The day the dentist came to our school

Bright Smiles dental clinic visited the school on Tuesday 1st November to talk to the students about dental hygiene. Students were taught how to regularly brush their teeth and gums. The Dragon was a big hit when he squirted water all over nearby students. Each child received a sample pack. See student’s report on page 4.

Kapooka’s got Talent final!

Kapooka’s got talent finals were held at our school assembly on Friday, 4th November. Students were entertained and enjoyed the performances.
**Diary**

**Term 4 - October**

**November**
10 - Kinder orientation day
11 - Enviro champs final postponed
16 - Mother/daughter Night @ Uranquinty
   - Mrs Eacott returns
17 - Kinder orientation day
24 - Defence Force Day
   - P & C Meeting, 9.15
   - Kinder orientation day and parent morning tea/info session

**December**
1 - KECC Kinder Orientation
6 - WWHS Orientation day
7 - Presentation Night
8-9 - Borambola Excursion
14 - Yr 6 farewell dinner
16 - Student last day

**January 2017**
27 - Staff return to school
30 - Yr 1-6 students return
31 - Kindergarten students begin school

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**School Banking - Friday Uniform shop - Friday from 9:15am til 9.30am**
NO EFTPOS available only CASH or CHEQUE or bank transfer - BSB 803-205
Account - 20539252
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**Kapooka School APP**
Go to your APP store - Username - community Password - kapookaps

**School Holidays:**
- 16 Dec til Jan 2017

**Parent on line payments-POP**
Making a school payment on line. You can now do this by accessing our school website, “Make a Payment” tab at www.kapooka-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

**School News:**

**School Newsletters** are available on our **School APP** or **website** and by **email**.

**Work Book Fees** - Those families who have not paid their child’s work book fees, would you please do so now. They are well overdue.

**Dance payments**
We still have many families who have not paid for their child’s dance lessons held during Term 3. If this is you, would you please pay ASAP.

**Outstanding notes**

- **Borambola Overnight Excursion Yrs 3/4. Note and money**
- **Cricket Skills - K-6 - Cost $8 per student - overdue - please pay**
- **Mrs Miller’s retirement afternoon tea - due 9th November**
- **Defence Force Day - Yrs 5/6 - due 10th November**

Please return the above notes by their due date to enable staff to complete administration processes.

**Enviro-Champs - URGENT NOTICE**
Due to unforeseen circumstances, the Enviro-champs finale to be held on Friday 11th November at Sturt School has been postponed. A new date will be set and students advised.

**Child Protection**
This term Child Protection will be taught in all classrooms. If you do not wish your child to be involved, please advise the school in writing. Your classroom teacher is able to discuss with you the content of these lessons

**Payment to school**
Parents if paying for your child’s school excursions/activities by internet banking using POP, please remember to log onto the school website www.kapooka-p.schools.nsw.edu.au and click on “MAKE A PAYMENT”. Some parents have put funds into the P&C bank account which is only for uniform sales.

**School APP**
If you have not already downloaded the school APP, please do so, this is a great way that the school can interact with you regarding reminders, information, drills and evacuation procedures.

**What’s on this week:**

**Monday** - Mrs Eacott on leave this week.
**Tuesday** - Mrs Geale at LMBR training; Cricket K-6 and Robotics for 2 students
**Thursday** - Kinder Orientation 10-12noon - pack recess for child please
**Friday** - Enviro-champs finale at Sturt School. Mrs Ray on leave

**P & C news:**

**Chocolate Roster**

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**UNIFORM ORDERS ONLY can be paid by bank transfer - ACCOUNT DETAILS ARE:**
- BSB: 803-205
- ACCOUNT NO: 20539252

Please keep in mind payments may take 2-3 days to process
Science Fair

The Science Fair was a great opportunity for the students to display and show off their talents in Science and Technology. A big thank you to Mrs Tinney for giving up her time to be present at the fair and taking on the difficult task of judging. Mrs Tinney was very impressed with all the students’ efforts.

The Science fair was a combination of students’ work from Collingullie, Ladysmith, Tarcutta and Kapooka Public School. The students joined us at Kapooka to view all their work at the Kapooka Neighbourhood Centre and then returned to the school to participate in variety of science activities. The students had a wonderful time.

Congratulations to all the winners.

Kapooka winners are

Stage 1 winners:
Wyatt, Tahlia, Tim, Marli

Stage 2 winner:
Asha

Stage 3 winners:

A huge thank you to Mrs Mendham for giving up her time to come and help set up everything for the science fair.
Bright Smiles dental visit student reports

Sharni the dentist spoke to K, 1 and 2 on Tuesday. Sharni said that if we don’t brush our teeth the germs wee and poo in your mouth. We learnt that you have to brush your gums and if you don’t brush your gums and teeth you will get holes in your teeth. Sharni was brushing her Dinosaur’s teeth and when he spat the toothpaste out he squirted water all over us. **By Tim and Wyatt**

**Sharni was teaching my class about teeth. I learned that the bacteria wee and poo on your teeth. Did you know that you have to brush your teeth for 2 mins? You should brush your gums too. You can eat healthy things like fruit and vegetables.  **By Marli**

We went to the library and saw Sharni and Shelley, they talked about teeth. They told us that the germs wee and poo in our mouth. The Dragon squirted water at us after brushing his teeth. It wet us all!  **By Tahlia**

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**KIDS CAMPS**

**THE BEST HOLIDAYS HAPPEN AT CAMP**

Entertain the kids these school holidays with one of our kids’ camps. They’re a great way to get the kids outdoors learning new skills while making new friends. From day programs to residential camps, our kids’ camps help grow an independent spirit that is self-reliant, confident and responsible.

Choose from a range of fun and exciting camps led by qualified instructors and rest easy knowing your kids are in safe hands.

Activities include flying fox, slip ‘n’ slide, kayaking, archery, challenge ropes course plus much more.

We also offer accommodation, programs and facilities to suit every budget:

- Self-contained accommodation
- Group getaways
- School camps

**Borambola Sport and Recreation Centre**

- Summer Camp: 16-20 January 7-12 years $100
- Sport, Health & Fitness Camp: 16-20 January 9-12 years $300

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**Mother-Daughter Night**

For girls in Yrs 5 and 6

Wednesday 16th November

6.30 - 8.30 pm

at Uranquinty Public School

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**BUS SAFETY**

BE SAFE ON AND AROUND BUSES. BE BUS AWARE!

1. Follow the rules and cross with care
2. Give way to buses
3. Reduce speed to 40 when lights are flashing
4. Plan ahead and don’t rush for the bus
5. Bike riders take care around buses