



We would like to respectfully acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we meet.
We would also like to pay our respects to their Elders, past and present and emerging

Important Dates

August 22: Kyabram Fauna Park
Excursion (Prep-Gr2)
August 26: Book Parade
September 2: Kerang PS Aths Sports Day
September 12: Kerang District Schools Aths Day
September 13: Pupil Free Planning Day

Welcome to Ms Goudie

A huge welcome to Ms Goudie to our school. Ms Goudie is replacing Mrs. Mac while she is on 2 weeks Long Service Leave. We trust she enjoys her time at KPS.

Also a welcome to a new grade 1 student beginning school on Monday. Welcome to Lana.

Book Parade Friday 26th August

Participants in the Book Parade
Assemble at Kerang PS at 11:15 a.m.

Parade starts at 11:30 a.m.

This will be followed by a sausage sizzle lunch at school for the students. Order forms for this will be provided to each child. Any concerns re costumes please speak to your child's class teacher.

Grades 3-5 Billabong Ranch

Thankyou to all of the Teaching Staff who supported our grades 3-5 students on the Billabong Camp. From all accounts today the students had a really enjoyable time. I have

heard stories from slipping in mud puddles, being butted by a goat, riding camels and getting a jolt from an electric fence straight after being told not to touch it!!!!!!

Prep-2 Kyabram Fauna Park Excursion

Monday 22nd August.

Reminder

September 2nd – Kerang PS
Aths Sports Day

Tuesday 13th September - Pupil Free
Planning Day

***2023 Prep enrolments are
now being taken.***

Enrolment packs available from the school
office.

**Enrol your students at
Kerang Primary School
because you know you
want to! 😊**

Windcheaters Named

Please ensure that your child's is
windcheater clearly named.

Brekky Club

Brekky Club food is available to those requiring it. Just tell your students to collect before going home at the end of the day.

If you have any concerns or queries at all about your child's schooling. Please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher or to contact the school. You may do this by contacting the office during business hours.

Mr. Taylor. Principal.

Amazing Prep

Week 5, hard to believe we are halfway through term 3!

This week the preps have had a bit of a change. Mrs. Du Preez went away with the grade 3/4/5's on their camp to Billabong Ranch and Miss Janelle was the lucky one who got to be with the preps and Miss Hall for 3 days.

We had some extremely hard work to do while Mrs. Du Preez was away. The preps are such great little workers in class.

They showed Miss Janelle what great hand writing they can do and their colouring in was amazing!

They came up with some fantastic words for the letters Yy and Ww. Miss Hall did some fantastic pictures to match the words! Miss Janelle got to listen to some great little readers as well.



Keep up that super reading at home.

In math's, the preps have been learning about length, how long it takes to do something and putting things in the correct order. They are so clever!

Play based learning was very busy and there was some exciting playing going on. The dinosaurs, connect 4, hungry hippos and unifix blocks were very popular.

Thank you preps for the lovely 3 days I got to share with you all. Also, to Miss Hall for all of her great advice and keeping the preps and myself on time finishing the work. Can't wait until next time!

Miss Janelle and Miss Hall

Magical 1/2

Congratulations to Stella Bloomfield for being our 'Student of the Week' for her fantastic effort with her reading.

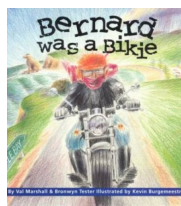
We welcome Mrs Goudie-Troy who has been teaching our grade this week while Mrs Mac is on long service leave.

Our shared reading has been information reports about Australian Animals. The students have been completing a report on an Australian Animal that they chose and will present a talk about it.

In maths we have focused on Australian coins and recognising our coins and notes.

Our ES's Megan and Mrs Dee have been busy cooking iced Teddy Bear biscuits with the students in Literacy groups.

A reminder that our Book Parade costumes for the book, 'Bernard was a Bike' include Bernard the Bike; Mr Pepper the grocer, who wears a flannelette shirt and jeans; Miss Ribbon, Miss Bliss and Mrs Gumdrop the shop owners; Mr Gingerbread the baker; and Mr Ruler the teacher.



PRIMARY SCHOOLS GOLF



Primary students in grades 3, 4, 5 or 6 who attend a Victorian Primary School are eligible to play in golf events that are organised by Golf Australia in partnership with School Sport Victoria. In the qualifying rounds students will play 9 holes on a short course, players will be notified of their progression to the state finals by Golf Australia. Students who qualify for the SSV State final will play 18 holes on a shortened course at Kooringal Golf Club.

Entry to the events is online

<https://www.golf.org.au/schoolevents>

Your local event is at **KERANG GOLF CLUB**

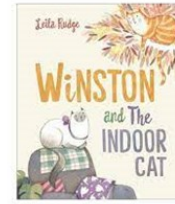
On **Friday 21st October 2022**

Contact **Jayne Young** Phone **0459 660 003** Email Jayne.young@golf.org.au



MARC VAN NEWS, TERM 3, WEEK 5

2022



This week in MARC Lessons, the younger classes have focused on a book called **Winston and the Indoor Cat** by Leila Rudge. We have discussed indoor and outdoor animals and drawn our own view out the window. (from our bedroom window or a school window). Some children drew their water view, whilst others drew their next door neighbours' house! Mrs. Leahy drew the cows out her kitchen window.

In the older classes we have looked at another shortlisted book titled **Just One Bee** by Margrete Lamond and Anthony Bertini. The book discusses the importance of bees in our world and how it only takes one flower to produce enough pollen for one bee. We have discussed the disease, **Varroa mite** and looked at how bees live and survive in the wild.

Fun fact: Did you know bees have 5 eyes?

The Book Parade is happening this Term – Friday 26th August, at 11.30am. By now there are many excited children planning/ making their Book Parade Costume- thank you to families for making this happen!

Remember to keep borrowing – the more you read, the more you learn !!

See you at Kerang Primary School on Monday and Friday's.

Thanks for staying up to date with MARC!

Mrs. Kylie Leahy (aka Mrs. MARC)



Pupils of the Week



**Alsa Hamilton,
Ebony Rogers, Cleo Felekos,
Cassie Williams,
Stella Bloomfield and
Zander Chirside.
Congratulations!**

Who's the smartest club/assoc./group of 10 people in KERANG???

KERANG PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

TRIVIA NIGHT

Bring your gold coins to play games! Also a raffle too!

Great night out, so come and have fun while helping our NYE party!

Hosted by Tracy Roberts, Kerang's #1 Trivia Master

OCTOBER SAT. 1ST
Kerang Lawn Bowls Club
Murray Valley Hwy, Kerang
7pm for a 7.30 start

Tickets \$15 ea. Tables of 10 **MUST** be pre paid
BYO nibbles Drinks @ bar prices
for further details or ticket payments, please contact Tracy Roberts 0417335598

must bring ticket to win door prize
no sales @ door

2022
KERANG NEW YEARS EVE PARTY IN THE PARK
HOSTED BY THE KERANG PROGRESS ASSOCIATION



Happy Birthday!!

Happy Birthday to the following children who celebrated their birthday since our last newsletter...

James Edwards & Lucie Worsnop



LUNCH ORDERS!!
FRIDAY'S SPECIAL:
Hamburgers

HEAD LICE ALERT

PLEASE CHECK YOUR CHILD'S HAIR TONIGHT!!

TO CHECK
Check the scalp for insects or eggs.
Use a fine-tooth comb on wet hair then comb through the hair in sections looking for eggs or lice, repeat over a few days.

TO TREAT
Wet the hair and scalp with conditioner or use chemical shampoo/ lotion (containing insecticide) – this will kill the lice and eggs. Using a fine metal comb, or special head lice comb you can get from a chemist, go through the hair in sections to comb the lice and eggs out.

Always re-treat 7-10 days after the first treatment, to kill any head lice that may have hatched from eggs that survived the first treatment.

TIPS

- ✓ Check and treat the hair every night
- ✓ Please tie up long hair for school
- ✓ If your child has head lice please check everyone in the family home
- ✓ Do not share hairbrushes, towels, hats/ scarves etc.

Child Safety Kerang Primary School is committed to Child safety. The safety and wellbeing of our students is a primary concern. We want children to be safe, happy and empowered. We support and respect all children, as well as our staff and volunteers. We have zero tolerance of child abuse, and all allegations and safety concerns will be treated very seriously and consistently with our robust policies and procedures. To ensure the safety and best interests of all students, we take into account the needs of those with an Aboriginal or Torres strait Islander heritage and those from culturally and/or linguistically diverse backgrounds.



Billabong Camp

