Dear Parents and Kingstown Community,

This will be a very short newsletter.

We are into our second week of swimming and everything is going along smoothly. Meriba pool is absolutely beautiful and warm! It is great to see so many students improving!

Thank you to everyone who has donated to the P&C Christmas Hamper and purchased tickets for the raffle.

Prizes include a weekend away at the Waltzing Matilda Motel in Redcliffe (1st), $200 Gift Voucher from Grazag (2nd) and a great hamper (3rd).

School Talent Show

A reminder to students to start preparing an item for the show.

Students can perform solo or with a partner in any way they like - card tricks, jokes, singing, poetry, mime, whip cracking, gymnastics, hoola hoops, group song/dance or movie critics.

P&C Meeting

this Wednesday
25th November
at 5.30p.m.
Please come along ... all welcome!

Contact us: Phone: 6778 9131 email: kingstown-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
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The facts

Head lice infestations are a common occurrence, particularly in primary schools.
- about 23% of primary students have head lice at any one time
- anyone can catch head lice regardless of their age, sex, or how clean their hair is
- head lice move from one person's head to another via hair
- head lice do not survive long when they are off a human head
- head lice do not live on furniture, hats, bedding or carpet
- head lice have built up some resistance to head lice treatments

Information regarding treatments can be found at:

Tips for parents in reducing the spread of head lice

As infestations are particularly common in primary schools, it is best to choose a treatment that can be used over time. There is no single solution to eradication, only persistence.
- regularly check your children's hair
- teach older children to check their own hair
- tie back and braid long hair
- keep a fine tooth head lice comb in the bathroom and encourage all family members to use it when they wash their hair.