

# KADINA HIGH CAMPUS NEWSLETTER

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## Minister for Education makes a visit to Kadina High

The Minister for Education Mr Rob Stokes visited Kadina Campus with local member Mr Thomas George while on a trip to Lismore. He was entertained by Ms Johnstone's Yr 10 music class.

Our P&C President, Ms Karen Kennedy was also present to meet the Minister. The Minister also met Ms Readman and congratulated her on her recent heroic event in the community.

Mitch from Yr 11 welcomed our visitors with an acknowledgement of country.



## Welcome to our new School Captains and Vice Captains



From L-R: Cameron Bryant, Hayley McPhail, Killian Binetrui & Kira Cook



School Captains and Vice Captains pictured with Principal Mr Ian Davies

## CALENDAR

**Rivers 6 into 7 Orientation Day**  
5 December

**HSC Results Released**  
14 December

**Last day of term for students**  
15 December

**First day Term 1 2018**  
**Year 7,11 &12**  
30 January

**All Students Return**  
31 January

## Student Engineering Day

On Tuesday 24th October, the Engineering Link Group visited Kadina High Campus to deliver their "Regional Engineering Project". We were joined by two staff from the Defence Force, Dr Ricardo Vasquez Padilla from Southern Cross University and two staff from the Engineering Link Group. This was a full day event in which students were given two half-day engineering challenges with practising engineers to solve problems using the principles of engineering.

The two challenges the students completed were the safe egg drop that involved designing and building a parachute to safely land an egg, and a Gearing challenge in which they had to design a gearing system to get a car to travel exactly 2 metres in 10 seconds.

All students gave great feedback about the day, and we look forward to hosting this event again next year.



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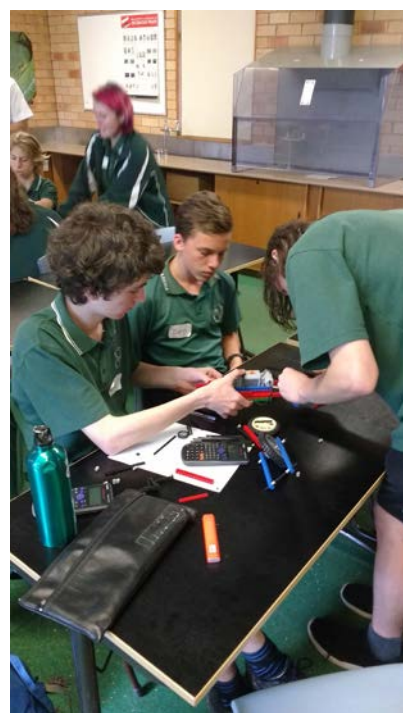
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We would like to respectfully acknowledge the Elders past and present of the Wijabul Wiyabal people and other peoples of Bundjalung Nation. We acknowledge that they are the first peoples of this land on which our school stands.



## Love Bites

As mentioned in a previous Newsletter. The Year 10 students participated in the “Love Bites” program in term three. This program is about developing skills and strategies around creating safe relationships. Below is an example of the banners the students made as part of this program.



## Lets show some real Xmas spirit

Every year Lions Xmas cakes help make Xmas a reality for many struggling families in our community.

We are asking that parents, through their students, buy a cake or pudding \$13 or \$17 for a large cake, as every purchase means that \$2.50 will be given to the Salvation Army to help our local families.

Students are asked to bring their order and money to Mrs Fitzpatrick in the library.

We thank you for your generosity and support.



## Kadina Sports Update

Congratulations to Ethan Hooker on his success at the All Schools Athletic Championships. Competing in the 14yrs Shot put and Discus para events, Ethan threw his way into the medals, going close to Gold in the shot put; gaining a Silver Medal on count back with 10.10m. His efforts in the discus saw him blow his competitors away with the final throw of 30.37m winning gold.



Well Done to the Junior boys and girls Beach Volleyball teams who competed at the North Coast Area Championships in Byron this week. The junior and senior teams had played in Evans earlier in the term, with both Junior teams winning the Zone Championships. They went close to winning the area title but were both defeated 2 sets-1.



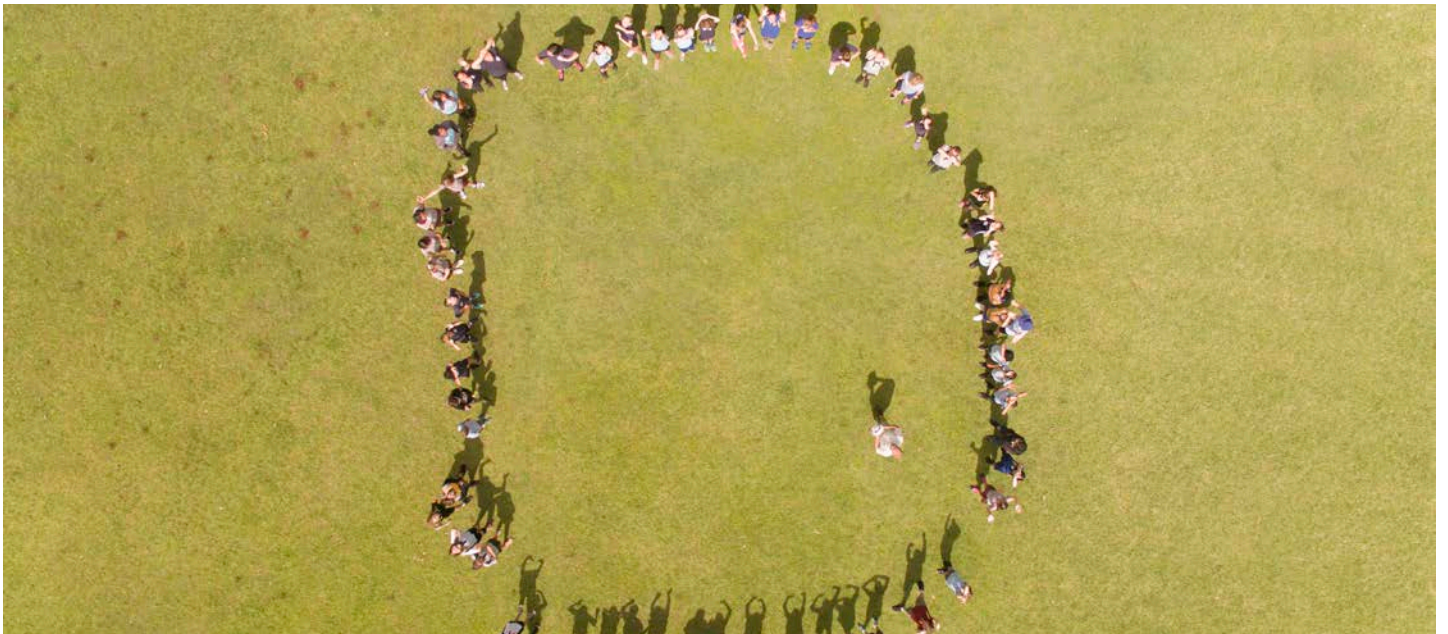
Congratulation to Cameron Bryant on his performance at the NSW CHS Cricket Championships. Cameron is the first player from Kadina to make the North Coast team for several years. Cameron also made the North Coast Rugby Union team earlier in the year. Great work



## Year 6-7 Transition Days

On Tuesday 14th of November, our wonderful 2018 Year 7 students attended their first orientation day. With generous assistance from Ms Sue Page and the transition team, the day was a big success. Students started the day with some team building activities, one of which required them to build a tower out of marshmallows and spaghetti while tied together. They then made their way around the school to attend different subjects where they took part in numerous fun and engaging activities. The year 6 students were then treated to a pizza lunch where they all had plenty to eat. Before heading home they all got back together with Mr Van Den Berg where they were shown parts of the STEM program. They experienced the drone where they were recorded and had their photo taken from high above. Some lucky students also had an opportunity to fly the drone.

Mr Wiblen



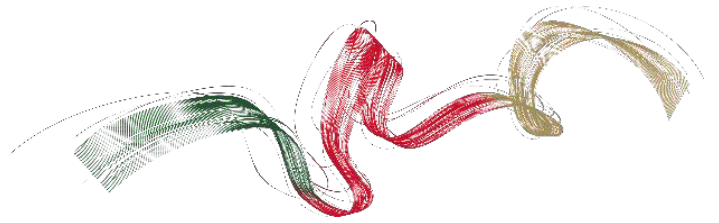






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### Kadina High Campus

**Arrival:** Suggested arrival time is 9:00am

**Meeting point:** All students should meet in the MPC.

**Requirements:** Students should wear full primary school uniform, covered shoes/sports shoes and have a hat. A pizza lunch will be provided on **14<sup>th</sup> November** only. This will include gluten-free and vegetarian pizzas. Students will need to bring morning tea and any other snacks, or purchase items from the school canteen. Don't forget your water bottle and pencil/pen case.

On the **5<sup>th</sup> December** students will need to bring their own morning tea and lunch or purchase food from the canteen. Parents are invited to a sausage sizzle in the school canteen area from 4pm – 5pm. From 3:45pm there will be a short presentation of images from the orientation days in the MPC if you wish to attend.

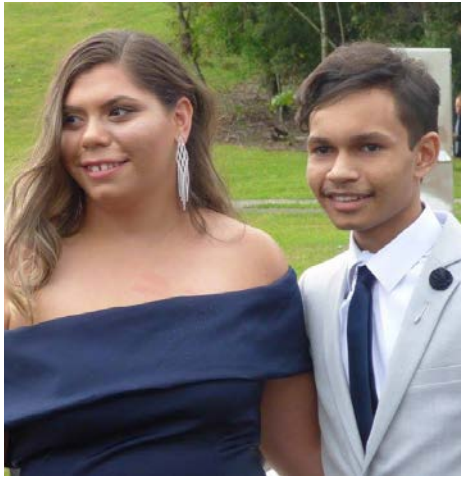


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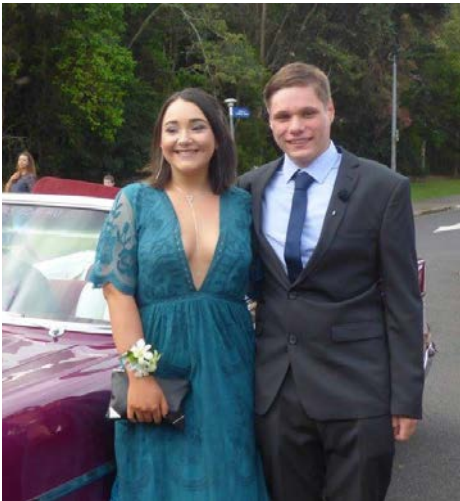
Year 12 Formal 2017





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**HANG ON TO YOUR  
SOMBREROS!**



**IS COMING**

**2017 KADINA CAPA  
JUNIOR SHOWCASE  
IN THE MPC  
\$5 ENTRY**

**Thursday 30th November 6:30pm  
Friday 1st December 11:30am & 6:30pm**



# INFO NIGHT

## 30 NOV | 4-7PM



ANIMATION



AUDIO



DESIGN



FILM



GAMES



WEB & MOBILE

If you're considering studying creative media next year, SAE can help turn your passion into a successful career as a creative practitioner. Info Night is your chance to speak to our experienced team, tour the campus facilities, and find out how you can pursue your passion in this dynamic and expanding industry. Register online for full details.

**BYRON BAY CAMPUS - EWINGSDALE RD.**

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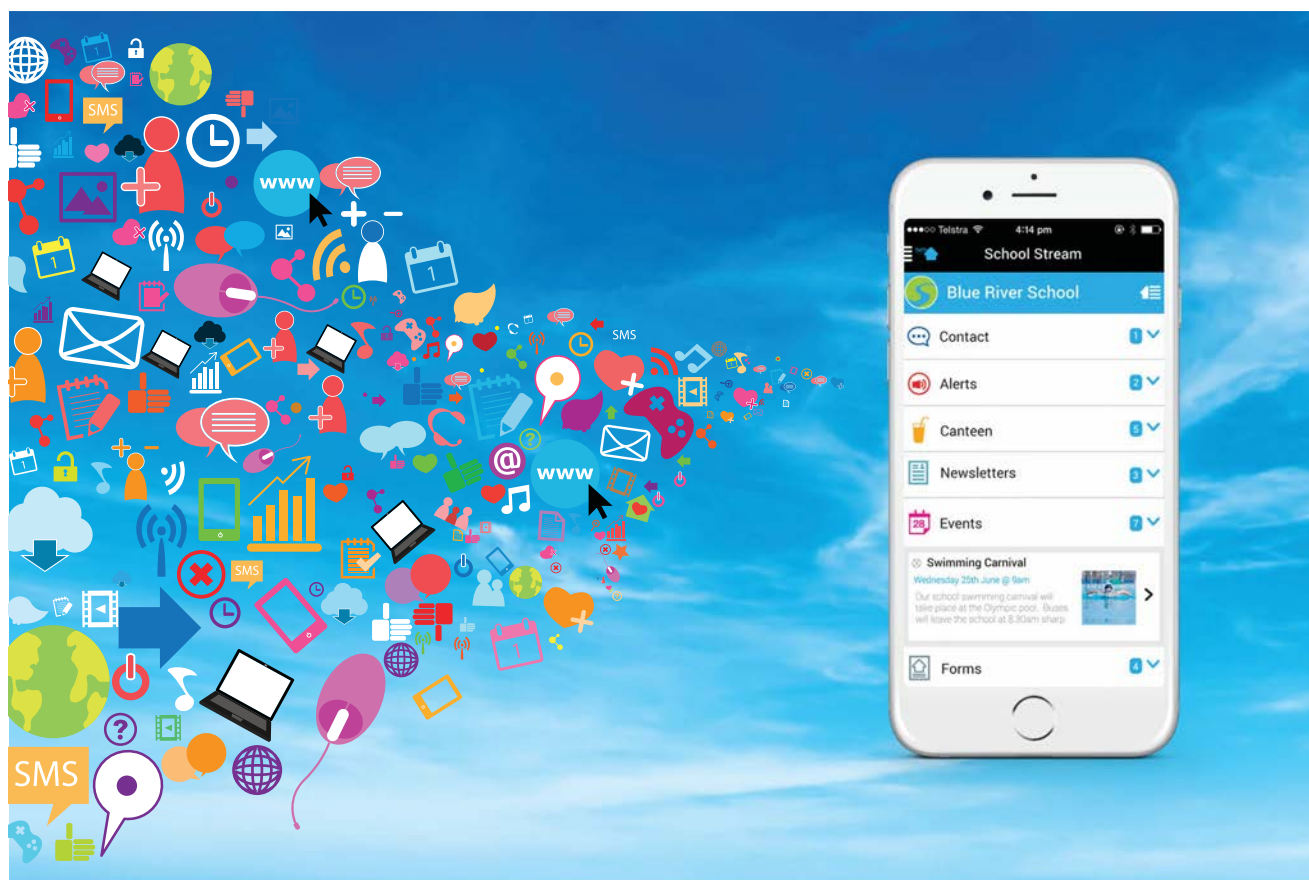
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