

KULNURA PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

28 July 2011
Term 3 Week 2

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Diary Dates



Monday 1 August to Friday 5 August

- Education Week

Monday 1 August

- Book Club orders due

Tuesday 2 August

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

Wednesday 3 August

- Senior Choir performance at the Mountains Learning Community Showcase, Kariong Mountains High School

Thursday 4 August

- Science Fair 11.30am to 3.10pm – families welcome to join us for the fair and a BYO lunch

Tuesday 9 August

- P&C Meeting – 7pm. All welcome

Friday 19 August

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

Principal's Message

Water Pump

The bubblers behind the toilet block are out of order until we replace the pump on the filtration system. This is in hand. However, in the meantime, please make sure that your child has a water bottle at school which may be refilled in the wet area. Bubblers on the oval are working as per usual.

Morning congestion in the office

Notes from home for both the class teacher and the office are collected first thing each morning during roll call. Please remind students not to deliver notes directly to the office unless specifically directed to do so by you. This helps keep the office area clear during the very busy before-bell-time. Thank you.

Education Week 2011

You are invited to join students and teachers “*creating the future*” during our science fair on Wednesday 4 August from 11.30am. Visitors may join in a range of exciting scientific experiments and explorations throughout the day. Bring along your lunch and the sun will surely shine for us! Thank you Mrs McConaghy for organising.



Mountains Learning Community Showcase

You are invited to come along and see our senior choir perform at Kariong Mountains High School Hall (Gym) on Wednesday 3 August at 7pm. Doors open at 6.45pm and entry is by donation. Seats cannot be booked.

The showcase is an initiative which gives our students an opportunity to display one of our strengths to the wider school community of which we are a part. The other schools participating are Kariong Mountains HS, Kariong PS, Peats Ridge PS, Central Mangrove PS, Spencer PS and Somersby PS.

Honk! – Whole School Musical



The date has been fixed and the Hall is booked. It's showtime for one night only on Thursday 20 October 6pm at Kulnura Memorial Hall. Every student in the school will be in our show and has an important part to play. The Stage 3 students have been invited to take on the responsibility for the main roles both on and off stage and we are pleased to present our cast list. The hard work now begins in earnest, so please watch this space for requests for help and support in carpentry, wardrobe, properties, make-up and hairstyling.

Honk! Cast List

<i>Stage Manager</i>	Jake Montgomery
<i>Technical Manager</i>	Aaron Shearer
<i>Ugly</i>	Damon Wilson
<i>Ida</i>	Emily Fallon
<i>Drake</i>	Lachlan Morrow
<i>Beaky</i>	Paige Hepher
<i>Billy</i>	Alex McCallum
<i>Fluff</i>	Christine Koltsis
<i>Downy</i>	Kaileb McPherson
<i>Maureen</i>	Sydney Healey
<i>The Cat</i>	Briannon Lund
<i>The Turkey</i>	Brenden Bertens
<i>Henrietta</i>	Courtney McPherson
<i>Greylag</i>	Jared Porters
<i>Dot</i>	Tori Elder
<i>Barnacles</i>	Alicia Vassallo
<i>Snowy</i>	Mikayla Guthrie
<i>Pinkfoot</i>	Shannon Denniss
<i>Grace</i>	Morgan Bright
<i>The Bullfrog</i>	Blake Leccas
<i>Penny</i>	Mya Revelo-Gunn
<i>Father Swan</i>	Caleb Thomas
<i>Mother Swan</i>	Jayme-Lea Bertens
<i>Bewick</i>	Lachlan Baumer
<i>Jaybird</i>	Angus Walker
<i>Farmer</i>	Cody Dorman

Bob Cherry

The P&C again are organising some delicious refreshments to serve at the Bob Cherry Open Garden on Saturday 6 & Sunday 7 August. Please consider lending a hand either by donating some home cooked soup, scones etc. or by offering to spend some time serving at the stall. This is a fantastic fundraiser for the school and is a rewarding experience to be part of. The gardens are beautiful. Why not bring your family along too and rejoin them after you've done a stint on the soup server? Do come and join us. It's good fun.



Science Workshop, Kariong Mountains HS Tuesday 16 August

Students in years 4 to 6 have an opportunity to continue their scientific journey by attending a workshop "React with Chemistry" in which they will face two chemistry challenges and one cooking challenge. Please complete the attached expression of interest and return to school as soon as possible. Numbers are limited, so it will be first in, best dressed.

Senior Excursion

We have \$5302 outstanding on the Jenolan Caves / Bathurst Excursion account. The due date is Friday 19 August which is just three weeks away. Please send your outstanding payments as soon as possible. It will help ease stress levels at school. Thank you!



Schools Tree Day Friday 29 July 2011

We received a gift of some native trees from Gosford City Council. There are just enough for one per each student in Kindergarten. Michael Gow has kindly offered to assist us in locating suitable locations for Mrs Booth and our students to plant the trees. Thank you Michael and Gosford Council.



Róisín Pengelly

Relieving Principal



Child's Name:

Class:

Dates of Absence:

Reason for Absence:

- ☐ Sick
- ☐ Medical Appointment
- ☐ Family Reasons
- ☐ Family Holidays
- ☐ Other – please specify

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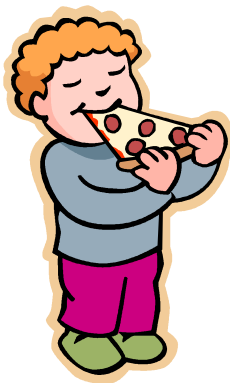
Canteen

TERM 3

Menu - Term 3 - Attached

Our yummy Pizzas are back on the menu and in stock.

We are having a **Pizza and Drink special on Monday 1st August**, select any pizza and any drink for just \$3.80. Order Forms attached, please send in on Monday as per the usual lunch orders.



Menu additions for Recess:

- Eucalyptus Drops
\$0.50
- Butter Menthol Drops
\$0.50
- Honey Soy Chips
\$1.00
- Plain Chips
\$1.00
- Ovalteenies (waiting on stock)
\$1.00

Canteen Roster - Term 3

1/08/2011	Trish Simunovic and Sasha Butler
8/08/2011	Deb Baumer and Mel Garrick
15/08/2011	Lorraine Wilson and Ali Worrada
22/08/2011	Trish Simunovic and Lisa Starkey
29/08/2011	Trish Simunovic
5/09/2011	Deb Baumer and Robyn Gregg
12/09/2011	Mel Zylmans and Sasha Butler
19/09/2011	Jane Waldon and Meike McIlroy

Canteen Roster

Please find above the Canteen Roster for Term 3. Please confirm the allocated dates are suitable for you to assist in the canteen, if not please try to swap dates with someone else on the list or contact me and I will rearrange.

Thank you all for your assistance, the canteen would be unable to operate if we did not have the assistance of our Volunteers each Monday.

Trish Simunovic
Canteen Coordinator