Kuluin Kapers

If you can kindly spare an hour or two, please phone and leave your Email:________________________________________
Contact Phone Number: __________________________
Name:________________________________Child's Class: ______________

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email pbels1@eq.edu.au or you can drop a note into the office
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to raise some funds without digging into our own pockets.
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This is a great chance for Kuluin School families
details on the answering service of 54773727 or
All we need is an hour or two of your time.

Many thanks  Kuluin School P&C
Fundraising BBQ on Sunday 11 August
Stringybark Road Buderim 4
3 2 Peter Mansbridge
1  Melissa H
3  Melissa H
1  Alison W
2:00
4  Andrew Phillips
3  Mark Welch
3  Mark W
1  Kim V
1  Kim Venance
10:00
5  Bruce G
3  Vivienne G
3  Vivienne Gibson
2  Jack Batterham
2  Jack B
1  Lindy Batterham
1  Alison Welch
1  Alison Welch
1  Dale Wolfenden
1  Dale W
8:15 – 8:30
1 Dale Wolfenden
2 Travis Bell
3 Kerri Sryan
9:00 – 10:00
1 Benny Uniat
2 Megan Jones
3 Alena Gray
4 Tony Gray
5 ONE MORE HELPER PLEASE
10:00 – 11:00
1 Lindy Batterham
2 Jack Batterham
3 Tony Gray
4 Alena Gray
5 ONE MORE HELPER PLEASE
11:00 – 12:00
1 Lindy Batterham
2 Jack Batterham
3 Vivienne Gibson
4 Bruce Gibson
5 ONE MORE HELPER PLEASE
12:00 – 1:00
1 Andrew Phillips
2
3 4 FOUR MORE HELPER PLEASE
5
1:00 – 2:00
1 Kim Venance
2 Alison Welch
3 Mark Welch
4 Andrew Phillips
5 ONE MORE HELPER PLEASE
2:00 – 3:00
1 Alison Welch
2 Mark Welch
3 Melissa Holzberger
4 Peter Mansbridge
5 ONE MORE HELPER PLEASE
3:00 – 4:00
1 Melissa Holzberger
2 Peter Mansbridge
3
4 TWO MORE HELPER PLEASE

I can help with the Bunnings BBQ on Sunday 11th August
Name:__________________________Child’s Class:__________________________
Contact Phone Number:

Timeslot Available - Preference 1:__________________________ Preference 2:__________________________

Email:________________________________________

BUNNINGS BBQ ROSTER

8:15 – 8:30
1 Dale Wolfenden
2 Travis Bell
3 Kerri Sryan

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From Your Principal

The Art and Science of Teaching (ASoT) :
The comprehensive curriculum framework that Kuluin has adopted is The Art and Science of Teaching (ASoT) by Robert Marzano. There are 10 design questions that need to be implemented in a logical and sequential way to ensure that as a school there is a consistent approach to teaching across all classes in our school. Our teachers are currently working on Design Question 1: What will I do to establish and communicate learning goals, track student progress and celebrate success? A valuable question that parents can ask their child/children is “What is your goal at the moment?” This will allow parents the opportunity to discuss with your child/children what they are learning about, what their individual focus might look like and how they are going towards achieving their goal.

Attendance Target 96%:
Attendance of all of our students continues to be a priority for the Kuluin School community. The attendance data for 2012 showed that overall our school attendance rate was 93.1% for our non-indigenous students and 89% for our indigenous students. As a community the attendance rate of our students needs to be lifted to ensure that each of our children are set up with the best learning opportunities possible. A target of 96% attendance has been set for all of our students to achieve in 2013.

Athletics Carnival/ Eisteddfod:
Congratulations to Baupal House who were the winners of our Year 4-7 Athletics Carnival. Well done to all of our students who participated to the best of their ability in all of the events at the carnival. Thank you to everyone who was involved in this year’s carnival.

Many of our students will be competing at the Coastal District Athletics Carnivals on Tuesday 6 August and Thursday 8 August. Mr Tony Doherty, Mr Phil Allen, Mrs Smart and Ms Kindt will be accompanying our students to this year’s carnival and we wish all of our students and staff an enjoyable and positive experience.

This week is a busy week for Kuluin with our Senior Choir and our Orchestra who will be performing at the Nambour Eisteddfod during the week. There are also a number of individual students who are performing at this year’s Eisteddfod. We wish our students who will be accompanied by Mrs Jeni Miller, Mrs Wendy Ward and Ms Karlee Hutchinson successful performances.

Alison Welch
Principal

Dates To Remember

- 8 August Kuluin School Disco – 6:00 to 7:30pm
- 11 August Bunnings BBQ - Assistance Needed
- 11 August Nicky Baker Relay Day - Volunteers & Teams Needed
- 13 August New Student Leaders Badge Presentation
- 19-23 August Bookweek 2013
- 20 August P & C Meeting 7:00pm in Watbali Gundoo (OSHC Building)
- 22 August Book Week Dress-up Parade 9:00am
- 27 August Prep, Year 1 & Year 1/2 Possum Magic Excursion
- 28 August Crazy Hair Day - organised by Student Council
- 11 September Gala Night 5:00 – 6:30pm

See our website calendar for more events...
Thanks to all of the students, staff and parents involved in last Friday’s carnival. After months of wet weather, we were able to finish off the carnival and select our school team for the Coastal District event which was held yesterday and the final day will be tomorrow. Good luck to our representatives at this event.

Sports News

**Prep, 1-3 & 4 Awards (1/8/2013)**

**PAK** Charlotte V., Sumaya S

**PBH** Tallia L, Madison C

**PKF** Ella P, Lisa A

**PKS** Blissa H, Andrew B

**PKP** Jack D, Jeremy A

**PSH** Nicky D, Riley R

**1DR** Zac S, Hay T

**1NB** Hunter B, Cambell S

**1TB** Talle, Nate B

**1SR** Jai S, Isabella O

**1/2JS** Koren B, Akeira D

**2CF** Riley K, Alex E

**2CN** Josie F, Reya H

**2LB** Felix C, Phoebe L

**2MT** Ryan P, Kyle B

**3AG** Hayley D, Bailey B

**3NB** Noah N, Liam W

**3NS** Toni S, Patrick S

**3WW** Tahlia Q, Luke M

**Years 4, 5, 6 & 7 Awards**

30/7/2013

**4CM** Keita G, Mackenzie C

**4SC** Kobi S, Joshua L

**4SW** Sienna C, Jarrod H

**5DS** Taj Amrt

**5SM** Kelsie C, Cody H

**5SR** Delia C, Mackayla M

**5/6DM** Saxon C

**6PA** Kaitlyn H, Tyla C

**6/7SL** Eli B, Tom B

**6/7MR** Cooper M, Destinee H

**7EP** Mitchell G, Beth E

**7JK** Emily C, Porscha S

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**The Opti-MINDS Challenge 2013**

The Opti-MINDS Challenge is an opportunity for those students with a passion for learning and problem solving to showcase their skills and talents in an exciting, vibrant and public way. The Opti-MINDS Challenge is an interschool event, which involves teams of students solving challenging problems through creative, dramatic presentations. The teams must work cooperatively within time, budget and performance constraints to solve both long-term and spontaneous challenges. Many hours of work, both during school time and outside of school time, are needed for the teams to solve their difficult problems. For Kuluin students, this includes a number of weekend meetings.

**Opti-MINDS OBJECTIVES...**

- To foster creative responsiveness - a “CAN DO” culture
- To provide challenge, enrichment and stimulation
- To facilitate the ability to adapt to and handle change to advantage
- To foster flexibility, innovative thinking and functioning
- To promote complex thinking and creative problem solving skills
- To encourage reflective thinking and self-directed learning
- To facilitate empowerment and responsibility
- To promote an understanding and appreciation of self and others
- To develop effective communication and collaborative thinking skills
- To celebrate difference
- To foster cooperation and teamwork
- To promote enterprise and initiative
- To stimulate a spirit of exploration, investigation, experimentation and a love of learning
- To provide a collaborative link between all sectors of education, community and industry
- To promote UNASHAMED EXCELLENCE!

The Opti-MINDS Challenge is an evolution of the program run by Opti-MINDS Inc for the past 24 years in Queensland and continues with the tradition of providing students with the opportunity to participate in open-ended creative activities and find solutions to exciting problems.

Kuluin students are presently stretching and straining their brains in preparation for the regional Opti-MINDS Challenge, which will be held on Saturday 24th August at Caloundra Christian College. Teams from primary schools throughout the Sunshine Coast region will take part on the day. Our teams would appreciate your support and encouragement in their endeavours. Consider coming along on the day to watch the presentations and show your support. Updates will appear in future newsletters. Go Kuluin!

Kuluin’s Opti-MINDS Challenge teams for 2013:

- Chelsea S 7
- Kody H 7
- Yzabel F 7
- Isabella O 7
- Tony Doherty - PE Teacher

**Bookweek – “Read Across the Universe”**

Bookweek will run from Monday 19th to Friday 23rd August, beginning with the theme ‘READ ACROSS THE UNIVERSE’. If you visit the Library during this week you will learn some amazing facts about our Universe and see some of the children’s amazing work on display. Activities happening throughout the week include: Book Swap, Dress-up Parade; Story Telling Sessions; Read with a buddy; Readers Cup; Universe Competition and Activities, just to name a few.

As of next week Monday 12th August, children will be able to bring in a book from home which they no longer want and swap it for a voucher. During Bookweek they can bring their vouchers up to the Resource Centre and swap it for a book someone else has bought in. The books they bring from home need to be in reasonable condition and age appropriate. Eg: Year 6 or 7 children cannot bring in their baby books and expect to swap it for a novel. They must have your permission to swap their books.

Thursday is Assembly Day for the whole school in the hall and this is the children’s opportunity to come dressed as their favourite book character. Each class will parade around the hall and there will be a lucky draw from each Year Level for those who have come dressed up. Thursday afternoon will see the Finals of Reader’s Cup in the Hall commencing at 2:10pm sharp. These Year 6 and 7 teams have been reading 9 pre-selected books and will face; in-close knock out rounds, semi-finals before the final 6 teams will battle it out for the prestigious title of “Reader’s Cup Champions 2013” and have their name engraved on the coveted trophy.

The children will have the opportunity to read the shortlisted books which are on display in the Resource Centre and there will be activities for them to do relating to these books. However they will not be able to borrow these books until Bookweek is over. Their teachers will be reading these books to them in their classes or in Library borrowing time.

Looking forward to an exciting “Universal Week”, can’t wait to see some of the amazing, out of this world, cosmic costumes on Thursday. Take this great opportunity to share a favourite book with your children, it may be a favourite you read as a child. No greater gift you can give your child than the gift of a book.

**Science/Engineering**

- Chelsea S 7
- Ryan M 7
- Jordan E 7
- Clare H 7
- Sophie K 6
- Harry S 6
- Nikita F 5

**Language/Literature**

- Kate W 7
- Ben T
- Kaelan S 6
- Lucy H 5
- Ayden G 5

**Social Science**

- William R 7
- Oliver P 7
- Jessica G 7
- Jamie L 7
- Sienna S 5
- Naomi H 5

**Learn To Swim with an Olympian**

- Beginners to squad
- Improve technique
- Baby classes
- Aqua aerobics
- Holiday intensives

1 Fishermans Road Kuluin

Phone: 5447-0175

**Joke of The Week**

Each week we select a Joke of the week to appear in our newsletter. Students are invited to submit their best jokes. If your Joke is selected you will receive a Gel Pen.

To submit your joke, please write clearly on a piece of paper “Joke of the Week”, your name, class and drop it into the office.

Pauline Beitar Community Development Officer

**Vacancies**

**Before School Care & After School Care Everyday**

- Chris-Lynn A
- FRB