

# KADINA HIGH CAMPUS NEWSLETTER



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## Kadina High Show Team

The Kadina High Show Team represented our school at the North Coast National presenting their led steers that the team have spent five months dedicating their time and effort to raise and prepare. The team consisted of Billy, Jacinta, Jasmine, Hayley, Holly, Montana and Tyla. At the end of the night all steers sold for \$5.80 a kilo. The final results will be posted at a later date. We would like to thank the school and the Ag department for offering us this wonderful opportunity.





## CALENDAR

**Curtain Call**  
7 November

**Year 12 Formal**  
12 November

**Year 7 Orientation Day**  
26 November\ 3 December

**CAPA Showcase**  
4-5 December

**Last day for students Term 4**  
18 December

**P&C Meeting 3rd Monday of  
each month**



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

## Our Footprints

Our Footprints is a pilot project being trialed by our Indigenous boys in Year 8. Students are working with Gnibi down at Southern Cross University for most of Term 4. Students will travel to the university and engage with cultural and team building activities, encouraging them to develop a sense of pride and responsibility with their expanding knowledge. This week at school as a 'taste tester' for the program, some of the students worked together to create fire using traditional methods.

Thanks,

Renee Boulton  
English Teacher



# Bandanna Day 2019

Bandanna Day last Friday was a great success!

We sold 120 Bandannas, selling out – this is enough to ensure three regional young people have their flights covered so they don't miss out and are able to participate in CanTeen activities. We also took \$55 in cash donations.

Thank you to our Kadina community for your support, to the SRC, Mr Wilkes and Ms Simpson (office), for organisation and to Krystal, Danielle, Sophie and Poppy for selling bandannas.





# Thank you

The Rivers Secondary College, Kadina High Campus

CanTeen supports young people living with cancer. We couldn't do this work without the generosity and efforts of people like you!

Thank you for being a part of  
**National Bandanna Day 2019**

A handwritten signature in blue ink.

**Amy McLaughlin**  
National Bandanna Day Coordinator



## Solar Ovens

Year 10 have been undertaking a problem solving activity to use the principles of the greenhouse effect to make solar ovens. They researched a range of designs, proposed multiple solutions then chose one to implement. Everyone managed to make chocolate melts and the hottest oven reached 90 degrees celsius.



# Kadina High School Students Queensland State Champions with K2 Kayaking GOLD for Josh & Ethan

Last weekend, Kadina High School students Joshua Lee & Ethan Renshaw competed in the 2019 Queensland School State Kayaking Championships at Coomera. The two Kadina students competed in a double Flat Water Sprint Kayak to win the Under 16 Men's race, and also set the fastest K2 time of the day beating the Open Men's K2.

Josh also placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Under 16 Men's 6000m event and 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Under 16 Men's 300m Sprint.

Ethan placed 5<sup>th</sup> in the Under 16 Men's 6000m event, and 5<sup>th</sup> in the Under 16 Men's 300m Sprint.



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# Year 7 News



Year 7 girls have been having fun learning all about cricket this term. Ms Newby tells me we have some stars in our midst!

The boys have been off site at gymnastics for the last few weeks and if the complaining at recess is anything to go by, it sounds like they are having a pretty serious work out!!



## End of year excursion

Notes are going home this week for our awesome end of year excursion. This year, Year 7 and 8 will be travelling by bus to Thunderbird Park,

doing a 2 hour hike, having a swim at a local water hole and then tackling the terrifying Tree Tops Challenge.

Students are required to bring hats, sunscreen, plenty of energy food, swimmers etc. and lots of water! It will be a FANTASTIC day!

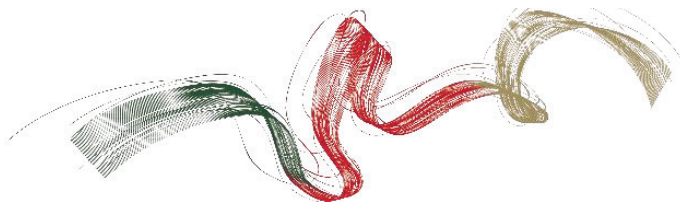
The excursion will cost \$60. This includes bus, guides and the Tree Tops Challenge. Notes and money need to be returned to the Student Services Office by 20<sup>th</sup> November.

Please let me know if you need financial support to cover the costs,

Ms Jude

Year 7 Adviser





## Year 6-7 Transition 2019

The Rivers Secondary College would like to invite parents and children starting Year 7 in 2020 to our Orientation Program. Our orientation days will occur on **Tuesday, 26 November and Tuesday, 3 December**.

This program aims to assist your child in having a smooth transition from primary school to The Rivers Secondary College by meeting teachers and students at the relevant campus site. The students will experience campus routines, become familiar with the location of places of importance around the campus as well as build relationships with teachers and friendships with other children. Please see the information below regarding specific information for each campus.

### Lismore High Campus

**Arrival:** Suggested time is 9:15am **Meeting point:** All students should meet in the School Hall.

**On the day:** Students should wear full primary school uniform, covered shoes/sport shoes and have a hat.

**On 26 November** a pizza lunch will be provided. Please advise the school of any dietary requirements on 6621 5185. 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 3 December** parents are invited to attend from 9:00am to 10:00am and stay for morning tea. Students will need to bring their own morning tea and lunch as well as any other snacks, or purchase food from the school canteen. Don't forget your water bottle and a hat.

**Departure:** School ends at 3:15pm. Students being picked up by parents should be collected from College Road.

### Kadina High Campus

**Arrival:** Suggested time is 9:15am **Meeting point:** All students should meet in the MPC.

**On the day:** Students should wear full primary school uniform, covered shoes/sports shoes and have a hat.

**On 26 November** pizza lunch will be provided. 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. Remember to bring a water bottle, and pen/pencil case.

**On 3 December** parents are invited to attend from 9:15am to 10:15am and stay for a morning tea Q & A session. School uniform will be available for purchase through the school canteen from 8:00am. Students will need to bring their own morning tea and lunch or purchase food from the canteen on this day. Remember to bring a water bottle, and pen/pencil case.

**Departure:** School ends at 3:15pm. Students being picked up by parents should be collected from the car park within campus grounds.

### Richmond River High Campus

**Arrival:** Suggested time is 9:00am **Meeting point:** All students should meet in the MPU.

**On the day:** Students should wear full primary school uniform, covered shoes/sports shoes and have a hat.

A sausage sizzle lunch will be provided on both orientation days. Students may choose to bring their morning tea or use the school canteen. Don't forget a drink bottle, pencil/pen case.

**On 3 December** parents are invited to attend an information and Q and A session from 9:15am-10:15am, upstairs in the staff common room.

**Departure:** School ends at 3:15pm. Students being picked up by parents should be collected from Alexander Parade.

An important part of the transition process is students becoming familiar with their travel arrangements when starting high school. We encourage all students to travel to our orientation days in the same way they will travel to their campus next year. If travelling by bus, you can check your bus route and pick up/drop off points by visiting: <https://www.buslinesgroup.com.au/northern-rivers>, phoning your local bus company or by contacting the campus which your child will attend.



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