Principal’s Message

Dear Parents,

It has been a fantastic year here at Kelso and I am thrilled to have had our children do so many exciting activities. Congratulations to everyone for making our year go so well and show everyone what great things happen at Kelso. Our children are fantastic and we are proud to be a part of this great school.

Good luck and best wishes to our year 6 children who are off to high school in 2013, I am sure you will continue to do great things everyday. To the families leaving Kelso and Bathurst I wish you all well and hope you find everything you need.

Merry Christmas and Happy New year to all. I look forward to seeing everyone safe in 2013.

Lance Cooper
Principal

Don't Forget . . .

Australia Day Holiday 28th Jan 2013
Staff Return 29th Jan 2013
Years 1-6 Return 30th Jan 2013
Kinder Begin 31st Jan 2013

School CANTEEN will be CLOSED until further notice.

Future Events

Staff of Kelso Public School would like to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Safe 2013.
**BRONZE LEVEL STUDENTS**
Cody Bettles

**SILVER LEVEL STUDENTS**
Jessica Dufty
Jack Doolan
Sophie Williams
Djanaya Powell
Karen Gordon
Gaige Jenner
Elizabeth Doolan
Colin Pinder
Nathaniel Beale Callaghan

**GOLD LEVEL STUDENT**
Dylan Branda
Dakota Sadler
Kirra-Lee Miller
Kyle Carter
Isaak White-Rolzhauser
Will Evans
Bethany Donaldson
Darren Nicholson
Jason Corner
Arana Palmer
Deegan Sheiles
Tatum Nolan
Jordan Gorgievski

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**PLAYGROUP NOTICE**

Playgroup sessions for the remainder of 2012 are as follows:
- Fri 30th November - Christmas theme
- Fri 7th December - Christmas party
- Last day of playgroup Fri 14th Dec – meet in Peace Park

Playgroup (aka Kinder Connect) resumes again in 2013 see below:

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Introducing a new name for playgroup in 2013...

*PlayLink Playgroup*

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**School Magazine**

**LAST CHANCE TO BUY!**

Mrs Holden has a few copies left. ONLY $10

Great for memories of 2012.

Please see Mrs Holden or bring in $10 ASAP
VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL
All visitors to the school, including parents, grandparents and carers, must sign in at the office. If you need to speak to a teacher an appointment will be made for you.

No parents are to go directly to the classrooms. As this is a school safety issue we ask that you please adhere to these guidelines.

NUT FREE ZONE
A note to new parents and a reminder to existing parents that our school is a nut free zone.

The Bathurst Women and Children’s Refuge along with Bathurst Regional Council
Would like to invite YOU to the
KELSO CHRISTMAS PARTY

When: Thursday 20th December 2012
Time: 11am to 2pm
Where: Kelso Community Centre

Join us for a fun family day with a BBQ, DJ, lucky door prizes, jumping castle, face painting and much more.
Santa will arrive at 1pm to get individual or family photos!!
AND IT’S ALL FREE!!!!!
This is an alcohol free event

Anglican Cathedral
Christmas Eve 6:00pm
(Children’s Service) & 11:00pm
Christmas Day 9:00am

Bathurst Baptist Church
Christmas Day 9:00am

Bathurst Evangelical Church
Christmas Day 9:00am

C3 Church Bathurst
Christmas Day 9:30am

Catholic Churches
Various services at the different churches please refer to advertising in Western Advocate prior to Christmas

Christian Life Centre
Christmas Day 9:00am

Church of Christ
Christmas Day 9:00am

Holy Trinity Church
Christmas Eve 6:00pm
(Children’s Service) & 11:00pm
Christmas Day 9:00am

Redeemer Lutheran Church
Christmas Eve 5:00pm

St Stephen’s Presbyterian
Christmas Day 9:00am

Salvation Army
Christmas Day 9:00am

Uniting Church
Christmas Eve 6:30pm
Christmas Day 9:00am
Summer Fun

January 2013

Activities available daily include: dramatic play, board games, construction, craft, painting, blocks, cooking, quiet spaces to hang out with your friends, outdoor play areas including sand-pit, sporting equipment, cubby house and much, much more...

For further information email Narelle
narelle.howard@bathurst.nsw.gov.au Or phone 6338 2800

Australian Fossil and Mineral Museum
Holiday activity workshops BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL
63315511
Workshops Participants 6-13 years Workshops $12 each
224 Howick Street Bathurst NSW 2795
Make a Fossil Tues 15 and 22 January 11am – 12 noon
Make and paint your own fossil to take home.
Dinosaur Dung Wed 16 and 23 January 11am - 12 noon
Dig into a bucket of dinosaur dung to learn about the life of a dinosaur. Make your own “solid”
evidence to take home.
Fizz, Bubble and Splat Thurs 17 and 24 January 11am - 12 noon
Learn about why things fizz, bubble and splat and how they have shaped our
planet. Build a volcano, have fun with bubbles and make things go splat.

BATHURST TENNIS CENTRE PRE-CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINIC
Join the holiday fun at the Bathurst Tennis Centre’s holiday tennis coaching clinic!
Caters for beginner, intermediate and advanced students aged 5 to 15yrs
Clinic Dates: Thur 20th —Sat 22nd December Times: 9.00am to 1.00pm each day

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Caters for beginner, intermediate and advanced students aged 5 to 15yrs
Times: 8.30am to 11.30am each day
For enrolment or further information please contact the Tennis Centre on 6331 3786 or
phone Andrew on 0419 499 467

Summer Vacation Care Program 2012
Approval Number: 3P84TO
Email: eglinton.oosh@gmail.com
Phone: 0429 371 205

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