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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 ~ Check out the photos inside which show how our school's buildings have changed over time. Amazing!

Adventure Playground

Installation of our new adventure playground is under way today. Hopefully, students will be able to play on it by next week. Thanks again to our P&C for funding the playground.

Excursion Information

A letter has been sent home today with students in Year 5 & 6 regarding the Chaverim Camp scheduled for Week 4 of term. Information regarding excursions for Prep / Year 1 & 2 (Hervey Bay 24 Nov) and Year 3 & 4 (Sunshine Coast 16 & 17 Nov) will be coming home in the next couple of weeks.

We had a wonderful volunteer response from parents for our excursions. Thanks sincerely to everyone who expressed interest.

Day for Daniel

This year our Day for Daniel will be held on Friday, 21 October. Staff, students and parents are invited to wear red for Day for Daniel. Most students usually wear a red shirt. Just giving everyone a forward reminder so that you can check out the wardrobe.



Options Program

This week, we commence a lunchtime options program for Year 3 to 6 on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Activities include dance, art & craft, indoor games, tennis and gardening. Thank-you to teachers, and enjoy the activities, students.



Soccer Carnival

Year 4, 5 and 6 Students who nominated to play in this Friday's soccer carnival at Gin Gin have been issued with a letter today.

Permission notes should be returned by Thursday. Thank-you.

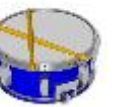


Book Fair Commission

Thanks to the support of our school community during the recent Book Fair held in the library last term, our school has earned a book commission to the value of approximately \$300. Thanks to all families who supported the book fair.

Corps of Drums at RiverFeast

This Sunday, 16 October, our Corps of Drums will perform at the RiverFeast Oktoberfest celebrations. The band performs at 1.00pm. Best wishes to students, staff and supporters.



Student Free Day

There is a statewide Student Free Day next Monday, 17 October. On Monday, staff are involved in professional development and training activities. We'll see students start next week on Tuesday, 18 October.

Welcome

Welcome to our new bus route driver, Lindsay Connellan.

Jeff Searle

P&C MEETING POSTPONEMENT

Our next General Meeting of the Kolan South State School Parents & Citizens Association will now likely be held next week. Information will be passed on soon regarding a meeting day and time.

We encourage all parents to consider attending a P&C meeting. Thank-you to everyone who has been able to make it along so far this year to support our school's improvement. All welcome at P&C meetings.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Oct 17 (Mon)	Student Free Day	
Oct 21 (Fri)	Day for Daniel	
Oct 26-28	Year 5/6 Camp at Chaverim	
Oct 31 (Mon)	After School Sport commences	
Nov 3 (Thur)	Swimming commences (Year 4/5 and 5/6)	
Nov 16&17	Year 3/4 Sunshine Coast Excursion	
Nov 24 (Thur)	Prep / Year 1&2 Hervey Bay Excursion	
Nov 30 (Wed)	North High Transition Day	
Dec 1 (Thur)	Year 6 Presentation	
Dec 7 (Wed)	Family Night	
Dec 9 (Fri)	Break-up Day	

**Assembly is on Thursday morning at 9.00am in the library
All parents are welcome.**

Kolan South Billboard

Class Awards



- Hudson :** Great number facts recall.
- Emily :** Great improvement with reading.
- Danzel :** Making better choices when sitting on the carpet.
- Katie :** Always having a go at answering questions.
- Arlea :** A great start to Term 4.
- Savannah :** Always making good choices in the classroom.
- Matthew :** Great contributions in class discussions.
- Nicholas :** Great listening skills.
- Ben :** Consistent participation in all areas of learning.
- Haydn :** Great results in Mental Computation.
- Kelly :** Excellent progress in 2 minute number facts.
- McKenzie :** Excellent progress in 2 minute number facts.
- Louis :** Excellent progress in 2 minute number facts.
- Rielly :** Excellent progress in 2 minute number facts.



Class Awards

October

13 Cassandra , 14 Joshua 16 Ryder , 18 Alison Douglas
20 Jack , 26 Rydar



Apple for the Teacher returns to Hitz939!

We wanted to take just a moment of your time to tell you about a Hitz939's biggest competition to recognise and reward the hard working teachers of Bundaberg.

Hitz939's Apple for the Teacher, with the help of Queensland Computers, is asking the families of

the Bundaberg school community to nominate their favourite Primary School teacher and give one of the hardest working occupations the recognition it deserves.

The competition begins Monday 10th October and runs until the 13th November.

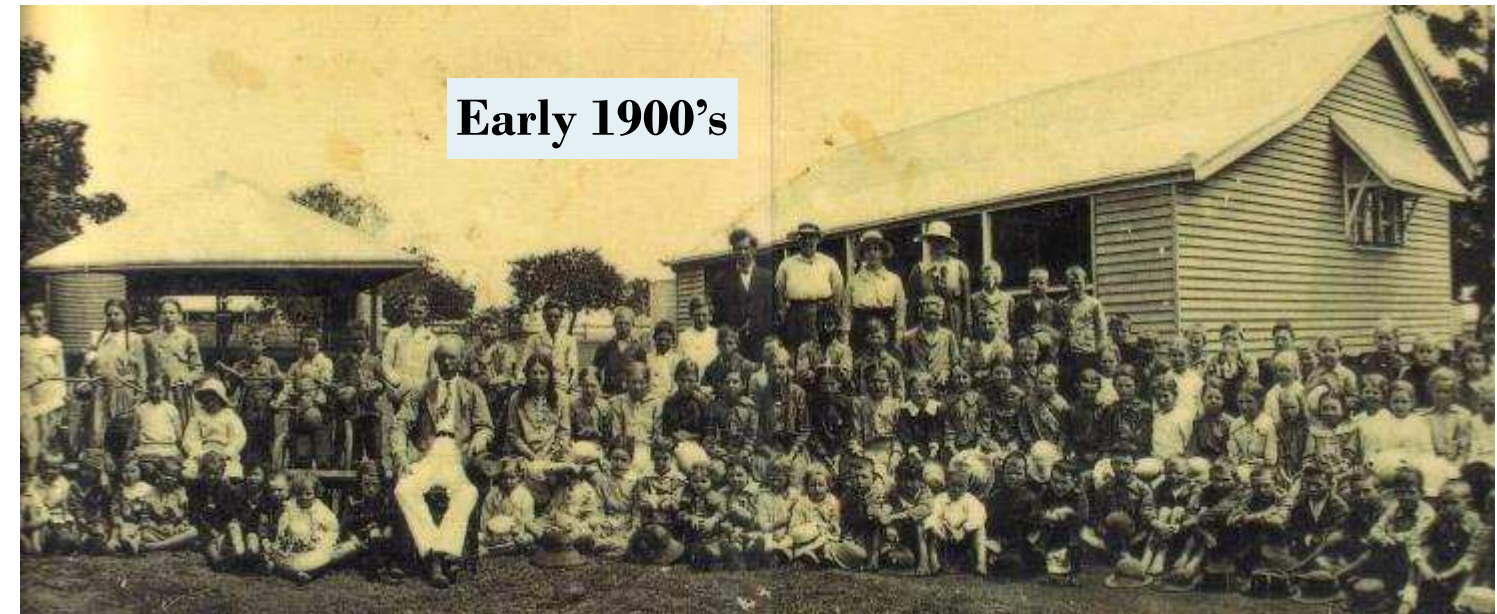
People are invited to nominate the teacher of their choice at www.hitz939.com.au . There are some great prizes on the line for students, teacher and school.

For the winning teacher – an Apple iPad Air 2.

For the students of the winning teacher's class – an iPod Shuffle each! (max 30)

If you have any questions or queries please do not hesitate to email Tracey Sergiacomi at tracey@4bu.net

How our school has changed!



Early 1900's



1936



Pre 1960?



Today

Retiring bus driver, Russell Medlock, was thanked by students and staff at a recent assembly. Thank-you again to Russell for his many years of dedicated service for our school and families. Thanks to Jan Foster who took the photos.

