**What’s ON next week?**

**Tuesday**
- Prep Excursion – Barambah EEC

**Thursday**
- Flag Tag Day – Kumbia SS (Yr 5-7)

**Saturday**
- P&C Stall – Federal Election

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**P&C Meeting**

**Agenda**
- Election Stall planning
- Reports – Father’s Day stall, tuckshop, uniforms, banking, oval upgrade
- Responsible Behaviour Plan update
- School Audits, QSR

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**South Burnett Readers Cup**
This week’s challenge was a huge success with small schools leading the way. Tandurreee SS came first and third, Kumbia second and our team fourth. Go small schools!!

This event will certainly be an annual event and is an interesting way to gauge the reading skills in schools.

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**Flag Tag**
Yr 5-6-7 students have been given information & a permission slip for next Thursday’s event. This carnival is a treat for students, therfore ONLY STUDENTS WHO DISPLAY APPROPRIATE WORK AND BEHAVIOUR will be attending. Parents of students not attending will be notified when necessary.

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**Lorrie’s item – Premier’ Reading Callenge**

Next Tuesday will be the inaugural Sth Burnett Readers’ Cup at Kingaroy SS.
Our school team is Keeley, Emma, Tom, Mitch and Caleb from Mr J’s room.
Teams from all district state schools are sending year 7 students to the competition. Students will be put through their paces answering a range of questions on a series of set texts. The winning team will win the 5th Burnett Readers’ Cup.

We thank Mrs Morris and her school librarian colleagues for putting this concept and event together. It is sure to become a highly successful annual event. Good luck team!

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**WB Athletics Trials – Wednesday**
Ethan Yr 4 (high jump) and Jessica Yr 6 (100m, high jump, discus) are off to Hervey Bay on Wednesday for the WB Athletics Carnival – Good Luck!

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**Equestrian Challenge - Bonnie & Byron Brunner**
Bonnie & Byron head off to the Maryborough Equestrian Challenge next week. They will be representing our school and will look fabulous in school colours. Parents Sandra and Greg have put quite some effort into preparing the students for this event. Thank you. Good luck kids!

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**Practice Board Repaint… can you help?**
Aboriginal artist Anthony Donas is going to repaint our practice board next to the tennis court. He plans to paint a bush scene featuring a sleeping koala (‘Coolabunia’ meaning) and have hand prints by students as a border. Anthony is keen to start this project, but it needs to be prepared first.

Scope of work – sanding back loose paint and rolling on a primer, 2-3 hours.

If any parents can help out by completing this preparation, Anthony can start painting straight away.
Please let the school if you can help. 2-3 people would be plenty.

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**Prep Excursion to Barambah**
There are still some outstanding Permission Forms for this Excursion. Please return by Monday – The Centre needs a list of students’ names one week in advance.
- Money is due by Friday 31st August
- Medical forms need to be returned by Monday 1st September.

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**Website Live 30 August**
The new school website will ‘go live’ on 30 August. Mrs Steffensen-Grant has put a considerable amount of time into the build. Thank you! The website will have all basic information about the school, its offerings and documents. It will have a considerable amount of information added as time allows. Families will be able access the newsletter and other school documents from the site.

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**State School Consent Forms—Many forms are still outstanding**
Families who have not yet returned the Consent Form sent home recently are asked to do so immediately. Responses will determine how we can publish images/information about school activities in newsletters, local press, sports team photos, etc.

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**Father’s Day Stall**
Thank you to Mrs Tracey Schloss for organising and running the successful Father’s Day Stall this week.

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*NW Johnston
Principal

*No wonder teenagers become confused. While half the parents are telling them to find themselves, the other half are telling them to ‘get lost’. W.G.P.*
Looking for a Summer sport?  
Come Play Softball!!

Burnett Softball Association invites interested players to sign-on for the upcoming summer season.

Season Commences: 19th October 2013  
When: Saturdays  
Where: Nanango Sports grounds – Burnett Street  
Who: Males & Females of all ages & abilities – 5yrs to masters  
Sign On day: Saturday 14th September 2013 - Burnett St Nanango 9-1pm  
Contact: Brett: 0457498084 or secretaryburnettsoftball@hotmail.com

Kingaroy Junior Cricket Club

Would like to invite all interested players to their sign on day on Sat 14th Sept from 9am -12pm at the Lyle Vidler Oval.

- Cost for the season $100 if fees are paid before 1st Nov, $110 if paid later.
- Training will be held on Wednesday afternoons
- Games played on Saturday Mornings starting at 8:15
- Equipment is available for use if needed.

For more details contact Steve Heness on 0488 021 001

“Staffroom for Improvement” Competition.

Help us win a $20,000 staffroom makeover!

The prize is a complete makeover of our school’s main staffroom and even better is the chance for individual voters to win one of five $1,000 QTMB bank accounts. The winning school will be the one with the most votes weighted against the number of students, so any school, small or large has an equal chance to win.

We need as much support from our local school community as possible – get family and friends to support us please!!!

HOW

Simply visit www.staffroomforimprovement.com.au to read the terms and conditions and register your interest today. The competition kicks off on 28 August so spread the word and get as many people as possible to vote for our school.