Important Dates

**JUNE**

**Parent Teacher Interview Week**

**Wednesday 24th**
School photos-photographer to catch up on individual photos; Kinder 2016 interviews start

**Thursday 25th**
**Last day of Term 2**
Kinder 2016 enrolment applications due

**12noon**
Proclaim Mass in the church with Father Michael;

**1pm**
Jump for Jesus

**Friday 26th**
**PUPIL FREE DAY**-Staff retreat;
11.15am Kyogle Reconciliation March. Meet at the Cenotaph.

**Sunday 28th**
4pm Family Mass in the Parish Hall followed by supper and games. ALL WELCOME

**TERM 3 starts 13th July**

**Tuesday 21st July**
9.30am Kinder FREE dental van

NAIDOC WEEK (Week 1)-Celebration day Wed 15th July

LAST DAY OF 2015 SCHOOL YEAR IS FRIDAY, 18/12/2015

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

What a day! Sunshine, sportsmanship and athletes having a go! They cheered, they danced, they ran, jumped and shotputted. Tyler broke a record. All teams were successful but **Sutton House (Red)** took the points score trophy. Well done.

FOCUS THIS WEEK:

Make Jesus real by respecting others and our environment.

BELIEVE ACHIEVE SUCCEED
### MESSAGES FROM MR FREEBODY

**Dear Parents/Carers,**

What a joy it was to be joined together at the Athletics Carnival last week. Thank you to all families who helped make the day a success. This week we celebrate the voice of our children with the future of Catholic education—PROCLAIM STUDENTS. It has been fantastic catching up with many families over the last few weeks about your child’s education and welfare. We have just recently finished a school compliance that occurs every five years. The compliance process uses a checklist under the headings of safety, staff, religious education and teacher programs. The attention now moves to school improvement planning for the remainder of the year. We would like to invite families to be a part of this later in Term 3 and 4. On behalf of the staff, I wish everyone a safe and happy holiday with your families. Take care and we will see you next term.

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#### Teaching and Learning:

**STUDENT PROCLAIM DAY**

This Thursday, we are celebrating Student Proclaim Day as part of our focus in 2015 on the children and their vision for Catholic education. The day will begin at 12pm with a whole school mass in our church followed by a Jump for Jesus with skipping ropes. The winners of the Pentecost competition will also be announced.

**CREATIVE ARTS**

We are really proud of our musicians who performed for us this morning. We are calling on any community members or parents who can assist the school in building an even better Creative Arts program at St Brigid’s. Creative Arts includes Visual Art, Music, Drama and Dance. If you have any skills in these areas (e.g. singing or dance) and can spare a little time, please contact me at school.

**READING**

Thank you to both parents and Mrs Morabito for their support of our reading programs at St Brigid’s. The reading bugs program and reading recovery are examples of the commitment made to improving the reading outcomes of all students.

**HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY—TERM 3**

Staff will begin their professional development next term in the History and Geography curriculums.

**TERM 3 DATES**

Students start Term 3 on **Monday, 13th July** and the Term concludes on **Friday, 18th September**.

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#### Parents and Families:

**KINDER ENROLMENT 2016**

Thank you to those families that have brought in their enrolment forms so far. I will be starting to hold interviews with families and students over the next month or two. Please contact the office to make an appointment if you have not already done so.

**ST BRIGID’S KYOGLE SCHOOL AND PARISH FAITH PAGE**

Come and join our group on Facebook. This group is for families and parish members associated with St Brigid’s Catholic School, Kyogle and Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Kyogle. It will provide inspiring and faith based messages for its members and will include information about events like the Family School Parish Mass.

**INSIGHT SRC DATA HAS ARRIVED**

Earlier this term, we conducted a survey on students from Year 5 and 6, teachers and parents to collect feedback on our school. We have received this data back and we will now build a team that will analyse and report back to the community. Thank you again for your support of our mission to always improve what we do for the betterment of the children.

**RECONCILIATION MARCH THIS FRIDAY**

This Friday is the Kyogle Reconciliation March down the main street. We encourage as many families to attend as possible. Meet at the cenotaph at 11:10 for 11:15am start.

**PUPIL FREE DAY—Friday, 26th June**

A reminder that **this Friday** is a Staff Development Day and students do not attend school.

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**PARISH FAMILY MASS**

This Sunday in the Parish Hall 4pm

Followed by supper and games.

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

from now to 12th July

Charlize T
Narnie H
Seth M

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**UNIFORM SHOP**

Open MONDAYS

2:30pm—3:15pm (after Canteen)

All enquiries about uniforms to:

Suzie Smith
Phone 6632 2958
or 0422 415 520

Uniform order sheets are available from the school office at any time.
NAIDOC WEEK CELEBRATIONS-15th July
Our school will be celebrating NAIDOC week this year in the first week back next term. Our special day of celebration is Wednesday, 15th July. In addition to our vertical groups for students and aboriginal dance, we are fortunate to have formal NRL player Dean Widders with us and the Byron Bay ‘Dolphin Dreaming’ group. A shared picnic lunch will be held between events. We ask our families to reserve the day on their calendar and join us on the day. A flyer and timetable will be sent home later this week. Students are asked to wear black, yellow and red on the day.

PARISH FAMILY MASS– THIS SUNDAY
This Sunday we celebrate our first family mass in the Parish Hall at 4pm. After our mass we will be having a warm supper and games with the kids. We encourage all families to join us. Please indicate on our Parish Facebook page or through the note coming home if you are coming.

MUSIC PERFORMANCE TODAY
Today, our music students gave a wonderful performance in the hall under the leadership of Mr Hills. Well done to these students who played and sang their chosen songs. The Drum beat students also performed and had the crowd joining in. Congratulations for all your hard work this semester believing that you can achieve and succeed in Creative Arts.

ATHLETIC CARNIVAL
Last Thursday our carnival was a great success, due to Mr Tickle’s great organising, staff and parent helpers. The children gave their best in their events. Thank you to everyone who helped in any way.

A 2006 record for the 8yr boys 100 metres race was broken by Tyler Moore (Year 3). The old record was 17.15 and Tyler ran it in 16.37, almost a second faster. Congratulations Tyler!

SCHOOL LIBRARY
A reminder the library is closed this week. All borrowed books and home readers must be returned by last day of term, Thursday 25th June.

INFANTS GYMNASTICS PROGRAM
A huge shout out to the trainers from the North Coast Academy of Gymnastics who have been teaching our K-2 students over the last few weeks the specialist skills in gymnastics. Well done to our little gymnasts.
SCHOOL CANTEEN
Monday 13th July: Shonel Powell & Annette Smith.

Please sign in at the office before going to Canteen.
If for any reason you cannot attend on your rostered day, please swap days with someone on the roster.

Thank you

COMMUNITY NEWS

KYOGLE JOEY SCOUTS
Girls & boys aged between 6 and 8 years are invited to join Kyogle Joey Scouts. There will be fun information night on TUESDAY 23rd JUNE from 5pm-6pm at the Kyogle Show Ground Scout Hall, with games to play, information for parent and a sausage sizzle. All welcome to come along & see what Joey Scouts is all about.
For further information, please contact our group leader “Silverback“ on 6632 3987.

KYOGLE VACATION CARE
Now taking bookings for the school holidays.
Enrol now by phoning 6621 7397 or Email: kids@lnci.org.au
Copy of program available from school office.

CIRCUS EXPRESS HOLIDAY WORKSHOP
On Thursdays 2nd & 9th July at Kyogle Showgrounds there will be skills workshops for children from Kinder to teenage years. Learn skills such as aerials, tumbling, mini tramp, floor skills, handstands, acrobalance, juggling & more.
Cost—
Kindercircus-$15
Primary/Teens - $30.
Bookings—
phone Genevieve 66897531.