Mr Bell Leaving End of Term 1
On Monday I informed staff and sent a letter home with students that I will be finishing as Principal of Kilkivan SS at the end Term 1. I will be starting as Principal of One Mile State School at the beginning of Term 2.
I am currently working with my supervisor on finding a temporary replacement for next Term. Throughout Term 2 the process of finding a suitable permanent replacement to start in Term 3 will occur. I will advise the school and community of the new Principal for Term 2 via the newsletter as soon as I know.
I would like to thank all members of the school and wider community for the work and excellent results we have been able to achieve since I began here in 2011.

Great Attendance for Two Year Levels
Well done to the Year 4 and Prep students for the best attendance for weeks 3 and 4 of Term 1. Both year levels had an attendance rate of 95%, which is once again our whole school target for 2016. Last year the student attendance rate was 91.6%.

Mid Semester Report Cards
Teachers have begun looking at completing the mid semester report cards. The reports aim to provide parents with information on how their son/daughter is progressing at the halfway point of the semester. The reports will be sent out in the last week of Term.

Double Delight Certificates
I’ve started handing out certificates to students for achieving 20 Double Delights. The Double Delights are given to students when they are spotted following our school wide expectations. Students that receive at least 20 Double Delights throughout the Term will be invited to attend an end of Term sausage sizzle and a swim at the pool on the last day of Term. Keep an eye out in the newsletter to see the students that have so far received 20 Double Delights.

Thank You
Stuart Bell
Principal
SHREDDED PAPER

We have large bags of shredded paper to give away, if you can use this in any way please call into the office and take what you want!

School Banking

Thank you everyone for getting your banking in on Monday mornings. We certainly have some keen bankers!! Parents/ Guardians / Students, would you please make sure you fill out the deposit slip before you send your banking in. I’m sorry but we can’t do this for you, the reason being that when we bank the money we have to make sure it matches how much you sent in and if nothing is written in the deposit slip we don’t know how much you actually sent. Thanks for your help with this.

Medication Forms

This week we sent home to some of our families a new Medication Form. Thank you to those that have sent them back already. If you could get them back to us this week it would be greatly appreciated.

Bus Rolls

Just a reminder, if you are picking your child up rather than them going home on the bus would you either ring us and we’ll mark them off or you can come into the office and mark them off. This makes it a lot easier when it comes to going home time.

Thanks

Vickie & Angie

P & C NEWS

P & C AGM
Monday 21st March @ 3pm in the school library.
All welcome.
All positions will be declared vacant.

P & C Secretary
Sandra Gilchrist

REMEMBER:
Delivery Date for the Cookie Dough is Wednesday 16th March and is to be collected from the tuckshop.

BOOKCLUB NEWS

BOOKCLUB ISSUE 2

Out now.
Now only one catalogue for all ages.
Orders with payment of cash or cheque to school office by Monday 7 March at 3pm.
Please make cheques payable to Scholastic.
If paying by credit card please order online.
Please see order form for details.

Carol Hopf
Bookclub Co-ordinator

KINDY PIE DRIVE

Kilkivan Kindy Pie drive Fundraiser.

Orders Due - Friday 4th March, and must be collected from Kilkivan Kindy On Wednesday 23rd March
Between 9:30 - 11:30.

If you have any queries or questions please call or email Kilkivan Kindy
Ph: 5484 1425  E: killykindy@aapt.net.au

If you require another order form you can collect one from Kilkivan State School.

DENTAL VAN VISIT

Dental forms have been sent home please fill them out and return them to the Dental Van ASAP.

New Carers always welcome.
Click on the links below to go to our website or join our facebook group

www.facebook.com/groups/careforcarers
www.careforcarers.com.au

Next Gympie Carers Group
Tuesday 23rd January 2016
11am – 1pm
Suncare Community Services
58 Channon Street Gympie.
Morning tea provided

New Carers always welcome.
### Year 8

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- **HPE- Continuous practical assessment**
- **HISTORY: Assessment of homework activities will contribute to Semester Rating**
- **MATHS: Homework activities will contribute to semester ratings**
- **JAPANESE: Hiragana tests throughout term**
- **SCIENCE - continual monitoring of student work**

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- **SCIENCE - continual monitoring of student work samples**
- **HPE- Continuous practical assessment**
- **MATHS- Monitoring - Observations and consultations - work samples & homework will contribute towards Semester Rating.**
- **HPE - Assessment of homework activities will contribute to Semester Rating**
- **FOOD TECHNOLOGY - Practical work will contribute towards semester rating**
- **ENGLISH- continual monitoring of spelling, grammar, punctuation and reading comprehension.**
What nice weather we are having at the moment, not as hot as it has been. I heard one teacher on parade call it ‘great learning weather’, which is so true. There is some great learning happening in every class at the moment, all around the school. Hopefully though, there will be some more rain on its way, as I am sure many of our farming families still want their dams filled.

Last week’s Chat had the first few tips on ‘Families that work well’. Did you try any of their suggestions? Choose just one thing to do and it will make a difference in your family relationships. The most common thing I hear from teenagers is that ‘No-one takes any notice of what I say.’ An important part of their wading through so much confusing information about life, is having a safe place to be able to bounce their latest idea around. That is why the listening tip is such an Important one. With so many pressures on families these days, it was nice to come across the positive information from Parenting SA, supporting parents with their important jobs of bringing up their children. Here is some more great info from the Parent Easy Guide.

**“Be affectionate, caring and kind.”**
Everyone in the family will feel good when they’re encouraged and appreciated.
Show affection, give hugs, be thoughtful and kind.
Be quick to praise family members.
Let your children know that you love them. Tell them all the things you like about them. It will make them feel proud.
Avoid ‘put downs’, threats, interrogation and blame games— they can make children and adults feel bad or hopeless.”

**Don’t forget last week’s tips:** - Make time for talking and listening.- Make family time. There will be more tips for Families that work well, in next week’s Chat.
Do you ever have left over mashed potato? Here is a tasty recipe that will use up your left overs and create a delicious lunch box food.

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**Cornish Country Pasties**

**Potato Pastry:** 1 egg white, 2 tblsp water, 1 ½ cups mashed potato, 1 1/2 cups plain wholemeal flour, ½ cup powdered skim milk, pepper and salt. - Combine egg and water. Then stir into potato. - Let stand for 30 minutes or so in the fridge, while you do the filling.

**Filling:** Chop 2 small potatoes, 2 onions, 2 small carrots, ½ cup mushrooms and 1 zucchini. Mixed herbs to taste, 1 tsp salt, 3 tblsp soy sauce.

**Method:** Saute the vegies in a little oil until soft. - Add soy sauce and herbs.- Remove the pastry from the fridge and divide into 8 portions. – Roll each portion into a circle. Put 3 tablespoons of filling on one half and fold over. – Seal the edges with a wet fork. Bake in a moderately hot oven till golden brown, 20-30 minutes. Keep in the fridge and put in lunch boxes for a nutritious treat. Enjoy! See you on Friday, Chappy

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**COWHORSE COMPETITION**

Saint Mary’s Catholic College will be holding an equestrian competition for local schools on Thursday 28th April 2016, at the Nanango Showgrounds 8-00/9-00am

Open to all students of South Burnett Schools

The close for nominations is Thursday 15th April

**EVENTS INCLUDE**

- Team Penning,
- Working Cow Horse,
- Western Bending,
- Barrel Race,
- Whip Cracking
- Lead and Ridden Stock horse etc.

(Post: PO Box 311 Kingaroy 4610 / Fax 0741 621581 / email: jdalton@bne.catholic.edu.au)
Photo Gallery

Congratulations to Sophie and Bryson for reaching 20 Double Delights!

Awesome effort to Gabby and kali for knowing all your Golden Words!

A very Happy Birthday to Kylah and Kane!!
Photo Gallery

Great Job for 25 nights of Reading:
Kaitlin, Alyssia, Kane and Ryan!

Awesome Job Ethan for demonstrating
great understanding of part/part/whole
relationships. Josh for excellent work in
Vis Arts.
Zane for showing an improved attitude
toward his learning and Lily for trying hard
in Vis Arts.

Well Done to Cassy and Isaac for winning
the Double delight $5 Tuckshop Vouchers!
Photo Gallery

Well done to both Isaac and Regan for having insightful responses in Science.

Congratulations Lane for working safely during his most recent science experiment.

Congratulations to Sasha for being a dedicated role model in Yr 2/3. Isabelle for following directions quickly, and Sophie for being a dedicated mature Student!
Sizzling Starts from our Seniors Students

One of our main school focus this year is to improve students’ writing. For the past fortnight, we have been working on “SIZZLING STARTS”. When students are writing, always want to start at the beginning of the day or week. We have been encouraging students to start stories right where the ACTION BEGINS. Not in the morning, but at the zoo as the old, wrinkled lady sneaks up to the monkey’s cage, shiny earrings dangling in the sun, just waiting to be grabbed by a quick sharp paw.

Action Activity – Next time you are watching a movie with your children, see how the movie begins with lots of action to grab your attention. Adventure movies are especially good at this.

Here are some examples of writing from Year 8 – 10 students.

Grace

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Zap! One giant array of lightning struck the petrified gum tree. Crack! Crackle! The tree came to life. Ding-a-ling! Ding-a-ling! School bell ringing! Seven students missing... don’t tell me that the gum tree has had his morning tea?

Angus

The Warlord Garash stood on the precipice of battle, a horde of dark red demons marched towards his soldiers. His back armour as cold as ice shimmered as the last light of the day fell away and was replaced by a storm of swords and claws. He and his remaining men stood in the field empty with bodies. Victory seemed to be assured. BANG! Thunder shook the ground and the leader of the beasts rose from the corpses.

Ethan

David

The rocket ship blew up! We dodge large rocks as it plows into the earth. We step out and see darkness. Where are we? I go back into the ship to get a torch. I shine it. I see a spaceship was passing all of the planets: Venus, Earth, Mars. Just finished my holidays on Saturn. It was quite fun visiting the moon and the craters and landing on the moon. I saw a real ‘cool’ man. Whack! A meteorite hit the ship... And, I just had it tinted!

M’Kaila

Use the government had taken away our rights to rule the whole world is watching. I speak. The King devil stood with his staff in the air and yelled out.

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Ethan
‘What happened this time? What, another child missing? That’s .. um.. the 7th child this week.’ said the Principal. ‘Yes! I know I’m doing my best to find them!’ Well hurry, the parents are starting to ask questions.

AAAARRGGGHH! Principal Hanley and I whip around to see two small feet, then they were gone. What now!

Tarnee

It was tall, leafy and evil. Its branches curled around my body squashing my ribs. It whispered something that I could not hear. Its mouth wide open, it swallowed me whole. This is how it got the name ‘Chomp!’ ... the tree that ate kids. Alexis

I’m on the ground, I hear screaming and footsteps near my head. I sit and look down at my hands. All I see is red liquid covering them. I quickly check what I have done to myself but I realise that it is not my blood. I look up and see that I am at school. I hear a noise. I can only describe it as terrifying. I turn around, I am so terrified at what I see. I scream .................. Bridget

Do you honestly think that going into the army is a good idea for your son or daughter? The loss of family and loved ones can be the cause of depression in a younger person’s life. Do you think your daughter or son wants to be having flashbacks of what’s happened to them? That’s if they even make it back home to where they feel safe and complete. I believe you are just ruining their lives.

Skye

Finally... holidays! I’m going to a different planet. The whole family is packed up in the car ready for the big trip in the huge big, bright, red, amazing rocket. I can barely stay in my seat! They slammed the door shut! It took a while but we made it. We landed! We put on our suits and helmets and jumped out... my sister was complaining that there was no phone service!

Nataria

OMG! What am I going to do? I am nowhere near ready. My dress is not ready; my makeup is not done; I am so not organised. And, what am I meant to do about my little Melissa? Her coat hasn’t been brushed and she hasn’t had a bath yet. This is a disaster. It is my turn on stage and I am nowhere near ready. What’s that on the table ... my dress all laid out with my makeup, my shoes and everything. I must hurry! I can’t keep the judges waiting! Step1: The dress... check! Step 2: the makeup... check! Step 3: the shoes... check! Step 4: Get Melissa... check! Now I am done. They call my name ... ‘Oh Ready ... let’s go!’

Cassy

I can’t believe it! Out of all the people in the world, I am going to be on that stage. OMG! I am so nervous. What if I trip? What do I do then? Do I keep going or run backstage in embarrassment. What if my beautiful poodle forgets to ‘STRUT’? OMG! It’s my turn. I have to walk! Trip! Bang! Woof! Meow! Disaster strikes!

Shakayla

Bob peed on my foot as I was about to walk on stage. ‘Stupid dog! Don’t you know we have to go on stage for this fashion show?’ Bob yelped and ran away... I chased! Into the crowd... the commentator announced: ‘Here they are!’ I screamed: ‘This isn’t it...’ People booed... I picked up Bob... Bad boy, Bob! I was hoping for a good day.

Zac

Mobile phones are the best! They have voice search makes it easier for people that r bad a spellin’.

Damien

‘Why me?’ This is the second time I have been lost in the middle of nowhere. I have literally asked everyone and no one knows where the place is. Are they lost too? Wait! I have my phone. Bang! I ran into someone while I was looking at my phone. I look up to a guy. Do you know where we are? He knews! Finally, I can get home but if I did not have my phone, I would not have run in to him. Bella
Saturday 2nd April 2016

KILKIVAN
GREAT HORSE RIDE
SATURDAY 2ND APRIL 2016

Trail Riding • Street Activities • Grand Parade • Campfire Concert

3 NEW TRAILS

2-Day Trail
Manumbar Gold Run Trail
Kilkivan over 2 days leaving Kilkivan Showgrounds on Saturday, April 1 and following the BRT all the way to Kilkivan for the grand parade on Saturday. (Must be booked & paid by 18th March 2016 unless full) (限内满数)

1-Day Trails
Woolooga Homer’s Gate Trail
30km from Woolooga Gate via the Woolooga Showground and travelling to Kilkivan via the steet next, Road Closure, Private Property and the BRT - this trail is for horse lovers who enjoy the scenic views.

Kilkivan Macquet Trail
30km leisurely and returning to Kilkivan Showgrounds - suited to those wanting a shorter ride and viewing some scenic private property. (6.30am start)

Strictly No Stallions or Dogs Allowed

Saturday 2nd April 2016

From 7.00am (various starting points)
Trails Start for the day

11.00am (Kilkivan Town Centre)
Street Entertainment & Street Stalls - Guided Tours, Horse Cart Rides, Quill and Craft Display, Whip Cracking Demos, Rockhounding Dog Demos, Black Powder Gun Demos, 2 Line Music Tree, Line Dancing Social, Photo Comp, Petting Zoo & Pony Rides, etc.

4.00pm (Kilkivan Town Centre)
Grand Parade - Watch the spectacular finale as all 3 trails converge on Kilkivan’s Main Street.

5pm (Kilkivan Showgrounds)
Bar & Catering Available

6.30pm – Midnight (Kilkivan Showgrounds)
FREE Tom Christy Campfire Concert - Featuring Muddy Flats

7.30pm (Kilkivan Showgrounds)
Billy Boiling Competition

Sunday 3rd April 2016

Kilkivan Showgrounds – free entry

7:30am - Bush Poets Breakfast

8:00am - Team Penning
Open & Beginners Level Show
Nominations close 18th March 2016
Nominate as a team of 4
Open - $50 per person
Beginners/Lower - $32 per person

8:00am - Pony Club Novelties
Run by Kilkivan Pony Club
Nominations on the day

Charity Races & Other Fun Food Novelties

Thank you to our major sponsors

Ride Prices 2016
(All prices are per person)

Manumbar Trail
2 Day All Inclusive
Must be booked and paid by 18th March 2016
$150

Woolooga Trail
Horse & Rider
$30
Carriage/Full Driver
$20
Carriage Passengers
$5

Kilkivan Trail
Horse & Rider
$20

Prepaid Trail Meals
Wooloolga Kilkivan Snacks & Lunch
$15

Camping (Under 12 Free)
$5

Free Street Entertainment
Free Concert Sat. Night
Catering & Bar Facilities
No EFT/Cash-out Onsite

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FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE
Gymnastics | XBOX | Games | Jumping Castles | Pool

FRIDAY, 4TH OF MARCH, 2016
Doors open at 6:00pm
Member $5 Non-Member $7
@ THE SBDYC