

KULNURA PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Term 3 Week 1



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Diary Dates



Friday 22 July

- Opera House Choir – cluster rehearsal at Chertsey Public School

Monday 1 August

- Book Club orders due

Tuesday 2 August

- ICAS – English exam for Yr 3–6 students who nominated

Tuesday 9 August

- P&C Meeting – 7pm. All welcome

Friday 19 August

- Final payments due for the Jenolan Caves/Bathurst excursion.



Principal's Message

Welcome back to all of our families. Singlets, jumpers and jackets are the order of the day, so please remember to check that you have clearly labelled all school clothing items.

Staffing

The selection process for our new principal is underway and interviews will be held shortly. We welcome Katie Duncanson to the 1/2 classroom and thank her for all the work she has already done to ensure a smooth start to Term 3 for our Stage 1 students.

School Bus



Parents and carers are reminded that it is their responsibility to ensure that their children adhere to the Code of Conduct for School Students on Buses which details how students should behave in order to ensure the safety and comfort of other passengers while travelling on the school bus. We have already had reports that some students may be speaking and acting inappropriately. The Code can be found at the NSW Transport website <http://www.transport.nsw.gov.au>

Congratulations

Cathy Jager and Janne Shoebridge will be awarded Central Coast Public Education awards of appreciation on Tuesday next in recognition of their outstanding service to our school community. Their citations read as follows:

Cathy Jager displays “outstanding commitment towards students, staff and community of Kulnura. Her knowledge and professionalism reflects the true values of Public Education”.

Janne Shoebridge “has proudly served the school community of Kulnura as a teacher, parent and grandparent. An asset to Public Education.”

We are very proud of you both!

Woolworths Earn & Learn program

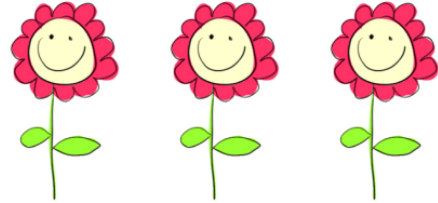


Kulnura Public School has registered for this program which runs from now until 18 September 2011. Points automatically appear on your shopping docket so please send us in any Earn & Learn points you collect when shopping at Woolworths so that we can start browsing the educational resource catalogues for goodies for our classrooms! For more information go to www.earnandlearn.net.au

Róisín Pengelly
Relieving Principal



BOB CHERRY OPEN GARDEN



P&C Food Stall

On Saturday 6th and Sunday 7th August 2011, local gardener Bob Cherry will open his garden to the public.

The P&C will once again be holding a food stall with lots of delicious cakes, slices and soups. As with all fundraising activities there are many ways you can support your P&C and school.

We are seeking people to:

1. Help out on the stall on either Saturday or Sunday for an hour or two.
2. Bake a cake or slice for the stall
3. Make a soup for the stall
4. Donate ingredients such as flour, eggs, vegies, etc

If you can assist us in any way please contact Lisa on 43761450 or email lisaandles@hotmail.com

Thanks,

Lisa Starkey
P&C Secretary

Community Announcements



E-waste Recycling Trial

Giving old electronics a second life

Gosford City Council will be launching an e-waste recycling trial running from Friday 22 July 2011 until Saturday 22 October 2011.

The initiative will allow residents to drop unwanted *e-waste* items at either the Kincumber or Woy Woy landfills for free.

Mayor of Gosford City, Councillor Laurie Maher says that the *e-waste* recycling trial is another avenue of promotion for sustainable waste management activities across Gosford City.

“The program will help reduce the level of discarded electronic goods being buried in landfill and allow us to re-use valuable resources from these items.

The average computer contains around 2.5 kilograms of lead, mercury, beryllium and other recoverable metals, all of which can be re-used in various ways.

Getting involved in this e-waste recycling trial is a great way for Gosford City households to do their bit for the environment while also giving their old

electronic goods a second life,” said Councillor Maher.

The types of *e-waste* items that can be dropped-off include:

- Computer monitors, printers, keyboards, mouse, modems, cables;
- TV, VCR, DVD, CD players;
- Laptops, notebooks;
- Photocopiers, scanners, fax machines, telephones

Council’s Woy Woy landfill site is located on Nagari Road, Woy Woy and is open 7am – 5pm Monday to Friday and 8am – 4pm on weekends. The Kincumber landfill site is located on Cullens Road, Kincumber and is open 8am – 4pm daily.

During the trial there will be a restriction of five items per visit for residents, with fees applying for commercial quantities.

The e-waste recycling program is funded by Gosford City Council and the NSW Government under its Waste and Sustainability Improvement Payment (WaSIP) program.

For more information on Gosford City Council's *e-waste* recycling, visit www.gosford.nsw.gov.au or call 4325 8222.

