Principal’s Report:

Year 6 & 7 Camp:
Our Year 6 & 7 students, teachers and our Chappy will be attending school camp at Maranatha on Wednesday to Friday. I would like to wish all of our students and teachers an enjoyable, positive and rewarding camping experience.

National Walk Safely to School Day:
Congratulations to the students, parents, staff, Neighbourhood Watch members, our Adopt – A Cop Zoe Brady and Senior Constable Sandy Atkinson who participated in National Walk Safely to School with us last Friday. The Honourable Steven Dickson MP Member for Buderim also accompanied us on this year’s walk. Well done everyone!

Fanfare:
On Monday 2 June our school instrumental band taught by Mr Ross Lancaster and our strings orchestra who are taught by Ms Karlee Hutchinson will be participating in Regional Fanfare at Pacific Paradise State School. On behalf of the school community I would like to wish all of our students a successful performance.

Book Fair:
Next Monday 2 June BookFair commences. The theme is “Reading Oasis – A cool place to discover hot books.” The BookFair Family event will be occurring on Wednesday 4 June from 3:00pm. Please make the time to visit the Resource Centre and purchase some beautiful books for your children.

Alison Welch - Principal
P & C News

P&C Facebook Page
Please like the P&C Facebook page: ‘The Kuluin School P&C’ information will be posted regularly to this page.
Belinda Makin - P&C Secretary

Tuckshop News
Meals deals are now available at the Tuckshop for First Break ordering. These are also posted on the new blackboard outside the front of the tuckshop. Keep an eye out for other specials that will appear there from time to time. These will run until end of Term 2.

Meal Deal One- $5.00
Hotdog with Sauce
Cheese & Bacon bits added if requested
Chocolate Chip Cookie
Juice Popper

Meal Deal Two - $5.50
Ham or Chicken Salad Sandwich or Wrap
Homemade Muffin
Juice Popper

IMPORTANT: Your school tuckshop urgently requires volunteers on a Wednesday. If you can assist in the Tuckshop for a few hours on a Wednesday or Thursday, please contact Kellie Bell on Phone: 54773748, email: tuckshop@kulinss.eq.edu.au or pop in to see her. No experience is necessary and all volunteers are provided with lunch as a thank you.

Mother’s Day Stall
We wish to thank everyone for supporting the Mother’s Day stall that was recently held by the P&C. We had such an overwhelming response and are proud to say we are going to be running this stall each year as well as a Father’s Day and Christmas Stall. All funds raised by these stalls are put back into the school to provide resources and services for the school and the students.

Father’s Day and Christmas Stall
The P&C will be holding a Father’s Day Stall on 3, 4 and 5 September and a Christmas Stall on 3, 4 and 5 December. We would love donations of small items to make up gift hampers to put together for these stalls. Please see the wish list below of items we are after at present and we will update this as time goes on. All items must be new and unused and do not have to cost a lot of money. Items can be dropped into the Volunteers Room on a Friday in the marked box. We appreciate all the support you can give us, as it all goes into raising money for the students and the school.

Wish list for May/June: Face washers or hand towels, soap, razors, or shave cream.

Craft Group
Are you arty or crafty? Can you spare a couple of hours once a week? Would you like to meet like-minded people? The P&C would like to restart the craft group. Given the huge success of the Mother’s Day Stall and Father’s Day only a few months away, we would like to be able to show case our crafty talent and have these gifts available to our school community at these stalls. Please contact Belinda Makin on 0413461164 or beljazbay@hotmail.com

Renee Luke - Vice President
P&C Kuluin

Saver Plus Program
Would $500 assist with your child’s school costs?
Join Saver Plus and match your savings, dollar for dollar,
up to $500 for education costs including uniforms, text books, laptops, sports equipment and music tuition.

You may be eligible if you:
○ have a Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card
○ are 18 or over and
○ have some paid income from work (you or your partner).
Library News

Issue 4 Bookclub
Orders for Issue 4 are due back to school NO LATER than Tuesday 3 June. This coincides with BOOKFAIR, thus the short turn around. You might like to hold onto this Issue and when Issue 5 comes out next Term, put any orders for either Issue 4 or 5 in at the same time.

Trish Koltermann - Bookclub Co-ordinator

BOOKFAIR – (OASIS “A Cool Place to Discover Hot Books”)
Our BookFair arrives this Friday and will be open for business as of Monday 2 June. Opening times are 8:15 to 8:45am each morning; First Break, 3:00 to 3:30pm (Monday, Tuesday & Thursday). Wednesday is our Family Event when we will be opened until 5:30pm with Afternoon Tea and Activities for the children. Clifford the Big Red Dog will be visiting for the children to meet and parents can browse through the Fair. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Friday morning, 6 June the Fair is collected, so last opportunity to purchase books will be Friday until 9:00am. Our Resource Centre benefits greatly from all purchases made throughout the week of BOOKFAIR, so I would like to thank everyone in advance for your support. We would appreciate any volunteers who are able to spare a couple of hours throughout the week to lend a hand. Please come up and see me to put your name on our roster.

Trish Koltermann (Resource Centre)
Phone: 5477 3755

Early Years Support Group Meeting
Parents and guardians of children in Prep, Year 1, 2 and 3 are invited to come along to Kuluin McDonalds at 6:00 pm on Monday 2 June for a meeting of the Early Years Support Group (EYSG). This meeting will be mainly about organising the Under 8’s Day on 27 June. The EYSG is selling poppers and cupcakes, running the silent auction for the Class Canvases and selling raffle tickets for the Fishing Rod fundraiser raffle. Children are welcome. We chat while they play on the playground. We look forward to seeing you there!

Maree Brinkman - Senior Teacher, Year 2 Classroom Teacher 0.5, P-3

Sports News
Congratulations to India, Haylee and Teyl who represented the Coastal District Football team at the Sunshine Coast Regional trials last week. After 2 days of soccer Haylee and Teyl played off in the All Stars game. It is a pleasure to announce that Teyl was selected in the Sunshine Coast Girls Football team and will compete at the State Titles in Mt Isa in July. Well done to all of our girls.

Good luck to Eli, Nick and Khyle who participated in the Rugby Union trials. Good luck to all of the boys who attended the Coastal District Softball trials at Maroochydore Primary School yesterday. They have been training well over the last few weeks before school.

Congratulations and good luck to Eli, Ben, Ayden, Noah, Bailey and Terrence who will compete at the Regional Cross Country trials on Tuesday June 3, 2014. We have 6 runners representing our school at this prestigious event. Mrs Landgren and Mr Doherty will be officials and regional team managers for the team on this day and in July.

Interschool Sport for Years 6 and 7 students is in the planning stage and the cost will be approximately $35.00 for a 4 week program. The costs cover bus travel, ground hire and sports medicine. The sports on offer are Oztag, Soccer, AFL, Basketball and Netball. Sports will only go ahead if numbers or schools field teams. Behaviour at school needs to be extremely high to be selected in teams. We look forward to many of our senior students representing Kuluin for the last time as in 2015, it will be open to Year 5 and 6 students. If any parents can assist as a team manager or coach, please contact me at the school.

At school in P.E. we are doing track and field and all of the children have been working well in lessons. We have done High Jump, Long Jump, Shot Put and Running and Relays. The wet weather recently has put a spanner in the works but we will make sure every discipline is covered. Information regarding the carnivals will be forwarded to families in the near future.

Have an active week everyone.

Tony Doherty
P.E. Teacher
Celebrate “Everyone Can Play” - Under 8’s Day

Although Under 8’s week is celebrated by most of the nation mid-May, this is when Kuluin teachers and students are busy with learning and assessment. The Kuluin School still celebrates with a morning session filled with fun and games on the last day of Term 2, the 27th of June 2014. All family members are invited to join students in Prep, 1 and 2 down in the hall and on the oval to finish off a term of hard work with a celebration of craft, sport and cultural activities. The theme this year is “Everyone Can Play!” and they certainly can. Old favourites such as face painting, crazy hair spray, decorated headbands and biscuit decorating are being joined by nail art and fish for a prize. Children can use the Wii and dance up a storm with a disco. There will be sports such as AFL, Soccer, league and basketball represented.

Students will be able to buy poppers and cupcakes (parents and teachers make and donate these amazing treats). There will also be a coffee van for the adults.

This is the day when the silent auction for the class canvases is completed and when the Fishing Rod Fundraising Raffle for the Early Years Support Group is drawn. Tickets will be available soon for this fabulous raffle with each child in Prep, 1 and 2 receiving a book of 5 tickets to sell. Tickets are only $1 and you could win 2 fishing rods kindly donated by BCF through Roger Mares. The Abu Garcia Orra Veritas Spinning Combo rod is worth $219 and the Daiwa Tdf Spinning rod is worth $119. With these rods, we’re sure you’ll have a great fishing holiday and be ready with some great fishing tales returning to Term 3.

Caption: Mr Wolfenden is looking forward to buying the winning ticket in the Early Years Support Group Fishing Rod fundraising raffle and becoming the lucky owner of these 2 fishing rods valued at $338. What about you?

Maree Brinkman
Experienced Senior Teacher, Year 2 Classroom Teacher 0.5, P-3

Dates to Remember

- 28-30 May Years 6 & 7 Maranatha Camp, Yandina
- 31 May Break Thru Competition at Sunshine Plaza. Kuluin Stage Band & Orchestra performing at 10:15am
- 2-6 June Book Fair in the Resource Centre
- 2 June Early Years Support Group (EYSG) Meeting at Kuluin McDonalds 6:00pm
- 2 June Fanfare at Pacific Paradise SS for Instrumental Music Students
- 2 June Year 7EP & 7PA Open Night 5-6pm
- 3 June Book Club Issue 4 Orders Due Back
- 3 June Regional Cross Country at Maroochydore Cricket Club
- 4 June Book Fair Family Event 3:00 - 5:30pm
- 4 June Year 7 excursion to Hairspray Musical at Maroochydore SHS
- 6 June Maroochydore SHS visiting Years 6 & 7 from 2:10—3:00pm
- 9 June Queen’s Birthday Public Holiday
- 12 June Junior Athletics Carnival
- 13 June Nambour Show Day Public Holiday
- 16 June P & C Meeting 6pm in the Staffroom
- 19 June Senior Athletics Carnival 11:40am - 3:00pm
- 20 June Senior Athletics Carnival 9:00am - 3:00pm
- 25 June Aladdin Performance at 7:00pm
- 26 June Aladdin Performance at 7:00pm
- 27 June Under 8’s Day Celebrating ‘Everyone Can Play’
- 27 June EYSG Fishing Rod Fundraising Raffle Drawn Valued $338
- 27 June Last Day of Term 2
- 14 July First Day of Term 3
- 16 July Dance Fever every Wednesday - Cost $28.50 (Remember to get your SRS paid first)
- 5 & 7 Aug Coastal District Athletics at University of the Sunshine Coast
- 1,15,29 Aug Interschool Sport
- 12 Sept Interschool Sport 11:00am - 2:00pm
- 3 Dec Year 6 Farewell 6pm
- 10 Dec Year 7 Farewell 6pm