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Kolan South Established in 1878



**Kolan South State School strives for a Quality Education for All Students ~ Respect ~ Responsibility ~ Safety**

*Principal's Messages ~ Have a great mid-year break, everyone. Congratulations on a terrific effort throughout the term.*

### Interhouse Sports

We were very fortunate in the end to have good weather for Friday's Sports Day. Well done to all students for their efforts. Congratulations to the age champions, and to the winning house, Thompson.

Congratulations to all teams for the march past effort. Beatty house was awarded the marching trophy again this year in a close contest. Well done to the Corps of Drums, for an excellent display leading the march past.

Thank-you to Leslie Mason, Sherry Wilson and the team of parents who contributed to the success of the day by running the canteen, and thank-you to all parents and family who were able to make it along to support the day. It was a terrific turn-out.

Thank-you again to Jan Foster for the huge job taking photos throughout the day, some of which appear in this newsletter.



The staff and students deserve a big pat on the back for their efforts over recent weeks in training during lunch breaks.

Selected students, 10-13 years old, will continue to train for the District Sports to be held at Gin Gin on Friday, 25 July. District Sports information will be sent home in the first week after the holidays.

### Overall House Points

**Thompson 641 Beatty 583 Gibson 423**



### Kolan South Interhouse Athletics Age Championship Points

Division	1st	2nd	3rd
7 Yr Girls	Teanna W (42)	Hannah L (26)	Paige M (19)
7 Yr Boys	Jaeken G (42)	Riley P (18)	Baelie W (14)
8 Yr Girls	Billie-Jo P (42)	Emerson P (18)	Georgia J (17)
8 Yr Boys	Travis B (27)	Jack B (26)	Keaton S (17)
9 Yr Girls	Haylee W (42)	Holly M (25)	Ella M (12)
9 Yr Boys	Byron G (42)	Brayden W (25)	Zac S (10)
10 Yr Girls	Amber B (31)	Chloe G (30)	Zahli S (22)
10 Yr Boys	Brock D (33)	Rydar W (28)	Everett C (10) Jaxon J (10)
11 Yr Girls	Desiree C (47)	Lucy S (26)	Simran P (19)
11 Yr Boys	Mitchell D (45)	Flynn P (28)	Taygan S (18)
12 Yr Girls	Britani J (43)	Bailee T (24)	Jane A (19)
12 Yr Boys	Connar W (43)	Riley H (31)	Ryan W (20)
13 Yr Boys	Chandler D & Zane P (41) - Jon K (23)		

### 'Come as Country' Disco

The end-of-term disco is on this Thursday, 26 June. Please refer to the information in this newsletter regarding the disco arrangements, including canteen menu and prices.



### Semester Reports

Student folios will go home this Thursday along with Semester One Reports. Folios should be returned to school after the holidays. Semester One Reports can be kept at home. Congratulations to students on their achievements, this semester.

\*Parents, please refer to the information in this newsletter regarding the A to E rating system we are using for Semester reports.

### After School Programs — Term 3

Thanks to everyone for your support of this term's after school programs. Next term's programs will be communicated in the first Informer after the holidays.

### Attendance

Just a reminder to families that students should attend school right through to the last day of the term, unless there is a good reason, with important work happening right through to the end of the week. The disco on Thursday evening finishes early at 8.00pm, and shouldn't be an excuse for missing school on Friday. Thanks for making 'Every Day Count'.

*Don't forget, students to read some books over the holidays for the Premier's Reading Challenge. Have a nice mid-year break, everyone. We'll see you back for the new term on Monday, 14 July.*

Jeff Searle

13 Years Age Champion, Chandler Daniel, in flight during the high jump event at the interhouse sports day.



### SCHOOL CALENDAR

June 26 (Thur) Semester 1 Reports / Disco  
 June 27 (Fri) Last day of term  
 Health & Safety Committee Meeting

#### Term 3

July 14 (Mon) Term 3 commences  
 July 25 (Fri) Gin Gin District Sports  
 Sept 5 Life Education Van visit  
 Sept 7 (Sun) Fathers' Day  
 Sept 19 (Fri) Last day of Term 3

**Our final Assembly for the term is on this Thursday morning at 9.00am in the school library. All parents are welcome to attend Assembly.**



# BIRTHDAYS



## July

3 Sophie B, Mason M, 6 Chloe G  
7 Tahnaya D, 10 Flynn P, 13 Cooper P  
16 Abby D, Seth D, 20 Zeke P,  
21 Jacob D, 22 Savannah D, 23 Paris B  
26 Zac S, 30 Jae-De D, 31 Connor W

## CLASS AWARDS



**Aimee B:** An enthusiastic learner. Well done!  
**Zaree R:** Showing an improvement in reading.  
**Keaton S:** Impressive vocabulary use in English.  
**Matthew W:** Impressive and thoughtful 'toy that rocks'  
**Teanna W:** Effective and decorative 'toy that rocks'.  
**Zeke P:** Trying to contribute in class discussions.  
**Georgia J:** Trying hard with all spelling activities.  
**Max V:** Fantastic effort on homework club and before school reading.  
**Bethany P:** Wonderful effort in History & Geography  
**Lewis D:** Amazing improvement in handwriting.  
**Blake M:** Fantastic participation and effort in all areas.  
**Simran P:** Excellent presentation of Science Journal.  
**Abbie P:** Great improvements in Maths!



Class Awards

## Kolan South State School Student Disco 'Come as Country'

Thurs 26 June 2014  
St George Hall

6.00 to 8.00 pm  
\$2 ADMISSION  
(Supports Excursion Fundraising)



Come along for heaps of games and fun to celebrate the end-of-term!

### Canteen

Pies & Sausage Rolls \$3      Chips / Popcorn 50c  
Softdrink & Bottled Water \$2      Juice Poppers \$1.50  
Lollies & Iceblocks as priced

Adults Raffle \$2 tickets      Kids Raffle \$1 tickets

## Holiday Tennis Clinic

Monday 30th June, Tuesday 1st July & Wednesday 2nd July for Beginners to High school players with Bundaberg Tennis Academy Coaches, Murray Whitbread and Kevin Banner at Rotary Park Tennis complex, 69b George Street, South Bundaberg. Bookings are essential with Kevin Banner:

## Semester One Reports

Queensland State Schools report on an A-E standard. Achievement standards indicate the quality of learning students should typically demonstrate by a particular point in their schooling.

It is important to note that under the Australian Curriculum there has been a marked raising of the bar for student achievement standards.

Parents and students need to be aware that when they read through the reports that a student who is understanding and completing the work that is expected of a student in a particular year level is meeting the standard for that year and thus would be awarded with a C standard.

This is the meaning of achievement standards:

- A Working well above** the expected standard for this year level.
- B Working above** the expected standard for this year level.
- C Working at the expected standard** for this year level.
- D Working below** the expected standard for this year level.
- E Working well below** the standard for this year level.

**Effort levels** are an indication of how hard your child is working and the effort your child is applying in class.

In this 'Effort' standard an 'A' rating tells you that they are working extremely well in class. A 'B' effort rating indicates a good effort, while 'C' would indicate a satisfactory level of effort. A 'D' effort rating would suggest that the student is



## School Holiday Clinic

- 6 hrs of Basketball with your favourite QBL stars
- Developing skills
- Hands on coaching and supervision
- Teaching geared towards fun & learning
- Shooting drills
- Ball Handling
- Individual games

Highlights



Great for new or inexperienced players

# 1st & 2nd July 2014

**Location:** WIN Stadium, 3 Flint Street Bundaberg  
**Date:** Tuesday 1st July – Wednesday 2nd July  
**Time:** 8:45am for 9:00am start – 3:00pm finish  
**Participants:** Boys & Girls 5-12 years (New players)  
**Cost:** \$90 for 2 days (or \$50 a day) includes lunch and snacks  
**Coaches:** Bundaberg Radiology Bulls & Bears. Including Will Shackelford and D'Leshia Lloyd

# INTERHOUSE SPORTS DAY 2014 Well done, everyone.

