

QUAKERS HILL HIGH SCHOOL

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17 NOVEMBER 2017 CALENDAR DATES FOR TERM 4 2017 & TERM 1 2018

Monday 20 Nov.	Fast Forward Year 9		Year 10 Graduation rehearsal, Periods 1 & 2
Tues 21 Nov	Year 10 Orientation Day & Parent Orientation evening	Friday 8 December	Year 10 Graduation 9.30am
	Collegiate Bring It On Dance Competition	Mon 11 December	Presentation Evening rehearsal, 9-10.30am
Thurs 23 Nov.	School Spectacular rehearsal		Presentation Evening 6.30pm for 7pm
Monday 27 Nov.	Year 6 Orientation Evening, 6-9pm	Wed 13 December	Semester 2 reports issued
Tuesday 28 Nov.	Year 6 Orientation Day		Music concert P5 & 6
Wed 29 Nov	Dance/CAPA Elective Showcase Evening 6.30-7.30pm	Thurs 14 December	Jamberoo Excursion
Friday 1 Dec.	Year 7 History inc.	Friday 15 December	Last day Term 4
	Bumper Contact		
	Planet X Support exc.		
Mon 4/Tues 5 Dec	Senior Subject Expo Days	2018	
Tuesday 5 Dec	QCCP Day No. 4	Tuesday 30 Jan.	Year 7 students start
Wednesday 6 Dec	Year 10 formal	Wednesday 31 Jan.	All students return
Thursday 7 Dec	Year 9 Scripture Seminar	Monday 5 Feb.	School Swimming Carnival
			Year 6 Taster Day
		Friday 9 Feb.	Contact issued
		Monday 12 Feb.	P&C Meeting

SPORTS CALENDAR

Monday 20 Nov—Friday 24 Nov.	Year 7 Swim School
Monday 27 Nov —Friday 1 Dec	Year 8 Swim School



SMART FOCUS FOR WEEKS 7 & 8: WORKING SAFELY ACROSS ALL SCHOOL ENVIRONMENTS

IMPORTANT NEWS FOR STUDENTS & PARENTS

PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students for achieving their Gold Principal's Awards:

Year 7	Mabroor Bajwa, Azka Chaudhry, Olivia Coram, Emily McGregor, Muhammed Raza, Angelika Strachan, Leah Woods
Year 8	Joshua Andrijich, Olivia Bourke, Nathan Jones, Ysabella Miguel, Jason Museth, Vivian Steel, Monique Wrigley
Year 9	Abigail Glastonbury, Rafal Noori
Year 10	Haoyang Cai, Michael Clarke, Cindy Despois, Tisaranee Dissanayake, Jordan McGregor, Kyan Meller, Hannah Mercieca, Liam Morrall, Madeline Rochester, Andrew Stannard

GRADUATION AND PRESENTATION EVENING

Congratulations to all the students who received awards at the Service to School and Sports assembly. Photos have been posted on the QHHS Facebook. We are now preparing for Year 10 Graduation and Presentation Evening. Students who are receiving awards have been given an invitation. It is essential for parents to RSVP for numbers and we remind you that **FULL** school uniform must be worn by all award recipients.

WHITE RIBBON

On Thursday Year 8 raised awareness for White Ribbon Day which seeks to stop domestic violence. The students took an oath in support of this campaign. I'd like to thank Year 8, Ms Marin and Mrs Nicholls for their presentation and awareness.

<https://www.whiteribbon.org.au/stop-violence-against-women/take-the-oath/>

PEER SUPPORT TRAINING

I'd like to thank Ms Barratt, Ms Lachevre, Ms Flack, Mr McKean and Mr Kantek for their efforts and time in training our new Peer Support Leaders for 2018. Congratulations to all the Year 9 students who participated in the 2 day course.

AFTER EXAMS

At the P&C meeting, I was asked what learning is happening now that exams are over. In speaking to Head Teachers many expressed that they are continuing with their programs of study to ensure that students are given exposure to all syllabus outcomes pertaining to their respective stage. There are variations to routines with various programs and excursions that are running. It is important that unless a student has an approved exemption, they are to attend school every day, in full school uniform, with all the equipment required for learning. As always, they are expected to undertake all learning activities and follow the SMART code.

Recently some students have started wearing their school jacket draped around their necks like a scarf. I have a few concerns with this:

1. WHS – if the jacket gets caught or pulled it could cause an injury
2. Hygiene – wearing it around the neck will absorb perspiration but cause an odour
3. Risk of losing the jacket if it is not worn properly or in the students bag.

I ask that parents talk to their son or daughter about this issue to avoid being challenged by staff.

ORIENTATION DAY AT WYNDHAM

Year 10 students are reminded that there will be no lessons at Quakers Hill HS on Tuesday 21st November as all students are required to attend Wyndham College for the day. The parents are invited to attend the Orientation Meeting at 6pm

SENIOR SUBJECT EXPO DAYS

This year Wyndham College is giving Year 9 students the opportunity to attend their Senior Subject Expo Days. There they will learn about all the courses on offer in Year 11 & 12 so they can start planning for their future. These days will be held on the 4th and 5th of December. All students in Year 9 are to attend Wyndham College on these days.

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KILDARE ROAD MEDICAL CENTRE

IT'S TIME FOR YOUR ANNUAL SKIN CHECK!

Exposure to the sun's ultraviolet rays can cause skin damage, which can lead to skin cancer. The risks are higher during the warmer months and that is why it is important to have regular skin checks with an accredited skin cancer doctor.

KRMC®'s Skin Cancer Clinic is run by

Dr. Sameer Abedi, Dr. Arevik Gazarjan and Dr. Kalpana Loganath.

They are able to perform excisions of moles that appear to be of concern and to send them for laboratory analysis via our on-site Pathology department. If required, follow up treatment and referrals to specialists can be arranged.

For more information and to make an appointment at KRMC®'s Skin Cancer Clinic, please call Reception on 8822 3000. Please note that charges may apply.

OPEN 7 DAYS

Kildare Road Medical Centre / 36 Kildare Road, Blacktown, NSW 2148 / kildaremedical.com.au



THE NURRINGINGY LOCAL AECG

INVITES

ALL SCHOOL STAFF, ABORIGINAL PARENTS
AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS

TO ATTEND THE CHRISTMAS MEETING

TO BE HELD AT

Barnier Public School

(Corner of Barnier Drive and Farnham Road, Quakers Hill)

on Monday 27th November 2017

AT 4PM

*This will be the last general meeting for 2017 and we kindly ask that
you bring a small plate of food to celebrate the achievements of the
year.*

PLEASE RSVP TO THE SECRETARY VIA EMAIL AT

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