



# King Street Public School

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Education

## Principal's Message

### Term 1 Week 7 - 11th March 2020

The term is flying by and we are heading into the end of term 1 with lots of amazing activities over the next 4 weeks.

Our Tawny Assembly headlines one of our main attractions with our outstanding students receiving their first round of badges. This is an exciting time for all families involved and we would like to see many of our families supporting our students achievements. The AAA and SPA awards will also be handed out on the Tawny Assembly. Our mascot "Tawny" may even make an appearance.

Student/Teacher/Parent conferencing will be occurring during Week 10. These will start on the 30th March and continue all week. Information will be sent home this week in regard to your child's conference day and times. We encourage all parents and carers to be in attendance for these conferences as it is important for all parties to be in full support of your child's academic performance.

Our school's annual Cross Country carnival will be held in the school grounds from Monday 6th April. It is important to encourage your child to attend the carnival. All students will participate and give their best on the day. Students have been training for this day all term as part of their fitness program.

The annual Easter Hat Parade will take place on Wednesday 8th April. This event will coincide with the Whole School Scripture service and afterwards the Pedlar's Parade. Our preschool students will be invited to attend this special occasion. Please start using your creative prowess.

Mr Lindsell will be Relieving Principal for the next few weeks as I will be taking some personal leave. I am positive that Mr Lindsell will excel in the role and continue to motivate and enthuse our students in their learning and support our amazing staff. We welcome Mr Morrison to the relieving Stage 3 Assistant Principal role too.

*Jonathan Russell*  
Principal



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# Term 1 2020

WEEK	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
7	9/3 Interrelate-Year 6	10/3 PaTCH Meeting– 2.30pm	11/3	12/3	13/3 Zone Soccer Primary Assembly– 1pm
8	16/3 Interrelate-Year 6 Hunter Rugby League	17/3 Hunter AFL	18/3	19/3	20/3 Infants Assembly– 1pm Say 'NO WAY' to Bullying Day
9	23/3 Online Bookclub Order Due	24/3 Zone Touch	25/3	26/3	27/3 Tawny Assembly– 9.30am Regional Netball No Primary Assembly
10	30/3	31/3	1/4	2/4	3/4 Infants Assembly– 1pm
11	6/4 KSPS Cross Country	7/4	8/4 Easter Hat Parade	9/4 Last Day of Term 1	10/4 Good Friday

# Term 2 2020

WEEK	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
1	27/4 Staff Development Day	28/4 Students First Day Back	29/4 Stage 2 Point Wolstencroft	30/4 Stage 2 Point Wolstencroft	1/5 Stage 2 Point Wolstencroft Zone Cross Country Primary Assembly– 1pm

## Book Club Orders Reminder

Book Club orders can only be made online through Loop, instructions below. (No cash orders can be taken)

- 1– Sign in or register at <https://mybookclubs.scholastic.com.au/Parent/Login.aspx>
- 2– Click on ORDER and select school and child's class
- 3– Add child's first name and last initial
- 4– Enter the product item number from the catalogue
- 5– Make payment via credit card

## SAVE THE DATE!

Stage 3 Canberra Excursion  
30th June to 3rd July

Stage 2 Point Wolstencroft  
29th April to 1st May

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# Showing Positive Behaviour for Learning

Tawny congratulates our students for displaying our King Street Values of **K**ind, **S**afe, **P**roud and **S**upportive. Our Term 1 Week 7 Focus is 'Strengths'



PBL Prize Winners Week 6

## Canteen News

In line with the Government's Healthy Canteen Strategy, we would like to share with you some of our healthy options available in our school Canteen.

### Chicken Burger

- Bread/Rolls - Good source of fibre, carbohydrates, protein and a wide range of vitamins and minerals.
- Made from grains, an essential part of a healthy diet.
- Helps provide nutrients and energy for a child's normal growth development.
- Cheese - Calcium - bones and teeth health
- Chicken - Lean meat - little fat, protein and calcium.

- \* The Australian Government Guidelines suggest 35% of our daily intake of calories should come from complex carbohydrates such as pasta.
- \* To learn more go to [www.healthyschoolcanteens.nsw.gov.au](http://www.healthyschoolcanteens.nsw.gov.au)

## UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS

**Monday 8.30am – 9.30am**

**Thursday 8.30am – 9.30am**

(Please see office staff outside these hours)

## Strengths On Display

'Honesty'

Miss Gould was very proud when her student Kayden found some money and gave it to her to find the rightful owner.

It is great to see students making the right choices!

Well done Kayden!



## Canteen Roster—Term 1 Week 7 2020

16/3	17/3	18/3	19/3	20/3
Jodie	Alexandra	Amanda & Bec	Chantelle	Kate & Rechelle

## Canteen Roster—Term 1 Week 8 2020

23/3	24/3	25/3	26/3	27/3
Robyn & Laura	Lisa	Chantelle & Alexandra	Jodie & Jen	Alexandra, Lauren & Jardene

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## Children's University



Last Tuesday Shaye from Children's University visited KSPS to launch our 2020 program.

Two of our students modelled the university robe that will be worn at the end of year graduation and celebration.

It is wonderful to see so many students getting on board this year.

Learning destinations can be found via the link below.

<https://cuaustralasia.com/news/childrens-university-newcastle-joins-cua-family/>

## PaTCH Program Begins

Yesterday we held an information session about the PaTCH program that we are offering at King Street Public School.

The program is designed to give parents and caregivers skills to assist children with reading, writing and mathematical skills at home and as classroom helpers.

We are looking forward to working with an enthusiastic group of parents.

*Wendy Tan*



## Rubber Band Shoot Out!

This term, Stage 2 have been learning about the material world. This week, they looked at elasticity. They were able to participate in Miss Hutchinson's Rubber Band Shoot Out!!

Students learnt how rubber bands stretch, the force that makes them fly through the air and even got to practice their measuring skills!!

A lot of fun was had by all!



## Music with Mrs Burgess

As all our new instruments begin to arrive, S2S had the pleasure of being the first students to try out the Glockenspiels! There was a lot of concentration in the room and big smiles.

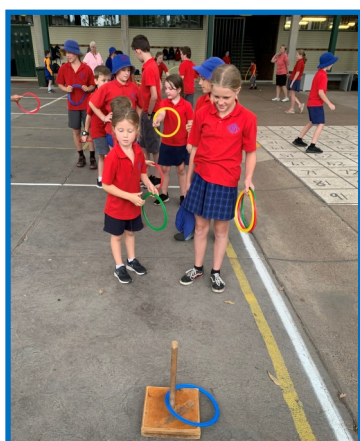
We look forward to hearing many wonderful sounds coming from our music room in the coming weeks.



## Buddies Fun

Our Year 6 students love their buddy time! Last week it was time for some fun in the quad.

They played games supporting their kinder buddies like hula hoops, parachute and stilts. It was wonderful to see everyone getting involved and helping each other.



## Easter Raffle

With Easter just around the corner preparations have begun for our 2020 Giant Easter Raffle!

Our P&C is asking for donations of Easter eggs for our raffle.

All donations can be left with our P&C in the quad each morning and are greatly appreciated.



## Mother's Day Stall 2020

Calling all green thumbs!

Our P&C would like to plant the seed (pardon the pun) and request donations of potted plants for our Mother's Day stall.

Now would be a good time to plant your cuttings to have them ready in time. Please hold onto your potted donations until the week of the stall, date TBA.

Thank you!



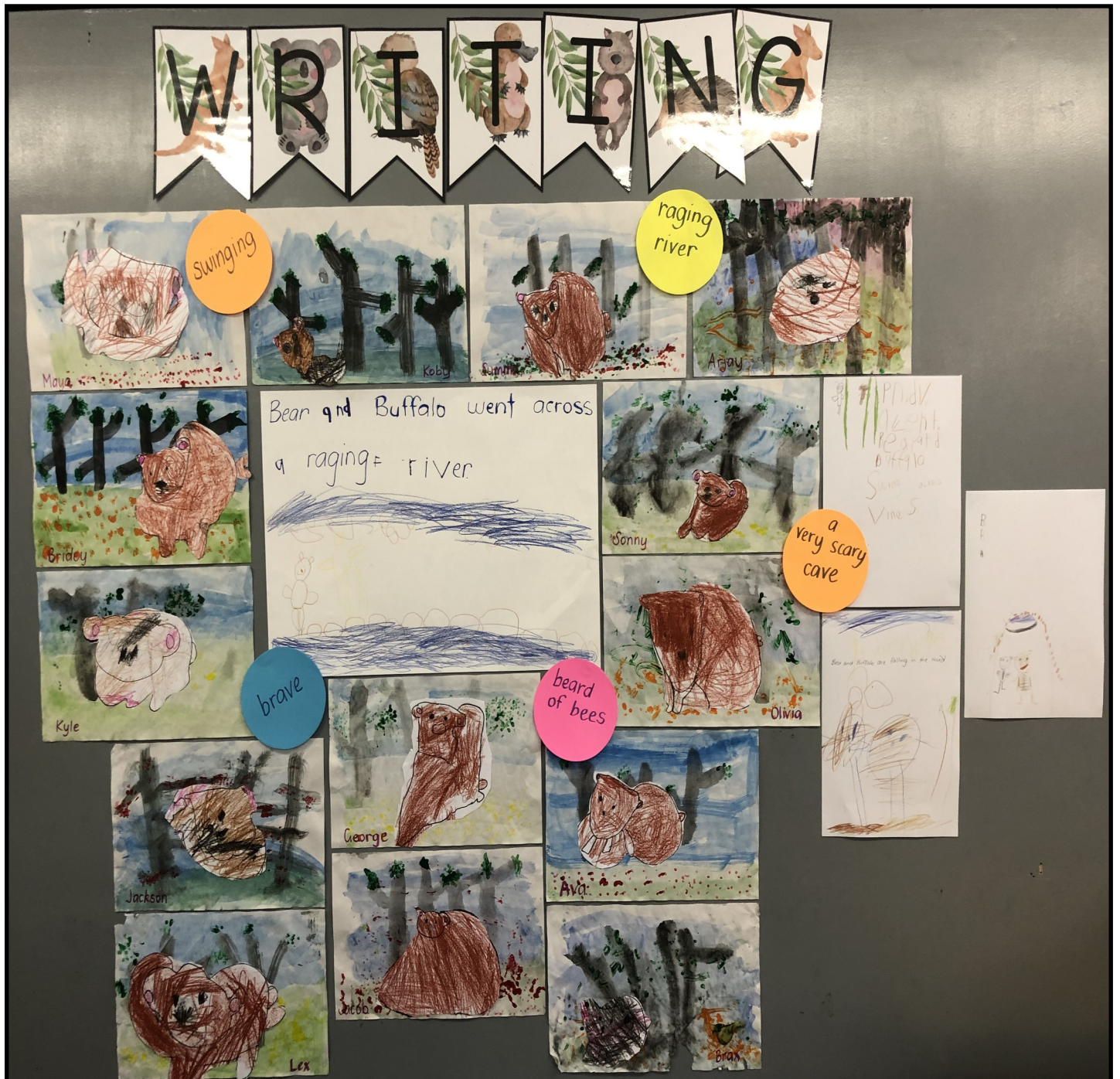


# KF Very Brave Bear

Last week KF read the 'Very Brave Bear' looking at strengths. They talked about how Bear and Buffalo showed bravery throughout the story.

KF then did interactive writing and students drew and wrote about how they thought they were brave.

Well done KF! Your bear artworks are amazing!







## Does your daughter love to dance??

Hunter Valley Physie has dance classes for girls from the age of 2yrs right through to ladies!

Physie is an affordable dance sport, which helps develop good posture, strength, fitness, flexibility, co-ordination and balance through dance. Our national choreography curriculum is age-appropriately designed to teach the relationship of music to movement, rhythm and musical interpretation. We provide a new syllabus and music every year and run fun annual competitions for teams and individuals. Contact us for more information [huntervalleyphysie@gmail.com](mailto:huntervalleyphysie@gmail.com) or find us on Facebook @ BJP Hunter Valley Physical Culture

Hunter Valley Physie is a registered Active Kids and Creative Kids provider

### KSPS NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL

One of the ways you can help us to reduce the amount of paper usage of our school is to opt to receive our weekly newsletter via email. To do this, fill out the section below and return it to our school office.

I would like to receive the KSPS newsletter by email each Wednesday instead of a paper copy.

Eldest Student at School: .....

Students Class: ..... Year.....

Parents Email Address:

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Confirm Email Address:

.....

Parent/Carer Name: .....

Signature: .....

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SINGLETON HOWE PARK  
Celebrating 110 Years

14th March 11am-1pm  
**FAMILY FUN DAY**

Howe Park Tennis Club

Jumping Castle.  
Social Tennis.  
Kids Activities.  
BBQ Lunch.

Special Guest Speaker  
*Kim Warwick*  
President, Tennis NSW  
World No. 1 (1989)

HTA CONTACT  
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13-15 MARCH 2020  
*Back to Singleton 2020*  
COMMUNICATING THE BICENTENNIAL OF ST PATRICK'S PLAINS

### King Street is an Allergy Aware School

This is a reminder for all families that some of our students have serious reactions to products containing nuts and fish.

**We ask that you please do not send foods or containers to school that contain nut or fish products.**

**This includes nutella and peanut butter spread.**

### Wellbeing of Students Valued

Please be aware that we have two immune-suppressed students at our school. If your child develops a contagious disease, please let the school know ASAP so we can act accordingly.

### JOIN THE KSPS BAND!

It's not too late! There are still positions available in our KSPS School Concert Band. You don't have to buy an instrument- maybe rent (for 6 months) to see how they go? Most of the rental money paid will come off purchase price.

If your child would like to be a part of our fabulous Concert Band,



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Free event

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## Homecoming STREET PARTY

13 MARCH  
2020

6 > 11 PM  
JOHN ST

Free event



14 MARCH  
2020

11 > 4 PM  
CIVIC GREEN

tickets  
on sale

## SINGLETON SOIREE OLD-TIME COCKTAIL GLAMOUR

14 MARCH  
2020

6 > 11 PM  
CIVIC CENTRE

You can purchase tickets from [stickytickets.com.au/pz250](https://stickytickets.com.au/pz250)  
or at Singleton Council's Administration Building or our Visitor Information Centre



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