



# Kahibah Public School

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**Term 2 - Week 10**

**30th June, 2020**

## Principal's Report

### Quality Work

KN have been very busy this fortnight working as hard as always. In mathematics, they have been learning about 3D shapes and their properties. KN students even had a chance to make some with playdough. During sport they have been practicing their athletics tabloid skills. Although there will not be a whole school carnival this year, they are going to get a chance to use their newly learnt games and skills this week with a combined K-2 tabloids event. KN have also been singing, reading, writing, dancing, learning about road safety, and so much more! KN and KT would like to take this opportunity to say a big THANK YOU to the P&C for the dolls and fine motor resources that were purchased with P&C funds. We have had such a great time learning to care for our babies and improve our fine motor skills.



This term, 5/6B also established their very own Entertainment Crew and have enjoyed guitar performances by Christian S, flute performances by Mia T, stand-up comedy routines by Hayden and Joke of the Day thanks to Cal B and Morrison C.



## WEEKLY PROGRAM.....

**Classes Begin** - 9am and finish 3pm

Assemblies fortnightly on Monday

**K-2 1-1.40pm**

**Yrs 3-6 - 2-3pm**

*Wednesday* - Student Banking

*Wednesday* - Drum Lessons

*Thursday* - Band & Music Lessons

*Thursday* - Guitar Lessons

*Friday* - Band & Music Lessons

*Friday* - School Sport

*Friday* - **Uniform Shop 8.30-9.00am**

3rd Tuesday of each month - P&C Meeting

## WHAT'S AHEAD.....

- ⇒ **Fri 3rd July** - Last day of Term 2
- ⇒ **Mon 20th July** - Staff Dev Day
- ⇒ **Tues 21st Jul** - Student commence Term 3
- ⇒ **3rd - 7th Aug** - Education Week

In visual arts, 5/6B have just completed a series of 6 lessons about street art and the infamous artist Banksy. They then created their own brightly coloured and wonderful works of art featuring their own names - street art style. Every class member displayed a huge amount of pride and effort with their artwork.



5/6B have been working creatively on persuasive writing, visual arts and their very own 'Entertainment Crew'! They have been focusing on building the tension and writing effective persuasive crescendo paragraphs about all sorts of topics, including 'Come to our school!'

### Come to our school

Why should you deny your child a chance to go to Kahibah Public School, when all you need to do is call? Kahibah is the best place for your child! We have experienced teachers, gifted and talented programmes, cooking classes and so much more! Please don't deny your child an excellent future so come to Kahibah Public School today. Remember we're just a phone call away. Charlotte B.

### **Come to our school**

Out there, in the playground, are the Kahibah kids. They all laugh while they play pretend in the wonderful nature play area. The teachers are inside, filling the small genius' minds with wonder. Kids around the handball courts play the best game in their lives. Under the COLA, a small child sits alone at lunch. Another child walks up to the lonely kid, and asks if they want to play. This is our school. It isn't just any school, this is Kahibah Public School, the best place to be. -Mia Taylor

### **Come to our school!!!!**

We have wonderful children. You can hear the kids still laughing. "What a wonderful day isn't it children?" say our beautiful teachers. We have wonderful staff too! Come to see our playground and oval: fist pumps and high fives flying everywhere. We have 350 kids and we want more, so come to Kahibah Public School now!!! Cal B.

## **Come to our School! (please)**

Now that your little toddler is all grown up, they need only the best school for them to learn, play and make great friends for life. Luckily, there's Kahibah Public School! Kahibah PS will not only give your child the greatest education, but also some amazing memories to look back on when they're rich and successful. We have a total of 350 students, each of which will happily welcome your child to their school. We have one of the best playgrounds in the state, and students who wear our uniform with pride. Your child will be sure to get into the very best schools at Kahibah Public School. We also have lots of opportunities to anchor their gifts and be the best! Illyana D.

### **Quality Behaviour**

The following students have been recognised by a teacher for;

<b>CLASS</b>	<b>RESPECT</b>	<b>RESPONSIBILITY</b>	<b>EXCELLENCE</b>
<b>KN</b>	Ethan S	Josie W	Sophie D-B
<b>KT</b>	Cain S	Daphne S	Fleur I, Rylan O-M
<b>1N</b>		Knox C	Addison C, Jayden K, Marcus S
<b>1S</b>	Estelle R	Eva T	Allegra P, Lillyahna R
<b>1/2B</b>			Emily B, Archer M, Elyse S
<b>2D</b>	Ella S	Conor H	Aleisha C, Nishka M, Aiden W
<b>2F</b>	Skye A	Brax C, Nishchay M	Will A, Oakley R, Nikai W
<b>3/4A</b>	Maggie G-S, Bowie J	Kiarni M, Imogen M	Elsie E, Isabella G
<b>3/4H</b>	Billy M, Callie N	Lachlan J, Kelsey O'D	Cooper B, Isaac B
<b>3/4L</b>	Eamon G, Kelan R	James B, Milla May M	Marley G, Niamh McG, Hudson S
<b>4/5K</b>	Nate C, Sonny K	Atalia B, Asha F	Taylan R, Juliette R
<b>5/6B</b>	Isabelle M, Catherine S	Eliza B, Koby F	Chrisrian S, Matilda W
<b>5/6D</b>	Jett C, Joshua T	Fynn W, Ava W	Amihan E, Willow W
<b>5/6F</b>	Mia K, Alexander W	Joshua B, Dylan O'D	Heidi B, Ava R

### Public Speaking

Public speaking class representatives are being filmed this week for viewing in Week 1 of Term 3. Parents will be provided with a link next term and all students will have an opportunity to watch their peers during class time next term. Good luck to all the finalists!

### Semester One Reports

Last Friday you should have received your child's semester one school report via the Sentral Parent Portal. This is an opportunity to celebrate the success and effort that your child puts into their learning and to discuss possible areas of improvement. If you have not yet been able to access your child's report please contact the front office for assistance.

### Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent Teacher interviews are underway this week. Most parents/carers successfully booked an interview through the Sentral Parent Portal. We hope the interview is a positive experience for you to discuss your child's Semester One report and discuss goals moving forward.

### Staffing Update

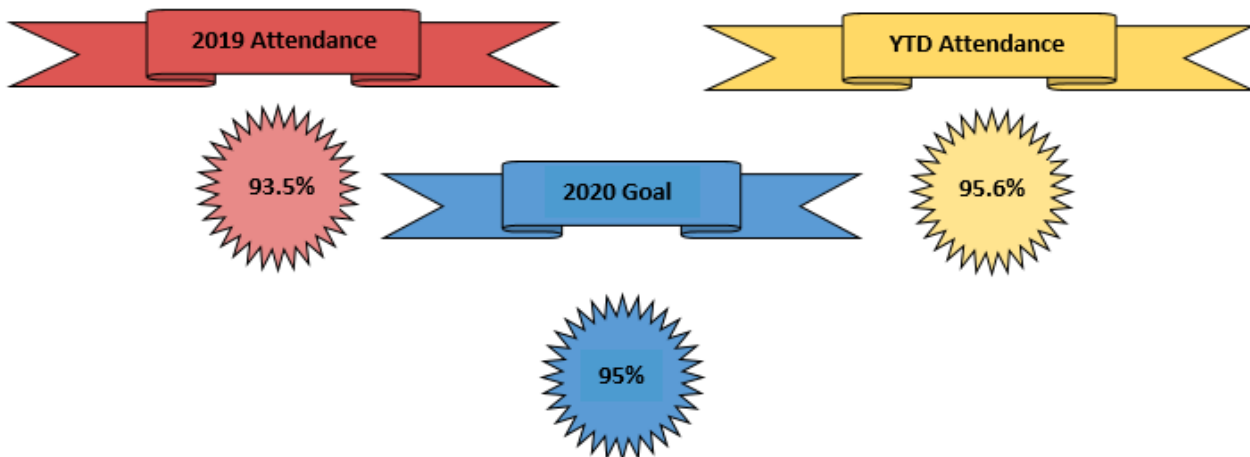
Due to an increased cleaning schedule at the school we have been allocated, in addition to our morning shift and afternoon shift cleaners, a new daytime shift cleaner, Anita Smith and we welcome her to the Kahibah PS community. We also welcome Mrs Felice Lane who will be teaching 1/2B for the first half of Term 3 while Mrs Nicole Brady is on leave. Mrs Lane, is no stranger to Kahibah PS, as it turns out, she worked with Mrs Maggie McNair (who has since retired) on K-2 some years ago.

### School Improvements

Over the next few weeks, the school will be having a few classrooms internally painted and some areas re-carpeted; the toilets painted; the exterior of some of the buildings painted; and some fences repaired. Although an exact timeframe is not possible, we expect that most of the work will be completed during the school holiday period. It is therefore, important that no one accesses the school grounds during the holidays as there will be quite a few contractors on site.

### Attendance

Congratulations to the students at Kahibah Public School; the average attendance rate for Semester 1, 2020 is 95.6%. We know that school attendance is a family effort, so well done to families who work towards having their children attend each and every day!



### Kindergarten Enrolments for 2021

Early next term I will take the opportunity to meet some families who have expressed an interest in enrolling their child here at Kahibah PS next year and hopefully all interested families have received a letter inviting them to meet with me to discuss their application. Please note that we are unable to accommodate any families who reside outside of Kahibah PS zone. Any local families who are still yet to apply are encouraged to contact the front office.

Have a happy and safe holiday. Students return to school on **Tuesday 21st July, 2020.**

Mrs Honi Faasisila  
Kahibah Public School  
Principal

# P&C NEWS

## Canteen

Hello from the canteen.

I'd like to say a big thank you to the P&C and everyone who has helped and supported the canteen this term. Our full menu will be back available next term. Also the Term 3 roster is now up and helpers are always welcome. Don't forget we are open everyday again for lunch orders and snacks during lunch.

Kura Donnelly  
Canteen supervisor





**COME AND TRY  
BASEBALL WITH  
PHOENIX  
CHARLESTOWN**

We invite anyone aged between 5 and 15 to come and try baseball

**TRAINING STARTS:** Saturday 18 July  
**TIME:** 9.30am - 11am  
**WHERE:** Windsor Oval Carbeen St, Gateshead

For more information contact:  
Chris - 0413 306 721 or Sean - 0422 254 734  
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- Flexible Thinking
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- Expressing Gratitude

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\*Movement  
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**Zoom Q & A Session Times:**  
Tuesdays 4.30pm – 5.30pm.

**BOOK IN TODAY!**  
Di - 0421 622 169  
Vicki - 0404 025 958  
or Lisa 0431 400 932

**Good for Kids** good for life

DICE FITNESS

Try this fun, simple fitness activity as a family to get moving at home!

**Equipment needed:**

- Dice (if you can, one between two)
- A piece of paper with your six exercises clearly written (put this where everyone can see it)
- Enough space to move safely


**Procedure:**

- In pairs (or in a small group, or individually) roll a dice.
- Do the exercise that matches the number on the dice once. For each roll, do another repetition (for example, do the exercise twice on the second roll, three times on the third roll).

Try the exercises suggested below, or come up with your own ideas! Anything that gets you moving should work.

**Exercises:**

1. Burpees
2. Lunges
3. Squats
4. Mountain Climbers
5. Sit Ups
6. Push Ups



**Challenge:** Run or side gallop to the other side of the room/garden and back between dice rolls!

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