra B	Tara F
Eshan R	Janet O
Asha M	Kenzie S
Sharmika D	Mia P

ECE MUSIC ASSEMBLY
The Preps to Grade 2s (including Mrs Steele's Kinders) will be presenting 'The Gingerbread Man' story on

Wednesday 28 June
in GP Room at 2.00 pm.

They have been working hard in Music lessons preparing this presentation, so if you are able, please come along!
Shona Hunt
Music Teacher



PYJAMA DAY
Friday
30 June

The Student Representative Council will be holding a 'Pyjama Day' raising money for 'Give Me 5 for Kids'. A gold coin donation would be much appreciated.

COMMUNITY NEWS

More information on the following may be found on the Parent Noticeboard in the Foyer or on the Student Noticeboard in corridor near Grade 3/4 quad.

TAROONA SHOPPING CENTRE 48th BOOK SALE will be held on 8 - 9 July from 9.00 am - 2.00 pm. Any donations of books can be left at the Taroon Shopping Centre or at Kingborough Council Chambers

**Blackmans Bay
Lantern Parade
Friday 7 July 6pm**

Assemble 5.45 @ Blackmans Bay Beach for 6pm parade to the Community Hall for fun, warming food and fire.

Blackmans Bay Scout Group
Dementia Friendly Tasmania
KINGBOROUGH COUNCIL

武芸道松傳館空手道

SHOTOKAN KARATE

BEGINNERS WELCOME FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Every Wednesday
Kingston Primary School

Children 5-7yrs 4.30-5pm
Children 8-11yrs 5-6pm
Juniors/Adults 6.15-7.30pm

*SELF DEFENCE *FITNESS & FLEXIBILITY
*SELF DISCIPLINE *CO-ORDINATION
*SELF CONFIDENCE *AFFORDABLE RATES

EASY TO LEARN/NO FITNESS LEVEL REQUIRED TO START

Class size are kept to a manageable level to ensure quality of tuition and safety of students.

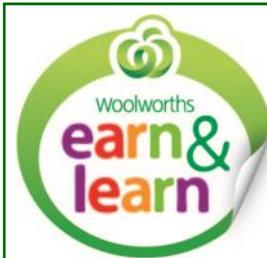
Ph: 0407 070 509
MORE INFORMATION AVAILABLE AT:
www.bugeido.com
Our instructors are certified and have working with vulnerable people card

NEWS FROM OUR ECE CLASSES

MS SCHREIBER'S KINDER UNIT D	It is wonderful to see the imaginative art work the children are producing. This week we did some round collages as part of our work on the letter 'r' and the ideas the children were discussing were impressive. They love to see their work on display, so please enjoy it with them.
MR RUSSELL'S (DOWSETT'S) KINDER UNIT C	This week the children have learned how to use waterpaints and they have done something quite remarkable with their elephants! The general quality of their letter work and concentration has shown consistent improvement.
MRS STEELE'S KINDER/PREP UNIT BB	This week we investigated the letter 'Dd' by sponging dinosaurs, making 'Dingle Dangle Scarecrows' and singing the rhyme, reading the book 'Pocket Dogs' and making our version of Biff or Buff who lived in Mr Pocket's pockets. Prep students are taking part in the Premier's Reading Challenge. I will be keeping the booklets at school and entering their reader every time it is changed. The challenge is 10 books in 10 weeks so keep on reading!! Congratulations to Lilly M for completing her Magic 100 Words.
MRS LUTJENS' PREP UNIT B	The Premier's Reading Challenge has begun. When the children bring back their Home Readers the books will be entered in the log book. The children need to read 10 books in 10 weeks. There will be prizes for the children and this encourages reading at home and at school. Please keep bringing in things from the 'Past' to share with the whole class.
MRS PAINE'S PREP UNIT P	We welcome Jo Gisborne, a UTAS Pre-Service Teacher who will be working with us on Thursdays and Fridays for this Term. Well done to everyone who has been putting in a great effort learning their Magic 100 Words.
MRS GRAY'S/ MRS NEAL'S GRADE 1 UNIT O	This week we have been focusing on spelling 'activities of words ending in 'en'. We are also reading and writing about the children's book entitled, 'The Little Red Hen'.
MISS BARKER'S/ MR WARMAN'S GRADE 1/2 UNIT N	The students were fascinated by a short film showing the learning and sporting activities of Kingston Primary School in 1948. We compared and contrasted it to our school life today. Our Science studies of light and sound are continuing with Miss Louise our UTAS Pre-Service Teacher presenting interesting and engaging experiments.
MS MILLINGTON'S (MR BARR'S) GRADE 2 UNIT A	In English, we have started to discuss persuasive writing and the students designed the front of a fictional cereal box to persuade customers to choose their design. In Science, we are investigating different sources of light and sound.
MS WOOD'S GRADE 1/2 UNIT AA	Another busy week as we have moved onto our study of light. Come and see our amazing torchlight artworks that show how light helps us see at night. In Maths we have been exploring, sharing and dividing and having fun sharing all sorts of things from cookies to ourselves! Do not forget to put the Music Assembly in your diaries on 28 June.

NEWS FROM OUR PRIMARY CLASSES

MRS RUMLEY'S GRADE 3/4 UNIT F	The students have had a great start to the Swim and Water Safety program this week. They have been working hard on their History projects about a famous explorer and have continued expanding their mental strategies for addition in Maths. Please remember swimming gear for next week too!
MR DURNO'S/ MR BEST'S GRADE 3/4 UNIT G	Well done to everyone for your great effort at the Swim and Water Safety program this week. Do not forget to bring bathers and towels again next week. Sadly we say goodbye to Thomas Etherington today as his family are heading off to sunny Queensland to live.
MR CLIFFORD'S GRADE 3/4 UNIT H	This week we are doing our Swim and Water Safety program and completing our booklet. We are also focussing on the school-wide social skill of 'Don't Say No, Give it a Go!'
MRS GRANNEY'S/ MRS KADZIOLKA'S GRADE 3/4 UNIT I	The children started the Swim and Water Safety program this week. They are all doing such a great job listening carefully to their Swimming Teachers and trying very hard with all the skills to learn to be stronger swimmers. In History we have started our projects on an explorer. Ask your child who their explorer is.
MRS ROSS' GRADE 4/5 UNIT S	Students have been enjoying the Swim and Water Safety program this week and I am sure next week will have the same positive response. Just a reminder that all specialist subjects are still running next week but at different times because of the swimming. The students will still need to bring their Library book bags on Tuesday please. There has also been a school reminder for students wearing the correct school uniform and our class, at the moment, is doing a great job at doing that. So thank you.
MR McVEIGH'S GRADE 5/6 UNIT L	The students have enjoyed their time during the Swim and Water Safety program and it will continue for another week. We are also lucky to have Mr Beadle, a UTAS Pre-Service Teacher, join our class for the remainder of the term.
MRS AITKEN'S GRADE 5/6 UNIT M	This week we have commenced our Swim and Water Safety program. All students are making excellent progress and are enjoying the swim each day. Swimming will continue next week. The students are now publishing their "front page" news headlines based on a Tasmanian Disaster. We will display these when complete. Please make sure you "table talk" with your child about their activities at school as they have so much to tell you!
MR LUTJENS' GRADE 5/6 UNIT R	Our class has had a fantastic time working on swimming skills at Collegiate Pool this week. This will continue into next week. Our class has been practising working out the area and volume of different shapes in Maths and we have been experimenting with writing prompts in our Writers' Notebooks.



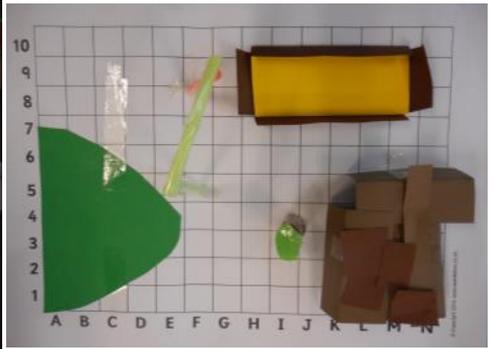
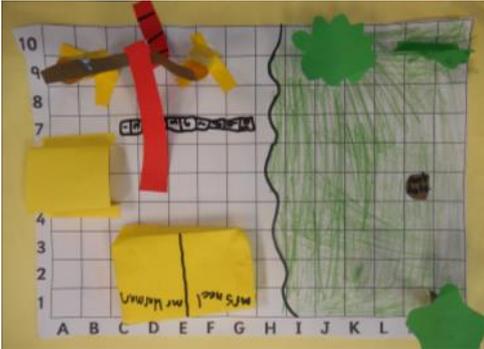
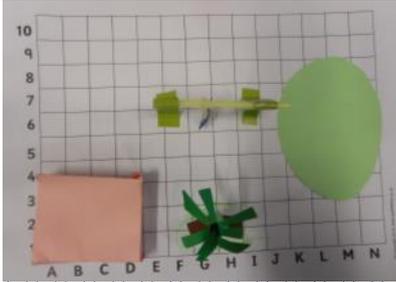
**WOOLWORTHS
EARN AND LEARN
IS ON AGAIN**

**COMMENCING ON
TUESDAY 26 JULY
BEGINNING OF TERM 3**

STUDENT CONTRIBUTIONS

Ms Wood's Grade 1/2

As part of our HASS study of the local area we have explored and mapped our playground. We turned our 3D models into 2D maps by photographing a bird's eye view. We also had fun exploring how transport has changed in Tasmania during our excursion to the Glenorchy Transport Museum.



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