From the Principal’s Desk...

What a great day for the Autumn Festival last Saturday. The students were fantastic and great ambassadors for the school. The pride in the school was extremely evident and the fantastic artwork was commented on by many of the onlookers. A big thank you to Jim White for driving and allowing us to use his truck.

We continue to be extremely busy and have received many favourable comments about our students behaviour and enthusiasm. The Science and Engineering Day was a great success and the students are looking forward to other Science days that will come up very soon, which include Questacon and Science in the Bush Days.

Riley and Joel are to be congratulated for their sportsmanship and enthusiasm at their respective Regional Trials for Rugby League and Tennis.

What a great item the students presented at Assembly last week. We thank Mr Adam Marshall MP for his presentation of our School tie to Seamus and Library Monitor badges to Eliza and Alyssa.

This Friday we will be celebrating Harmony Day. Information about the day has been sent home. Please remember to send in a dish to share for lunch tomorrow.

School Photos will be taking place on Tuesday 31 March. Please ensure your child/children are dressed in full school uniform.

Wednesday 1 April is the Smalls Schools’ Cross Country at the Bellevue Rugby Field, UNE. At the same time, we will also have students participating in the Regional Debating Workshop.

The last event for the term is the Annual Easter Hat Parade. This will take place on Thursday 2 April. The parade will start after recess and be followed by a sausage sizzle and the End of Term Assembly. If you have a special friend you would like to invite, they are more than welcome to join us for this very exciting day.

This week sees the final game in the Touch Football Competition for Term 1. Touch will recommence in Term 4. What a great an valuable opportunity for the students to have participated in. A big thank you for the parents for getting the students there each week and supporting them in such as positive way.

Andrew Watson

STUDENT AWARDS

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Sarah Gardiner and Seamus Hunt

Star Students

Millie Edwards
For being a helpful student

Lily Croft
For being a helpful student

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MARCH

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| FRI 20 | Harmony Day  
please bring a plate to share |
| FRI 27 | Flute Trio NECOM 1.30pm |
| TUES 31 | School Photos |

APRIL

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| THURS 2 | Easter Hat Parade  
End of Term Assembly  
Last day of Term 1 |
German Lessons

Dear Parents

Next week, students will be dying eggs for Easter. This is a German tradition at Easter time.

Donations of eggs would be appreciated. We will boil the eggs at school. Thank you.

Icy Poles for sale
Monday
Wednesday
Friday
50c each

Junior Class

Home Readers are given out on Monday for the students to take home to read to/or with parents and older siblings.

Home Readers are due back on Wednesday to be exchanged for another.

On Friday, Home Readers are to be returned to Mrs Piddington along with Homework for the week.

K-6 Library Project

All About Me

Your task is to create a poster about yourself. It could include:

Information
Your full name
Date of birth
Place of birth
Family Members
(you could do a Family Tree)
Pets

These Are A Few Of My Favourite Things:
Television Show
App
Holiday
Song
Sport
Poem
Book
Place to Visit
Author
Hobbies
Movie
Food
Quote
Colour
Memory
Quote
Subject
Animal

Due this week!

Due: Week 8
Art Smocks
Art smocks are desperately needed for all students. In Creative Arts, the students do wear smocks while painting and care is taken not to get paint on their clothes, however accidents happen. Apparently a mixture of salt, water and vinegar can help remove paint from clothes.

Mrs Weier

2015 Easter Hat Parade

It is time to start designing, building, constructing, gluing, sticking, folding and stapling your Easter Hat for the Kelly’s Plains Annual Easter Hat Parade.

Date: Thursday 2 April 2015
Time: between recess and lunch 12 noon to 1.30pm
Where: The Cola

There is nothing better than an icy pole after a Friday afternoon

Kelly’s Plains Public School

Student Absence Note

My child ................................................. of class ........................................... was absent from school
on the following dates ........................................................................................................
For the following reason ......................................................................................................
Parent/Carer Signature: .......................................................... Date: .................................
Welcoming Mr Adam Marshall MP

Library Monitors

Friday Assembly
I am, you are, we are Australian
2015 Autumn Festival