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Newsletter – August-September 2026

***Spiritual Theme*:**

Be Strong and Courageous

***Scripture*:**

"Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go." Joshua 1: 9

Principal's Message

As a busy and rewarding Term 3 draws to a close, we look forward with excitement and anticipation to an engaging and successful Term 4.

One of the highlights of this term was our participation in the Run Port Douglas event, proudly sponsored by the Indigenous Marathon Foundation. It was wonderful to see our students embracing the opportunity and demonstrating such enthusiasm, determination and athleticism.

Looking ahead, KCC will celebrate NAIDOC Day on 9 October 2026, and we warmly invite all parents and community members to join us for this special occasion as we come together to celebrate and honour Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures, achievements and contributions.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all parents for your ongoing support and partnership throughout the term. Your encouragement and involvement play a vital role in making our school a positive and successful learning environment.

I also wish to extend our heartfelt sympathies and support to the families and community members who have recently experienced or are currently experiencing, Sorry Business. Please know that our thoughts are with you during this difficult time and we stand alongside you in support and respect.

Events – Term 3

Event	Date
Sorry Business	18 September 2026
School Closes	18 September 2026
King's Birthday Holiday	5 October 2026
School Opens	6 October 2026
KCC NAIDOC Celebration Day	9 October 2026

Circa Cairns Performance Workshops

This workshop enabled KCC students to develop confidence, creativity, and teamwork skills while building meaningful connections with community members through conversation and shared experiences. This spirit of community collaboration remains at the heart of Circa Cairns' creative process, enriching both the artistic journeys of the students and the relationships that make it possible.





Ruchook Cultural Festival

Kluthuthu Christian College students were fully engaged in the Ruchook Cultural Festival, a cherished event that has been an important part of Napranum's history for over 30 years. The festival continues to play a vital role in connecting Elders with the next generation, ensuring that cultural knowledge, traditions and stories are shared, preserved and celebrated by future cultural custodians.









NAIDOC Performance at St Joseph's Parish School, Weipa

KCC students were honoured to be invited to perform at St Joseph's Parish School's inaugural NAIDOC Week celebration. They proudly showcased their talent by performing two songs, delivering a captivating and memorable performance that was warmly received by the audience. Their participation highlighted both their confidence and their commitment in celebrating and sharing culture through music.



Birthday Celebrations

This term KCC celebrated the birthdays of all students born in July, August and September. Happy birthday Jola, Ray, Alexis, Isabella, Shykeisha, Aileen, Shanaya-tae, Gerard and Xanthea. Happy birthday to all of you!



Run Port Douglas and the Indigenous Marathon Foundation



KCC students performed exceptionally well in the Run Port Douglas 2km race, following months of preparation through the Indigenous Marathon Foundation (IMF) RAW Championships and the launch of the KCC School Run Club.

The event on the iconic Four Mile Beach provided students with an exciting opportunity to display their determination, fitness, and resilience. Through the support of IMF and the Queensland Government, students were empowered to develop healthy lifestyles, build confidence, and strengthen their leadership potential through the power of running.



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Acknowledgement of Country

Kluthuthu Christian College acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we live, work and study. We pay our respects to Elders past, present and future of all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander nations.