



Kirkton Public School

Newsletter

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

This will be the last formal newsletter for 2013.

I would like once again to thank everyone associated with our school for their on- going support over the year. It has been an extremely busy year with many ups and downs.

Managing the changes derived from the department has kept us on our toes. Local Schools Local Decisions, Every School Every Student, Keeping Them Safe, Work Health and Safety, Learning Management Business Reform (admin processes) and the National curriculum have been just some of the impacts upon our school this year.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank -

- Brian Beh and family for once again setting up the stage and our playground for Presentation Night; we greatly appreciate this.
- Our P&C and extra helpers for their efforts on the night;
- The staff for their continued positiveness throughout the year and the rehearsals for the play;
- All those who attended the presentation night;
- The ladies who assisted with presentations to the students.
- Finally and most importantly the students who have tried hard to do what has been asked of them this year.

Congratulations to Nicole Searles and Isabella Farrelly who will take up the mantle of School Leaders for 2014. The two girls are keen and rearing to go.

At this point in time it seems that we will hold our three classes for 2014, however, the make- up of these will differ slightly. This will be forwarded home before the end of term as more discussion needs to be carried out.

We wish all our families and those in the wider community a very merry, happy, healthy and safe Christmas.

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FRIENDSHIP LEARNING OPPORTUNITY RESPECT ACHIEVEMENT

Dates for the diary

13/12/13	Swimming for Sport
17/12/13	Picnic Day–Branxton Pool
18/12/13	Last Day Term 4
29/1/14	Students return to school Yr. 1-6
30/1/14	First day for Kindergarten students
31/1/14	Swimming for Sport Yr. 1-6 only
7/2/14	Small School's Swimming Carnival

CANTEEN WILL NOT OPERATE TOMORROW

Winners of the Year 6 Fund Raiser Raffle

*Raffle drawn was during morning assembly
on Thursday 12th Dec.*

1st Prize–Natalie Walsh (Flowers)

2nd Prize–Kim Waters– (2 truck loads of water)

3rd Prize–Rod Broughton–(Case of Wine)



A total of \$407.85 was raised to purchase a gift for the school



Swimming for Sport tomorrow



PICNIC DAY @ BRANXTON POOL



Tuesday 17th December 2013

- All gear for swimming needs to be brought along. The school will bring along their sets of sea-shirts to assist in protection from the sun. Please ensure all students have sunscreen for their protection.
- Lots of water would also be a good idea. Although swimming, if it's hot, the children will dehydrate.
- Students may bring or buy their lunch on this day.
- Transport will be by private car and again thank you to all those who are able to assist.
- We will depart at approximately 11.30am in order to arrive at the pool by 12 mid-day.
- The day will conclude at approximately 2.30pm.

Have you returned your permission note?

Skate Day - Wednesday 18th December.

Students can bring skates, skateboards or scooters to school next Wednesday for a hectic activity session or two.

All safety gear e.g. helmets, closed in shoes, knee pads must be worn. If you do not have the appropriate safety gear– you can not participate.

Students will only be able to use their own equipment and must have a signed permission note. No sharing of gear!

This opportunity for a little alternate fun at school is greatly enjoyed by students if our guidelines of gear, safety and cooperation are followed.



UNIFORM SHOP

OPEN

TUESDAYS

2:30PM to 3:30PM

Presentation Night

