

UPCOMING EVENTS



SCHOOL

TERM 4:

WK 8: Year 5 Tell them from me Survey

Early Birds program continues

Nov 26: Year 6 Mini Fete

WK 9: Movember - Crazy Sock/
Moustache Day

Final week for Early Birds program



ABOVE: Students in Year 5 giving their school leadership speeches.

Mini Fete is HERE!

Mini Fete is coming in Week 8, Friday 26th November! Students, come check out the amazing stalls like Guess the Drink, Sponge Throw, Bakery Treats, Footy Trials, Water Pong and more. Also, we must mention the amazing BBQ. All students are invited to all stalls and don't forget to have fun!

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

LEADERS OF THE FUTURE

We have had another busy week here at Kariong and it was exciting to meet some of our new Kindergarten students for 2022 at our Early Birds sessions. Early Birds will be conducted over a 3-week period where our new kindergarten students will have the opportunity to come into the school and work and play in a kindergarten classroom for 2 hours a week. This will help them

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become familiar with the school organisation and routines. It also gives them an opportunity to meet other students starting kindergarten next year. If you know of someone who is ready to start school next year who lives in our area, please let them know that it is time to enrol.

Year 6 Mini Fete

The Year 6 Mini Fete is fast approaching. It will be held next Friday 26 November. The purpose of the fete is to raise money for the Year 6 Farewell, purchase a gift for the school and for students in Year 6 to gain real life experience in budgeting, marketing, and retail experiences. The students are very much looking forward to sharing a range of games, activities, and products with the rest of the school. Our students from Kindergarten to Year 5 all love this special day, and we are very much looking forward to having this event at school following our COVID safe plan. Well done to all of the Year 6 students for their hard work and organisation in planning for this event. A note was sent home yesterday with further details with payment options.

Presentation Days

Each year we look forward to hosting our presentation days to recognise the students on their academic, social, and sporting achievements throughout the year. We love inviting all our parents into our school to help celebrate their children's successes but due to many Health and Department of Education guidelines we are not permitted to have visitors onsite. Our presentation days will be for our students only and parents will have the option to join us via Zoom. Further details with dates and times will be sent home shortly.

Student Leaders

I would like to wish our Year 5 students who are presenting a speech for school leader or sports house captain all the best of luck. These students have had to meet specific criteria to be eligible and then present their speech to their peers. Speeches will be recorded and each class from Year 2 up will then watch and vote for who they would like to have represent them for 2022.

Year 6 Farewell

Our Year 6 Farewell is booked for the Gosford RSL on Tuesday evening December 7. More information will be sent home shortly with times and details regarding the club and Department of Education requirements.

Students Leaving

Thank you to the parents who have already informed the school that their child is leaving us or commencing at our school next year. It is extremely important that numbers are as accurate as possible so correct classes can be formed, and teachers appointed to start at the beginning of the school year. Please ensure that you let the office staff know as soon as possible if you are NOT returning to Kariong Public School in 2022 or if you are going to be away at the beginning of the 2022 school year. (Current Year 6 students do not need to let us know). Don't forget to let any families yet to enrol for next year to please contact the front office to start the enrolment process. Online enrolments are available with a link on the school website.

Tell Them From Me

In the coming weeks we will be inviting Year 5 students, teachers and parents to provide feedback on their experience of our school using an online survey. The surveys are an important part of our whole school evaluation and planning process.

We would like to invite you to complete the Tell Them From Me (TTFM) Partners in Learning survey. As we value the role of parents and carers within our school community we would greatly appreciate your feedback. The information you provide will be used to maintain our commitment to working together in partnership to further improve student learning and wellbeing at Kariong Public School.

The survey is anonymous and will take approximately 20 minutes to complete. You are able to access the parent survey on your computer or mobile device by using the URL below:

<http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/cxxf3>

If you have any concerns or requests for 2022, please put them in writing and send to me by December 7. Thank you. Have a lovely weekend.



By **TONI SKINNER**
Kariong Public School
PRINCIPAL

STUDENT LEADERSHIP NOMINATIONS FOR 2022



By **Dr GAI McMURTRIE**
Kariong Public School
TEACHER

Today, 23 of our Year 5 Student Leadership nominees for 2022 presented speeches at a Stage 3 assembly. A video was made of the Year 5 Student Leadership nominees so that staff and other students could hear their speeches before they voted. Year 6 Leaders oversaw the making of the video with support from Mr Brady. They captured the students' hopes and aspirations for leadership at Kariong Public School.

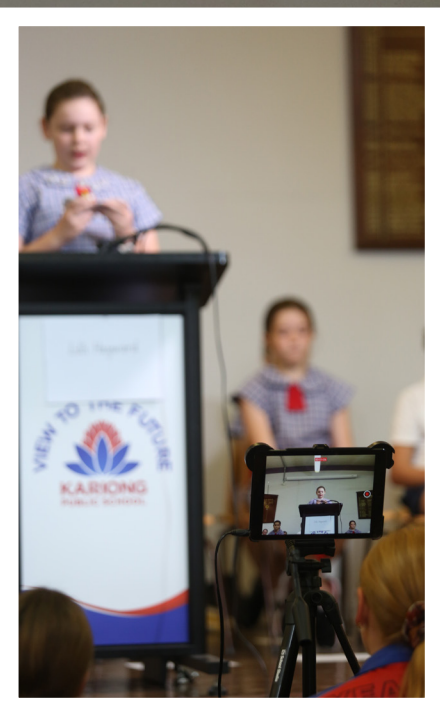
Each student spoke for the same amount of time on the stage in front of a small audience of Stage 3 students who were very respectful, attentive listeners.

Each nominee spoke about the expectations of the student leadership role and the importance of their collaboration with teachers and the Principal. Speeches included topics such as diversity and past school leadership skills and experiences. One speech was even presented as a rhyme!

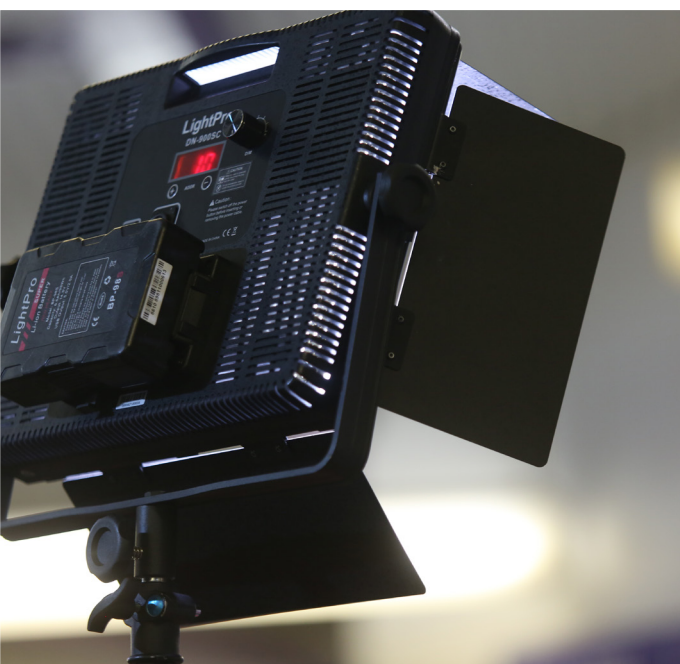
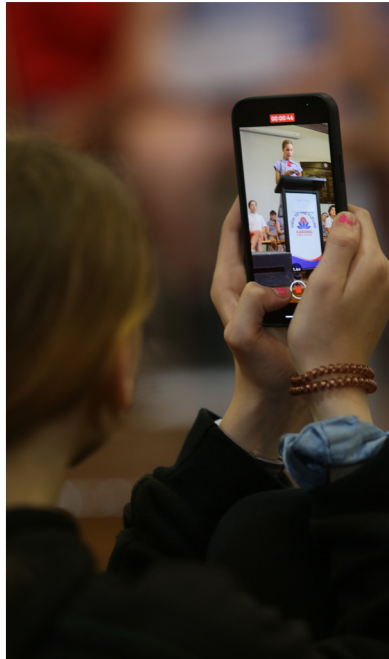
Congratulations to all the nominees on their informative, interesting, and thought-provoking speeches. Kariong Public School has obviously nurtured the public speaking skills of students and it will be challenging when the voting begins.

Thank you to Miss Drabsch, Mr Gilks, Mr Makepeace, Mrs Buckton and Mr Brady for organising this significant school event.









Unlocking the Library with Mr. Brown

Book Club

Just a reminder to families that Issue 7 of Book Club is now closed and Scholastic will not be sending out a paper catalogue for Issue 8. You can still access Issue 8 via their website and, as always, order your books online. The closing date for this issue will be December 3. Also, thanks again to all those students that have returned their overdue books. Please keep them coming in so we can have them on the shelves ready for 2022. If a book has been lost, please see the school office about remuneration. Thanks everyone!

Book Reviews

'Sarah's Heavy Heart' By Shaun Tan



"I liked it when the turtle was on the seesaw and went up to the sky. I didn't like it when Sarah was sad." – Imogen S (KM) ★★★★★

"I liked it when Sarah had the heavy heart in the bath. Sarah met a boy and she was happy, so the heart wasn't that heavy." – Mikah H (KW) ★★★★★

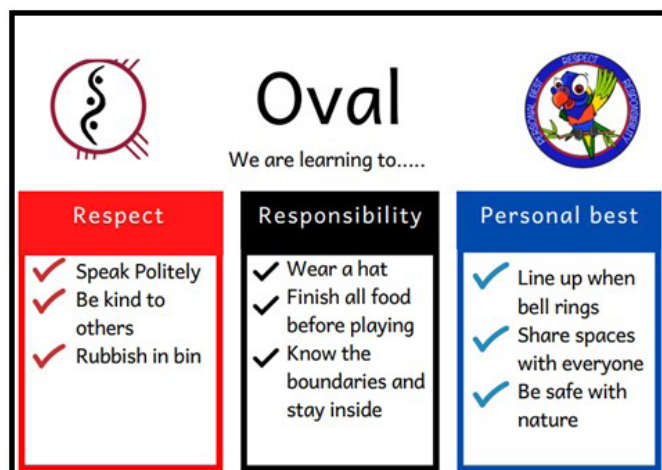
"I liked the part when they combined the hearts together. It was nice. I didn't like when she couldn't get the big heart on the bus." – Ethan G (KH) ★★★★★

This Week's Library Riddle

Who was the sparkly fish that gave away his scales?

PBL Update

At Kariong Public School, we show respect, responsibility and strive to do our personal best. During PBL lessons this week, students have been learning about being respectful, responsible and doing their personal best when playing on the Oval.



Congratulations to those students who have received their Gold Award for consistently demonstrating Respect, Responsibility and their Personal Best throughout the year.



Crazy Sock / Moustache Day -Tuesday 30th Movember

Kariong Public School is participating in Movember to raise funds for men's health. You may have already seen some of our teachers sporting some unusual facial hair over the past couple of weeks. On Tuesday the 30th of Movember, students are encouraged to donate a gold coin and wear crazy socks/ moustache to support this great cause.





Year 6 Mini Fete

On Friday 26 November the Year 6 students will be holding their annual Mini-Fete. Students in K - 1 will be attending the Mini Fete from 9:30am to 10:30am and the students in Years 2 - 4 will be attending between 10:30am and 11:45am. While the students in Year 5 will attend from 12:00 and 1pm. Unfortunately, due to COVID 19 restrictions parents are not able to attend. This Fete provides excellent opportunities for the students in Year 6 to implement real life financial practice, develop their organisational skills and raise money for the Year Six Farewell and gift to the school.

This year's fete will be cashless. Students will need to purchase coupons prior to the day in order to participate in the many activities available.

Coupons can be purchased in \$10 sheets. These can be paid for online also.

There will be a wide range of sporting and entertaining activities plus food and drink stalls operating on the day. The Mini Fete is one of the few times students are able to purchase 'sometimes foods' at school. The foods that students can purchase on the day include: a spider (a soft drink with a scoop of ice cream), lollies, donuts and icing covered biscuits.

Students can also purchase a sausage sandwich and an ice cream spider for \$5. Again, this needs to be purchased through the office/online prior to the day. For online payments, press the payments button - under description please state what you are paying for: coupons, BBQ or raffle tickets. After the student has paid, they will be given their coupons on the day of the Mini Fete.



THOUGHTS OF WAR

By **3/4H**

On November 11 we remembered the gallant soldiers who fought in war.
We tried to put ourselves in their shoes.

I saw something I will never erase from my mind. It was like a horror story but in real life. It was like a red explosion and it sounded like a volcano erupting but much louder. The water was red and my head felt like it was going to fall off.

Eliza Yr 3

I had said goodbye. I stepped in a boat not knowing if I would step in one ever again. We sailed off. I looked back, seeing my loved ones crying. I look down at my feet, feeling stronger than ever. As we arrived everyone took a big deep breathe. I was starving but I told myself 'no food now'. I was already missing my family. We got off the boat and dug the trenches. Then our enemies arrived... our commander yelled, 'FIGHT'. I grabbed my gun and started shooting. I had never witnessed something like this EVER. I shot whoever I could. I looked around me seeing people fall to the ground.

Amber Yr 4

This is my worst nightmare! Rocks, cliffs falling down, bodies everywhere. There was intense rapid gun fire, planes and smoke bombs. So many thoughts going through my head!

Cruden Yr 4

The soldiers in World War 1 sacrificed their life to keep us safe. Some of them never came back to fight in World War 2. We need to respect them no matter what! If it was me, I would be crying all through the battle. Who wouldn't be scared? I can imagine digging a trench as the enemies start running towards us.

Mackenzie Yr 3

Today is the day when I needed to be strong and to not give up. Today is the day I needed to win. My thoughts run through my head, 'Will I die, will I fail or will I give up? I remind myself again to be strong. I breathe in and hear the whistle blow. I run towards my enemy when suddenly I see an explosion blow up next to me. I fly into the air and land with a thump. I barely survive. I try to lift myself up but I fail. I look beside me. I felt a body but not just any body. It was Charlie's body. Tears run down my eyes. I was angry with fury but sad in my heart. Once again, I stand up strong and say with determination, 'I won't give up today!'

Veronica Yr 4

As we lunge up the hill people are falling to the ground - no time to say 'bye'. Gun shots burst in my ear drums. BANG, BANG, BANG. I continue to follow our commander and then I shoot and hit someone in the wrist. I know they are out for revenge and they start bolting towards us and BANG! I got hit! The pain is unbearable. My leg hurts more than breaking your neck. People rush over and right when I think I have been saved... it is a Turkish soldier!!!

Jake Yr 4

We arrived slowly. I could already see and hear gun fire, half my unit had wounds. Men were falling and yelping. I was shooting and running until I hid in the trenches. My military unit were bleeding, we continued to dig and shoot over many years.

Benji Yr 4

Crash! Bang! As I was shooting the machine gun was screeching horrible noises. Suddenly, I got shot in the shoulder. One of my friends came into the trench and fixed me up with bandages and water. Then we quickly got to high ground. I saw a bright red poppy, then more and more poppies began to grow!

Noah M. Yr 3

As my mate and I were hiding in a trench I could see he was as terrified for his life as I was. I was proud to be fighting but then, BAAM, BOOM! "He's down!" someone yelled. I peaked my head up to see who it was. My heart dropped, I was petrified with what I saw. My friend was on the ground with his blood dripping. I couldn't just stand there. I ran for my life towards him. "Come on, come on, wake up!", I screamed. "He's dead", the nurse said. I yanked him over my shoulder and ran to the trench with him. The nurse took him away and that's when I knew this was going to be a rough couple of months. Four years later... all my friends are dead and I'm all alone.

Ashleigh Yr 4

This is so bad... I see rapid gunfire killing anyone in their way, red water washing up on the sand, soldiers sadly falling to the ground and in the water. There were men and women screaming at the top of their lungs. THIS IS SO BAD!

Ethan Yr 4

This battlefield is my worst nightmare – seeing my friends fall leaves me stunned. Seeing all the bullets and enemies leaves me no choice but to defend my team. As enemies fall we are one step closer to achieve the freedom we deserve. Some of my pals are taken to base to heal. More and more nightmares continue in my head, giving me more negative thoughts.

Candace Yr 3

(Stepping through mud) I see blood dripping from my best friend's mouth. I can see that she is weak and hungry. I have two cans of food left. I will give it to her. I hear gunshots violently shoot over the mountain. Someone at the front line is injured. I must go and carry him back to the deep trench built into the ground. I pass my gun to my friend while I carry them. The cans of food are shoved sneakily into her pocket and we continue walking. More gun shots... BANG, BANG, BANG! As soon as we get to the trench I start shaking and shooting.

Indi Yr 4

Thoughts of War



Imagine, for a moment, that you are in this picture. Write a dialogue of the thoughts running through your head.







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PRINCIPAL'S AWARD - GOLD BOOK

Malia P KH	Thomas H KH	Connor L KM	Lucas B KM	Xander M KM	Niara K KM
Flynn B KW	Joshua D KW	Frankie R KW	Isaac J KW	Chloe D KW	Hamish I KW
Jean E 1J					

MERIT AWARDS

KH	Harley M	Michael S	Leo M-S	Isla P
KM	Leo H	Josie B		
KW	Chloe D	Kavya D		
1T	Evita B	Travis C		
2M	Mackenzie G	Aiden B		
3B	Isla H	Lucas S		
4M	Kayleb L-W	Katie V		
4RG	Adahlia B	Lara G-H		
6T	Gemma D	Jack C		

BRONZE AWARDS

Kayden R-C KH	Isla P KH	Tyler S 1J
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GOLD AWARDS						
Emma D KD	Ryan A KD	Benjamin F KD	Edward R KD	Layla H KD	Eva Mc KD	Zali M KD
Emily G KH	Harley M KH	Flora L KH	Malia P KH	Luis M KH	Leo M-S KH	Axel F KM
Bailey H KM	Flynn B KW	Nathan J KM	Chloe D KW	Oliver K KM	Joshua S KW	Kavya D KW
Oliver B KW	Mikah H KW	Jean E 1J	Liam V 1J	Imogen Mc 1J	Saige G 1T	Lennon Y 1T
Harry T 1T	Erin Y 1T	Lilly H 1T	Evita B 1T	Elroy C 1T	Alice C 2/3F	Emma S 2/3F
Grace F 2/3F	Natasha S 2/3F	Zade G 2M	Abigail L 2M	Bianna L 2M	Eva T 2M	Lola A 2M
Amber B 3/4H	Sofie G 3/4H	Indi H 3/4H	Veronica C 3/4H	Matilda H 3B	Zoey H 3B	Josephine H 3B
Emmy G 3B	Isla H 3B	Amelia S 3B	Rubi-Saige B 3B	Kirra Q 3B	Zoe D A 3B	Emma L 3B
Ryan K 3B	Bianca F 3B	Indi G 4RG	Sophie D 4RG	Alex S 4RG	Nicolas D 4RG	Cooper B 4RG
Ella B 4RG	Adahlia B 4RG	Amelia S 4RG	Natalia E 4RG	Sarah B 4RG	Bryce J 4RG	Jacob M 4RG
Daniel M 5G	Sophie L 5G	Dani S 5G	Rishika S 5G			



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:

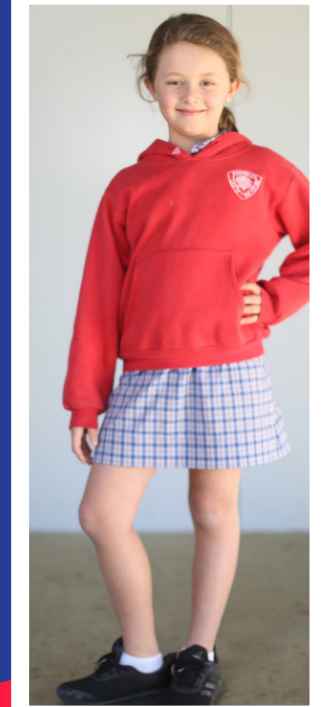
- the student's name
- date of birth

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.

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.



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CHILDREN'S SERVICES

December 2021 / January 2022
VACATION CARE PROGRAM
HOURS 7AM – 6:30PM WEEKDAYS

Booking times are weekdays 4:30pm – 6:30pm up until December 10, 2021. Fees must be paid at time of booking to secure position. Our Service is licensed for 95 children and our ratio is a 1:15. We anticipate that there will be 25 children booked in each day. Staffing arrangement will be amended where appropriate. Our Excursion Risk Assessments are available to view in our Family Area.

Date	Activity	Notes for Parents
Week 1		
Friday 16 December	Rock around the Christmas Tree Let's rock around the Christmas Tree!!!! As Christmas is near approaching, we thought we would start decorating the room to get into the spirit.	Please be at the Service by 9:00 am. Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Address: At the Service Child Staff Ratio: 1:15
Week 2		
Monday 20 December	Mindful Monday What better way to start our week than to look after ourselves with some selfcare! Today's aim is to focus on mindfulness and keeping a positive and healthy mental wellbeing. We will be creating soaps and candles, working our bodies out to a Yoga routine and of course relaxing to some meditation.	Please be at the Service by 9:00 am. Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Address: At the Service Child Staff Ratio: 1:15
Tuesday 21 December	Reptile Man An animal day with reptiles galore, snakes, lizards, crocs and more. Come along form some fun animal craft or to touch a reptile and have a laugh. Plenty of activities fun in the sun, done miss our on all of the fun. Requested By: Oliver and Albert	Please be at the Service by 9:00 am. Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Address: At the Service Child Staff Ratio: 1:15
Wednesday 22 December	Ice Skating Keep cool this summer and enter a whole new world of frozen fun. Whether you are planning on being an ice hockey star, winning Olympic gold in figure skating, or just having fun learning how to ice skate. Come along and join us for some ice skating fun. Excursion Requested By: Sophie	Please be at the Service by 9.00 am. Remember hat, lunch and refillable drinkbottle. Enclosed Shoes and Socks are Compulsory. Address: Shop A08 Erina Fair, Terrigal Drive, Erina, NSW, 2250 Distance travelled return: 25.4km by bus Child Staff Ratio 1:15
Thursday 23 December	Christmas Party Today we will be transported to our very own "Santa's Workshop" with lots of Christmas crafts, games and cooking activities.	Please be at the Service by 9.00 am. Remember hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Address: At the Service Child Staff Ratio 1:15

The Service is closed from Friday 24 December 2021 to Friday 7 January 2022.

Week 3

Monday
10 January

Back with a Bang

We are welcoming all our children into the year 2022 with a Bang. Come along today to be wooed as we enjoy a Magical day full of tricks and a Balloon show. Later in the day we will attempt to learn our own Magic tricks and perform for our friends.

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle.

Address: At the Service

Child Staff Ratio: 1:15

Tuesday
11 January

Plasters and Sand Art

Today we will dive into the world of art, where we will have a day filled with painting, craft and fun. We will get to select our very own plaster figure and Sand art piece, decorate it in your favourite colours and take it home to show off to our family.

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle.

Address: At the Service

Child Staff Ratio: 1:15

Wednesday
12 January

Wild West Wednesday

Yeeeeew haaar, giddy up children as we enter the World of the West. Please come dressed in your wild west outfit and help us create our own wild west scene and play wild west games.

Requested by: Oliver and Jasper

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle.

Address: At the Service

Distance travelled return: 0 km

Child Staff Ratio: 1:15

Thursday
13 January

Waterworld @ Doyalson

Come and join us today for an adventure to the Water World Inflatable Waterslides. The children will get 2 hours of unlimited play on the Waterslides.

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

We will be returning by approximately 3pm

Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Please remember Swimmers, board shorts, spare clothe and a Towel

Address: 80 Pacific Hwy, Doyalson, NSW, 2262

Distance travelled return: 83.6 km by bus

Child Staff Ratio: 1:10

Friday
14 January

Aim 4 Fun Laser Tag

Aim 4 Fun Laser Tag is a full immersive mobile Laser Tag adventure using inflatable walls and bunkers, they will transform space into an exciting and life like gaming arena, where you can play high tech hide and seek.

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

We will be returning by approximately 3pm

Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle.

Enclosed Shoes and Socks are Compulsory.

Address: 93 McMasters Rd, Woy Woy, NSW, 2256

Distance travelled return: 25.4km by bus

Child Staff Ratio: 1:15



Week 4**Monday 17
January****Ettalong Paradiso**

Join us today to see the latest movies at the beautiful Cinema Paradiso. You will receive a snack and drink to enjoy during the film.

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle.

Address: 84/189 Ocean View Rd, Ettalong, NSW, 2256

Distance travelled return: 32.4km by bus

Child Staff Ratio: 1:15

**Tuesday
18 January****Disco**

Today we will be busting some moves as we dance inside a Disco Dome!!!! Yes, that's right we are bringing a musical Disco Dome to the service to play the newest tunes. We will play lots of musical games. Come dressed in your best disco gear and get ready to dance the day away.

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Enclosed Shoes and Socks are Compulsory.

Address: At the Service

Child Staff Ratio: 1:15

**Wednesday
19 January****Splash Splash Water Day**

Today the Service will be transformed into a Water Park. We will have a double lane waterslide, a double lane slip and slide and loads of water games. After we burn most our energy we will enjoy a nice frozen treat in the afternoon.

Requested by Oliver, Zade and Dylan

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Please remember Swimmers, board shorts, spare clothe and a Towel

Address: At the Service

Child Staff Ratio: 1:15

**Thursday
20 January****Kariong Got Talent**

If you can sing, act, dance, perform magic, we want your act. We will spend the morning refining our performance and then we can hit the stage and perform for all of our peers.

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle.

Address: At the Service

Child Staff Ratio: 1:15

**Friday
21 January****Friday Fun Day**

Join us for a fun Friday as we today will consist of all things "fun". We will have a jumping castle, fun fillers games and activities and party all day.

Please be at the Service by 9:00 am.

Remember hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle.

Must have appropriate closed in footwear.

Address: At the Service

Child Staff Ratio: 1:15



Date	Activity	Notes for Parents
Week 5		
Monday 24 January	Toonworld Toonworld is coming to teach us about animation. We'll learn step by step techniques to making our own characters and how to use the animation APP installed in their devices. Then we will split up into production companies and create our own movies that include our characters, background designs, props and a script to bring our movies to life. Requested by: Summer and Sophie	Please be at the Service by 9:00 am. Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Address: At the Service Child Staff Ratio: 1:15
Tuesday 25 January	Multicultural Day <i>I am you are we are Australian.</i> Today we celebrate Australia's cultural diversity. Come dressed in your families traditional clothing or simply wear your favourite dress up outfits. Together we will journey through music, dance, and food from all over the world. Children will have the opportunity to participate in crafts, cooking and games from across the globe as we celebrate and recognise our land, our traditional custodians, our history and our present-day Australians. Requested by Thomas	Please be at the Service by 9:00 am. Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Address: At the Service Child Staff Ratio: 1:15
Wednesday 26 January	Service Closed – Public Holiday	
Thursday 27 January	Archaeology Day Today we will be putting on our boots and popping on our hats as we delve into, the world of science through research. Together we will explore dig sites using scientific sampling techniques, uncovering artifacts, history, prehistoric remains and so much more. Groups will observe, record, categorize and interpret what they find. Then they will have the opportunity to share their results with our other scientists	Please be at the Service by 9:00 am. Please remember to pack a hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Address: At the Service Child Staff Ratio: 1:15
Friday 28 January	Clip and Climb Clip Up.... Climb up.... Fun UP! Clip 'N Climb is a fun and safe way to strengthen the mind and body. This unique facility has 28 climbing walls of varying difficulties suitable for different ages and ability levels. Requested By: Nate and Saige	Please be at the Service by 9:00 am. Remember hat, lunch and refillable drinkbottle. Enclosed Shoes and Socks are Compulsory. Address: 1 Dane Drive, Gosford, NSW, 2250 Distance travelled return: 13km by bus Child Staff Ratio: 1:15
Week 6		
Monday 31 January	Spy Day News flash..... it has been reported that our Vacation Care will be involved in a highly confidential operation. Gadgets of all descriptions have been arriving to our centre, ready for our budding secret agents. So come along for a fun filled day of secret agent training, missions and undercover operations. We will be using specialised equipment together with our crafted gadgets these included magnifying glasses, spy decoders and an assorted of disguises. Make your own binoculars, investigate spy fingerprints, make a spy masks or your own spy badge.	Please be at the Service by 9:00 am. Remember hat, lunch and refillable drink bottle. Address: At the Service Distance travelled return: 0km Child Staff Ratio: 1:15