

Keppel Sands State School



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From the Principal

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Hello Everyone,

Welcome to our first newsletter for 2017. Welcome to all our new families who have joined us this year. It is wonderful to see so many new, smiling faces. Presently, with our enrolments at 26, we are entitled to two full time teachers and one part time teacher. Marissa Brady was appointed to our school at the end of 2016 to be our second full time teacher and Robyn Tregenza will continue as our part time teacher. Robyn will work in both classes; Prep to Year Two class on Thursdays and the Three to Six class on Fridays. Jo Aaron will teach Japanese and Health on Wednesday mornings with the Year Three to Six class. Amelia Sell joined us this week. Amelia (Mel) is our new Chappy and will work at Keppel Sands every Tuesday. We have one pre-service teacher joining us this year, Robert Allen.

Breakfast

Breakfast is held each Friday from 8.30am to 8.45am. Please note that there will be no cooking after clean up commences at 8.45am.

Keppel Kitchen

Keppel Kitchen will be starting in week 4 – on Wednesday February 15th. An order form will go home in the next couple of weeks.

Pre-Service Teacher

Hi, my name is Robert Allen and I am the new “Pre-service Teacher” here at Keppel Sands State School. I am currently in my fourth and final year at university, therefore this is my last prac placement before I enter the big scary world of full time teaching in 2018,

Outside of work and study, football (soccer) takes up most of my time as I play in the CQ Premier League for Bluebirds United Football Club in Rockhampton. In addition to this, I also coach my own team of junior footballers and have done so for nearly 5 years. Apart from football, my pastimes include motorbike trips as well as the quieter things such as reading and listening to music. My next big step in life is to graduate university and buy my first house, I can't wait!

If you see me around the school, please don't hesitate to introduce yourself to me and have a chat.

P&C News

The first General Meeting will be held on Wednesday Feb 8 at 1pm in the office. We have the Easter Markets coming up quickly and any ideas you have would be most appreciated. **The AGM has been set down for Wednesday March 8 at 1pm.**



More helpers are required for the Wednesday Night Raffles. If you can assist, please see Karen or Moira.

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Wednesday	08 February	P & C General Meeting - 1pm
Wednesday	15 February	Keppel Kitchen
Wednesday	08 March	P & C AGM – 1pm

Have a great weekend.

Moirn Mackenzie

Principal