Kuluin Kapers

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT
2016 School Leadership Process:
We are currently undertaking the process of electing our School Captains, Sporting House Captains, Student Council and Performing Arts Captains. I would like to extend my sincere congratulations to the many students who have nominated for all of these positions. The number of quality applicants who have applied for these positions is testament to the remarkable young people who will be helping to lead our school in 2016. The following students have been successful in being elected onto the Student Council for 2016. Ella Bradley, Karina Buczynski, Alana Clemson – Bloink, April Holzheimer, Rhiani Lizenmore, Zahlie McCluskey, Maia McLennan, Amber Pape, Malique Charlwood, Ryan Cook, Josh Mann and Luke Marriott.

Kuluin School Captains for 2016 are: Karina Buczynski and Luke Marriott
Kuluin Vice Captains for 2016 are: April Holzheimer and Josh Mann.

The following students have been successful in being elected as Sporting House Captains for 2016.

Baupal
Star Freedom
Zahlie McCluskey
Alana Clemson-Bloink
Bailey Beckett

Tilgonda
Lili Danger
Maia McLennan
Tayla Bennett
Tyler Pedersen

Kabala
Daniel Gray
Arden Quilliam
Amber Pape
Ryan Cook

Dhurku
Sam Harris
Tessa Henderson
Ellie Bradley
Dylan Baxter

Congratulations to these students on these positions. The Student Leader Investiture Ceremony will be held during Term 1 2016.

Our Performing Arts Captain process is still occurring.

Volunteers Morning Tea:
Next Monday 23rd November we will be conducting our Volunteers Morning Tea in the school hall at 11:00am. The morning tea is a recognition and a sincere thank you to the many members of the community for the variety of ways in which they contribute through volunteering and providing support to our students throughout the year. Our school relies greatly on our volunteers to assist with a variety of activities throughout the year which include being on school committees, providing in class support, conducting Support a Reader, Writer and Talker programs, helping out with Music, The Arts, Sport, excursions, working for the P&C as an Executive Member or a willing helper, volunteering in the Resource Centre, working in the tuckshop or providing Religious Instruction for our students. All of these roles help to make our school the great school that it is today. We genuinely value and thank all of our Volunteers for the wonderful contribution that you make to our school each and every day. THANK YOU!

2016 School Year:
Please be advised that the first day of the school year for students has been changed to Wednesday 27th of January.

Alison Welch
Report Cards
Once again this semester, report cards will be emailed to parents and carers. For this to be successful it is important that the school has a record of an active email address. Parents were asked last term to review their contact details at the Parent Teacher Interviews. For those families who do not have an active email address they will still be able to collect a printed copy of their child’s report card. The school will need 24 hours’ notice if a printed copy of the report is required.
Please add the following email address - OneSchool.application@dete.qld.gov.au to your list of safe senders to ensure the report card email is not sent to the Junk folder.
Only Parents/Carers who have indicated that they receive correspondence will receive report cards via email. Please contact the office if you are unsure.

Dale Wolfenden, Deputy Principal

Sports News
Congratulations to Brayden and Josh who did the Aquathlon at the Queensland All Schools event at Lake Kawana. The boys had to run 1km, swim 200m and run 1km again. Well done to these lads who tried very hard in their events.

Surf skills started last Friday at the Maroochydore Beach and well done to all of the students and staff. I would like to thank all the parents who gave their time up and support this program which is so important leading into the school holidays.

Thanks to all of the year 1, 2 and 3 classes who are currently involved in the swimming program. Thanks to all of the parents for supporting this program especially leading up to the summer holidays.

In 2016 our school will be changing sporting districts due to the large size of the current Coastal District. This has been discussed with the regional sports officer and the school leaders of several schools. We will be moving into the Nambour District and our school should compete very well in cross country, athletics, swimming and representative sport at the district, regional and state level. The Nambour district is a smaller district in numbers so it should provide greater opportunities to our students to gain representative honours. All students will be allowed to attend team and individual trials for 10-12 years if they are at a very high skill level. Notes will be forwarded in 2016 to interested students. If you have any concerns please contact me at the school. All children that wish to compete at the highest level will be able to get an opportunity to get to the trials just like they have in the past 16 years at Kuluin. Over the last 28 years Kuluin has held its own in the Coastal District winning the cross country 7 times, 4 seconds, 2 thirds and 1 fourth. In athletics we have won the district event 2 times and have come second 10 times. We also have won the ball games trophy twice. We have a proud history in sport at Kuluin and we will continue to do this in 2016 and beyond.

Have an active week everyone.

Tony Doherty, PE Teacher

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE YOUR KIDS MORE ACTIVE AND EATING WELL?
DO YOU GET STUCK FOR IDEAS ON HOW TO ACHIEVE THIS?

FREE PEACH healthy lifestyle program available for ALL Kuluin families—get your kids active and eating well!

PEACH™ - Parenting, Eating and Activity for Child Health - is commencing term 1, 2016.

It is available to families who have a child aged 5-11 years of age. The program takes a family-focused approach by helping parents and carers make healthy eating and activity a part of every-day life.

It is a group program running on a Thursday afternoon from 3.30- 5pm commencing early February and running for 10 weeks. Ongoing individualised family support is offered through the second half of the program ending with one final group session.

Some of the topics covered include nutrition skills, relationships with food and eating, changing family lifestyle behaviours and making healthy eating affordable. While the parent sessions are taking place, children enjoy active play with a trained child physical activity facilitator.

The program is funded by the Queensland government and being delivered in Kuluin by the Child Healthy Lifestyle Team from the Sunshine Coast Hospital and Health Service.

Limited spots are available for each program. If you would like to reserve a spot on the next program please call 1800 263 519 or 5450 4766 or visit www.peachqld.com.au

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