ISSUE 15 TERM 3 WEEK 9

Thursday 19 September 2019

IMPORTANT DATES

TERM 3

Week 9

20 Sep—SRC Crazy Day

Week 10

25 Sep— Purple Day, Relay For Life Mini Relay

26 Sep—Family Movie Night—Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle

26 Sep-Kinder O-2pm

27 Sep—Last day of Term 3

TERM 4

Week 1

14 Oct—First day of Term 4

17 Oct—Kinder O—2pm

Week 2

21-23 Oct— School Dentist Visit, FREE for ALL students

23 Oct—Deadly Cooking

24 Oct—Kinder O—2pm

25 Oct—Grandparent's Day

Week 3

28 Oct—1 Nov— Swim School

30 Oct—Deadly Cooking

Week 4

4-8 Nov—Swim School

Kinder 2020

Orientation has begun for our Kinders for 2020. Our current Kindergarten students were very excited to meet their buddies and spend some time with them in the classroom. Mrs Manderson has organised a wonderful transition program for our families.

Cricket Gala Day

Our students had a wonderful time at the recent Sydney Sixes Blast Cup. Students played 3 games using modified rules. The object of the day was to teach students cricket skills and to encourage participation. Students enjoyed the catching competition at the end of the day.

Year 5 & 6 Excursion

Year 5/6 had an amazing time at the Great Aussie Bush Camp. They participated in activities such as canoeing, giant swing, power fan, lost island, dual flying fox, archery and fencing. Thanks to Mr Carter and Miss Reid for attending the camp with the students.











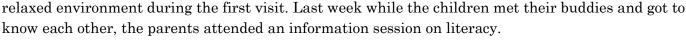


Kookaburra Awards						
Mrs Manderson	Mrs Graham	Mrs Stipack	Mrs Power	Miss Reid	Mr Carter	Mrs Pitt Mrs Jackson
Klay W	Kyrah R	Ella B	Murray M			Sage H
Lilly J	Joshua B	Maclyn W	Evie M			Ava W
Joy-Anne T	Sage H	Micah F	Charlotte B			Connor M
Savannah D	Jahmal R	Zoe M	Dylan K			Abbey S
Deputy Principal Awards						
Jahmal R				Isabella Y		
Principal Awards						
Klay W, Tennielle P				Catlin M		

Kinder Orientation

Exciting times at Kearsley PS with our new 2020 Kinders starting their orientation. Where has this year gone? On Thursday 5th September the new Kinders got to meet their buddies. Some special letters were written by this years Kindergarten students to say a very special welcome.

Our play-based program has been a big hit. Parents attended the Teddy Bears' Picnic, enjoyed some fruit and spent time in a



Today the children enjoyed an obstacle course set up and run by our Year 5/6 students. Parents attended an information session on our policies and procedures, school life, uniforms, P&C and information on our fantastic and supportive school community.



Check out our fabulous shirts! A big thank you to Wine Country Creations for designing and printing the shirts.

The remaining Kinder Orientation dates for Term 3 are on Thursday afternoons as follows: September 19 & 26, between 2pm and 3.05pm. Term 4 Kinder Orientation days are on Thursday afternoons as follows: October 17 & 24, between 2pm and 3.05pm. If you know anyone who has not yet enrolled please encourage them

SRC Crazy Day—TOMORROW!

Come to school wearing anything crazy—odd socks, pyjamas, clothes on backwards, crazy hair etc! Gold coin donation for out of uniform with all proceeds going to the SRC fundraising committee. Classes have had the chance to suggest where they would like to spend the money raised.

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Purple Day

On Wednesday 25th September, Kearsley Public School will be supporting the local team 'Le Krasey Krew' in their 11th year of participating in Relay For Life. Students will be able to wear either purple or yellow to school for a gold coin donation.

On the day, students will participate in our own version of a relay from 10am until 11am. Parents, caregivers and community members are more than welcome to attend. Dougal Bear will be making an appearance during the morning. Purple and yellow cupcakes will be available for 50c each on the day.



Cricket Gala Day

On Thursday, Stage 3 students participated in the Sydney Sixes Blast Cup at Turner Park. There were plenty of wickets falling and sixes being hit along with a lot of laughs and smiles. The sportsmanship on show was outstanding by everyone involved. The day was a lot of fun and all students enjoyed themselves. Thank you to our parents for their ongoing support with transportation, without you our students would not be able to participate in extra curricula activities.

Thanks also to Mr & Mrs Kedwell for their help with training.

Sydney Excursion

Years 3 & 4 have the opportunity to participate in an overnight excursion to Sydney on Thursday 7 November – Friday 8 November 2019. This is an exciting, fun-packed experience for all students. The cost will be \$120 which includes return coach transport, opal card for ferry trip, accommodation, meals at Cockatoo Island, recess and lunch on day 2 and all activities.

Students who expressed an interest in the overnight excursion are asked to begin paying for the trip. A deposit of \$50 is required by FRIDAY 27 September (for those have not already started paying for their trip) to secure a place on this excursion. The balance of \$80 may be paid now, or in weekly instalments or in 2 instalments as follows:

Instalment 1—\$40 due by Friday 18 October 2019

Final Instalment—\$40 due by Friday 1 November 2019

Thanks must be given to the P and C who have kindly donated \$1500 to cover the cost of the bus for all students. This has considerably reduced the cost of the excursion.

School Uniform Reminder

A number of students are frequently coming to school wearing non uniform jumpers, pants or shoes. Please remember good quality second hand items are available from our clothing pool for a gold coin donation.

The weather is starting to warm up and students are taking jumpers/jackets off when they are too hot. We have an abundance of student belongings in the lost property tub near the office. Please ask your child to check the tub for any lost property.

Summer		Winter		
Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
		School Polo	School Polo	
 School Polo 	School Polo	 School Jacket or 	School Jacket or Navy	
 Navy Shorts 	 Navy Skort or 	Navy Jumper	Jumper	
 White Socks 	Shorts	 Navy Shorts/Long 	 Navy Skort with Navy 	
 Black Shoes 	 White Socks 	Pants	Stockings or Long Pants	
 School Hat 	 Black Shoes 	 White Socks 	White Socks	
	 School Hat 	Black Shoes	Black Shoes	
		School Hat or	School Hat or beanie	
		beanie		

* PLEASE NOTE: bike shorts, tights and hoodies <u>are not</u> school uniform so please **DO NOT** send your children to school wearing them. Thank you for your support in this matter.





P&C News

Term 3 is rapidly coming to a close. Thank you to our school community for supporting the P&C this term with various fundraisers. Big thank you to the families who donated to our Bunnings BBQ, we made \$1157.90. Come along to the movie night tonight where you can pick up your Christmas school raffle ticket books and/or buy some tickets. Look forward to seeing you there. Our school shirts and school jackets can still 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. School winter beanies can also be ordered with payment through the canteen. Our beanies are \$10.

Our next P&C meeting will take place on Thursday 7th November at 1.30pm in the school library, there is not one for October due to school holidays. Please come along. It's a great opportunity to find out what is actually happening within your child's school and to have some input into what you would like to see taking place.

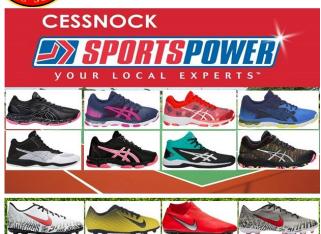
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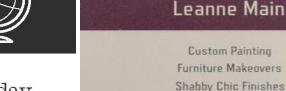
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Kearsley Canteen Roster 2019

September

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
23	24	25	26	27
Rochelle Brady	Ann Stanley	Rochelle Brady	Karieanne Clifford	Jane Apthorpe
Narelle Magin	Tania Smith	Narelle Magin	HELP NEEDED	Sammi Edwards

October

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
14	15	16	17	18
Matthew Yapp	HELP NEEDED	Rochelle Brady	Karieanne Clifford	Brook Gatt
Sammi Edwards	Larissa King	Allison Powell	Kelie Clifford	HELP NEEDED
21	22	23	24	25
Matthew Yapp	Bee Scarborough	Rochelle Brady	Karieanne Clifford	Sammi Edwards
Naomi Bailey	Ann Stanley	Narelle Magin	HELP NEEDED	HELP NEEDED
28	29	30	31	1 NOVEMBER
HELP NEEDED	Ann Stanley	Rochelle Brady	Karieanne Clifford	Brook Gatt
Narelle Magin	Tania Smith	Narelle Magin	Kelie Clifford	Naomi Bailey

November

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
4	5	6	7	8
Matthew Yapp	Ann Stanley	Rochelle Brady	Karieanne Clifford	HELP NEEDED
Sammi Edwards	Matthew Yapp	Alison Powell	HELP NEEDED	Jane Apthorpe
11	12	13	14	15
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HELP NEEDED	Larissa King	Narelle Magin	Kelie Clifford	HELP NEEDED
18	19	20	21	22
Matthew Yapp	HELP NEEDED	Rochelle Brady	Karieanne Clifford	Sammi Edwards
Naomi Bailey	Larissa King	Wes Batey	HELP NEEDED	HELP NEEDED

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. An appendix 5 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. 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

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Full details of our service are provided with the consent form which will be distributed to your child.



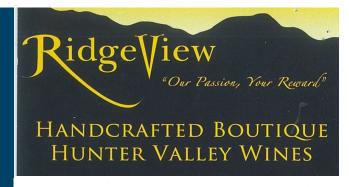
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Children from families eligible for Family Tax Benefit A may be eligible for up to \$1000 of free dental over a 2-calendar year period.

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Purple Day



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