



Kirkton Public School

Newsletter

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Week 6 Term 4 2013

2014 Enrolment

If you know of anyone who is still thinking of enrolling in our school, in any grade for 2014 could you please ask them to contact the school.

It is very important for us to finalise numbers to ensure we are 52 or above for next year.

Dates for the diary

11/11/13 - 15/11/13	Intensive Swimming Program
18/11/13 - 22/11/13	Intensive Swimming Program
28/11/13	Kindergarten Orientation Morning
29/11/13	Swimming for Sport
6/12/13	Presentation Night
13/12/13	Swimming for Sport
17/12/13	Pool Party—Branxton Pool
18/12/13	Last Day Term 4

Intensive Swimming Scheme

Our Intensive Swimming Scheme for 2013 commenced on Monday 11th November at Singleton Gym and Swim.

Thank you to Coal & Allied for once again supporting this Swimming Scheme by covering the cost of bus hire for the two week period.



Enrolments for 2014

Throughout this term, planning of classes for 2014 will be taking place.



Please contact the school if you know that your child/children will not be attending Kirkton Public School in 2014 so that the appropriate information is used to make up our classes.

Your consideration in this matter is appreciated.

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Presentation Night



This year's Presentation Night and visit from Santa will be held on

Friday, 6th December.

Commencing at 6:00pm

SCHOOL CAPTAINS

Yr 5 Captain

nominations speeches

will take place on

the week of

25th November

'Getting exciting!!!!!!'



Sacred Tree Markets

Branxton this Sunday

17th November 2013

We need as many students dressed in the new school uniform to volunteer their time this Sunday between 9am and 2pm. The students will be needed for the gold coin donation at the gates.

This is a terrific way to fundraise for our school!!

Metal Shelving

We have a variety of metal brackets and shelving at the school from the old library. We no longer have a use for them. If you would like them please contact the office.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Donations can now be left at the school office for our Christmas Raffle.



CANTEEN WILL NOT OPERATE TOMORROW

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Yr. 6 End of Year Fundraiser

To finalise our fundraising Yr. 6 will be running a raffle. Money raised will be targeted to the Yr 6 presentation to the school.

You could win – 2 truckloads of water (including free delivery within a 20km radius, a case of wine or beautiful flowers.

We would like to thank those who provided the prizes for their generosity Mr John Hipwell, Ms Libby Thompson 'Camp Road estate Wines' and Mrs Gayle Lewis.

A ticket booth will be manned by Yr. 6 students in the playground. Tickets will be on sale at school in the morning and afternoon for parents, tomorrow Thursday 14th Nov. Students could buy tickets on return from the pool.

Tickets will be \$2 each or 3 for \$5.

There will also be ticket books available for students to take home to sell elsewhere.

All tickets/money need to be returned to school by Wednesday 4th Dec. On this day the winners will be drawn and announced at the afternoon assembly.

The winners can choose either prize.

Thank you for your support.

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Physical Culture Results

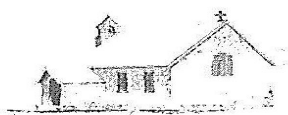
On Saturday, Asha and Jayde travelled to Sydney Olympic Park to compete in Physie Teams with six of their friends representing the Hunter Physie Club. Hundreds of girls competed on the day in all different age groups. Jayde and Asha's Team placed Third out of Nine Teams which was a fantastic result.

Their Physie teachers were especially proud of them as are their families.

The Great Aussie Bush Camp



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ANGLICAN CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD
267 Bell Road
Belford

Christmas Carols:

The Congregation of Belford Church wishes to invite our community and their friends to our annual Christmas Carols.

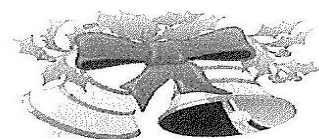
Location: The Church of the Good Shepherd

Date: Monday, 9th December 2013

Time: 7:30 pm

The Service will be followed by refreshments in the Church grounds. A plate of food to share would be appreciated.

Children are welcome to dress up with Christmas Theme.



Belford's Year 2014 Church Services:

Church Services Year 2014 will be held on the following Sundays:

5 th Jan	19 th Jan	2 nd Feb	16 th Feb	2 nd Mar	16 th Mar
6 th Apr	20 th Apr	4 th May	18 th May	1 st Jun	15 th Jun
6 th Jul	20 th Jul	3 rd Aug	17 th Aug	7 th Sep	21 st Sep
5 th Oct	19 th Oct	2 nd Nov	16 th Nov	7 th Dec	21 st Dec

Service Type & Start Time:

Eucharist Service	Commences at 11:15 am
Morning Prayer Service	Commences at 10:15 am

Lyn Fitzgerald
Church Secretary

So come along and join us for the next Service or
contact Lyn Fitzgerald on (02) 65 747113 for further information.



Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way to increase your fruit and veg intake

Myth: Frozen and canned fruit and vegetables don't count towards your recommended daily intake of fruit and vegetables.

The facts:

- Frozen and canned fruit or vegies are great alternatives when fresh varieties are out of season, unavailable or more expensive
- Frozen and canned vegetables are usually packed shortly after picking, so few nutrients are lost
- Varieties with no added sugar or salt are the best choice, so check the label to make sure you're making the best choice!



Hint: Look for tinned fruit in natural juice rather than syrup, and serve with a reduced fat natural yoghurt and honey for a sweet afternoon snack!

For more information visit
www.eatittobeatit.com.au
or join us at [facebook.com/eatittobeatit](https://www.facebook.com/eatittobeatit)



'Cinema Under the Stars'

A huge thank you to the P&C for running this event and also to Coal & Allied for their sponsorship.

Although there were some anxious moments with the weather this event went ahead and was very much enjoyed. It was great to see some folk from outside our school community join us.

Thanks to all who attended.

A 'BIG' pat on the back for all those who assisted on the night - your energies and dedication were greatly appreciated.

Once the movie started I noticed everyone 'snuggle down' into chairs, blankets - even bean bags to enjoy the show. It was a lovely cool relaxing atmosphere.

We greatly appreciate the cinema operator's decision to move on with the show and for their very friendly and co-operative service.

