



# Kiama High School Newsletter

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Term 4 Week 1A & 2B

Commencing October 15, 2018

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



As we draw to the end of Term 3 I would like to wish everyone a safe, happy holiday. Take time to stop, breathe and look around you. We have so many things to be grateful for if we learn to notice them. The end of Term 3 also signifies the end of formal schooling for our Year 12 students. This week we have celebrated with the Activity Fun Day and Year 12 Graduation Evening. I wish all Year 12 students the best for

their upcoming exams and I encourage them to study so that they feel prepared for their HSC examinations. I was very interested to hear the Official Address by Michael Cassel at the Graduation Evening. As a former Kiama High School student he was encouraged to follow his passion and now runs the highly successful live entertainment company, The Michael Cassel group. Michael encouraged students to work hard to make their dreams a reality and said that with determination great things are achievable. What an inspiration he is to our Year 12 students who are about to embark on the next stage of their life



journey. Pictured with Michael is Natalie Camino, Year 12 Adviser, who has done an outstanding job supporting every student over the past four years. For her, being a Year Adviser has been a highlight of her career. Alongside Natalie there has been a team of staff doing their bit. Tim

Poppett organised a fabulous Activity fun Day, David Smith and Kerrie Powell are to be commended for the Graduation evening. Amanda Telfer and Ros Hallinan in the office put together certificate sand Ros Jaeger helped with set up. When we work together the team spirit shines through. The Year 12 picture clearly demonstrates the fun that was had – there were some great costumes on display.



Finally I love it when I catch students doing the right thing. I'm very impressed with the condition of our playground. It is now looking clean and cared

for. Cohen and Dylan exemplify our PBL value of Responsibility by putting their rubbish in the right bins. Well done boys.



**Catherine Glover**  
Principal

## YEAR 12 INFORMATION

Parents and Caregivers of Year 12 students

**THE HSC** – commences on **Thursday 18 October** and concludes on **Friday 9 November 2018**. Copies of the HSC Timetable are available to both students and parents on the NESA website:-

<http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/hsc/key-dates-exam-timetables>- Click onto 2018 Higher School Certificate examination timetable to view the dates and exams on each day. There is also valuable information related to preparing for the exams, equipment needed and what you need to do if your child is ill during the exams.

**YEAR 12 SIGN OUT** - Year 12 will officially sign out on **12 November 2018**. Students will need to return all text books on this day and can then collect their formal tickets. More information regarding time and location of sign out to come.

If you have any questions related to the above information or a concern about the progress of your son/daughter please do not hesitate to contact the Year 12 Adviser Natalie Camino on 42321911.

Thank you for your support,

**Natalie Camino, Year 12 Adviser**

## SECONDARY STUDIES NEWS – YEAR 11

### Save the date Year 11 Parents:

Tuesday 23 October 2018 for the 2019 HSC parent information evening, 7.00pm in the Library.

A reminder to all Year 11 students and parents that no student can relinquish a course until Week 3 Term 4. Applications to amend HSC courses will be available from Week 2. All students must attend their timetabled classes.

**Judith McLaughlin**  
HT Secondary Studies

## SPORT

### Year 8 Oztag State Champions

On Wednesday, 12 September Year 8 Boys' Oztag team travelled to Marco reserve Panania to compete against the best schools from each region in the State. The team members included Taj Ford, Wes Pring, Hamish Stewart, Kyle McCarthy, Beau Anderson, Dylan Egan, Braxton Doherty, Noah Morphet, Callum Roberts, Ashton Ward, Kyan McCallum, Caleb Hall and Jarrod Tiyce.

The boys played extremely well throughout the day and should be credited in the way they conducted themselves with exceptional sportsmanship and teamwork.



Game 1 vs Peakhurst Won 8-2

Game 2 vs Aquinas College Won 2-1

Game 3 vs Oxley Won 5-0

Game 4 vs Condell Park 7-3

Quarter Final vs Peakhurst Won 6-1

Semi Final vs TLSC Tumbi Won 5-1

**State Final vs Aquinas College Won 6-2**

Player of the final went to Caleb Hall, a huge achievement considering he was a late inclusion and is only in Year 7.

In another huge achievement, we had 5 boys selected in the State Ozttag merit team. They included: Wes Pring, Taj Ford, Hamish Stewart, Dylan Egan Caleb Hall.

## Tennis Championships

Daniel and Ryan Fleming have recently returned from representing the South Coast and KHS at the NSW CHS Boys' Tennis Championships. The

tournament was held over three days at Inverell in the far north-west of NSW and included teams from across the State including teams from Sydney. The boys managed wins across the three days against fierce competition from some of the best State School players under the age of 18.

Ryan also competes on the Australian Junior Tour and has been achieving success making finals in several tournaments this year. He has applied to train at the Illawarra Academy of Sport in 2019. Daniel will be concentrating on his Year 12 studies.

Congratulations to both boys who did themselves and their school proud.



## VISUAL ARTS

### Year 12 HSC WORK

On Friday 7 September our Year 12 Visual Arts students held an Exhibition showcasing their Body of Works for their 2018 HSC. This year they were lucky enough to have their fellow HSC Music students, accompanied by the Vocal Group, perform along-side their exhibition during the night opening.

During Friday the Visual Art students had the exhibition opened for classes, teachers and school support staff to come along and view their Body of Works. It's an extremely valuable experience to have the opportunity to exhibit their work and to receive feedback, as well as having the opportunity to be involved in curating an exhibition.

A massive thank you to the construction boys, especially Christian Spong, who worked tirelessly on building our palette walls so that we would have something to hang our works on.

For anyone who missed the opportunity to come and see the exhibition, here are a few of the artworks that were on display.

**Pheona Cashman**





## Year 10 Visual Arts 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Exhibition

The 18<sup>th</sup> annual Year 10 Visual Arts exhibition was officially opened on Friday 14 September at the Pavilion in Kiama. This wonderful display of works offered the opportunity to celebrate the artistic achievements of our two talented Year 10 Visual Arts classes in a professional showcase. Student works included realistic self-portraits, mixed media Pop Art-style works of iconic figures, journey pot ceramics, collaged portraits, animal lino-prints and gestural line drawings, amongst others.

The night began at 6pm and was well attended by students, family members and KHS staff. This annual show has been previously held at the Fire Station Gallery, but the new location was well-received for its size, scenic location near the beach and polished appeal.

The Visual Arts faculty is extremely proud of the Year 10 Visual Arts cohort and look forward to seeing the future works of this group as they progress into senior study. We also look forward to continuing to foster this wonderful annual event and working with the Pavilion in the future.

**Ms K Stehr**  
**Head Teacher CAPA and LOTE**





## INSTALLATION OF SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS IN COMPUTER LABS AND LIBRARY

To ensure all students have access to working technology, new security measures will be put in place ready for the start of Term 4 to help curb the vandalism of equipment across our school. Surveillance cameras will be installed in all computer labs (F10, F11, L8, L18 and L20), as well as the Library for the purpose of recording video only.

Students found to be deliberately damaging equipment will be dealt with under the school's disciplinary code and as such may be asked to pay for any damage caused.

Recorded footage will only be accessible by the Principal and on-site Technology Support Officers for the purpose of investigation. Furthermore, clear signage will be installed in line with departmental policies.

Christopher Veljanovski  
Technology Support Officer

## PIE DRIVE – TAS FACULTY

The TAS faculty are raising funds to purchase new resources for our stage five Child Studies courses. The funds raised will be used to purchase the Real Baby Program so our students can participate in a parenting simulation activity. If you would like more information about the Real Baby Program, you can access their website from this link <https://www.virtualknowhow.com.au/rcb3.html>.

With the support of the Gainsborough Bakery, we are going to be conducting a pie drive. If you would like to purchase pies or lamingtons, please complete the order form attached and return it to the front office with payment by Friday 26 October 2018. The pies will be delivered to the school on Monday 5 November and distributed during period 5.

**An order form is attached with the newsletter.**

**Ms Kylie Chapman - HT TAS**

## PEER LEADER TRAINING

In Week 8, a group of 58 outstanding Year 10 students completed the Peer Leader Training Program. They will now become an integral part of the Kiama High School Peer Support Program helping students transition from primary school to high school.

Over the three days of training the students completed training modules from Peer Support Australia, as well as participating in a range of initiative and team building exercises. The program culminated with the 'Amazing Race' where teams completed a scavenger hunt to solve clues and complete an extensive list of team challenges.

It was an extremely enjoyable few days for staff and students alike and a good reminder of the mature, empathetic and kind students that we have at Kiama High School.

**Mr Tim Poppett**



## YEAR 10 COMMERCE TO WOLLONGONG COURT

On Friday 21 September, Year 10 Commerce set off early from Kiama Train Station to visit Wollongong Court House.

We were first given a tour of Court 1 and students had the chance to move around freely and sit in the witness box, magistrate's chair, prisoner's dock and at 'The Bar'. Next, we were taken down the stairs to below the court where the students were locked in the holding cells by the Corrections Officer for a few long seconds.

We then had the opportunity to observe various court proceedings including a number of sentencing hearings. Both Magistrates spoke to the students and provided us with some valuable insights into their role.

I would like to congratulate the class on their excellent behaviour and genuine interest during the excursion.

**Mrs Wright**



## SOUTH COAST MUSIC CAMP



In Week 10, Term 3, a wonderful opportunity for performing artists was available.

South Coast Music Camp, held annually, at The Tops Conference Centre.

Eight Kiama High students and teacher, Louise Luke, attended the camp again this year.

The students have four days full of music experiences including, vocal group, concert band, guitar ensembles, rock band, stage band, composition workshops, blues band and dance, to name a few. There was plenty of opportunity to meet new friends from across our region and beyond. Lots of fun along with lots of development.

Dom Borserio, Samantha Luke and Victoria Luke attended as student tutors. These 3 worked tirelessly assisting staff and students. I commend them in the professional and kind way they noticed younger students that needed assistance both musically and socially. Well done.

The other Kiama High students who attended were Zac Whyte, Mitch Micallef, Olivia Youell, Perri North and Kate Webb.

We all had a FANTASTIC time and are looking forward to next year.

From a very proud and very tired Louise Luke ☺





**COMING EVENTS**

<u>WEEK 1A</u>	<u>WEEK 2B</u>
<p><b>MONDAY 15/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Return to School</li> </ul>	<p><b>MONDAY 22/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Yr 7 Test Week</li> <li>Duke of Edinburgh Light to Light walk TBC</li> </ul>
<p><b>TUESDAY 16/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<p><b>TUESDAY 23/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Duke of Edinburgh Light to Light walk TBC</li> </ul>
<p><b>WEDNESDAY 17/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<p><b>WEDNESDAY 24/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
<p><b>THURSDAY 18/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HSC Exams start</li> </ul>	<p><b>THURSDAY 25/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Invictus Games</li> </ul>
<p><b>FRIDAY 19/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sth Coast Young Leaders forum</li> </ul>	<p><b>FRIDAY 26/10</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>

**UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS:-**  
**TUESDAY – 10.30am to 2.30pm**  
**FRIDAY – 11.00am to 3.00pm**

**CANTEEN ROSTER**

<b>Week 1A</b>				
<b>Mon 15/10</b>	<b>Tue 16/10</b>	<b>Wed 17/10</b>	<b>Thu 18/10</b>	<b>Fri 19/10</b>
Help needed	Laura Help needed	Marlou Barbara	Jenny B Help needed	Kristen Help needed
<b>Week 2B</b>				
<b>Mon 22/10</b>	<b>Tue 23/10</b>	<b>Wed 24/10</b>	<b>Thu 25/10</b>	<b>Fri 26/10</b>
Help needed	Nerida	Fran	Nat Alison	Leanne S



**CAP – Christians Against Poverty, is an international charity that offers FREE budgeting courses is now in Kiama.**

The CAP Money Course runs over three sessions and teaches people budgeting and a simple cash based system which is proven to work. This course will help anyone to get more control of their finances so that they can budget safely and prevent overwhelming debt.

CAP Money has been running in Australia since 2000 and we look forward to continuing it in Kiama.

It will be at Kiama Uniting Church Cnr Manning and Bong Bong Streets at 7pm, Tuesday 6, 13, 20 November 2018. Booking is essential as numbers are limited. Phone Trevor 42377064 or Email [tjmcbeath@hotmail.com](mailto:tjmcbeath@hotmail.com)

We will have a waiting list for the next course if necessary.

## WORK HEALTH AND SAFETY

A WHS Induction for Construction workshop was recently hosted at Kiama High School. This course provides the basic WHS knowledge required to undertake work within the construction industry.

Congratulations to the following 18 students who participated in the workshop and successfully completed the course, resulting in achievement of the WorkCover NSW White Card:-

Year 9: Lindsay Alexander, Mitchell Cartwright, Luke Fagan, Kane Graham, Brayden Hobson, Rory Lawrence, Braeden Marsh, Ronin Murray, Jackson Van Essen and Owen Wall

Year 10: Cohen Allen, Noah Bruning, Aaron Goodger, Ben Guthrie, Jye Mitchell, Fin Paton and Max Scobie

Year 11: Ben Smith

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## ESCAPE ARTfest

"This year the Escape ARTfest program of events starts on Thursday 4 and continues through to Sunday 7 October with 4 huge days of exhibitions, live music, inspiring workshops, street art, artist talks, open studios, art market, street art, and much much more!



Opening Thursday 4 October 6pm in Milton with the Milton Gallery Walk, which will host many art exhibitions, interactive art installations, music, drama and poetry performances followed by the After Party at Coast Cafe with Mojo Electric!

Friday and Saturday 9am onwards will see talented street artist known as 'PHIBS' enliven Ulladulla with his colourful creatures in a vibrant wall mural. Come check out one of the most respected and renowned names in Australian Street Art - Tim Phibs. Be sure to see the talented PHIBS in action in the lower level car park of Ulladulla Woolworths shopping centre, Friday 5 and Saturday 6 October from 9am till 2pm. A FREE event with full accessibility for all festival goers!

Friday night head to the beautiful Milton Theatre on Friday 5 October, 7:30pm. Escape ArtFest and Milton Theatre have teamed together to deliver *Friday On My Mind* - an evening to showcase music from three hugely talented bands - Three Hours South, The Swaggers and Winters End. Purchase your tickets at [www.miltontheatre.com.au](http://www.miltontheatre.com.au)

The *Art Market* Saturday 6 October, 10am-2pm will be four hours of fun on the lawns of the Ulladulla Civic Centre. You'll be entertained by local school performance groups such as drummers, as well as local dance groups and upcoming singers. The kids can engage in a host of free art activities including face painting, interactive art creations and a free artwork with local painters Kim Wall, and learn the techniques of Indigenous dot painting with Shane Snelson.

Come and be creative with Wollongong's Textile artist Stacie Sims, who was part of the City's biggest arts and cultural festival Viva La Gong is set to treat Ulladulla with a fun and interactive art installation.

This is a tiny snippet- check out the full program online at [www.escapeartfest.com.au](http://www.escapeartfest.com.au).

## TAS Pie Drive Order Form

**Student Name & Year group:**.....

**Class/room period 5 Monday Week B:** .....

Family Size Pies - savoury	Price	Quantity	Total Cost
Plain Pie	\$9.00		
Mushroom	\$10.00		
Cheese & Bacon	\$10.00		
Bushman (peas & mince)	\$10.00		
Tomato & Onion	\$10.00		
Potato	\$10.00		
Pepper	\$10.00		
Curry beef	\$10.00		
Chicken and vegetable	\$10.00		
Chicken Curry	\$10.00		
Family Size Pies – sweet & Lamingtons			
Apple	\$10.00		
Blueberry	\$10.00		
Apricot	\$10.00		
Loganberry	\$10.00		
Lamingtons (6)	\$8.00		
Total order cost			



### **Friends of Blue Haven Aged Care Facility**

If you are planning a spring clean-up at your place, we have the solution as to how to get rid of all that clutter.

The Friends of Blue Haven Aged Care Facility will help you out as we are looking for goods for our monster Fete to be held on Saturday 13 October, 2018

**We will pick up** your unwanted books, toys, manchester, nic-nacks, paintings, pictures, plants, glassware, crockery and any other bric-a-brac that you may wish to re-home.

Phone Col [0402 800 679](tel:0402800679) to arrange pick up, (sorry no mattresses, electrical or large furniture).

## SUPPORTING FARMERS

On Saturday 3 November, 'it's time to pull together,' right now our Farmers are doing it tougher than any other time in living history. The Farmers 5K is a 5km walk, jog, skip or run along the beautiful Huskisson coastal path to support our local Farmers that are in need. We are aiming to raise \$10,000 and all proceeds of the event will be distributed to local farmers by Rotary Nowra. Kids are \$15 and Adults \$20 a small gesture to support the backbone of our community. It will be a great community event, feel free to bring the pram and the pooch, this event is for the entire family. For more information and to get your entry visit this link <https://www.eliteenergy.com.au/event/farmers-5k-charity-fun-run/>.

A promotional poster for the Farmers 5K Charity Fun Run. The background is a scenic view of a coastal path with green grass in the foreground, a sandy beach, and a blue ocean under a clear sky. The text is overlaid on the image. At the top, the word 'FARMERS' is written in large, bold, green capital letters. Below it is a white silhouette of a tractor. To the right of the tractor, the number '5K' is written in large, bold, green capital letters, with a white leafy branch extending from the right side of the 'K'. Below the tractor and '5K', the text 'Charity fun run 3rd November' is written in white, sans-serif font. Further down, the text 'All proceeds will be donated to our local Shoalhaven Farmers' is written in white, sans-serif font. At the bottom, a green rectangular button contains the text 'Register Now' in white, sans-serif font.

**FARMERS**

**5K**

Charity fun run 3rd November

All proceeds will be donated to our  
local Shoalhaven Farmers

**Register Now**



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YOUTH CLUBS

# SAFER DRIVERS COURSE FOR LEARNER DRIVERS



## THE SAFER DRIVERS COURSE INVOLVES TWO MODULES:

### MODULE ONE:

A three-hour facilitated group discussion on how to manage risks on the road. This will involve a maximum of 12 participants and will be delivered by a facilitator.



### MODULE TWO:

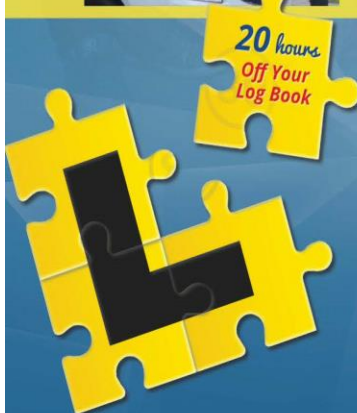
A two-hour, in-vehicle coaching session to develop low-risk driving strategies. This will involve two participants and a coach.

**Course cost: \$140**



Participants must have completed 50 hours of actual on-road driving experience to be eligible for the course. Credits gained under the 3-for-1 scheme cannot be included.

**LEARNER DRIVERS WHO COMPLETE THE COURSE WILL RECEIVE  
20 HOURS OFF THEIR LOG BOOK.**



## ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST:

- Hold a valid NSW Learner Licence
- Be under 25 years of age
- Have completed 50 logbook hours (of actual on road experience and not credits gained under the 3 for 1 professional instruction scheme)

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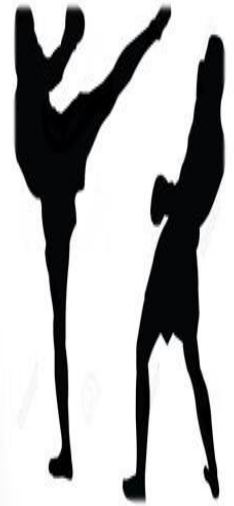


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# KICKBOXING



**MONDAYS**  
**UNDER 18'S**

**TUESDAYS**  
**OVER 18'S**

**WEDNESDAYS**  
**UNDER 18'S**

**THURSDAYS**  
**OVER 18'S**

**TIME**  
**4PM-5PM**

**COST**  
**\$10 PER CLASS**

**PCYC M/SHIP**  
**UNDER 18 \$10**  
**OVER 18 \$20**





# 2018 ILLAWARRA WHITE RIBBON DAY WALK

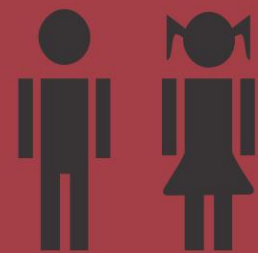
23 NOVEMBER 2018  
7.00AM - 8.30AM

## Hidden Victims

This year's walk has a focus on the children affected by domestic violence, the hidden victims.

This is a public event.

Join us to show your commitment to ending violence against women and children!



Reddall Reserve Lake Illawarra, NSW, 2528  
(Assemble opposite Pep's Takeaway)



Illawarra Committee Against Domestic Violence  
contact us: [icadvcontact@gmail.com](mailto:icadvcontact@gmail.com)

Motivational Speakers

BBQ Breakfast

Walk to Say "NO" to domestic violence

[icadv.org.au](http://icadv.org.au)







**Come and join Kiama Swimming Club!**

**Our Summer 2018 season starts on the 19<sup>th</sup> of October**

**THE FIRST 2 WEEKS TRIAL ARE FREE!!**

Kiama Swim Club is all about fun, friends and fitness. We have swimmers of all levels and ages. Friday night Point-score gives our members the chance to practise their racing skills and build confidence.

We meet on Friday nights during school terms at the Kiama Leisure Centre.

**NEW MEMBERS ARE WELCOME** and the first 2 weeks are **FREE!**

Point-score gives swimmers the opportunity to race against their own P.B. (Personal Best).

We also run club championships once a season.

Our members can enter development or qualifying carnivals on

various weekends throughout the season.

**When:** Friday nights during school terms.

**Where:** The Kiama Leisure Centre

**Time:** Race entries close at 6.40 sharp for a 7pm start

If you would like to enquire about Kiama Swimming Club please contact:

- **Registrar:** Nat Pero at [kiamaswim@gmail.com](mailto:kiamaswim@gmail.com) Ph 0412 115 575
- Coaches Victor or Corinna

**If you would like to come and try before you join, we require pre registration.**

**Please email our registrar Nat Pero with your child's full name and date of birth, to receive further information.**

Find and "Like" us on Facebook - Kiama Swimming Club 

**Website:** <http://kiama.swimming.org.au/>

**Email:** [kiamaswim@gmail.com](mailto:kiamaswim@gmail.com)



# Disabled Surfers

## South Coast

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November

### Annual Mollymook 'Hands On Day'

Meet at Mollymook Beach near the Golf Club



**Check-in no later than 9.30am - Group-care facility participants limit of 6 per facility**

A fun day surfing experience for any person with a disability, no matter how challenging, with complete water supervision.

Registration for Participants is \$10 and all participants receive a bag of goodies, Thanks to the local participating surf shops and businesses.

Free registration for Volunteer Helpers and for giving up your time you will receive **FREE Sausage Sizzle** on the day.

*Last year over 130 people had a great day  
check out the video on Face Book!*

<https://www.facebook.com/disabledsurfersassociationsouthcoast>

Or for more information and who to contact view

[disabledsurfers.org/nsw/south-coast-branch](http://disabledsurfers.org/nsw/south-coast-branch) or [www.disabledsurfers.org](http://www.disabledsurfers.org)

*DSAA Inc Insurance Covers All Events: both public liability and personal accident*



See you there  
Putting "Smiles on dials"

