

# KADINA HIGH CAMPUS NEWSLETTER

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## Kadina High Campus Beautification Program

Kadina is well known for having its share of native wildlife poke around which is great incentive to continue to maintain and improve the grounds surrounding the school.

Many thanks to all who have donated to help rejuvenate the gardens around Kadina High. Students and teachers have used personal time to help improve the gardens by adding new plants, mulch, pruning existing plants and trees and even constructing new garden beds. Please keep an eye on our Facebook page as we continue to release pictures of our newly improved grounds.

Mr Wilkes





## CALENDAR

Year 12 Trials begin  
**August 10-21**

Year 11 Exams begin  
**September 14-24**

Last day of Term 3  
**September 25**

First day of Term 4  
**October 12**

## P&C MEETINGS VIA ZOOM

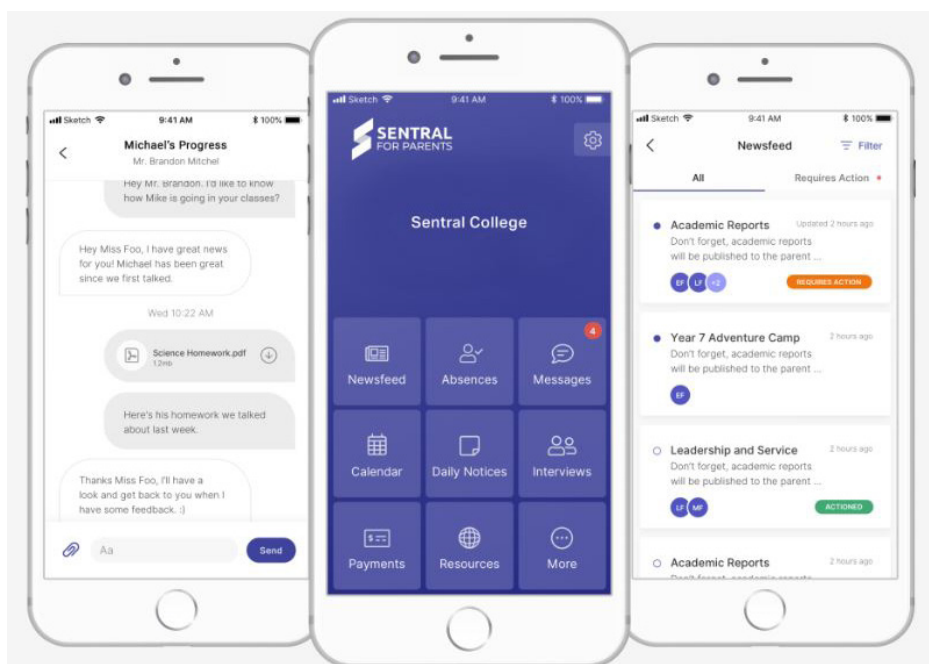
Next meeting: Monday 17th  
August with the general  
meeting commencing at 6pm.

## Kadina Parent Portal and App



The Sentral for Parents Portal and App allows you to monitor your child's school journey simply and efficiently. You will find numerous smart features that help streamline your day. Receive messages and notifications from teachers, receive important alerts and announcements and even download school forms that you normally would have had to request. The Sentral for Parent Portal and App helps you to stay connected and informed about your child's education safely and securely from your own home.

We sent home letters with instructions on how to register and link your child to your account using the personal code issued to each student. If you have misplaced your letter please contact the school and we will organise a new letter to go out. Once registered and logged in please remember to take the second step of linking your child to your account, if you fail to do this you will not see personalised information and attendance data for your child, also, teachers and parents will not be able to communicate directly through the messaging function.



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

### Sentral for Parents app features



#### Newsfeed and Daily Notices

Receive newsfeed and daily notices about important events that relate to your child.



#### 2-way messaging

Communicate directly with your child's teacher in the app via 2-way messaging. View, download and upload documents.



#### Absence notifications

Send absence notifications to the school quickly and easily from within the app.



#### Calendar

View calendar items to stay up to date with school events.



#### Interviews

Conveniently view parent teacher interview bookings.



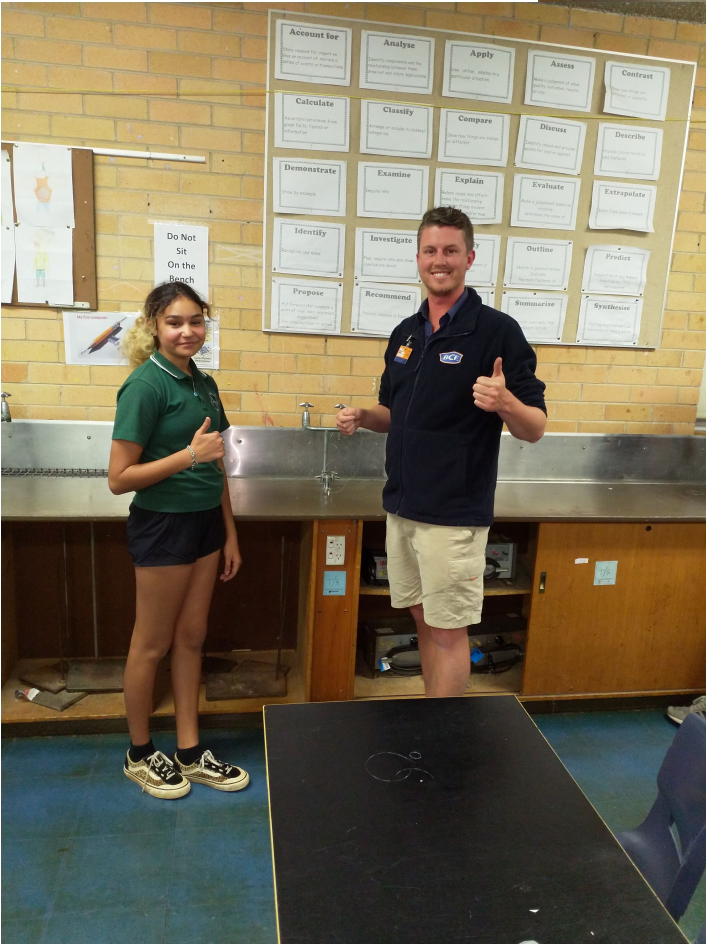
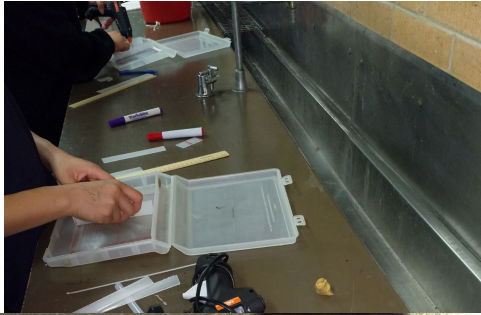
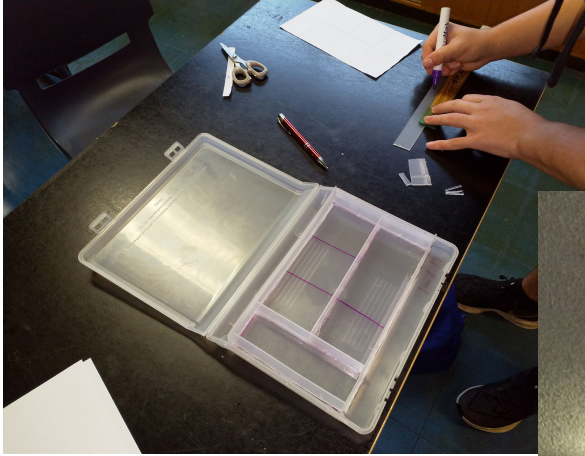
#### Payments

View and make payments for school fees, excursions and more.

## BCF Lismore visit

Students have been hard at work constructing tackle boxes and learning the measurements required for lures and other necessary tackle. BCF has visited to lend a hand and check out the great work students have been doing. Thanks BCF Lismore for the visit.

Mr Wilkes





## Year 8 News

Year 8 students have been working hard on their 'What Matters To Me' speeches which they will be presenting in English over the new few weeks. Some of the topics they have researched include: racism, fast fashion, discrimination, religious persecution and a number of different environmental issues. This is a great opportunity for students to express their views about issues of concern to them. Congratulations for those brave enough to get up and really put themselves out there. Public speaking is a terrifying thing to do and many of you have overcome fears to get up in front of your peers! It's a huge effort.

In STEM, students are currently working on business models and exploring cosmetics and the beauty industry. Students are developing perfumes and essential oils so keep an eye out for their advertising campaigns soon.

We'd also like to welcome Krystal to 8B. Krystal has just moved to the area.

Keep up the great work Year 8!

Ms Jude

Year Advisor



## PCYC Fit for Change program

The girls from year 7 and 8 attended the second session of the 'Save a mate' training which looked at responses to and recognising signs of an overdose, emergency first aid response and the classifications of different drugs.

The girls then participated in different physical activities with PCYC police joining it.

The program continues next week aswell.



## Year 7 Boys Gymnastics

For the past few weeks of this term, the year 7 boys have been attending gymnastics for Wednesday sport. All boys have challenged themselves in undertaking different physical skills such as trampolining, balance and flexibility. The instructors put the boys to the test and push them to their physical limits.

Miss Somerfield





# Japanese Cooking

Currently in Year 11 Japanese Beginners we are learning how to say likes and dislikes and making comparisons. This week during our triple lesson, we were delighted with the outcome of two of Japan's most famous dishes. A massive thank you to Clayton for coming in to share his chef expertise. The students learn't some cutting skills and cooking techniques.





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