KULNURA PUBLIC SCHOOL 11 November, 2020 Week 5 Term 4 **NEWSLETTER**

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Current Information

✓ PLEASE NOTE:

Due to ongoing COVID-19 Restrictions All visitors and NON essential access to our school site are currently restricted.

Please contact the school office on 4376-1264 or by email to kulnura-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au for non urgent matters.

Please "kiss & drop" off students in the kiss & drop zone.

If it is essential for you to come onto school grounds please report directly to the school

We have been endorsed as COVID Safe and visitors to the school are to asked to scan a QR Code at the office, for NSW Government contact tracing.

Thank you for helping to keep us all safe during these uncertain times.

- In accordance with NSW Health, students and staff who present at school and are unwell or have flu like symptoms will be sent home.
- √ Students and staff with flu-like symptoms will need to be tested and provide a copy of a negative COVID-19 test result and be symptom free before being permitted to return to school.

Students and staff who do not undertake a COVID-19 test, will not be permitted to return to school for a 10 day period. Additionally, they must be symptom-free for at least 3 days prior to returning to school.

- ✓ Lunch Canteen available each fortnight on Thursdays – even weeks Recess Canteen - every Tuesday (pre order only)
- ✓ No assemblies until further notice
- Scripture classes are on Tuesdays.
- Student Banking suspended until further notice.

Diary Dates

Thursday 12 November

- *Kinder Transition Session 3: 9:30am 11am.
- *P&C Cake Stall -2:05pm (Recess)
- *Library day
- *P&C Meeting via zoom 7pm. All parents are invited. Please check your email for the link.

Tuesday 17 November

- *Scripture
- *Recess canteen (pre orders only)

Wednesday 18 November

*Opportunity Class Placement Test – for Year 4 Students who applied.

Thursday 19 November

- *Kinder Transition Session 4: 9:30am 11am.
- *Canteen available
- *Library day

Friday 20 November

- * Book Club Orders Due. Please note: if your order is for Christmas, please notify the office upon ordering.
- * Children's University Graduation 2:30pm.

Tuesday 17 November

- *Scripture
- *Recess canteen (pre orders only)

Wednesday 25 November

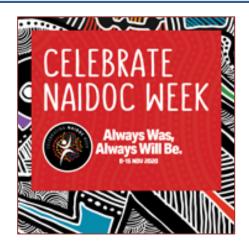
*Kariong Mountains HS – Year 6 Transition Day: 9am-11:45pm

Thursday 26 November

*Library day

Friday 27 November

* Year 5 Leadership Speeches and Voting





Principal's Message.

A warm, happy welcome for NAIDOC to all students and families for this week. We have participated in activities around art, artefacts, and bushfood. We will continue to show our students the diversity of Aboriginal Culture to educate all students about Aboriginal Australia as well as celebrate the achievement of Aboriginal students. We are fortunate enough to have many family backgrounds at Kulnura PS and celebrating all cultures are worthwhile learning experiences for all students and families.

Tomorrow night is our monthly P&C Meeting.

The meetings are held via zoom and all parents are cordially invited to participate. Zoom technology allows parents to stay at home for the meeting and jump online. Please check your email for the link. If 28 families attend a meeting once a year then the committee know that you are grateful for their efforts. **Kulnura Public School P&C committee** work tirelessly throughout the year to afford resources for all families of students who attend our school. The P&C are subsidising the swim scheme as in previous years which provides a bus to take students swimming over the 2nd last week of this term.

We are losing 4 families next year due to students moving to high school and we need support from all families to assist with the **P&C** in the years to come. If you cannot make meetings please advise the P&C of skills you have to support different events during the year.

Our Year 5 have had a workshop with myself in regards to leadership in 2021. All Year 5 have an opportunity to lead is some aspect of the school in roles of School Leaders, Ministers for Library, Technology, Sport and the Environment. There will be different workshops this term for the students to attend to develop their leadership understanding. Each Year 5 student will be required to present a speech on Friday 27 November, and students will vote for the Year 5 students they believe will lead our school and ministries in 2021.

Our school is blessed with seven new enrolments for Kindergarten next year. The new kinders are very independent whilst at transition and they look like they will adapt to routines easily when they begin school in 2021. Our Year 5 students have been super helpers with Mrs Booth in assisting our 2021 Kinders during transition. This will be the first of many responsibilities Year 5 will have coming into the new year when they move into Year 6. A big thank you to our Year 5 students.

COVID19: A reminder to all families

- ✓ Parents and Carers and other non-essential visitors are <u>not allowed</u> on the school site unless volunteering for educational purposes.
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Finally, our **Year 6** have been very industrious around the school and this week they will lead a video segment. Each week they will be showcasing the activities we do for our school environment. I am sure they will demonstrate their pride in our school. Keep an eye on our Facebook Page for their postings. Thank you.

Steve Collins PRINCIPAL

Book Club Orders



Issue 8 Book Club brochures were sent home with students today. This issue is the final one for 2020 and includes **bonus Christmas titles**.

Please ensure all orders are **finalised by Friday 20 November, 2020.** Hopefully this will allow adequate time for orders to be delivered prior to the end of the term. Thank you.















