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SCHOOL CAPTAINS and STUDENT LEADERS ELECTION for 2022

The Student Leadership Team consists of
School Captains: 1 (one) boy 1 (one) girl
Student Leaders: 8 (eight) students

The School Captain positions are awarded to the first student of each gender to score the highest vote tally. Next, regardless of gender, the eight students who achieve the subsequent highest vote tallies will be declared Student Leaders.

- Nomination forms are made available to all Year 5 students. These forms are only available from Miss Drabsch. Campaigning by students or parents is not allowed.
- Students must be on their GOLD PBL level to be eligible to apply, If students know they will achieve their GOLD PBL by Monday November 22 (Week 8), they can also apply.
- Student behaviour records are taken into consideration before announcing eligible candidates. Principal, executive staff and Stage 3 staff will take into account student's behaviour in the past and their ability to meet the criteria. This will include classroom and playground behaviour. The expectations are very high and all students will have an exemplary behaviour record.

Wednesday 17 November	Nomination, Code of Ethics and Speeches (1 minute max) returned to Miss Drabsch. A photocopy will be taken and your speech will be returned to you later that day.
Friday 19 November	Speeches presented to fellow Year 5 students in the hall and recorded for viewing by the rest of the school. Year 5 and 6 will commence voting.
Monday 22 November – Wednesday 24 November	Speech recordings from Friday are distributed. Voting commences for Year 2-4 students and all staff through a formal, non-preferential ballot where each voter selects 2 student candidates
Friday 26 November	10 successful candidates are informed and invited to Stage 3 Presentation Day.
Monday 6 December	Captains and Student Leaders will be announced at Kariong Public School's Stage 3 Presentation. A special induction assembly will be held in 2022.

Skye Drabsch
Organising Teacher

Toni Skinner
Principal

In line with the 'School Positive Behaviour for Learning Program (PBL)' any child whose behaviour is deemed unsatisfactory will be withdrawn from this planned activity. This decision will be made by the Senior Executive after referral from the organising/class teacher. The parents and child will be informed if attendance is refused.

DESIRABLE QUALITIES IN CANDIDATES

School Values: **RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY and PERSONAL BEST**

Please find below a selection of desirable qualities to assist you to write your own speech (no more than 60 seconds) stating why you would be a great candidate to be part of the school's 2020 Leadership Team;

try to include your achievements whilst you have been at Kariong Public School. This list is not exhaustive. It is to be used as a guide.

RESPECT

- Take pride in yourself, your school and community
- Use your best manners
- Listen and follow directions
- Accept the rights and differences of others
- Wear neat and correct school uniform
- Follow instructions and cooperate with others
- Consider other people's opinions

RESPONSIBILITY

- Accept the rights and differences of others
- Take ownership of your own actions
- Look after your belongings and the school environment
- Be accountable for your actions and accept consequences
- Be prepared and punctual for all school activities
- Be organised and ready to learn
- Make good choices
- Care for personal and school property

PERSONAL BEST

- Be willing to have a go and try your hardest
- Be a positive role model
- Lead by example
- Encourage and support others
- Stay calm under pressure
- Challenge yourself to do better
- Be resilient

CODE OF ETHICS

I _____, as a nominee for the position of either School Captain or Student Leader, acknowledge and will uphold the code of ethics listed below

- If elected I am prepared to take on all the responsibilities that the position entails including representing the student body at functions out of school hours, e.g. ANZAC Day ceremonies, etc.
- I will prepare a speech for the Year 5 assembly and, if needed, a two-minute speech for the Years 5 Special Assembly to be recorded for distribution amongst other classes.
- I will not attempt to influence the votes of fellow students by any form of bribery or bullying and I will not encourage my friends to do likewise on my behalf.
- I believe my behaviour is worthy of these positions.

N.B. Failure to comply with any of the above points may result in the nomination declared ineligible.

Nominee’s Name _____ Signature _____

Parent / Caregivers Signature _____

Please return this form to your class teacher by **1 pm Friday 12 November**. Late forms are not accepted.

The following people endorse my application: -

	Name	Signature
Class Teacher Nominee	_____	_____
Student Nominee	_____	_____
Student Nominee	_____	_____
Teacher Nominee	_____	_____

ELECTION OF SCHOOL OFFICIAL - NOMINATION FORM

The candidates write their speech in the space below. Please use a pen as this page will be photocopied and returned to you. This speech is to be included with the paperwork due **Wednesday 17 November**.

I _____ of class _____ would like to nominate myself as a School Official for Kariong Public School. In support of my nomination I have:

SPEECH _____
