

# **Kerang Primary School 1410 News**

Our Values: Compassion Accountability Respect Inclusiveness Nurture Gratitude





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 8-10: Billabong Camp (Gr 3/4/5)

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** 

# **WOW 100 Days**

Congratulations to all of our Prep students who have completed their first 100 days of schooling. They certainly enjoyed their celebration day on Tuesday and were so proud of their achievement. Huge Thankyou to Mrs. DuPreez and Phoebe for arranging the celebration day and for the wonderful work they do in educating the students each school day.



## **Book Parade**

# Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August

Students are all aware of the book they will be depicting at the parade. Notes have been sent out. Any queries speak to your child's class teacher. We are so looking forward to continuing the Combined Kerang Schools Book Parade. The photo below may bring back some memories.



# School Camps/Excursion Grades 3-5 Billabong Ranch

8th-10<sup>th</sup> August.

Bus departs at 9:00 a.m. Monday morning.

# Prep-2 Kyabram Fauna Park Excursion Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> August.

Any queries regarding payments for any of these excursions please contact Kirstyn at the office.

# Reminder

September 2<sup>nd</sup> – Kerang PS Aths Sports Day

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September - Pupil Free Planning Day

#### **COVID Cases**

COVID is still out there in the community and KPS is being affected. We at school are following all Dept. COVID protocols. We appreciate your cooperation in supporting us with this. Mask wearing is still a recommended safety protocol when in doors at school.

## **Cold & Flu' Symptoms**

As per Dept. Guidelines. All students and staff are to remain home until feeling better. Please notify the school each day if your child is away for the 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.

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### Amazing Prep ....

This week was an absolute blast, celebrating our 100 days of Prep on Tuesday! We also thoroughly enjoyed our buddies lesson this week, creating WANTED





posters for our missing Gingerbread men. How did we get to 100 days so fast?!? Well done, everyone!







## Magical 1/2

Another busy week in the one/two space. We have begun to write up our very own information reports about our chosen Australian animal. This involves us doing some research on the internet and writing under subheadings. Lets hope we learn a lot about some of our very unique animals so we can visit Kyabram Fauna park full of knowledge. That reminds us... we still have some excursion notes to be returned so if you haven't already...can we have them back ASAP?

We have also been talking about different types of sentences...Do you know the difference between a simple and a compound sentence? Our colored words also need to be practiced at home...can you help?

We have been renaming numbers and regrouping two digit subtraction sums, measuring, counting by 2, 3, 5 and 10 and looking forward to starting our Money unit! Look out for our little pop up shop in our room! If you have some empty, clean, food boxes, send them in so we can go shopping!

Our Literacy appreciation activities have involved Classic Fairytales. Yesterday we studied Little Red Riding Hood and made delicious scones to put in the basket to take to Grandma! Thank you to our fabulous E.S's, Mrs Dee and Miss Megan for helping us in the kitchen. We honestly couldn't do it without you. Did you get to eat a scone?

In spelling we have been investigating the Sh and Wh sounds. We also have some great Vinny Vocab hunters who always suggest amazing "Words of the week!" Gotta love that!

We have just about caught up with every family for a Parent interview. Thank you for taking the time to help us learn about your child. If you have some follow up actions, please let us

know as we all work towards providing your child with the best opportunities for learning. Keep up that home reading and thanks for caring.

Mrs Mac is taking some L.S.L on a beach somewhere for the next two weeks. We welcome Ms Goudie to our grade during this time... with Mr A continuing to be our Thursday and Friday teacher.

Stay safe.

The team in one/two.









#### Grade 2/3/4 ....incredible!

Wow can't believe we are nearly finished week 4 of school. We have been watching and updating our medal tally daily on the Commonwealth Games! We have continued to learn a lot about the Commonwealth and the countries that are a part of the Commonwealth. We are enjoying learning about some of the sports and athletes competing at the games.

In literacy we continue to practice our sight words and have been learning about different trigraphs, Our focus for this week was spr and thr. We have continued to focus on prefixes and suffixes as well.

In Maths we continue to learn about area. We have also been learning about division and multiplication. We have been playing some great maths games in our

maths lessons. It's great to see the students getting back into a good routine of reading at home. We look forward to another great week next week.

DON'T FORGET school grades 3, 4 and 5 are leaving for a 3 day camp at Billabong Ranch on Monday to Wednesday next week.

Miss Janelle, Mrs Tieppo & Mrs Lake



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#### 5/6 Brilliant!!!!

A very quick week so it seems!

A great week. Buddies was fun, even if our gingerbread men have been kidnapped or gingernapped – stay tuned to see what happens.

Maths has been great - many students doing extra work at home, which is fantastic. We have been learning about simple to complex area calculations and have been doing extra work in addition, subtraction and division to keep us learning and remembering how to do the more difficult processes.

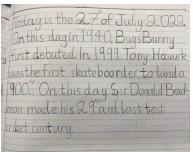
Grade 5 students go on camp next week, so

please make sure you have returned their permission form and medical form. If there is anything else we need to know please contact myself before Monday.

Thanks and enjoy the rest of your week.

Mrs Fletcher & Mrs Morris ...





with it that matters o doday is thurstelay the yor of knows 2022 In history not a lot happened on this day However, on this day in 2012, the grade the students from Kerong Primary School showed of their ability to write really interesting rocket with g text. They are all getting so much better at writing without even knowing Excellent Work.



#### LUNCH ORDERS!!

FRIDAY'S SPECIAL: Alfredo's



### Happy Birthday!!

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

Jack Hein



#### HEAD LICE ALERT

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

et the hair and scalp with conditioner or use chemical shampoo/ lotion (containing insecticide) – this will kill the lice and gggs. 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.

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

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Please tie up long hair for school

r child has head lice please check everyone in the family hc

Do not share hairbrushes, towels, hats/ scarves etc.





### MARC VAN NEWS, TERM 3, WEEK 4 2022







This week in MARC Lessons all children have focused on the Commonwealth Games, currently taking place. The younger classes have made their own Gold medal encourage all children to borrow from the MARC van or coloured in the Australian Flag and we even listened to the Australian National Anthem!

In the older classes we have researched an Australian Athlete of our own choice and looked at the countries participating in the 2022 Commonwealth Games, in Birmingham. We were amazed that 72 countries were involved and that Australia is at the top of the Medal

tally - Aussie, Aussie, Aussie!!!

Next week we will continue to focus on the Shortlisted books from CBCA. Also 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!

Borrowing is happening once again this Term and I there are some fantastic new books that I have recently purchased. 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)

MARC Library Teacher

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# **Pupils of the Week**



Harrison Murray, Phoebe McBride, Peyton Sanders, Levi Hodge, Reice Wills and Jack Hogg Congratulations!

# **THANK YOU!**

A big thankyou to Kristen Hall and her family for donating 12 art smocks. They will be put to good use and we really appreciate it.







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



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

ALL MONEY
RAISED GOES
TOWARDS NYE 2022



**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.

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