Welcome to a very neat and compact Issue 3 of our Kairi State School Newsletter!

Classrooms are all working full speed ahead, and as such, teachers will be reporting on their students learning and successes in the next edition of this newsletter.

Our Principal Sandra Stroud was required to attend the Education Queensland Principal Conference in Brisbane last week, and unfortunately she was one of many Principals who have been extremely ill since attending. Investigations are still ongoing as to the cause of the illness, with contaminated food being looked at as the most likely possibility. Sandra will be off work until next Monday at the very earliest. We all wish her a speedy recovery from what has been a very nasty illness.

The Year 5/6 class are being capably looked after by Mrs Klein, and Mrs Quinn, and wow, what an amazing class of kids they are. They have had their heads down working really hard all week. I know that Mrs Stroud will be really proud of them, as we all are.

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We would like to say a really big CONGRATULATIONS to Harvey, who travelled recently to Brisbane and competed in the try-outs for Queensland State Swimming Team in the butterfly event. Out of all of the amazing athletes that competed, Harvey came in second in his event. What a fantastic achievement. We are all really proud of you Harvey! You have already achieved a level of athleticism that not many of us will ever reach!

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Thank you to all of the families that have paid for their children’s DIPL books. Reminders are coming home for those books not yet paid for. The classrooms are really keen for all students to have their workbooks in the classroom and to begin working on the program. If you have any concerns about payment please come and visit Donna at the office. This is a really important workbook and without it your child will struggle to master the program’s content.

Books are $18 each and can be paid for via cash, cheque, BPay or Direct Deposit. All classes are using DIPL.

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If a permission note or letter is sent home for your signature and it relates to support for your child from a specialist, or guidance officer etc, please hand these important notes in at the office (or put them into the collection box at the staffroom) and not at your child’s classroom. Teachers have to juggle a thousand and one pieces of paper in a given day—to make sure this one important piece of paper makes it to the office for processing as quickly as possible, it is best handed in at the office 😊

Congratulations Chappie Sharon (School Chaplain) who recently graduated with a Diploma In Youth Services.

Well Done!

Kairi Cross Country is coming up fast, with the District event following!
(see calendar back page for dates)

All year levels will compete in this event. Training programs are available at the reception office for children between 8 & 12 yrs old. This training is not compulsory, however it will assist your child in increasing their fitness prior to this event.
Month of March
Happy Birthday Everyone!

- Nate B 1st
- Dexter 1st
- Johnno 6th
- Tanisha 7th
- Rocco 9th
- Christian 14th
- Cooper 14th
- Zamika 18th
- Conor S 25th
- Alexandria 27th
- Toby H 27th
- Brandon 29th

SCHOOL CALENDAR

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