



Celebrating in KV

Events calendar

Monday 29 November

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Tuesday 30 November

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Wednesday 1 December

Book Fair

Thursday 2 December

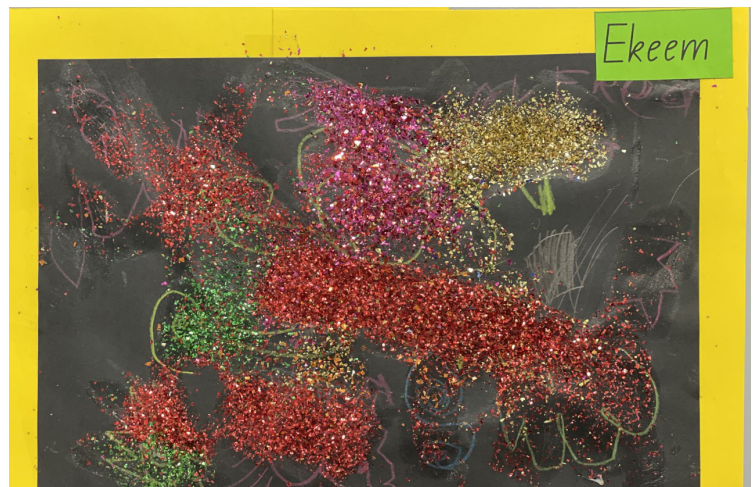
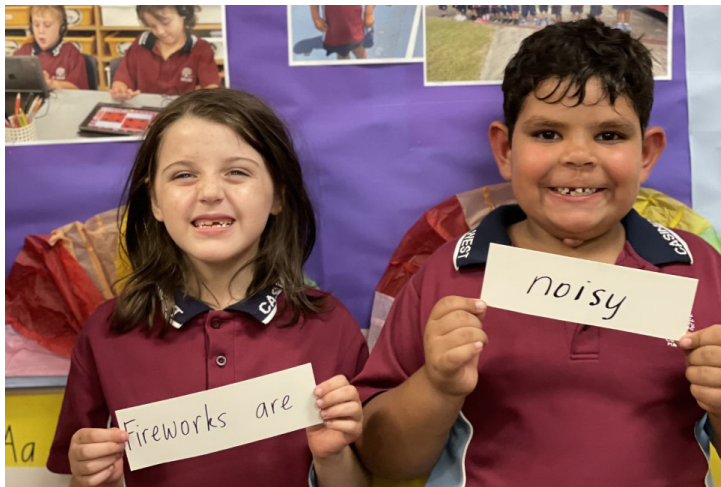
Book Fair

5/6K & 5/6R End of Year excursion - Ballina Waterslide

Friday 3 December

Book Fair

Gold reward Lazer Squirmish



KV have recently started a unit on Celebrations. We talked about reasons to celebrate and all our favourite times of the year. Everyone agreed that Fireworks are one of the most exciting parts of celebrations. We described Fireworks with rich vocabulary such as magnificent, dazzling and glorious. Miss Val Smith.

Dear parents, carers and community members,

Welcome to week 9 after a successful concert showing in all classes last week. We hope that you got to see your child's class item on ClassDojo, what a wonderful job all the students did. Thank you to the staff who helped put the items and costumes together and thanks to Mrs Scott and Astoria who have edited all the items and the concert hosts Summer and Connor, to create our 2021 concert video. *If you would be interested in obtaining a copy, please contact the office. We can supply one on a flash drive for \$10.00.*

With only three weeks of the term to go, there are lots of things happening at school:

Student reports are being finalised, preparations are underway for end of year activities, and we are organising our school for 2022. Student reports will be coming home in week 11.

This week Stage 3 will be going to Ballina Waterslides on Thursday for their end of year excursion. All notes and money should now be finalised. Remember payments can be made via the [school website](#) and electronic permissions can be completed via the Skoolbag app. Students who have consistently been safe, responsible and respectful learners this term will be eligible for GOLD award and will be invited to take part in Laser Skirmish in the hall on Friday. Well done to all of those students!

There will be more celebrations next week including our stage based presentation ceremonies, the Year 6 Graduation Dinner, Early Stage 1, Stage 1 and Stage 2 end of year water fun day, Stage 2 end of year excursion to Lismore Bowls and Attendance Reward jumping castle for students attending more than 90% of the time. Fun to come for everyone!

Today staff from the University Centre for Rural Health presented Casino West staff with a thank you present for supporting final year Occupational Therapy (OT) students with their placement. The OT students are of great benefit to our students and we are happy to say the OT students will be returning again in 2022.

Mr Shannon Beaumont has taken leave for the remainder of 2021 and will be replaced by Mr Robert Antonioli. Mr Beaumont will also be taking leave for 2022 and we thank him for the time he has spent supporting students at Casino West Public School.

In the last week of school on Tuesday 14 December the SRC will be presenting another mini fete day for the enjoyment of all. Thank you to Mr Kilby, Ms R and Rachel Adams for assisting with this activity for our school.

We have attached parent/carers information on updated COVID protocol regarding school cleaning, rapid antigen testing and singing, chanting and use of wind instruments. Please contact the school if you have any questions on 6662 1916.

Have a great week.

Lesley Mills

Principal

[Advice for families page](#)

[Levels of cleaning in place in our schools](#)



29 November 2021

COVID PROTOCOL UPDATE

Dear parent or carer

In order to minimise disruptions caused to schools by COVID-19 cases, and to maximise the time our students have learning in the classrooms a number of changes to operations for schools will be introduced from Monday 29 November for the remainder of Term 4.

Rapid antigen 'test-to-stay' program

A rapid antigen home testing (RAHT) 'test-to-stay' program will be available to any student who is a close contact of a COVID-19 case in a school setting. This will enable them to get back to school immediately following a negative PCR test and on the basis they do daily RAHTs before attending school across 7 consecutive days. This means that our students' learning is able to continue with minimal interruptions following a positive COVID-19 case. Full support will be available to help you implement this should it be required at our school and many other schools and students are already using RAHTs successfully.

Singing, chanting and instruments that rely on breath allowed outdoors

In line with community settings, instruments that rely on breath and singing and chanting will now be permitted if held outdoors, within cohorts, with distancing in place and where there is no sharing of instruments. Under these same conditions music classes, bands, ensembles, group repetition and choirs within cohorts can also resume.

An update to our cleaning protocols

NSW public schools are cleaned by professional cleaners each day, guided by expert advice from the Australian Health Protection Principal Committee (AHPPC), the National Health and Medical Research Council and NSW Health. As we have already seen in many schools, cohorting and our other COVID-safe layers of protection have been effective at minimising disruption. NSW Health has provided clear advice, based on evidence that the department's regular clean, day clean and enhanced clean provides a more than sufficient layer of protection in schools for students and staff. NSW Health have advised there is no health and safety benefit to undertaking an environmental clean which is highly disruptive to a school's ongoing operations and can close a school for up to 2 days. This is another important change that will get students back into classrooms faster in parallel with the 'test-to-stay' program. You can read more on the department's [website](#) about the different levels of cleaning in place in our schools.

Please continue to refer to the department's [Advice for families page](#) for the latest information on settings in our schools.

Thank you again for your continued support during this school term.

Lesley Mills

Principal



summer Vacation Club With **Rainbow Region Kids**

Childcare subsidy APPROVED!

NOT-FOR-PROFIT!

EDUCATIONAL!

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safe!

Fun!

Rainbow Region Kids Vacation Club is now taking bookings for the Summer 2021-22 school holidays in Alstonville, Casino, Kyogle, Lismore, Ocean Shores and Wollongbar!

BOOK NOW! call 6621 7397 email rrkassist@nrc9.org.au

nrc9.org.au



Tips for quick, easy, healthy lunch boxes!

<https://healthylunchbox.com.au/>



CASINO INDOOR SPORTS STADIUM

Kids Membership

\$6 PER WEEK OR \$20 PER MONTH OR FREE WITH ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS

For FREE entry to Casino Indoor Sports Stadium sign up for our Mobilised Kids Program and use your child's Active Kids Voucher. If you need help applying, please come in and see us. We can help you with your Service NSW account and children's vouchers.

INCLUDES:

Junior Futsal - Basketball - Volleyball - Boxing
Junior Ninja Warrior & Inclusion Games.
PLUS Casual Entry 7 Days a week!!!

ACTIVE KIDS

Richmond Valley Council

Our value this week is **PRESENCE**

- To be present when someone is speaking to you means giving them your full attention and listening carefully to what they are saying.
- By being present for others you make them feel valued.
- Being present is being aware of what is happening right now – not thinking about yesterday or tomorrow – but thinking, noticing and attentively being in the moment now.

“Focus on opportunities not setbacks. Focus on what you can do, not what you can't. Focus on the present moment, not the past or the future. Empower yourself!”

“Today is the first day of the rest of your life.”

IAHA National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Academy



SPREAD THE WORD

School Based Traineeships Opportunities for Year 11/12 students

Interview will be an informal phone call

Where are the positions located?

2 x Casino Hospital

2 x Casino Aboriginal Medical Centre

2 x Lismore Base Hospital

2 x Lismore Aboriginal Medical Centre

6 x positions at the Southern Cross University Health Clinic

What to expect in year 11 and 12 as a Health SBT?

One day per week paid work

One day per week paid study (yes you will be paid to study!). Indigenous Allied Health Australia are setting up a study space at the SCU campus in Lismore where you will be supported to study Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance. Lunch is also provided!

Three days per week at school

All regular vaccinations required as well as COVID vaccination.

The closing date to apply for these fantastic SBT opportunities has been extended to 1 December.

To find out more information, contact

us on (02) 6285 1010 or email grouptraining@iaha.com.au

Over the phone payments will be CEASING

To meet external payment security compliance standards, Casino West Public school will be ceasing credit card details by email or phone at the end of this term.

These transactions are commonly referred to as 'card not present' or 'MOTO' (mail order/telephone order) transactions, where the credit card and the purchaser are not physically present at the time of payment.

Credit/debit card payments continue to be an option via the school website. To access this convenient service, select the 'MAKE A PAYMENT' tab from the home page.

Online payments via the school website can be made anywhere and anytime. EFTPOS facilities are still available in person. (note: when no COVID restrictions in place)

Please phone the school on 6662 1916 for any further information.

Junior Platty Canteen Award

Saskia in KS

Senior Platty Canteen Award

Shontahla in 3/4T

Different teacher, Same respect Award

Cooper in 3/4S

Donald in 1M

Congratulations!

Each week students are drawn from the special golden box. Students then pick a prize from Mrs Mills' special prize box.



**Beginner Piano Lessons
for Kindergarten – Year 6 students
in January School Holidays**

The Big Scrub Orchestra is offering
small group beginner piano lessons
for 5 – 13 year olds in Casino

Use your Service NSW \$100 Creative Kids Voucher
to receive four free weekly piano workshops.

Limited places, so book early.

Please phone Mandy to secure your place
on 0468 371 381 or office@thebigscruborchestra.com

Attendance Award Week 8 Term 4

K/6S 100%

2C 96%

Well Done!

Word of the Week
Walla Walla
means
Magpie



"Great to see students walking straight to their bus-room after the bell. Remember to sit quietly on the bus and stay in your seat until your stop comes. This allows the bus driver to concentrate."

End of Year Celebration Water Play Fun Day

KS, KV, 1M, 1/2W & 2C - Monday 6 December

K/6B, K/6H & K/6S - Wednesday 8 December



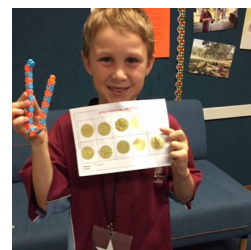
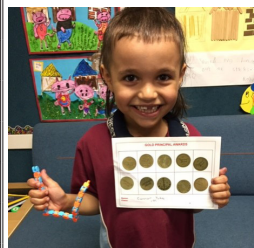
**3/4S & 3/4T
End of Year Excursion
Wednesday
8 December**



Principal Award

“Achieving 10 stars” Well done!

Hayden P	Nyesharni N-B	James G	Kacey P
James G	Koby D	Alice H	Summer A
Lakayshia W-H	Leo C	Caitlynn Mc	Safiyah N
Zhyianca C	Jesse B	Tyler M	Sonah R
Kalissa S	Leanna H	Hunter H-C	Levi C
Nyesharni N-B	Traevon H	Emmy S	Jamal R
Lameah B	Levi C	Matt H	Connor Y
Kirsty D	Sharna C	Sue D	Kalissa S
Safiyah N	Isaac H	Laureek R	Lachlan B
Isabella S	Koby D	Chelcie J	Kaydan C
Cohen M	Landen P	Rayne A-S	Khloe F
William D	Khloe F	Koby D	Levi C
Tamesha R	Payton C	Traevon H	Zandyr S
Markeeah R-W	Maddison Mc	Kobe C	Taner B
Tyler M	Alice H	Emmaleikah O	
Bailey T	Kaydan C	Tylah H	
Ashley P	Khloe F	Zekheil H	
Lakayshia W-H	Hope H	Kobe C	
Hunter P	Keveesha R-W	Calman H	
Coby C	Leroy R	Hope H	
Rayne A-S	Summer A	Isabella S	
Zandyr S	Isaac H	Jesse P	
Janarlee B-R	Sue D	Jye P	
Willow W	Levi C	Saskia M	
Zekheil H	Cooper G	Zakariya N	
Donald D	James G	Thomas D	
Lilith P	Jye P	Nahum H	
Dolly D	Lexcene T	Bella P	
Abraham C	Shantala R	Ekeem W	
Sarah L	Kaliah T	Jarli P	
Markeeah R-W	Keveesha R-W	Malekai M	
Jahlisa K-E	Koby C	Lincoln B-S	
Brooklyn T	Lameaha B	Nathan S	
Cohen M	Landen P	Oceana M	
Lincoln B	Ally G	Sharna C	
Tylah H	Emily S	Donald D	
Matt H	Flynn S	Cohen M	
Isabella P	Dylan H	Sophia M	
Teeanna R	Madison M	Jahlisa K-E	
Jesse F	Crystal G	Ally G	
Maxwell C	Nyesharni N-B	Leanna H	
Caitlynn Mc	Sapphira J	Addison B	
Addison B	Safiyah N	Caleb W	
Lachlan B	William D	Lakayshia W-H	
Les R	Jason R	Kirsty D	



WHAT'S ON THIS TERM

Term 4 - 2021		Wednesday 1 December	Book Fair
Monday 29 November		Thursday 2 December	Book Fair 5/6K & 5/6R End of Year Excursion to Ballina Waterslide
Tuesday 30 November		Friday 3 December	Book Fair
		Friday 3 December	Gold Reward - Lazer Skirmish
		Monday 6 December	End of Year Celebration Water Play Fun Day KS, KV, 1M, 1/2W & 2C
		Tuesday 7 December	Year 6 Farewell
		Tuesday 7 December	End of Year Presentation Day Early Stage 1 & Stage 1
		Wednesday 8 December	3/4S & 3/4T End of Year Excursion to Lismore Ten Pin Bowls
		Wednesday 8 December	K/6B, K/6H & K/6S End of Year Water Party
		Thursday 9 December	End of Year Presentation Day Stage 2 & Stage 3
		Friday 10 December	Attendance Day Reward - Slide
		Monday 13 December	
		Tuesday 14 December	SRC Fete
		Wednesday 15 December	

pulse start TRAINING SOLUTIONS

FIRST AID & CPR TRAINING

First aid and CPR training for Individuals of the community
USI IS ESSENTIAL FOR CERTIFICATION



HLTAID009 & HLTAID011

FREE NATIONALLY RECOGNISED TRAINING



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TABULAM 2469

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CASINO INDOOR SPORTS STADIUM

COURT 1							
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	
9AM		9.15-10am Circuit		9.15-10am Boxercise			
10AM	INTR. YOUTH SERVICES				Inclusion Games		
11AM			DISABILITY SERVICES & AGENCIES	DISABILITY SERVICES & AGENCIES	For children and their families		
12PM	CASUAL ENTRY 12 TO 1.30PM	CASUAL ENTRY 12 TO 1.30PM	CASUAL ENTRY 12 TO 1.30PM	CASUAL ENTRY 12 TO 1.30PM	CASUAL ENTRY 12 TO 1.30PM		
1PM							
2PM							
3PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM		
4PM	MOBILISED KIDS FUTSAL	CIRCUS ARTS-KIDS	MOBILISED KIDS BASKETBALL	KITSUNE JUDO	JUNIOR NINJA WARRIOR	To Be Announced	
5PM	BOXING	ADULTS CIRCUS ARTS	BOXING	JUDO	MOBILISED KIDS BOXING	INCLUSION SOCIAL NIGHT	
6PM	MIXED FUTSAL	CIRCUS ARTS	COURT AVAILABLE 6PM TO 9PM	MIXED BASKETBALL	YOUTH SOCIAL NIGHT	Every 2nd Saturday	
7PM			CASUAL ENTRY				
8PM							
OFF COURT	7-9PM INTERMEDIATE BOXING		5-6pm TABLE TENNIS	7-9pm GRAPPLING			

Richmond Valleys premier facility for sports, events and functions located at Colley Park, Casino.



Available for hire and opportunities for sponsorship including large prominent signage and promotion of your business.

COURT 2							
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	
9AM							
10AM							
11AM			DISABILITY SERVICES	DISABILITY SERVICES	For children and their families		
12PM							
1PM							
2PM							
3PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM	CASUAL ENTRY 3-4PM		
4PM	COURT AVAILABLE 4PM TO 6PM	VOLLEYBALL	MF MATT FIDDES MARTIAL ARTS	MF MATT FIDDES MARTIAL ARTS	YOUTH BASKETBALL COMP		
5PM	FOR CASUAL ENTRY						
6PM	MIXED ADULT FUTSAL	VOLLEYBALL	COURT AVAILABLE 6PM TO 9PM CASUAL ENTRY		SENIORS BASKETBALL		
7PM							
8PM	COURT AVAILABLE 8PM TO 9PM CASUAL ENTRY	COURT AVAILABLE 8PM TO 9PM CASUAL ENTRY			YOUTH SOCIAL NIGHT		
9PM							

CASUAL ENTRY Adult
\$6 ENTRY or \$12 WEEK
Or \$40 MONTH
Under 18
\$3 ENTRY or \$6 WEEK
Or \$20 MONTH
Includes: Volleyball, Basketball, Boxing & Mobilised Kids
ACTIVE KIDS FREE!!!

STADIUM HIRE (hourly)
One court \$42.50
Full stadium \$64.50

CLASSES
MF Martial Arts \$20
Fitness Classes \$10
Judo \$5
Mobilised Kids \$3
Circus Arts \$22
Boxing \$3 Child \$6 Adult

COMING SOON!
Combat Archery \$15

Blue text indicates covered by membership