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ISSUE 10 TERM 2 WEEK 9

Thursday 27 June 2019

IMPORTANT DATES

TERM 2

Week 9

27 June—Stem4Ten

27 June—Special Photo Orders Due

28 June—Community Cultural Excursion

Week 10

2 July—NAIDOC Celebration Day

3 July—Gymnastics

3 July—Music Bus

4 July—Stem4Ten

4 July—Pie Drive Orders Delivered

TERM 3

Week 1

22 July— First day back for staff and students

Week 2

31 July—Basketball Gala Day

31 July—School Leaders Breakfast

2 August—Zone Athletics Carnival

Week 3

5—9 Aug—Education Week

9 Aug—Education Week

Athletics Carnival

What a fabulous day we had at our annual Athletics Carnival! One of the many highlights was the teachers winning the parents versus teachers relay - better luck next year parents! A huge thanks to the Cessnock High School students who helped run events. Thanks to Mrs Power and Mrs Richards for organising the day.



Public Speaking

Congratulations Ava D! Ava proudly represented Kearsley PS at the first Wiyala Public Speaking competition. Many thanks to Nulkaba Public School and Korreil Wonnai AECG - Cessnock & Kurri Kurri for organising such a wonderful event.



GPS Cows

Agri-Tech visited our school to deliver some agriculture and technology based science lessons to Year 6. Kitchener PS Year 6 students joined us for the session. The students participated in activities that included tracking cows using a GPS. Our students enjoyed taking on the role of a cow! This event was organised by the Cessnock Academy of STEM Excellence.



Gymnastics

We have one more week of Gymnastics lessons left. Our last session will be next Wednesday. The students have thoroughly enjoyed the lessons that have been provided by the PCYC. The funding for this program was covered by a 'Sporting Schools' grant. Thanks to Mrs Power for organising the program.





Kookaburra Awards

Mrs Manderson	Mrs Graham	Mrs Stipack	Mrs Power	Miss Reid	Mr Carter	Mrs Pitt Mrs Jackson
Joy—Anne T	Rubin W, Denver R	Jony C	Ella B		Jack F	Joshua W
Lilly J	Kiarntae W	Hannah C	Levi H		Savanna C	Hector S
Elsie B	Josh W, Sage H	Broddie P	Koa P		Joaquin H	
Kyle A	Charlie S	Parish P	Evie M		Pierah K	

Deputy Principal Awards

Nate P	Koa P
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Assistant Principal Awards

Kai O	Taylah B
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Principal Awards

Joel F	Lachlan G
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Kinder 2020 Enrolments

Enrolments are now being accepted for our 2020 Kindergarten intake. Please drop in to the office and complete a pre enrolment details form if your child turns 5 by 31 July 2020. You will also be required to show proof of your child’s date of birth (usually birth certificate) and your usual place of residence. A council rates notice or rental agreement in addition to a utilities account (electricity, water or telephone) suffice as proof of usual residence. Please phone the school for further details if required.

Pie Drive Order Delivery

PIE DELIVERY DATE IS THURSDAY 4TH JULY 2019. Orders can be collected from the school hall between 2pm and 3pm. A notice will be placed on Facebook when they are ready to collect. Please make sure they are all collected on this day as we have no refrigeration facilities available. Thanks for your support of our P&C fundraiser.



Cessnock Toastmasters

Thank you to Cessnock Toastmasters for helping our school with the public speaking and debating competitions. John Quinn who is a member at Cessnock Toastmasters assisted as an adjudicator for our Premier’s Challenge Debates with Ellalong on Monday 17th June. Cessnock Toastmasters also helped last year with judging our public speaking competition.



Toastmasters is a community based service club with its focus on public speaking. Cessnock Toastmasters meet every Monday night at 7pm and visitors are always welcome. Venue is Cessnock Leagues Club.



Todd Woodbridge Cup

Selected students will be attending the Todd Woodbridge Cup– Tennis Gala Day at Maitland City Tennis Club on Wednesday 3 July. Notes and cost of \$3 were due back on Monday 24 June 2019. Travel is by private parent transport and students are to meet at school at 8am SHARP. Students will return by approximately 3.30pm. Students will need to bring lunch, snacks and a water bottle. School uniform, hat and running shoes will be required on the day.

Aussie Bush Camp

Years 5 & 6 have the opportunity to participate in a 3 day excursion to Tea Gardens Great Aussie Bush Camp on Wednesday 4th September – Friday 6th September. This is an exciting, fun-packed experience for all students. The cost of the excursion will be \$260.00 which includes accommodation, all meals and all activities. Transport will be by bus – A BIG THANK YOU to our P&C for covering the cost of the bus for our students. A note has been sent home, a deposit of \$50 was due last Friday.

Parents/Carers are welcome to continue paying off their child's trip as soon as they would like. You may make payments for as little or as much as you would like.

*****Student assistance is available to families—forms can be collected from the office but must be returned by FRIDAY 5 July*****

Term 3 Staff Development Day Change

Our school in conjunction with the Cessnock Callaghan Principal networks have booked Dylan William to present a session to teachers on Monday 19 August 2019. Professor William is a British educationalist and Emeritus Professor of Educational assessment in the Institute of Education, University of London. He is an internationally recognised leader in the development of formative assessment. This professional development aims to:

- help schools fortify strategic formative assessment with teacher learning communities.
- research and develop innovative, highly effective programs.
- support enhanced student achievement.

To ensure the maximum number of school staff can gain from high quality professional learning on offer on this day, a variation to the Term 3 School Development Day is needed. As a result, please note that our school's Staff Development Day for Term 3 has been changed from Monday 22 July to Monday 19 August. **Students are required to attend school on Monday 22 July 2019 and NOT attend school on Monday 19 August.**

Athletics Carnival Wrap-up

Our carnival ribbons, champions medallions and winning house will be given out on the **last Friday of the term- 5th July, assembly to start early at 2.00pm.**

The Zone athletics carnival is at Turner Park on the 2nd August (Term 3 week 2) starting at 8:30am. Congratulations to the following students who will be competing on this day:

Amelia B, Gracie B, Imogen F, Hannah C, Jessie O, Ella B, Isla A, Josephine O, Selene H, Bella I, Isla H, Ava D, Sarah R, Montana K, Madison K, Savanna C, Ruby G, Zaria W, Tennielle P, Clare C, Gavin F, Seth K, Luke A, Levi H, Owen H, Darcy P, Zarhn W, Koa P, Dominic L, Matthew B, Luke B, Joaquin H, Nate R, Tim M, Broddie P, Micah F, Parish P, Nate P, Jakell D, Jett G, Antonio H, Murray M and Klay W.

A permission note with details of the students qualifying individual and relay events will be handed out on Monday 22 July. Further details can be obtained from Mrs Power.

P&C News

The canteen is holding a special lunch order day next Tuesday to coincide with NAIDOC celebrations. Please get your orders in to the canteen as soon as possible. No other orders will be accepted on the day.

Thank you to everyone who has supported the pie drive. The pies will be delivered to the school next Thursday morning (4 July) and will be ready for collection between 2pm-3pm from the hall.

Our uniform is looking great in the playground but if you still need a few things, please come and see our lovely volunteers in the canteen. Our school shirts and school jackets can be pre-ordered with payment through the canteen (correct money would be appreciated) on Monday and Wednesday mornings between 9am – 10am. Our shirt price is \$23, while our jacket price is \$34 and school hats can be purchased for \$14.

Our next P&C meeting will be held on Thursday 4 July 2019 at 1.30pm in the school library. Hope to see you there.



\$23



\$34



\$10

\$39

book online

9th-11th July
9am - 1pm

School holidays program
CESSNOCK TENNIS CLUB
www.clubevolve.com.au

RidgeView—Raffle Tickets available NOW from the office!

RidgeView will be holding a raffle to support Kearsley Public School. The raffle will run until the end of June. Information is as follows:

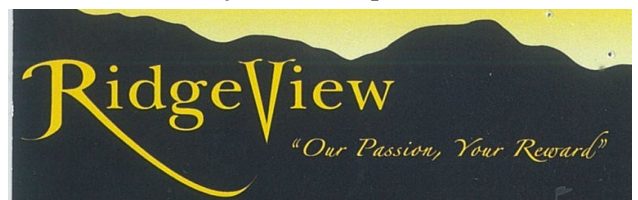
- 1st prize – Meze for two guests with matching wines (valued at \$160)**
- 2nd prize - \$100 Restaurant/Cellar Door voucher**
- 3rd prize – Twin pack of RidgeView ‘Generations’ Reserve Semillon and Shiraz (valued at \$70)**
- 4th prize - \$50 Restaurant/Cellar Door voucher**

Tickets 1 for \$2, 3 for \$5 or 10 for \$10



Tickets can be purchased in our Cellar Door or Restaurant or by emailing dine@ridgeview.com.au

Tickets on sale now until Sunday 30th June, winners will be notified shortly after via phone call and on social media.

Thank you to Ridgeview and Jo Chapman for organising the raffle. We really appreciate their support!



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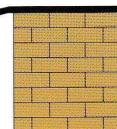
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Kearsley Canteen Roster 2019

July

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1 Matthew Yapp Sammi Edwards	2 Kristy Jones Larissa King	3 Rochelle Brady Narelle Magin	4 Karieanne Clifford Narelle Magin	5 Brook Gatt Kristy Jones
22 Matthew Yapp Naomi Bailey	23 Ann Stanley HELP NEEDED	24 Rochelle Brady Wes Batey	25 Karieanne Clifford Kelie Clifford	26 Kristy Jones Jane Apthorpe
29 Kristy Jones Narelle Magin	30 Kristy Jones Larissa King	31 Rochelle Brady Tania Smith	1 August Karieanne Clifford Kristy Jones	2 Karieanne Clifford Kelie Clifford

August

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
5 Matthew Yapp Sammi Edwards	6 Kristy Jones Larissa King	7 Rochelle Brady Allison Powell	8 Karieanne Clifford Kelie Clifford	9 Sammi Edwards Kristy Jones
12 Matthew Yapp Emma Apthorpe	13 Bee Scarborough Ann Stanley	14 Rochelle Brady Narelle Magin	15 Karieanne Clifford Kristy Jones	16 Sammi Edwards Kristy Jones
19 STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY	20 Ann Stanley HELP NEEDED	21 Rochelle Brady Wes Batey	22 Karieanne Clifford Kelie Clifford	23 Sammi Edwards Kristy Jones

All volunteers who work in the school canteen, reading groups or who volunteer and are on school grounds need to pay a membership fee to be covered for insurance purposes. Please pay your \$2.00 P&C / Canteen membership to the school office ASAP. A prohibited employment declaration form needs to be filled in as well as providing 100 points of ID. These can be collected at the office or one can be sent home with your child. Kristy Jones is doing canteen rosters and can be contacted on 0488609023 for any questions regarding rosters. If you are unable to make your canteen day please contact the person you are doing canteen with to let them know you can't make it and try to find your own replacement. Thank you!

SCHOOL BANKING



Please send in bank books every Thursday for Ms Crane to process. Some great prizes can be earned for regular banking! Thank you.

NAIDOC Day Activities—2 July 2019

All parents, caregivers and community members are invited to attend Kearsley Public School's -
NAIDOC CELEBRATION – Tuesday 2nd July, 2019



11:00am – 12:00pm	Family Picnic – Come and join in on some Yulunga games or Drum beat, enjoy some kangaroo sausages or have a special lunch order from the canteen (order forms have been sent home with students)
12:00pm	Official Welcome and opening of our celebrations
12:10pm – 2:40pm	Classes will rotate through a variety of activities: K-2: Johnny Cakes, Dreaming stories and Boomerang painting 3-6: Deadly Cooking, Language and Dreaming stories
2:40pm – 3:00pm	Recess



Athletics Carnival 2019





The simplest way

... to get kids involved in packing a healthy lunch box.

Getting kids involved in selecting – from healthy choices – what they would like to eat at school means they are more likely to eat what's packed in the lunch box.



Visit healthylunchbox.com.au and use our interactive [lunch box builder](#) with your children to plan a healthy lunch box.

Kids can choose lunch box foods from the pictures in each of the food groups to pack a healthy lunch box they will enjoy.

To help you plan for the week ahead, saving you time and money, you can email or print the lunch boxes your children pack online along with **personalised tips and recipes.**

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Good for Kids good for life

CHOOSING HEALTHY SNACKS

Healthy snacks are important to help meet children's nutrition needs.

Choose snacks based on vegetables, fruit, milk, cheese, yoghurt and wholegrain breads, crackers and cereals.

Some **tips** to help plan healthy snacks:

- Include a vegetable and fruit snack each day.
- Add vegetables into homemade snacks (muffins, pikelets, scones and slices).
- Cut up vegetables and fruits so they are easier to eat for snacks during the week.
- Keep a range of healthy snacks in the fridge or pantry.
- Get your kids to help prepare snacks.
- Show kids you enjoy eating healthy snacks.

Source: Choosing Healthy Snacks, Making Healthy Normal: WSLHD



Cessnock City Toastmasters

Have you ever Considered Toastmasters?

Why Toastmasters?

- It's great for developing public speaking skills
- It will help with presentation skills and confidence
- It allows you to practice in a supportive environment
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