Dear Parents,

**Eisteddfod**
Congratulations to Kinder and years 1 & 2 who both came third at the eisteddfod last week. The children all looked terrific and stood on stage with an excellent level of confidence. We are very proud of the children and thank the teachers on doing a tremendous job. Well done everyone. Good luck to our other upcoming groups.

**Swimming Scheme**
It is fantastic to see so many of our children heading off each day to learn a skill that may just one day save their life. Thank you to everyone for supporting this valuable program. Please remember to bring a towel and dry underwear each day. We are already thrilled with the progress our children are making, so keep it up everyone.

**PBL reward day**
Our PBL reward day is fast approaching and we are keen to see as many people participate as possible. Only children not having received a red level may participate so keep up the High 5’s and be able to join all the fun on our reward day.

Lance Cooper
Principal

**ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL COMMUNITIES**
AASC has finished for the term! Thank you to all the parents and students for supporting this valuable fitness program. We look forward to resuming in Week 2 of Term 4.  
Ms Samantha Hall and Ms Diane Daymond.

**P&C MEETING**
Monday 17th September at 2.30pm there will be a P&C meeting in the courtyard under the tree’s. Everyone is welcome to come and have a say in your child’s education, find out what’s happening in your school and share your ideas.

**Future Events**

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**Don’t Forget . . .**
P&C Meeting Monday 17th September
2.30pm in the courtyard. All Welcome.
Smart Start—Kinder Transition Thurs.
STAGE 3 CANBERRA & THREDBO EXCURSION TERM 3

Mrs Di Falco, Mrs Fearn, Mr Mendes, Mr Di Falco and Mrs Benham, along with Mr Berry the bus driver, and Stage 3, departed for Canberra on a frosty morning at 6am.

We had an amazing time with some of the highlights being our visit to Mr Cobb’s office at New Parliament House, the view from the top, the Australian War Memorial, our chair lift ride at Thredbo (and the snow fight at the top of the mountain), Old Parliament House, the National Museum and of course Questacon.

It was a wonderful excursion and our Kelso Kids made us very proud. We had so many positive comments: From the aides at Parliament House, the guides at the Museum and War Memorial, the proprietor of the Motel and the bus driver, to comments from people wherever we went. Our KPS students were praised for their behaviour and the mature way they conducted themselves. Well done everyone!

The photos speak for themselves.
Many students have been busily practising singing, dancing, telling jokes etc. and we are all looking forward to being entertained by our talented students.

We are a Positive Behaviour for Learning School

GOLD LEVEL STUDENT

Shaylea Lowe-McKenzie
Noah Evans
Phoebe Mathieson
Jacinta Bignell
Cally Poxon
Charlotte Evans
Tahlia Spears

Silver Level Students

Zachary Glover
Chantelle Winkworth
Debbie Hodges
Luke Nicholson

Bronze Level Students

Drew English
Clayton Tarrant

MAJOR PRIZE WINNERS

Wirajari Body parts
Mhammad Rashwani KS
Wirajari Language match
CJ Lowe-McKenzie 3/4/5/6D
How Many Lollies?
There were 174 lollies
Bush Tucker matching
Poorsha McPhillamy 50
Spot the Difference
Milika Hines 2H

MINOR PRIZE WINNERS

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Malcolm Hines K-6B
Wirajari language match
Leticia King 5O
How Many Lollies?
There were 174 lollies
Sean Halloran 6F
Bush Tucker matching
Tatiana Channells 6F

Mudji Awards (Wiradjuri word for mate, comrade or friend)
Lilly Touzell KS
Amber Bennett 2-6C
Lachlan Peterson 3/4S
Jai Mobbs 6F
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BATHURST EISTEDDFOD SOCIETY
The Bathurst Eisteddfod will be held this year from 4th to 21st September.

Admission Prices are:

Per session: Adults $8.00, Seniors, Disabled & Tertiary Students $5.00
Primary & Secondary Students $2.00, Under 5 Years Free

Day tickets: Adults $18.00, Seniors, Disabled & Tertiary Students $15.00
Primary & Secondary Students $10.00
Season tickets: Adults $50.00, Seniors, Disabled & Tertiary Students $35.00
Primary & Secondary Students $20.00
Grand Concert: Adults $20.00, Seniors, Disabled & Tertiary Students $15.00
Primary & Secondary Students $8.00

Tickets are to be paid for in cash only as the Entertainment Centre does not have any EFT Pos facilities.

Spring Holiday Tennis Clinics - Bathurst Tennis Centre
Clinic One (1st week)  Monday 24th – Thursday 27th Sept. 9am—12noon each day
Clinic Two (2nd week)  Monday 2nd – Thursday 4th Oct. 9am—12noon each day
Beginners, intermediate and advanced groups all catered for. 5—15 years.
Phone the Bathurst Tennis Centre on 6331 3786 or contact Andrew on 0419 499 467

St Pat’s Junior Cricket Club Inc-Registrations
St Pats Junior Cricket Club will be holding this seasons Cricket registration for children aged from 6 to 16 years at Panther League Club on Thursday 8th and Tuesday 11th September from 4.00 – 6 p.m.
Contact:  Wal Brien- 0409 133 026 or walbrien@exemail.com.au for further details.

The BCCC is running a fun program for kids over the Spring school holidays at the Bathurst City Community Club with sessions on Wed. 26th September, Fri. 8th September, Wed. 3rd & Fri. 5th Oct.
Each session goes from 9:00am-12:30pm. The price is $10 per child per session. Fresh morning tea & drinks will be provided.
For any further information or an entry form please contact Richard on 0409 469 813

Bathurst Little Athletics
Registration for 2012/2013 Season
On line at www.laansw.com.au from September 1st 2012 or in person at Bathurst Panthers, September 10th & 17th at 5pm – 7pm
Suitable for all Children, Tiny Tots & under 6 years, 7-17 years & Seniors 18+
For More Information go to www.bathurstathletics.org.au

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Kelso Community Centre will be hosting a basketball fun day on the 25th September, 11am 2pm
Why not come along and have some fun whether you are a beginner or a pro.

Australian Fossil and Mineral Museum - Holiday activity workshops
Wednesday 3 October 2012 BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL 63315511
Workshops Participants 6-13 years Workshops $12 each or $20 for the same child attending both workshops
Volcanoes 11am – 12 noon Make an erupting volcano to take home.
A Bit of Botany & a Dollop of Dinosaur Dung 1.30pm-2.30pm Learn about when plants evolved. Make our own dinosaur dung.
Please note: Children must not remain at the museum unsupervised between workshops
Contact:  Penny Packham, Public Programs Officer, Australian Fossil and Mineral Museum, 224 Howick St, Bathurst.
Phone: 02 6331 5511 Fax: 02 6331 5986 www.bathurst.nsw.gov.au