



KALBARRI DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

Our school is here to...
*provide a supportive environment for
students to develop relevant skills,
knowledge, attitudes and values
that maximise individual potential
in a global society.*

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COMING EVENTS

23 February 2017

MARCH

Friday 3 Whole School Assembly
Friday 3 P&C AGM
Monday 6 Public Holiday
Wednesday 8 Faction Swim Carnival Yr 4-12
Friday 24 Whole School Assembly

APRIL

Friday 7 Anzac Assembly
Friday 7 Last Day of Term 1
Monday 24 Staff Development Day
Students Do Not Attend
Wednesday 26 First Day of Term 2

PRINCIPAL REPORT



Swimming lessons have progressed well and we didn't miss a beat as we moved from the river to the pool at Palm Resort. Thank you very much to the Nikki and Scott Dagan, managers of Palm Resort for giving us the use of their pool this week.

Because of a clash with swimming lessons, the first assembly for the year will be in week 5, Friday 3 March.

We are still looking for nominations for the School Council. This isn't a difficult or time consuming position, but it is an important one, and people who have filled the positions previously have developed a new appreciation of how the school runs. Please give me a call if you would like to discuss the possibility of joining the Council. I have outlined the roles and responsibilities of School Councils elsewhere in this newsletter for your information.

Your Contributions and Charges notification letters for Year K-10 have been sent home with your children. Please keep an eye out for them. Year 11 and 12 will be sent home next week. Thank you to those who have raced in and paid theirs already. Your contributions go a long way towards helping us continue to provide the education you expect from Kalbarri District High School. Payments can be made at the school office during office hours 8am - 4pm Monday to Thursday or 8am - 3pm on Fridays. The school office accepts cash or cheques. Alternatively you can pay by direct deposit into the school bank account using your child's name as the reference.

Kalbarri District High School
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Carol Goodwin
Principal

ROAD CLOSURE

Monday 27 February to Tuesday 28 February

Hackney Street will be closed to general traffic from Kaiber Street to Ruston Street including the walk path due to Shire roadwork's. You will still be able to drop you children off at the front of the school via Ruston Street. Please make sure your children are aware of the road/footpath closure and to keep clear of the area.

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF COUNCILS

Take part in:

- establishing and reviewing from time to time, the school's objectives, priorities and general policy directions
- planning financial arrangements necessary to fund those objectives, priorities and directions
- evaluating the school's performance in achieving those objectives, priorities and directions
- formulating codes of conduct for students at the school
- take part in the selection of, but not the appointment of, the school Principal or any other member of the teaching staff if prior approval is given by the Regional Executive Director

Approve of:

- a charge or contribution determined by the Principal for the provision of materials, services and facilities
- the costs determined by the Principal to be paid for participation in an extra cost optional component of the school's educational program
- the items determined by the Principal to be supplied by a student for the student's personal use in the school's educational program
- an agreement or arrangement for advertising or sponsorship in relation to a government school

Determine:

- in consultation with students, their parents and staff of the school, a dress code for students when they are attending or representing the school

Provide advice to the Principal of the school:

- on a general policy concerning the use in school activities of prayers, songs and material based on religious, spiritual or moral values being used in a school activity as part of religious education
- on allowing time for the special religious education of students in the school, up to a total of 40 hours in a year

Promote:

- the school in the community

A Council does not:

- manage the day to day running of the school (for example, staff management, and student assignment to classes)
- discuss individual issues relating to teachers, staff or parents
- represent specific interest groups, or permit special interests to dominate the agenda of the Council
- intervene in the educational instruction of students
- borrow money or obtain funds
- purchase property
- performance manage the Principal or any other Department of Education employee

Role of Council members

- parent members of Councils bring their experience as parents at the school, and the views and context of the wider school community.
- community members may bring expertise such as business, or accounting skills that the Council is looking for at that time.
- Department of Education employees bring their educational expertise.

PRIMARY DEPUTY PRINCIPAL REPORT

PRIMARY STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Year 2/3	Dylan	For working hard during all independent activities and for being an enthusiastic Maths whizz. Welcome to your new class and school.
Year 3/4	Bailey	For being responsible and taking up the challenge at swimming lessons and enjoying it too.
Year 5	Jackson	For an awesome start to Year 5. Jackson has displayed an excellent work ethic at school and consistently shows he is respectful and responsible.
Year 6	Lily	The Year 6 Student of the Week goes to Lily for earning a whopping 10 points.

SCHOOL SWIMMING LESSONS

This has been the last week of our in-term swimming lessons. We have had to move from the flowing river to the cool pristine pools at the Palm Resort. Thanks again to Mr and Mrs Dagan for allowing us to use the facilities. Also our thanks must go to Mrs Kearney, Mrs McKenzie and Mrs Arnold for taking on the roles as swimming teachers and to Ms Russell for coordinating this year's lessons.



STUDENT COUNCILLORS 2017



Congratulations to the following students selected as Student Councillors:

Year 4 - Bailey and Meika

Year 5 - Mitchell and Elyssa

Year 6 - Luka and Blake

Year 7 - Lucy, Kane and Ethan

Year 8 - Aria and Tanika

Year 9 - Damon, Luwana and Haylee

Year 10 - William and Augusta

Year 11 - Bailey, Anzel, Isabelle, Makala, Ebony, Max, Brearley and Sonny

Year 12 - Ally

These students have been selected by their peers to represent them on the 2017 Student Council.

Luke Bradley
Primary Deputy Principal

MATHLETICS

Week 3

Mathletics is up and running and the students are already hard at work earning points through their achievements. Well done to Dylan in Year 2/3, Jack, Tom and Ruby in Year 6 for earning certificates already. Our school report shows that the use of Mathletics is very healthy at this stage.

In School vs Out of School Activity (hrs)

In School Hours (Mon-Fri)	96
Out of School Hours	70

Week 4

Wow! The printer ran hot getting through certificates for the champion efforts this week. Well done to these following students. Lily D, Ricki E, Jazmin N, Dylan McK, Laela D, Zane R, Ella T, Sol J, Harry G and Jessica A. The champion of the week goes to Sol with an amazing 2490 points.

A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAPLIN

PETER'S CHAP CHAT #217

"Let's do this together!"



My days at Kalbarri have changed! That's right, I'm now available each Thursday and Friday to help, join in, listen and promote positive/healthy relationships.

Came across an old piece of wisdom today and it said that our words can be poison or fruit...one kills and one gives life – you choose!

Let's be considerate about how we speak to each other and our children today. In this way we model for them how to in turn make good decisions themselves when dealing with each other. Remember, we're human and so we will make wrong choices from time to time so be quick to forgive – yourself and others!



Peter Hanrahan, Kalbarri D.H.S. Chaplain

KALBARRI NETBALL



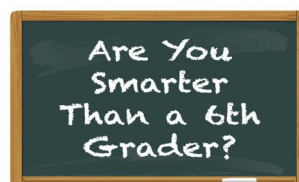
NETSETGO
Registration Day
Pre Primary - Year 3
Thursday 9 March
3.00 pm
Outside the staffroom

JUNIOR REGISTRATION DAY
Year 4 - Year 8
Wednesday 15 March
3.00 pm
Outside the staffroom

Any interested coaches please attend
For more information please contact Kate on
0427010876

KIDS KLUB

A four week Kalbarri Kids begins next week called
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for Children from PP- Year 6



on Tuesdays 28th Feb – 21st March, 3:30-5pm
Afternoon Tea, games, craft, songs, a quiz and Bible
story.

\$2 (Max \$5 per family)
For more info: Ring Jenny on 9937 1244