**CPR First Aid**

On Monday, Year Six students participated in a ninety minute CPR course. Children learnt how to recognise a dangerous situation, how to try to get a response from an injured person, how to make a 000 emergency phone call, how to check to see if an injured person had anything in their airway and if they are breathing and also learnt how to roll an injured person into the recovery position. They had hands on experience in learning how to perform CPR.

**Attention Drivers**

If some of you delayed the pick-up of your child by 5-10 minutes, the congestion at 2.55-3.10pm would be eased and therefore a safer area for all children.

All students should be picked up by 3.25pm at the very latest.

**Eugenia, Vanessa, Jaime and Amy in their first debate at Crown St Public School.**

The topic was 'That we should learn self defence at school.'

We were the negative and presented some excellent arguments but unfortunately we narrowly lost. Well done girls!

Whilst the 'Walk to School' activity was cancelled due to the wet weather, an incredible breakfast was provided for the students. Thanks to all our parents who came along and made smoothies, organised fruit and milk donations as well as serving and cleaning up afterwards. Your efforts are very much appreciated.
**Athletics Carnival**

Tuesday 2nd June is the annual Athletics Carnival at E.S. Marks Athletic Field. The anticipation of the athletics carnival, together with the experience of having so much space in which to run around, makes this day a very exciting one for all our students. We do keep 3-6 and K-2 carnivals separate as you can appreciate that there is a more formal component to the 3-6 carnival as winners and place getters, based on criteria, head to the next level of competition. Events at the 3-6 carnival include shot put, discus, high jump and long jump.

**Poems by 6D**

Year 6 is full of challenges. Leadership votes, sports carnivals, performances and sitting for exams are a few of the experiences 6D chose to write about. The following poems were written in response to thinking about their feelings during these experiences.

Nervous, feeling sick  
Excessive nail biting  
Waiting to be finished  
So quiet  
Trembling arms and legs  
Waiting for your turn  
Thinking I need to get this  
Waiting anxiously for votes to be tallied  
The disappointment of failure/losing  
Matthew (vice captain of Pindaree!)

I bite my tongue.  
I clutch my pen.  
It's about to start.  
Go!  
I race through the text,  
Eluding the difficult questions.  
My mind was paralysed with exhaustion.  
I want to relax but I can't  
My family is depending on this.  
I imagine myself failing..  
My family rebuking me.  
Filled with sombre thoughts  
The weight of this is finally vanishing  
I feel confident and finish just on time  
My nervousness converted to confidence.  
Edward

I felt the rush of a million feelings  
pushing through me  
Anxious, happy, nervous, excited, adrenalin  
I bit my lip, clenched my fists  
Trying to calm myself  
"Is everyone ready?" boomed the examiner.  
"You may start" he declared  
I heard the rustle of pages  
Everyone madly flipping pages of a booklet  
I took a deep breath  
Turned the page with a shaky hand and  
Started the test  
Eugenia

Highly strung, I feel afraid  
What if I pass?  
What if I don't?  
I'm impatient  
My heart is pounding  
What will the results be?  
I'm edgy, fidgety, flustered and tense  
Thinking about only myself  
Can't think of anything else  
I'm in suspense  
I'm in distress  
Adrenalin is pumping  
I'm in a state of fear  
Dreading the results.  
Kevin
School Banking
$980 has been deposited into the school account as a result of the commission raised from school banking. Thank you all for your support of this amazing program.

Confucius Classroom
Chinese Language and Culture Program 2015
1. Chinese calligraphy and painting
Students learn how to use the calligraphy tools to write Chinese characters and draw pictures using traditional rice paper.

2. Chinese singing and dancing
Students learn traditional Chinese songs and dances to support their Chinese language acquisition and develop an understanding of Chinese culture.

3. Chinese name card
Students learn how to say and write their Chinese name. Students decorate their name card. The decorated name cards are given to students from our Chinese sister school when they visit us in July this year.

4. Chinese Taichi
We are going to teach Chinese students how to do Chinese Taichi movements. They will wear a special Taichi costume while they doing that.

5. Parents program
We have a Chinese language and culture program for students’ parents twice a week. Parents learn how to speak in Chinese by learning to have a basic Chinese conversation.

Our Uniform Shop Video can be viewed here http://youtu.be/HEIdmbYJoO4
Multicultural Day 2015

The annual celebration of our school’s wonderfully diverse community is to be held on Tuesday 9 June. Students are invited to wear national costumes of significance on the day. If not, school uniform (Australian colours) is to be worn. We ask everyone to bring in a gold coin donation to go towards Sharmin’s annual sponsorship on Multicultural Day.

We would like to invite parents, grandparents, families and friends of KPS to join us for a shared lunch in the playground at 12.30 pm.

All children are asked to bring along a plate of food to share. You may like to bring along something that you enjoy eating from your country of birth or that is unique to your culture. Please bring a paper plate or an empty lunchbox and fork for your child and your guests to use.

Please complete the Multicultural Day Lunch form by labelling all of the ingredients in your food. Attach the completed form to your plate.

Parents can bring the plate of food with them at lunchtime. Alternatively, children can bring their plate in the morning and deliver it to the staffroom – please note we do not have facilities to heat food. **Please remember to keep the food NUT FREE (including food cooked in peanut oil) to ensure the food is-safe for all children to eat. After lunch, you are invited to join us for a concert at 1.45pm in the playground.

If it is raining our shared lunch will still be on but in classrooms. The concert will be postponed to a later date.

Multicultural Day Lunch
Tuesday 9 June at 12.30pm

Please bring the plate of food at lunchtime or students can deliver it to the staff room in the morning.

**Food Name:** __________________________________________

**List of Ingredients:**

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THIS IS A NUT-FREE FOOD

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Bake Sale at the Athletics Carnival – Tuesday 2nd June
Don’t forget to bring in your cakes, cupcakes, biscuits and slices on Tuesday 2nd June for the P&C Bake Sale. You can drop off your cakes at school between 8.30am and 9.00am on Tuesday morning or you can take them directly to the Athletics carnival. All proceeds from the bake sale will fund new History Unit books for Stages 2 and 3.

We also need a team of lovely people to help sell the cakes. The more people volunteer the shorter the shifts. Please email kensopandc@gmail.com if you can help.

Mufti Day – Thursday 11th June
Mufti Day is not far away. Don’t forget your gold coin donations on Thursday 11th June.

Minions Movie Night – Friday 19th June
**TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE.** Tickets cost $15 each and are available to purchase from www.trybooking.com/HUXD. If you would prefer to pay cash please print out a booking form from the BLOG and hand it into your class teacher with the correct money. Proceeds from the movie night will pay for new readers for years K-2.

Christmas in July Trivia Night (Adults only) - Friday 24th July at The Randwick Club, Alison Road
Some great prizes have already been sourced for the raffle but we still need more. If you are able to donate a prize please contact kensopandc@gmail.com. We are looking for experience prizes, sporting memorabilia, beauty products, electrical products etc.

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