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Term 4 Week 2 – 23rd October, 2024

NEWSLETTER



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Quote



Tomorrow, 24th October

Principal's Report

Term 4

Welcome back to Term 4!



It's wonderful to see everyone return, and I would like to extend a warm welcome to our new families joining us this term. We are also thrilled to have our students back from their trip around Australia.

Just a reminder that all students must be wearing a school hat, if they do not they will be playing in a shaded area.

As always, Term 4 is shaping up to be a busy one, and we are excited about all the activities and learning opportunities in store for us. This week, it was heartening to see our students return settled and happy, ready to engage in their learning. In the coming weeks, we are in the process of organising our K-2 Sports Day in collaboration with Rylstone Public School, as well as our Learn to Swim program.

More information will be sent home shortly, so please keep an eye out for those details.

Dubbo Zoo Excursion

Our K-2 students are eagerly anticipating their excursion to Dubbo Zoo this Friday, 25th October. If you have not yet finalised payment for the excursion, please do so as soon as possible to ensure your child's participation.

Baby News!

I would like to take a moment to congratulate teacher, Mrs. Courtney Turner on the birth of her baby girl, Florence Ivy. We send our best wishes to her and her family during this joyful time.

Principal's Report (Continued)

World Teachers Day

Finally, I would like to remind everyone that Friday, 25th October is World Teachers' Day in Australia. It's a special occasion to express our gratitude to all the amazing teachers for the dedication and care they provide to our students. I would like to personally thank the teaching staff at Kandos Public School for their unwavering commitment to our students' education and well-being.

Wishing everyone a wonderful fortnight ahead!

Tracy King
Principal (Rel)

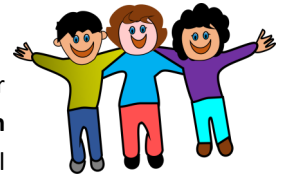
Dubbo Zoo Excursion Reminders - 25/10

- The Dubbo Zoo excursion for Kinder, Year 1 and Year 2 is on this **Friday, 25th October**.
- Ensure that students are at school on Friday by no later than **6.50am**, as the bus will be leaving at **7.00am**.
- Full summer uniform needs to be worn, along with enclosed shoes and a school hat.
- Students requiring selective sunscreen are asked to have it packed in their bags. The school will have sunscreen for all other students.
- Students will need their bag with a packed recess and lunch and enough water for the day.
- For students who are prone to travel sickness we ask that you pack a spare set of clothes.
- We aim to be back at school by approximately **5.30pm**. All updates will be posted on the school app Audiri and the school's Facebook page.
- Please make sure all permission notes are returned and the amount paid. Please phone the school office if you require assistance with payment for this excursion.



Peer Support

We will commence our Peer Support lessons on **Monday, 28th October**. Our Year 6 leaders will be undertaking their training this week.



The whole school will participate in Peer Support lessons for 45 minutes each Monday throughout Term 4.

Two Year 6 Peer leaders will facilitate a small group of 8-10 younger students, who work together through a number of structured activities. Each teacher will supervise the groups in their classroom. We are working on a module called 'Living Positively', helping us explore the concept of

optimism. The module runs for 8 sessions. Our first session enables the children to get to know everyone in the group, agreeing on how they will work well together and interact cooperatively with others.

They will also begin to think about what it means to be optimistic. We encourage you to talk to your children about Peer Support every week, as it will help to reinforce the concepts learned in each session.

The following week in Peer Support, students will share the things they enjoy in life and have an opportunity to discuss their favourite activity. This session enables children to recognise what makes them happy. Discuss with your child their favourite activity.

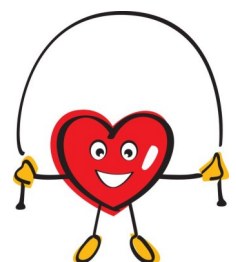


'Pink Up' Mufti Day - 24/10

Tomorrow, 24th October, Kandos Public School staff and students are invited to wear **PINK** to school as part of our annual fundraiser for Breast Cancer research. The SRC are asking all participants to donate a **GOLD** coin to this worthy cause. Donations received will be forwarded to Breast Cancer research at the Garvan Medical Institute.

Jump Rope for Heart

Tuesday, 5th November





Happy
GRANDPARENTS
Day!

KPS invites all Grandparents (GP figures) to join us for storytime, morning tea and a few games.

When: Tuesday 29th October 10:30 am
Where: KPS playground for storytime and library for morning tea (provided by KPS P&C).

Grandparents Day - 29/10

Kandos Public School will recognise Grandparents Day next Tuesday, 29th October.

We invite all of our grandparents to come and be with their children and sit around the playground and read a story together.

At approximately 10.50am we will then invite our guests (and related students) to the library where they can enjoy morning tea together.

We will also have some games set up in the library for grandparents and students to play.

Book Club - 29/10

ISSUE 7 Scholastic Book Club brochures were sent home with students in Week 1. Orders and payments are due back to school by Tuesday, 29th October.



P&C News

Christmas Raffle

- The P&C are organising a Christmas raffle which will be drawn on Presentation Day (Tuesday, 10th December).
- Tickets will be \$2.00 each or \$5.00 for three tickets
- Raffle books will be sent home next week with one book given to each family.
- Extra raffle books (including larger books) will be available at the office upon request.
- Lots of exciting prizes to be won.



NAIDOC Week Celebrations

During Week 3, Kandos Public School will be recognising NAIDOC Week with a series of class activities and celebrations.



Term 4 Calendar

Term 4 highlights include - Peer Support lessons, the Kick Start Program for the 2025 Kindergarten enrolments, Jump Rope for Heart, Swimming and Water Safety Lessons for Years 1 to 3, PBL Reward Days in Weeks 4 and 8, Semester 2 Student Reports, the Year 6 Farewell, the P&C Christmas Raffle and our annual end of year Presentation Day Assembly. A Term 4 calendar is attached to this newsletter.

NOTE:- Some events and dates are still to be finalised and do not appear on the calendar - e.g the Year 6 Farewell.

Please keep your calendar handy and add any new dates as they are advertised.

Port Stephens Excursion

12th Nov to 14 Nov

The anticipated Stage 3 Port Stephens Excursion for Years 5 and 6 is fast approaching.

A reminder to return **completed permission slips** and **full payment** to the office by next **Tuesday, 29th October, 2024.**

Payments / Instalments can be made via School Bytes or by bringing cash to the front office.

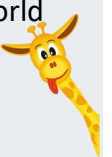


Dates to Remember

OCTOBER



- Thursday, 24th October - PINK Mufti Day.** Wear Pink clothes and **GOLD coin donation** & #2 Kick Start session - 9.15am to 10.15am (2025 Kinder students and parents).
- Friday, 25th October** - K to 2 Excursion to Dubbo Zoo & World Teachers Day.
- Monday, 28th October to Friday, 1st November** - Celebrating NAIDOC Week at K.P.S. & Peer Support commences.
- Tuesday, 29th October** - Grandparents Day & Scholastic Book Club due.
- Thursday, 31st October** - #3 Kick Start session - 9.15 to 11.15 (2025 Kinder students).



Student Awards - Week 1



| Class | Student Achievement | PBL Encouragement |
|-------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| K/3M | <i>Art Winiata</i> | <i>Violet Evans</i> |
| 2/6C | <i>Cody Byrnes</i> | <i>Klayton Stimson</i> |
| KH | <i>Skye Stimson</i> | <i>Hunter Meechan</i> |
| 1/2T | <i>Jade Wood</i> | <i>Grace Deveigne</i> |
| 2/3B | <i>Bailey Stewart</i> | <i>M. Smith</i> |
| 4/5V | <i>Amity Lilley</i> | <i>Eli-Broly Evans</i> |
| 6C | <i>Cameron Schneider</i> | <i>Lillian Griffin</i> |

Bronze Privilege Badges

Congratulations to the following students on receiving their Bronze Privilege Badge after collecting 10 Key Cards:- Ekleen Gill, Kyle Carver, Tyson Galloway, Shayde Wilkinson, Gus Henley and Henry Norris.



Silver Privilege Badges

Congratulations to the following students on receiving their Silver Privilege Badge after collecting 15 Key Cards:- Olivia Ashford, Ashley Furness, Vivienne Griffin, Lucas Torn, Yazmane Aylett - Murray, Amity Lilley, Austin Parkins and Cameron Schneider.



NOVEMBER

- Friday, 1st November** - Assembly, 12.45pm, COLA. Class 2/3B organising.

Canteen Price List

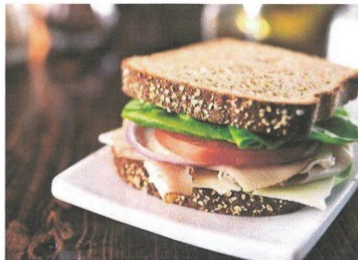


Salads

Plain Salad Sml: \$4 Lrg: \$5
Greek Salad: \$5 Vegan Salad Sml \$4
Lrg \$5
Egg Salad \$4.50 Boiled Egg & Baby
Spinach \$3.50

Extras 50c Each.

Variety of salads made everyday!!!



Sandwiches & Wraps

Ham & Cheese \$4 Ham & Salad \$6.50
Ham \$3.50 Ham/Cheese/Tomato \$4.50
Salad \$5.50 Chicken & Salad \$6.50
Chicken \$4 Chicken & Mayo \$4.50
Chicken / Avocado/Garlic Aioli \$5.50
Chicken/ Avocado/Baby Spinach/ Sundried
Tomato /Garlic Aioli \$7.00

Toasted Sandwiches also available



Hot Foods

Sml Beef Pie:\$1.50 Medium Beef Pie \$4.20 Sml
Sausage Roll \$1.20 Lrg Sausage Roll \$4.00
Chicken Nuggets & Chicken Chippies 80c each
Chicken Crackles 70c each
Chicken Tenders \$2 Beef & Vege Dim Sims \$2 each
Spaghetti Bolognese \$4.50 Lasagne \$4.50
Vegetable Lasagne \$4.50 Potato Bake \$4.50
Fried Rice \$4.50 Beef Ravioli \$4.50
Spinach & Ricotta Ravioli \$4.50 Tuna Bake \$4.50
Macaroni Cheese \$4.50 Chicken Sticks \$2 each

Pizza Bread

Bacon & Cheese \$3.50 Ham & Cheese \$3.50
Ham / Cheese / Pineapple \$3.50
Chicken & Cheese \$3.50 Extras 50 cents each



Burgers

Grilled Chicken Burger \$6.50
Schnitzel Burger \$7 Plain Burger \$6.50
Egg & Bacon Roll \$5.50 BLT Burger \$5
Cheese Burger \$5
Works Burger Beef or Schnitzel \$11

Toasted Wraps / Kebabs

Ham/Cheese \$6 (Half \$3) Chicken \$7.50
Chicken /Cheese \$6 (Half \$3) (Lettuce/Tom/Onion/Cheese)

Canteen Price List

Breakfast

Cereal \$1/ Toast 50c / Raisin Toast 50c
Melted Cheese \$1.50

Hot Drinks

Tea – **Only for Yr 11/12 and Teachers**

Hot chocolate/ Hot Milo



Snacks

Rice Crackers & Cheese \$1.50
Yoghurt Sml \$1 Yoghurt/Muesli \$3
Mousse \$2.50 Jelly Sml \$1 Lrg \$2
Jelly /Custard Sml \$1 Lrg \$2
Custard Sml \$1 Lrg \$2

Assortment of chips available from \$1-\$2.50



Drinks

Pop Tops \$3.00 Poppers \$2
Juice Cup \$1
Milkshake \$3.50 Plain Milk \$2
Nippy’s Sml \$3.00
Nippy’s Lrg \$4.00 **High School only**
Water Sml \$1.50 Lrg \$2.00



Sushi

Sml \$4 Lrg \$5

Variety of Flavours available Daily:
Cucumber, Avocado, Tuna, Salmon, Vegetable.

Rice Paper Rolls

Variety of Flavours available Daily:

Vegetable, Chicken, Ham, Tuna, Salmon.

All have salad on them with your choice of meat.

Lrg \$4 Sml \$5

Ice Blocks



TNT Ice Mony’s \$1 Frozen Juice Cup \$1
Long Stick Ice Blocks 80c



Fruit

Fruit Salad Sml \$1.20 Lrg \$2.50
Fruit Box Sml \$4.00 Lrg \$5.00
Fruit Kebabs \$2.00 Strawberry cups \$2
Fruit Cup in Syrup \$1.20

Piece of Fruit 30-60 cents each

COMMUNITY NEWS



Book your free breast screen at our mobile van in Rylstone



Where

Rylstone Showground
Cudgegong Road
Rylstone NSW 2849

When

Monday 11th – Thursday 28th November, 2024

- 20 minutes could save your life
- Female radiographers
- No referral required & it's free



Call us on

13 20 50

or book online at
breastscreen.nsw.gov.au



We recommend women aged 40+ have a breast screen every two years.
Book your free breast screen online at book.breastscreen.nsw.gov.au
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Wirimbili Indigenous Plants Community Garden

1ST FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH GATHERING

Come and check out Wirimbili Indigenous Plants Community Garden and Cultural Centre

There will be a Gathering on the 1st Friday of the month starting on Friday 1st of November

LIVE MUSIC BUSKING ALL WELCOME

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|---------|---|
| DATE | 01/11/2024 |
| TIME | 4pm -6pm |
| VENUE | Wirimbili, 28 Angus Ave, Kandos |
| CONTACT | for more info call Ginny 0460432964 ci@midwestern.nsw.gov.au |

the next 1st Friday
Gathering at Wirimbili
Is Fri 6th of Dec 4-6pm

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Term 4 Calendar - October / November

Kandos Public School - Term 4 Calendar OCTOBER / NOVEMBER 2024



| | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Sun |
|--------|---|--|--|---|--|--|-----|
| Week 1 | Oct 14 Term 4 Commences Students & Staff return | 15 Waste & Sustainability Program - K-6 | 16 H.S.C Exams - No hall | 17 #1 Kick Start - 9.15am to 10.15am - student & parent No hall | 18 Assembly - COLA, 12.45pm, 4/5V organising. No hall | 19 | 20 |
| Week 2 | 21 P&C Meeting, 3.45pm H.S.C Exams - No hall | 22 No hall | 23 NEWSLETTER No hall | 24 #2 Kick Start - 9.15am to 10.15am - student & parent PINK UP Day - Muffin & Gold coin donation No hall | 25 K-2 Excursion to Dubbo Zoo No hall | 26 | 27 |
| Week 3 | 28 NAIDOC WEEK Peer Support H.S.C Exams - No hall | 29 NAIDOC WEEK Grandparents Day No hall | 30 NAIDOC WEEK No hall | 31 NAIDOC WEEK #3 Kick Start - 9.15am to 11.15am - student No hall | Nov 1 NAIDOC WEEK Assembly - COLA, 12.45pm, 2/3B organising. No hall | 2 Street Feast - Choir  | 3 |
| Week 4 | 4 Peer Support H.S.C Exams - No hall | 5 Jump Rope for Heart  No hall | 6 NEWSLETTER PBL Reward Day No hall | 7 #4 Kick Start - 9.15am to 11.15am - student No hall | 8 No hall | 9 | 10 |
| Week 5 | 11 Remembrance Day  Peer Support P&C Meeting, 3.45pm | 12 Nelson Bay Excursion - Years 5 & 6 | 13 Nelson Bay Excursion - Years 5 & 6 | 14 Nelson Bay Excursion - Years 5 & 6 #5 Kick Start - 9.15am to 11.15am - student MC Sport, Mudgee | 15 Sports Day (K-2) with Rylstone P.S. | 16 | 17 |

Term 4 Calendar - November / December



Kandos Public School - Term 4 Calendar NOVEMBER / DECEMBER 2024



| Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Sun |
|--|---|---|--|---|---|-------|
| 18 Peer Support Swimming & Water Safety Lessons - Years 1 to 3 - Item @ 1:30pm | 19 Circular Circus - Visiting Performer | 20 NEWSLETTER | 21 #6 Kick Start - 9.15am to 11.15am - student | 22 Assembly, <u>M.P.Hall</u> , 2.30pm (sharp) - 1/2T organising | 23 | 24 |
| 25 Peer Support Swimming & Water Safety Lessons - Years 1 to 3 Item @ 1:30pm | 26 | 27 | 28 #7 Kick Start - student & Kinder 2025 - Parent information session - 9.15am - 10.15am Kick Start students & KPS at Assembly 10.15am - 11.15am. | 29 Assembly, <u>M.P.Hall</u> , 2.30pm (sharp) - KH organising | 30 Ifford Public School - Christmas Fair & Markets | Dec 1 |
| 2 Peer Support | 3 Speeches & Voting for 2025 School Captains Assembly, 12.30pm, <u>M.P.Hall</u> | 4 NEWSLETTER PBL Reward Day | 5 Final Key Cards 2024 | 6 | 7 Christmas Concert - Choir performing 6.00pm to 8.00pm | 8 |
| 9 Peer Support P&C Meetings, 3.45pm | 10 Presentation Day, <u>M.P.Hall</u> 10am P&C Christmas Raffle drawn. | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 16 Peer Support Semester 2 Reports sent home in Week 10 | 17 | 18 NEWSLETTER Final Term 4 school day for students | 19 Staff Development Day | 20 Staff Development Day | 21 | 22 |