



STUDENT TIMETABLES

For the start of Term 2, all students will be issued with an updated timetable. There are a number of teacher changes but most year levels will also have some subject changes. **Year 8 students** will all change their elective (just the one they do 2 lessons a week, not the Wednesday Period 4 class). For **Year 9 students**, many will change their HPE/HNU mix up. In **Year 10**, there should be no changes this term. For Year 11 students, there will be a swap for HRE/ Career Education. Students in **Year 11** also need to remember that only if they have satisfactory participation & attendance in both of these classes, as well as completion of all class & assessment work will they earn flexi time in Term 3. For the **Year 12** cohort, timetable updates will occur if students are doing the QCS test to show when their preparation lessons are, and for any other students who have completed assessment or improved attendance so are no longer required to do catch-up classes on Wednesday Period 4.

Helen Maudsley, DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

PARENT-TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Thank you to the over 230 families who came along last Monday (18th) to meet teachers to discuss student progress at school this year. We trust that you were able to gain more information to assist everyone in helping your student/s achieve to the best of their ability at school. Please don't hesitate to remain in contact with class teachers or other school personnel throughout the year so that any issues that may arise can be dealt with as they occur. For issues relating to class work, please contact the class teacher, and HOD in the first instance.

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CHANGE OF TEACHER

At various times I have been asked if a student can have a change of class teacher for many & varied reasons. If your student is talking to you about such a request, they need to be firstly talking to the teacher. They can also consult with the HOD. In 99% of these cases, the perceived issue is fairly easily sorted by talking to those involved. We generally do not change class teachers as it is not the answer to the problem involved. Resilience and good communication skills are sought-after qualities, as is working with all sorts of people & personalities. This is usually where the answer lies in the majority of cases.

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BILLETS REQUIRED

Kingaroy State High School is hosting the **Queensland Schoolboys 18 Years Rugby League Carnival** on 23 to 26 May this year. We are asking for assistance with billets for this event. If you can help please contact me at the school as soon as possible. A big thank you to those who have offered their assistance already – it is greatly appreciated.

Lloyd Fairbairn, BILLETING OFFICER PH: 41 600 659

P & C AUXILIARY MEETING

To date there have been two Auxiliary Meetings held at the School. At these meetings \$10,000 was donated to the P & C at each meeting. This is a wonderful effort and comes from the proceeds of Canteen takings. So again, we are calling for more volunteers to help in the Canteen. If you can spare even one day a term, this all helps. Please contact Lorraine in the Canteen if you can help. The next scheduled meeting is on Wednesday 24 April at 2.30pm in the Student Services Building and we always welcome new faces with new ideas.

We have been given the opportunity to cater for a BBQ at the upcoming State 18yrs Rugby Championships on May 23-26. Keep this weekend in mind as we will require many helpers, and all profits made will go back to the Auxiliary.

Tracey Fleischfresser, P & C AUXILIARY

SCHOOL FUTSAL TITLES



On Monday the 11th March seven teams from Kingaroy SHS travelled to Brisbane to compete in the Schools Futsal Titles. Kingaroy tasted some success, with our 14 Year's Girls team going through the competition undefeated. The team played

exceptionally well, with Lucy Montgomery being the leading goal scorer with 15 goals in her 4 matches. One of our 19 Years Boys team also made it through the competition undefeated, a great team effort that ensured all players sharing in the goals. The 16 Years Girls and the other 19 Years Boys teams finished 2nd in their pool. Overall it was a great day in which all the students attitude and behaviour, both on and off the field, was outstanding.

Peter Collins, FUTSAL COACH

IMMUNISATION CATCH-UP CLINIC

For any students that were unable to attend this round of school immunisations there will be a catch-up clinic at the Council Chambers, Glendon St Kingaroy on Wednesday the 10th of April at 3:00pm.

Annette Montebello, SCHOOL BASED YOUTH HEALTH NURSE

FACTS PARENTS SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THE TEENAGE BRAIN

Teenagers are dealing with a huge amount of social, emotional and cognitive flux and have underdeveloped abilities to cope. They need their parents – those people with the more stable adult brain – to help them by staying calm, listening and being good role models.

Peer approval has been shown to be highly rewarding to the teen brain, which may be why [teens are more likely to take risks when other teens are around](#). Friends also provide teens with opportunities to learn skills such as negotiating, compromise and group planning. So even if all they do is sit around with their friends, teens are hard at work acquiring important life skills.

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LIBRARY NEWS

1. In the past few weeks students have received the barcode list of books that are in their name.
2. Students have been asked to check that the barcode matches the book they are using.
3. If textbooks are not required in Term 2 they need to be returned by each student to the library.
4. Overdue notices have been generated for Form classes.
5. Overdue items need to be returned promptly.
6. There are still a considerable number of items overdue from 2012.
7. If you have any 'stray' books at your home, please return them to school.
8. They are probably books that have been 'lost' from previous years.
9. Congratulations to all those students who do a great job of looking after their textbooks and who never have overdues.
10. Enjoy your Easter break and I look forward to a productive Term 2.

Judy Conomos, LIBRARIAN



**Do you have a stash of old mobile phones?
Donate them to You Can**

Simply send the phone/s to school with your child and they will go into the running for **great prizes**.

You Can is an organisation that raises money for

Youth Cancer

Phones are to be dropped off at **Student Services**.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH

1. Congratulations to all those students who have signed up for Bridge and Dukes this term.
2. Registrations for Dukes and books for Bridge candidates seem to be being processed faster this year for new applicants.
3. If students have not received their Bridge books by the holidays, please see me first thing next term.
4. For Bronze, Silver and Gold participants keep online records up to date, recording activity regularly.
5. Active Citizens nominees are welcome to use this activity as their Volunteering for Bronze, Silver or Gold awards.
6. For Adventurous Journeys, check with Mr Moore and Mr Mearns about canoe trips.
7. Another option for Adventurous Journeys is sailing.
8. South Passage voyages qualify for Bronze (3 day), Silver (5 day) and Gold (7 day) award expeditions, which includes training, practice and qualifying journey. All prices include GST, nutritious meals, insurance, bunk style accommodation, certificate and adventure manual. Most voyages are conducted during school holiday dates. **Bookings essential** - Contact South Passage office on (07) 3893 3777 or Email: admin@southpassage.org.au

7 Days Gladstone to Brisbane 1st April – 7th April 2013 \$1015 Student \$1190 Adult	7 Days Cairns to Cairns June 29th – July 5th 2013 \$1015 Student \$1190 Adult
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Judy Conomos, DUKE OF EDINBURGH COORDINATOR

FROM THE CHAPLAIN

EASTERFEST: The annual Easterfest will be held again in Toowoomba this Easter. This is a festival where Christians and those keen to learn more about Jesus and the Bible come together to see many world famous speakers, bands, singers, JC Epidemic and other musicians and to worship and pray together. There are all sorts of merchandise stalls as well as food outlets. If you want more information go to www.easterfest.com

EASTER: I pray you all share lots of fun and family time as you celebrate Easter when we remember how Jesus, who was innocent, died so cruelly, but then rose from the dead so that we could have a relationship with God and could have eternal life. May God also bless you all with a safe and happy holiday.

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3: 16

Ruth Wright, CHAPLAIN 41600 686

CAN YOU HELP?

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL has conducted its **Youth Exchange Programme** since 1949. The Rotary Club of Kingaroy-Taabinga has sponsored Miranda McAleer to spend this year in Sweden, and so the Club is now required to host a student, in this case, 15/16 yo girl from Switzerland. We need to find 3 or 4 host families for the year who would be willing to have an additional family member for 3-4 months. There is no financial incentive to do this, but this club pays a sufficient allowance to the student for their personal needs. All Rotary travel and any other personal travel that students do is at their expense. So apart from some "disruption" to normal life, the only cost to you would be food.

The only formal qualification to take on this role is the ability to obtain a Blue Card from the Children's Commission for every adult member of the family. As a club we would need to assess general suitability. If you are able to be of assistance, please contact **Graham Jenkins** on 0417 070 141 or by email at graham.jenkins4@bigpond.com



CREATIVE GENERATION – STATE SCHOOLS ON STAGE 2013

The Kingaroy State High School Dance and Music Staff and Students wish to acknowledge the kind generosity of the **Regional Arts Development Fund** in providing part funding of the cost of travel and accommodation costs associated with participating in the 2013 stage production.

The school, and particularly the parents of the participants, have difficulty in funding these one-off annual events, and rely heavily on outside sources to cover any shortfall, and thank the South Burnett Regional Council Arts Division for its grant.

Richard Sloper, SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

CANTEEN ROSTER

MON	15/04/13	Janine Hockenhill Barbara Bell
TUES	16/04/13	Christine Teakle Debbie Litzow
WED	17/04/13	Colleen Gunn Mandy Blair
THUR	18/04/13	Linda Newman
FRI	19/04/13	Leanne Rubesaame Ray Richards
MON	22/04/13	Amanda Dunstan Lyn Walters
TUES	23/04/13	Sonja Love
WED	24/04/13	Vicki Rossi Jan Lamborn
THUR	25/04/13	ANZAC DAY
FRI	26/04/13	Jacki Irwin Gaylene Schultz

If you are unable to work on your day, please try and swap with someone and let Lorraine know. If you can't swap please ring Lorraine on 4160 0676 or a/h 4162 2264

HELP NEEDED IN THE CANTEEN – We are still looking for volunteers to help out just one day a month. If you are able to help, ring Lorraine on 41600676. We still need help every day except Monday.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **UNIFORM FOR SALE:** KSHS Band Uniform – excellent condition (worn twice). 1 x pair boys long BLACK dress pants; 1 x pair boys long GREY dress pants (both size 14, Stubbies brand) - \$25 each. 1 long sleeved WHITE dress shirt (size 14, Stubbies brand) - \$10. 1 x blue satin tie (for Jazz Band) - \$5. 1 Pair black leather dress shoes (River's brand) size 9½ - \$15. Phone Sue on 0438 899 330
- **UNIFORM FOR SALE:** Senior School T-shirts almost new – Size 12. \$18 each. Contact Karen on 0421 312 261 or 4164 1248.
- **UNIFORM FOR SALE: 3 NEW Senior Polo Shirts** - Size M. purchased wrong size. All worn once only. \$45 for the 3. Ph Sharon 043116666
- **UNIFORM FOR SALE:** KSHS Spray Jacket XL \$45 VGC. Formal/Band Blazer XL (92cm/36R) with silver buttons; recently dry-cleaned \$90 VGC. Contact Eva on 0447 099 054
- **BAND UNIFORM FOR SALE:** Formal Band Skirt Size 22 - \$30; School Tie \$15 – both hardly been worn. Ph: Clara 41635137
- **Kingaroy Eisteddfod – 30 April – 10 May; Concert 11 May 7pm:** *Speech & Drama 30 April; Dance 1-6 May; Vocal, Keyboard & Instrumental 7-10 May.* Schedules available from Musicians Oasis, Kingaroy Community Centre, Dimities Cottage or off website www.eisteddfod.southburnett.com.au

Kingaroy State School P & C Assn CASUAL TUCKSHOP CONVENOR

12 hours per week (Wed, Fri)

Application Packages available from
Kingaroy State School Office

61 Alford Street, Kingaroy Ph: 41604333 or
Email the.principal@kingaroyss.eq.edu.au

Applications close 3:00pm 3 May 2013

Successful applicant must make application for and be able to obtain a suitability card from the Commission for Children & Young People, complete a Food Safety Supervisor Course & First Aid Certificate



