

UPCOMING EVENTS



TERM 4

WEEK 5

Monday 7 November

Safety Awareness Day K-6 Event Day

Tuesday 8 November

Canberra Stage 3

Wednesday 9 November

Wellbeing Sessions

Canberra Stage 3

Early Birds Session 2

Thursday 10 November

Canberra Stage 3

School Spectacular Rehearsal

Catholic Scripture Mass in the hall

Friday 11 November

Buddies Kariong Library visit

1J & 1FM plus Buddies

Remembrance Day

Year 3 Excursion Sydney Museum



ABOVE: Have you seen this incredible mural in the student toilets in the COLA?

FROM THE
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

WORLD TEACHERS' DAY

Last Friday on World Teachers Day, some of the teachers received some kind messages from their students and acknowledgement of their hard work and dedication for the learning and wellbeing of the children in their care. Mrs Rayner was a very proud recipient of a Department of Education Award for her support of students at Kariong Public School. It was lovely to see the students smiling and Mrs Rayner as well as Mrs Skinner presented her special award at assembly in the morning.

Our
OFFICE
HOURS
are
**8.30am –
3.15pm**

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A
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Value of the Month

A member of each class was also nominated by their teacher and recognised at last week's assembly for consistently demonstrating respect. Photos of this were in last week's newsletter. The students also attended a morning tea with Mrs Skinner. Congratulations to the students for their ongoing efforts and being great role models for their peers.

Grandparents Day

This week has had several exciting events beginning on Monday, celebrating Grandparents Day with grandparents visiting Kindergarten, Year 1, and Year 2 classrooms. Students excitedly showed grandparents their rooms and the work they have been doing. The courtyard was full to overflowing at recess with grandparents sharing recess with the children. Some very eager children took their grandparents out to play with the equipment which was a popular area. I was very impressed with some skilled handball playing up on the top hard surface area too. It was great to see so many people, big and small, enjoying a morning at school.

Kindergarten 2023 and the Early Birds Program

On Wednesday was our first week of our Early Birds Program, with three more consecutive Wednesdays to come. Mrs Priest as coordinator of the program and Mrs White the teacher of KW, facilitated the three sessions on the day. Our Earlybirds' students were incredible with many smiley faces including on the faces of parents as well. Mrs Priest and Mrs McGann the teacher of KM, are looking forward to seeing everyone next Wednesday. If you know someone who has not yet enrolled their child for starting Kindergarten in 2023, please ask them to contact the office to ensure they obtain all necessary information and enrol as soon as possible.

Netball Gala Day

On Thursday, Ms Smith accompanied some of our students from Stage 2 and Stage 3 to Adcock Park to participate in the CCSC Netball Gala Day. The students under the coaching prowess of Ms Smith have been training over many sessions to be ready for the big day. Congratulations to the students who demonstrated their personal best and to Ms Smith our appreciation of her time and effort she put into preparing the teams.

Safety Awareness Day

Monday 7 November, is KPS Safety Awareness Day. Students are encouraged to come dressed in safety gear and spend the day learning about keeping safe around water, the sun, roads, medicine and when using digital technology.

Canberra 3 Day Excursion

Well, bags are being packed and items organised in preparation of the big trip (for both students and staff). I know that final arrangements are now being made to ensure the 3-day excursion to Canberra is a great success with many good memories to come.

Remembrance Day

On Friday November 11 is Remembrance Day. This will be acknowledged at the morning assembly with a short presentation from our school leaders. At 11:00 am, students and staff will gather in the courtyard area to observe a minute's silence to reflect on the sacrifice Australians have made from World War 1 and following conflicts.

Enjoy your weekend break and recharge for the week ahead.



By **SONDRA BROADHURST**
Kariong Public School
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

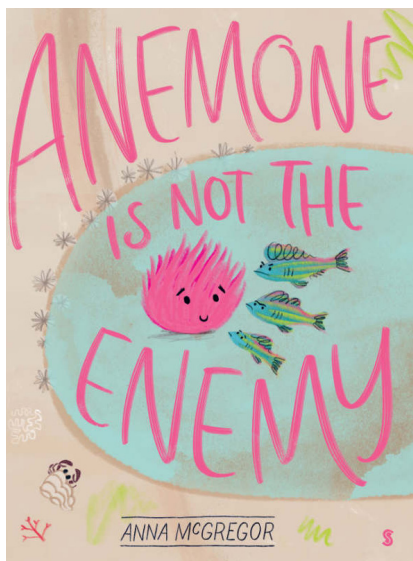
Unlocking the Library with Mr. Brown

Book Club

Just a reminder to families that Issue 7 of Book Club has closed and there is only one more issue left in the school year. We will be receiving the catalogue for Issue 8 in a couple of weeks, but you can still access the catalogues online via the Scholastic website. Last issue, a few families chose to buy books for Christmas and labelled them as gifts. Normally, I pass the books on to students as they come in but because these might be surprises, I encourage parents to come and collect these gifts from me directly in the Library. I love the idea of presenting quality literature to children for Christmas.

Book Reviews

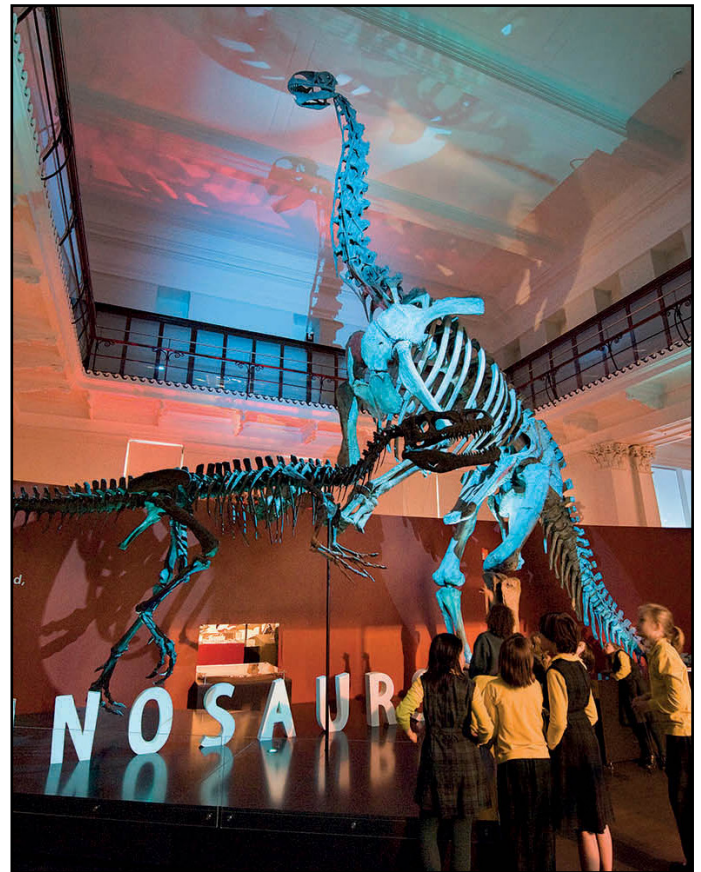
'Anemone is not the Enemy' by Anna McGregor



- “The fish thought that the anemone was going to sting them and it did. I didn’t like it when the anemone was lonely.”
- Claudia D (KW) ★★★★★
- “The fish were starting to get closer to the anemone, and closer, until they got stung. But the clownfish has protection.”
- Conor G (KM) ★★★★★
- “I liked it when the sea anemone said that he even stung the sea cucumber, and it was quite a pickle.” - Hayden S (KG) ★★★★★

This Week’s Library Riddle - In which book do two lonely children imagine a magical forest kingdom?

Year 3 Excursion



Next Friday on November 11, Year 3 will be visiting the Australian Museum and the ANZAC Memorial in Hyde Park as part of their Excursion History and Literacy program.

Our coach will depart school at 9:00am and will return at 2:50pm. All Year 3 children will need to bring their recess, lunch and a water bottle and full school uniform is to be worn on the day.
Year 3 teachers



Congratulations!

Principal Awards	
Hudson K	KW
Kayla Z	KW
Aubrey B	KW
William L	KW
Levi H	KW
Zander R	KW
Liara J	KW
Sophie H	KW
William B	KW
Elias B	KW
Olivia H	KM
Harrison S	KM
Leo M	KM
Zac O	KM
Jarrold W	KM
Abigail C	KM
Lennon Y	1/2FM

BRONZE AWARDS	
Boston H	2M

SILVER AWARDS	
Indeanna S	1G
Mila F	3C
Jack D	3C
Dayvean Al	3C
Sofia F-P	3C

MERIT AWARDS	
Jaxon M	KG
Abigail W	KG
Olivia H	KM
Zoe Mc	KM
Will L	KW
Kayla Z	KW
Nathan J	1G
Kaydence W-L	1G
Luis M	1G
Indeanna S	1G
Emma D	1J
Jordan S	1J
Harley M	1J
Eden F	1J
Reilly H	1T
Isa R	1T
Portia P	1T
Frankie R	1T
Lucas J	1/2FM
Sebastian D	1/2FM
Lennon Y	1/2FM
Abbie Chant	1/2FM
Jasper K	2M
Olivia J	2M
Brigette A	3C
Tai L	3S
Ava H	3S
Indie P	3S
Bella M	3S
Marcus C	4B
Tanya G	4B



GOLD AWARDS

Henry L	KW
William B	KW
Elias B	KW
Kayla Z	KW
Estella M-H	KW
Ziggy B	KW
Will L	KW
Hunter S	KW
Omar T	KW
Claudia D	KW
Aubrey B	KW
Lincoln M	1G
Victoria G	1G
Emily G	1G
Flora L	1G
Harrison A	1G
Flynn B	1J
Harrison B	1J
Flynn K	1J
Layla H	1J
Josie B	1J
Harley M	1J
Hydie-Lee C	1J
Malikai S-M	1J
Oka S	1J
Imogen S	1T
Isaac S-W	1T
Oliver K	1T
Grace W	1T
Nathan M	1T
Mikah H	1T
Thomas H	1T
Chloe D	1T
Charlie C	1T
Portia P	1T
Bailey H	1T

Neo R	1T
Connor L	1T
Gisele R	1T
Niara K	1T
Frankie R	1T
Hamish I	1T
Oliver B	1T
Lennon Y	1/2FM
Evelyn B	1/2FM
Erin Y	1/2FM
Delilah P	1/2FM
Jay Y	1/2FM
Brayden K	1/2FM
Kirrily E	1/2FM
Eva Mc	1/2FM
Edward R	1/2FM
Benjamin F	1/2FM
Sebastian D	1/2FM
Abigail E	1/2FM
Skyler H	1/2FM
Lucas J	1/2FM
Joel W	2M
Travis C	2M
Eljay B	2M
Lilly H	2M
Evie G	2M
Jean E	2M
Evita B	2M
Reina B	2M
Kalea B	2S
Saige G	2S
Shiwon P	2S
Shrihan H	2S
Maila W-S	2S
Jasper W	2S
Jacqueline C	2S

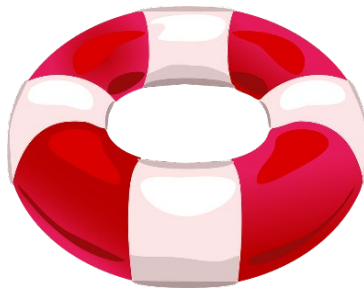
Oliver D	2S
Owen M	2S
Sonia S	2S
Owen J	2S
Mia H	2S
Molly G	2S
Dean P	2S
Heidi A-H	3C
Cooper Mc	3C
Harrison B	3C
Dakota A	3C
Aiden B	3C
Lola A	3C
Brigitte A	3C
Rylee K	3C
Joshua W	3C
Indy W	3C
Emma S	3S
Roy K	3S
Abigail L	3S
Brianna L	3S
Coby B	3S
Lisbeth L	3S
Alice C	3S
Brianna W	3S
Bella M	3S
Mackenzie G	3S
Hunter B	3S
Indie P	3S
Yura Y	3S
Jospeh R	3S
Lucy C-D	3/4D
Isla H	3/4D
Archie M	3/4D
Dylan C	3/4D
Zade G	3/4D

Eric L	3/4D
Henry D	3/4D
Eva T	3/4D
Ashton C	3/4D
William D	3/4D
Shreyan T	3/4D
Albert L	3/4D
Chelsea B	3/4D
Kyle A	3/4D
Elsie B	3/4D
William S	3/4D
Olivia S	3/4D
Ziva W	4B
Mackenzie O	4B
Candace C	4B
Grace F	4B
Tanya G	4B
Ryan K	4B
Leilani D	4B
Eliza E	4B
Jayson O	4B
Amelia H	4B
Marcus C	4B
Jacob G	4B
Noah H	4B
Indianna D	4B
Paige G	4T
Zoey H	4T
Xavier R	4T
Mervyn H	4T
Josephine H	4T
Marcus K	4T
Rubi-Saige B	4T
Bella L	5/6A
Travis W	5/6RG
Alexis W	5/6RG
Madeline E	5/6RG
Lilliana R	5/6RG

KPS Safety Awareness Day

Join in the fun on Monday November 7th

Come and dress up in safety gear as we all spend the day learning about keeping safe when in the water, under the sun, on the road, keeping safe with medicines and digital technology!



PRESENTATION DAYS

DATE & TIME:

Stage 3

Dec. 13 at 9:30 am

Stage 2

Dec. 13 at 11:45 am

Kindergarten

Dec. 14 at 9:05 am

Year 1

Dec. 14 at 10:00 am

Year 2

Dec. 14 at 11:45 am

Save The Date

NETBALL GALA DAY

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 3



By **CAITLIN SMITH**
Kariong Public School
NETBALL COACH

Well done to our Stage 2 and 3 Netball teams who competed at a gala day on Thursday 3rd November. After playing 4 games against teams from the Central Coast Sports College and Central Coast Grammar School, both Stage 2 and 3 made it through to the major finals. Unfortunately we didn't come home with the wins, but both teams demonstrated excellent attacking and defensive skills and worked brilliantly as a team.

Thank you to our parents who once again came down to support the teams on the day!







PBL UPDATE

USING THE TOILETS

Our PBL focus for this week, is using the toilets. Using the toilets appropriately and keeping them clean is everyone's **RESPONSIBILITY!** If the toilets are left untidy or they are missing items, please let the office know.

- **GO, FLUSH, WASH** is our expectation at KPS.
- **RESPECT** others' privacy
- Use your allocated toilets block in class time and wet weather breaks
 - K-2 use COLA toilets and 3-6 use Library Toilets
- Recess and Lunch - COLA toilets to be used **ONLY!**

Did you know that the PBL lesson on **TOILETS** is the most requested by all?

You should spend as little time as possible in the toilets and maximise your time in class.



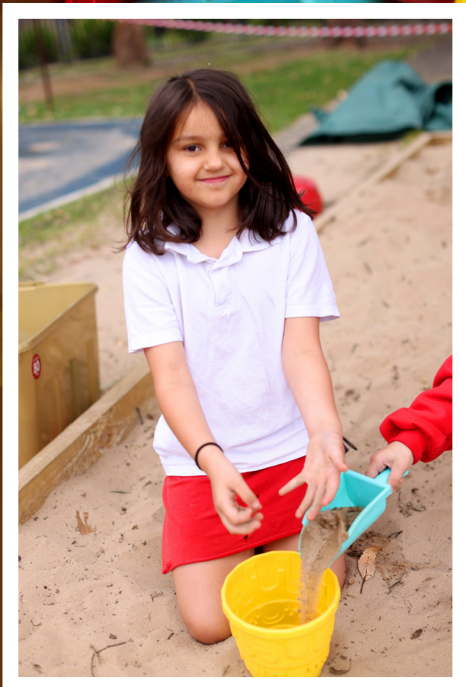


POP UP POETRY IN THE PLAY GROUND WITH MRS MAC



SANDPIT

STUDENTS ARE
LOVING THE SANDPIT
AT RECESS AND
LUNCH





DANCING AT RECESS IN THE COLA





Intention to apply for Year 7 placement in a selective high school in 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Selective high schools cater for academically gifted students with high potential who may otherwise be without sufficient classmates at their own academic standard. Selective high schools help these students to learn by grouping them with students of similar ability, and by using specialised teaching methods.

If you would like to have your child considered for Year 7 selective high school entry in 2024, you need to apply on the internet using a valid email address (not the student's email address).

Detailed instructions on how to apply and the link to the online form will be available in early-October 2022 at <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-7>.

Applications open on 18 October 2022 and close on 16 November 2022. You must apply before the closing date.

You must submit only ONE application for each student.

The Selective High School Placement Test will be held on **Thursday 4 May 2023**.

The tear-off slip below is NOT an application, it is advice to the school that you intend to apply. The school CANNOT apply on your behalf.

Yours sincerely

Toni Skinner

Principal

THIS IS NOT AN APPLICATION FOR ENTRY TO A SELECTIVE HIGH SCHOOL.

This is a notice to your primary school only that you intend to apply.

TO APPLY GO TO THE ONLINE FORM AT: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes>

----- Cut here and return the note below to the school -----

Intention to apply for Year 7 placement in a selective high school in 2024

Student's name: _____ Class: _____

I intend to apply for selective high school entry in Year 7 in 2024 for my child through the Selective Education Unit website between 18 October 2022 and 16 November 2022. I am aware that this is not an application and that the school cannot apply on my behalf.

Signature of parent/carer: _____

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Kariong Public School

Early Birds Program

KINDERGARTEN 2023



Weekly transition to school sessions:

Wednesday 2nd Nov 2022

Wednesday 9th Nov 2022

Wednesday 16th Nov 2022

Wednesday 23rd Nov 2022

Visit the 'kindergarten' tab on our website or phone the front office on 43401885 for more information



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To whom it may concern,

My name is Kylie Stephenson, and I oversee fund raising for our P&C committee at Kariong Public School.

We are seeking some donations to raise money for new representative sports shirts for our students at Kariong Public School.

If you are to donate any item big or small, we would appreciate your generosity.

I can be contacted on the school number 43401885 or 0411254230.

I can also be contacted via email on kylie.stephenson3@det.nsw.edu.au

Please see below a photo of the shirts we would like to purchase.

Thank you for your support.

Kylie Stephenson

KARIONG PUBLIC SCHOOL
T-SHIRT 2022
Club



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Protect your skin in five ways.



Remember to SLIP,
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and SLIDE when the
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SLOP



SLAP



SEEK



SLIDE



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SLOPPY JOE
\$27.00



PANTS GAB LONG
\$30.00



BOOTLEG TRACKPANT
\$25.00



CUFF DOUBLE KNEE
T/PANT
\$27.00



E/L TRACKPANT
\$22.00



NAVY SPORTS SHORT
\$25.00

KARIONG PUBLIC SCHOOL



UNIFORM INFORMATION ONLINE ORDERING



STUDENT ACCESSORIES

Due to COVID-19, we are now selling uniforms online.

Please visit our online store at: <https://www.gtschool.com.au>

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Next, click Kariong Public School logo.

If sizes are incorrect we are happy to exchange!
Just send an email with details of goods to be exchanged.

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THANK YOU, MANAGEMENT

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION



Thank you

Kariong Public School

for hosting a
Great Book Swap
in 2022

Online Enrolment

We are excited to announce the roll out of the [new Online Enrolment System](#). The Online Enrolment System is designed to provide flexibility for our parents to submit an enrolment application online and at the time that best suits you. The application can be accessed on all browsers and mobile devices including iOS and Android.

The online application process is currently restricted to:

- Enrolments into local schools only
- Children who are Australian citizens
- New Zealand citizens or permanent residents
- Children who live in NSW.

We offer our support and encourage you to complete your application to enrol online. If, however, you do not feel comfortable completing an application online, a paper copy will be available for collection from our front office or can be downloaded from the Department's going to a public school site.

Further information about online enrolment can be found on our school website under the 'Enrolment' tab. If you require further information, please call Kariong Public School on 02 4340 1885.

Online Payments

It is very easy for parents to make online payments to the school via a secure payment page hosted by Westpac. Payments can be made using either a Visa, MasterCard credit or debit card, and can be made via computer, tablet or mobile phone. This is a secure payment system hosted by Westpac to ensure that your credit/debit card details are captured in a secure manner; these details are not passed back to the school. The DoE preferred method for all money coming into the school is the Payment On-Line facility (POP) through the school's website: Kariong-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Item categories

- If a POP payment is made before 6pm, your payment will be processed on the next day's school statement.

- If it is made after 6pm, the school will be notified two days later.
- Please ensure that on your child's permission note, you fill in the section for POP which will require the receipt number.
- At the bottom of every note that requires payment, there is a section for cash, cheque, and Payment On Line, for your convenience.
- **Please do not make payments for uniforms on this site. The Uniform Shop is privately run and their website for ordering is: gtschool.com.au.**

Helpful Hints

Items that can be paid include voluntary school contributions, subject contributions, excursions, sales to students and creative and practical arts activities (these include band, drama and dance). There is also a category called 'Other' to cover items not covered in the previous headings, 'Other' can be used to make a complete payment of a school Statement of Account.

When you access the \$ Make a payment you must enter:

- [the student's name](#)
- [date of birth](#)

These details are entered each time you make a payment as student information is not held within the payment system.

You have the ability to check and change any details of the payment before the payment is processed. Receipts can be emailed and/or printed.

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SLIP



SLOP



SLAP



SEEK



SLIDE



Summer Uniform

KARIONG PUBLIC SCHOOL



Girls

- A-line red, white and blue checked **dress**; or navy skorts with a white **blouse** or polo **shirt**
- White **socks** (socks to be above ankle bones)
- Red **jumper**, red **cardigan** (school logo only) or red and navy school bomber **jacket**
- Black **shoes**

Boys

- White **shirt** with white collar button through, or polo shirt
- Navy **shorts** to the knee, without side pockets
- White or navy **socks** (socks to be above ankle bones)
- Red **jumper**, red **cardigan** (school logo only) or red & navy school bomber **jacket**
- Black **shoes**



A REMINDER ABOUT MONEY COLLECTING PROCEDURES

All cash money sent to the school is to be brought to the Administration Office and placed into the **letterbox slot** that is on the front wall near the counter. This will allow payments to be placed securely, even when the office is not open.

Please **do not leave money on the counter**. We ask that the envelope be marked with your child's name, class and what the payment is for, to allow the payment to be processed.

The office staff will administer all money and a receipt will be issued to the family, which will go to the student's class teacher to send home. This procedure ensures better handling of all monies and reduces disruption to teachers and students.

We provide a variety of ways to make payments within the school, to make it easier for families and alleviate some students bringing large amounts of money to school.

EFTPOS payments may be processed at the Administration Office between the hours of 8.30am – 3.00pm.

We no longer are permitted to take EFTPOS **over the phone**. For any enquiries regarding the online payment process, please contact Kariong School Administration Office.