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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 ~ Thanks to families for your support of last week's Book Fair. It was a great promotion for reading.*

### Book Fair Success

Sincere thanks to everyone who was involved in, or supported, last week's Book Fair. The commission raised qualified the school for about \$500 of bonus books for our library.



Thanks go to librarian, Darren Dunn, and staff who assisted in the running of the Book Fair. It was a terrific response with approximately \$2500 of books sold.

All of this contributes to our children's interest in books and reading— A very positive outcome for the school and our students.

### Dress-Up Day

Well done to everyone, students, staff and parents, who got into the mood of Book Week, by coming along as a book character on Thursday. Thank-you to the many parents who attended the special assembly in the library. It was a lot of fun. Although students were judged in the class competitions, everyone deserved a pat on the back for their participation. Thank-you to parents for helping out with the outfits. Some very creative ideas!

### Trivia Night

It is now 4 weeks to our Trivia evening to be held on Saturday, 13 September. Please consider organising a group to come along and have some fun and enjoy what should be a great social evening. Return the slip included with this newsletter or contact the school office to book a table or register interest. We hope you can support.

### Fathers' Day Raffle

Today, we are sending home the raffle tickets for our P&C's Fathers' Day raffle. We hope you can help out. All support will be most appreciated. Thank-you to families.

### Moore Park Festival

The Corps of Drums and Strings quartet performed at the Moore Park Festival on Friday morning. Well done to all of the students who participated in the event. There are some photos included in this newsletter. Thanks, Jan Foster.



Drum Major, Jane , leads the Corps of Drums at the Moore Park Festival on Friday.

### NAPLAN Reports

NAPLAN reports will be available much earlier, this year. Students in Year 3, 5 and 7 will receive a report, next week, on their performance in the literacy and numeracy tests held in May.

### Interschool Sport

A good effort by our teams last week in interschool sport in netball and touch. This Friday, Years 5 to 7 students participate in an away game against Sharon. Bus contributions are \$2. Many thanks.

### District Trophies

Photos below of School Captains, Dane, Jane and Lara with the District 'A' Schools Trophy as well as the Average Points Shield for the sports. Congratulations also to Chloe , Lily , Brock and Mitchell for recently being crowned Age Champions at the Gin Gin District Sports.

Lily is to be further congratulated for her selection in the Bundaberg Zone Athletics team to compete at the Wide Bay trials on 27 August in Maryborough.

*Jeff Searle*



Dane, Jane and Lara show off our District Athletics trophies for 2014.

### SCHOOL CALENDAR

- Aug 22 (Fri) Interschool Sport vs Sharon (away game)
- Aug 26 (Tue) Bundaberg Maths Teams Challenge
- Sept 4 (Thur) Premier's Reading Challenge concludes
- Sept 5 (Fri) Life Education Van visit
- Sept 7 (Sun) Fathers' Day
- Sept 13 (Sat) Trivia Night
- Sept 19 (Fri) Last day of Term 3



**All parents are welcome to attend our Weekly Assembly on Thursday mornings at 9.00—9.30 in the library.**

# BIRTHDAYS

## August

18 Taygan S, Kai S, 27 Jane A  
30 Zach H, Jaxon J, Ryan W

## September

1 Beven G, 3 Sheryce R  
6 Amber-Jo P-S, 7 Everett C, Liam M  
9 Matthew W, 13 Byron M, Chandler D  
14 Will S, 22 Summer Z



# SCHOOL TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday 13 Sept  
Kolan South School Library  
7.00pm start

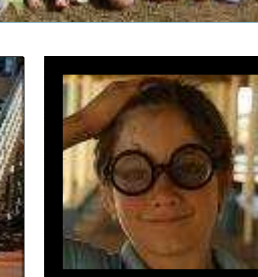


Organise a table group (4 to 6 adults) for a fun evening  
\$5 per person

Register at school for a group or individuals

Phone 41 577361

# Book Week Dress-Up Day



# Moore Park Festival



## 1-2-3 MAGIC® & EMOTION COACHING PARENT COURSE

Learn to manage difficult behaviour in children 2-12 years old

A three-session program for parents and carers

at Engaging Early Learners

Woondooma Street across from Library

on Fridays August 29<sup>th</sup> September 5<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> 2014 at 9.30 am – 12.00 pm

### Learn:

- ✓ To engage your children's cooperation by positively noticing and encouraging them
- ✓ To set clear expectations and help them to develop frustration tolerance
- ✓ To help children's brains to develop filters for behaving well
- ✓ To resolve family conflict quietly
- ✓ Some simple strategies to practise being a calm parent

### No Registration Fee

The course is free. If your attendance is dependent on childcare please let us know.

\*Contact Cheryl Pankratz at Engaging Early Learners on 4131 1333 to register.

For more information contact Cheryl on 0434 477 290 (8 am – 5 pm)

## MOORE PARK SLSC

2014/2015 Nipper Season sign on:

Date: Sun 31st of August & Sun 7th of September

Time: 9 am - 12 noon

Location: Moore Park SLSC 1 Surf Club Drive



## BUNDABERG SOFTBALL JOINT SIGN-ON

When: Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August Time: 9am – 12 noon

Where: Softball Clubhouse 22 Claytons Road Bundaberg

Teams: Ladies A, Ladies B, Men, Mixed Social Slow Pitch competition

Jnr Little League (5,6,7 yrs) Snr Little League (8,9 yrs) Under 13's (10,11,12 yrs)

Minor League (12,13,14,15,16 yrs)

Major League (12,13,14,15,16 yrs)

ALL CLUBS WILL BE THERE.

