



## Principal's message

Hello everyone!

I hope you enjoyed the Term 1 school break with family and friends and are managing to keep dry. Our calendar is very busy with planned extra curricular and events, so please keep an eye on the parent school calendar. The wet weather has caused some postponements already, so the calendar will be updated regularly.

The implementation of our new curriculum and planned extracurricular activities are tracking well. Student assessments are already showing improvements in learning evidenced in assessments such as NAPLAN, surveys, and feedback from staff and students. Our first summary of the 2024 NAPLAN results show growth and pleasing results from our students.

Our Leadership Team has led the school in The External Validation process where the school provides evidence of where we sit on the School Excellence Framework. Once during the four-year cycle, each school undertakes an external validation of evidence of their school self-assessment. Schools engage in discussions with an external panel and have their self-assessments validated using the School Excellence Framework. The panel meets with our Leadership Team on 28th May 2024.

Our K-6 teachers will be starting the Child Protection Program from Term 2.

It is mandatory to teach Child Protection Education in every stage of learning from Kindergarten to Year 10 as part of the NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) Personal Development, Health and Physical Education (PDHPE) K-10 syllabus.

The aim of Child Protection Education is to assist students to:

- develop skills in recognising and responding to unsafe situations
- seek assistance effectively
- establish and maintain respectful and equal relationships
- strengthen attitudes and values related to equality, respect and responsibility.

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## Principal's message - continued

Child Protection and Respectful Relationships Education is the responsibility of the whole school community and is most effective as part of a whole-school approach. When enrolling your child you signed a form to say you are aware of the program and your child will/will not participate in these lessons. For further information please contact the office.

Our next P&C meeting will be held on Monday the 20th of May 2024. The Coffs Harbour Bypass Team will be visiting and presenting at 6 pm and Mrs Fenton will be presenting the new student report parent format K-6. We look forward to your attendance. The meeting usually ends around 8 pm. Effective communication and collaboration with the whole school community has developed positive partnerships and learning experiences for students. We have established relationships with individuals, organisations, services, facilities, and expertise available in our school's broader community. These relationships provide a range of opportunities for all stakeholders to participate in and support students' academic, physical, social, and emotional growth.

Enjoy your week!  
Leonie Smith



Thank you to those students and families that attended and marched proudly in the ANZAC Day service.

It was wonderful to see our students respecting and remembering those who fought for our freedom





## Deputy Principal's message - Mrs Mel Fenton

Dear Families,

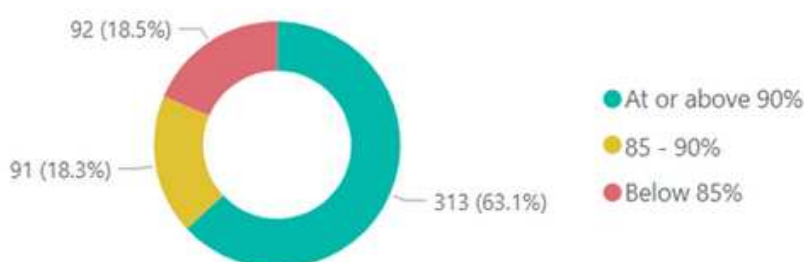
Welcome back to Kororo PS for Term 2. The students have returned to learning with great motivation and are straight back into their new units of work across all key learning areas. Teachers are looking at student assessment and achievement throughout the term to accurately complete individual student reports that will come home to families on Friday in Week 8. This year, the School Bytes report format using indicators to show student achievement will be used across all classes from Kindergarten to Year 6, and we will send this to you electronically through the School Bytes portal. These changes to the reporting process will be discussed further at the P&C meeting on Monday, 20th May, at 6.00 pm in the staffroom.

Term 2 will include many exciting events and curriculum opportunities. All students in grades K-6 will have the opportunity to attend the Musica Viva performance, The Life Education Van, and participate in our school athletics carnivals. There will also be a wide range of PSSA sporting opportunities throughout the term. These events are all listed on the School Bytes Portal in the Calendar so you can keep up to date with what is happening at school. Payments for these events will also take place online. If you are unsure how to use this system, please contact the school office on 66536201, and our wonderful ladies in the office will talk you through it.

Student attendance reports for Term 1 2024 were sent home on Friday. Our student attendance overall is improving from year to year, with 63.1% of students attending school 90% of the time or above and 84 students attending every day! A wonderful achievement. With the change of weather and moving into the cooler months, we understand that students inevitably may become unwell, and we do not want students to come to school if they are sick. If your child is going to be away for whatever reason, please remember to go into the School Bytes portal and place their absence and reason in there.

School Bytes really is the place to find all your information about Kororo Public School!!  
Have a wonderful week, and stay dry!

Attendance Level



# 6 YELLOW IN THE SPOTLIGHT

6 Yellow has been studying and creating artwork using different techniques and mediums.

Some amazing artworks were on display at The Coffs Show

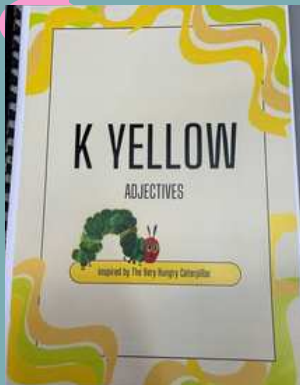


The 2024 Athletics Carnival is just around the corner, so whenever there is a break in the weather we have been on the field practising our skills.



We have begun a film unit with Mr Crane. Every second Monday, our whole class visits the STEM Room where we go to learn and practice different film techniques.

# WHAT'S HAPPENING IN K YELLOW



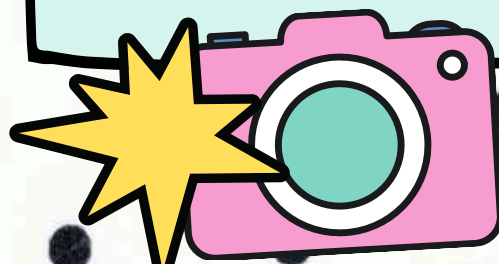
## The Week Gone By...

**Writing:** We have been learning about adjectives and how to use them in our sentences. We then turned our clever sentences into a published class book, inspired by The Very Hungry Caterpillar.

**Maths:** We have been exploring 2D shapes and how we can halve them. Once we cut our shapes in half we used the new shapes to make crazy animals.

**Art:** We combined all of Kindergarten's creative powers to design and make a collaborative 'farm' art to display at the recent Coffs Harbour Show.

**Dancing:** Kindergarten have been combining once a week to learn new and old dances.



# WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND KORORO?



## STATE SWIMMING

Maya H recently competed in the Jnr Girls Butterfly in Homebush (Sydney) at the NSW PSSA State Swimming Championships. She finished 25th overall and with a new PB! Congratulations Maya! We are very proud of your achievement!

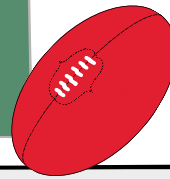
*Congratulations*



50m Butterfly F 8-10 Heat 2/4		
PSSA: 33.20 33.28		
1	Oh, Lina	PLSS 34.68
2	Sverdlov, Rachel	HGSA 36.93
3	Piniero, Calree	HFEG 38.07
4	Evans, Valerie	LE 39.57
5	Lin, Selenie	SGB 39.73
6	Duner, Amalia	SHPY 40.15
7	Whiting Maddison	CUMNO-A 40.17
8	Hill, Maya	KOAM 41.09
9	Skinner, Addison	LAKEA 42.96



## PAUL KELLY CUP



The Paul Kelly Cup was postponed due to rain. A new date will be finalised and communicated shortly.



## DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY

The District Cross Country was postponed due to rain. The new date is Thursday 16th May.



## SCHOOL PHOTOS



The school photos will take place on Mon 13th and Tue 14th May.. More details are attached.

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND KORORO?

## SURFING NORTH COAST REGIONAL TITLE

Over the past weekend, Jarrah W came 1st in Surfing North Coast regional titles U14 division.

Jarrah also took away 4th place in the Rip Curl Gromsearch cup in Coffs Harbour a few weeks ago in U/14 s against Australia's best groms .

He also took away most outstanding performance of the entire event!

Congratulations to Jarrah's sister, Sage who achieved 2nd place in the U/12 North Coast Regional titles.



## COFFS HARBOUR SHOW



Classes across the school were asked to get creative and come up with 'Farm Animal' inspired artworks of all mediums. Pieces were then chosen to be part of the School Exhibit at the annual Coffs Harbour Show held recently at the showground. Our display looked wonderful, showcasing an array of talents from students and teachers alike. Our only problem was the small space, which made choosing minimal pieces a difficult task. Well done Kororo!

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND KORORO?

## ANZAC DAY ASSEMBLY



Our student leaders delivered a reflective Anzac Day Assembly on Thursday 11th April. Many thanks to our guests Meg's Dad - Mr Christie, Mr Rogers, Lily M and our Kororo Public School choir for their beautiful words and moving music.



Congratulations to Milo G, Freya W, Saffi W, Emily H and Eliza K for trialling for the District Touch Football Trials and successfully making it through to the MNC trials next week! Good Luck!

## DISTRICT TOUCH FOOTBALL TRIALS





# WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND KORORO?

## MOTHER'S DAY STALL



The P&C's Mother's Day Stall will be held on Friday 10th May.  
All gifts are \$7, and students are able to purchase more than 1 gift.  
Children can bring their money in to their class teacher by Thursday 9th May.  
No online payments thank you.

We are asking for donations of plastic shopping bags.  
Occasionally we need bags to transport wet/dirty clothing and also for the second hand uniforms.  
Any donations of bags would be greatly appreciated.  
Many thanks.



## PLASTIC BAGS



## P & C MEETING

The P&C Meeting is on Monday 20th May at 6.00 pm. Members of the Coffs Harbour Bypass Team will be there to answer any questions or concerns.

As the weather is cooling down again and students are wearing their jumpers or jackets, we are finding more and more lost property occurring when students are taking these off to play.

Can you please ensure that your child's uniform (particularly hat & jacket) is clearly labelled with their names.

Thank you



## LABELLING UNIFORMS



## School Photos Term 2 2024

Week 3 Monday 13th May and Tuesday 14th May

<u>Monday 13th</u>	<u>Tuesday 14th</u>
<b>8.30am</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Staff Photo –</li><li>• SRC 8 student leaders</li></ul>	<b>8.30am</b> Sibling photos
<b>9.15am</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Year 6 Group –</li></ul>	<b>9.15am – 11.00am</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 5 Yellow–</li><li>• 5 Blue –</li><li>• K Blue –</li><li>• K Purple -</li><li>• K Yellow –</li></ul>
<b>9.30am – 11.15am</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 5/6 Lime –</li><li>• 6 Yellow –</li><li>• 6 Blue –</li><li>• 1 Yellow –</li><li>• 1 Blue –</li><li>• 1 Purple –</li><li>• 2 Blue –</li><li>• 2 Purple –</li><li>• 2 Yellow –</li></ul>	<u>Recess 11.15am – 11.45am</u> Sibling Photos Special School photos
<u>Break 1 11.15am – 11.45am -</u> Sibling Photos	
<b>11.50am – 1.15pm</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 4 Yellow–</li><li>• 4 Blue –</li><li>• 3 Blue –</li><li>• 3 Yellow –</li><li>• 3/4 Lime –</li></ul>	
<u>Break 2 1.15pm – 1.45pm</u> Sibling Photos	

Please note - these are approximate times only and are subject to change.



# Canteen information 2024



New prices as of Mon 18th March 2024.

Due to all food costs rising, we have had to make some minor adjustments to the price of some menu items.

Recess Menu	
EVERY DAY	
Freshly baked Muffins ~ banana bran, apple cinnamon, orange poppyseed, mixed berry	80c
Salsa Breads ~ bread stick with mild salsa sauce and cheese (everyday) Spinach, garlic and cream cheese or baked bean and cheese (rotated)	20c
Bag of freshly made Popcorn	50c
Fruit Yoghurt with Toasted Muesli	\$1.50
Cheese and Cracker Stack	80c
Corn Cob	80c
Hard Boiled Egg	\$1.00
Whole Fruit (apple & orange)	80c
Fruit Cups (Terms 1 & 4 only)	\$1.50

FROZEN ITEMS	
Twister watermelon/mango strawberry/vanilla	\$2.00
FROZEN ITEMS — LUNCH ONLY	
Quelch Fruit Icy Poles	50c
Fruit Juice Ice Cups	50c
DRINKS	
Bottled Water	\$1.00
Poppers apple, tropical, orange	\$2.00
Milk plain, chocolate, strawberry	\$2.50

Lunch Menu		
SANDWICHES (TOASTED AVAILABLE) Made on wholemeal bread only		
Salad ~ lettuce, tomato, carrot, cheese, beetroot, cucumber, salad onion with Mayo or your choice of dressing	\$4.00	\$4.50
Salad ~ with Chicken / Ham / Tuna	\$5.00	\$5.50
Chicken / Ham / Tuna	\$3.50	\$4.00
Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$4.50	\$5.00
Egg & Lettuce	\$3.50	\$4.00
Single fillings e.g. tomato or cheese	\$2.50	\$3.00
Vegemite / Jam / Honey	\$2.00	\$2.50

SALADS & FRUIT	
Salad Bowl ~ lettuce, tomato, carrot, cheese, beetroot, cucumber, salad onion and your choice of dressing option: add chicken, ham, tuna or egg	\$4.50 \$1.00
Caesar Salad ~ chicken, lettuce, cheese, croutons, caesar dressing option: add egg	\$4.50 \$1.00
Hard Boiled Egg	\$1.00
Fresh Fruit Salad Tub (Term 1 & 4 only) option: add yoghurt	\$4.00 \$1.00
Whole Fruit ~ apple & orange	80c

SUSHI FRIDAY	
HOMEMADE SUSHI	\$3.50
Tuna & Mayo Chicken teriyaki Kororo Roll (carrot, cucumber & cream cheese) Soy Sauce 10c	

Hot Food	
Fried Rice ~ brown rice, corn, peas, beans, carrot, spring onion, ham (homemade)	\$5.50
Vego Fried Rice ~ gluten free soy sauce (as above, no ham)	\$5.00
Spaghetti Bolognese (homemade)	\$5.50
Lasagne or Gluten Free Lasagne	\$5.50
Chicken Tenders ~ crumbed and baked	\$1.20ea
Corn on the Cob	80c
Mini Cob Loaf ~ mini wholemeal bun filled with baked beans or spinach/cheese/garlic mix	\$3.00
Chicken Tender Wraps ~ chicken tender strip, lettuce on wholemeal wrap (choice of sauce included)	\$3.50
Chicken Burger ~ crumbed chicken tender strips with lettuce on a wholemeal bun (choice of sauce included)	\$5.00
Beef Burger ~ homemade beef pattie & salad on wholemeal bun, lettuce, tomato, beetroot, onion, cheese (choice of sauce included)	\$5.50
Vego Burger ~ veggie pattie & salad on wholemeal bun, lettuce, tomato, beetroot, onion, cheese (choice of sauce included)	\$5.50
Ham & Cheese Toasted Pocket ~ ham and cheese in a large toasted wrap	\$3.00
Pizza Muffin ~ wholemeal muffin with pizza sauce & cheese base. Choose from ham, BBQ chicken, ham & pineapple	\$3.50
Cheese Pizza Muffin ~ wholemeal muffin with pizza sauce & cheese	\$2.50
Garlic Bread	80c
Soup: Homemade Chicken Noodle (Terms 2 & 3 only)	\$3.00
Sauce Portions Tomato, BBQ, Mayo, Aioli, Caesar & Sweet Chili	30c

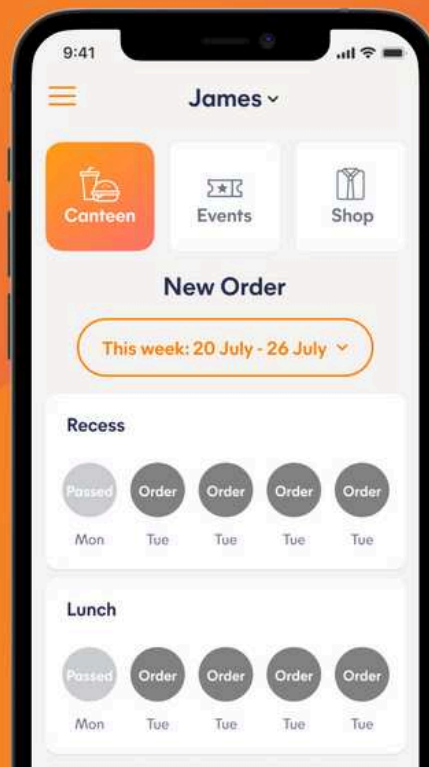
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Please note, 9.00am will be the cut off time for ordering. You are still able to order the old way if necessary, with money in a paper bag.

# STAR WORKERS



TERM 2  
WEEK 1

WHAT'S NEW?  
Congratulations to our STAR WORKERS  
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ES1 & Stage 1  
KINDERGARTEN YEAR 1 & 2



Stage 2  
YEAR 3 & 4



Stage 3  
YEAR 5 & 6



# Important dates

## Term 2 2024



Please note that the parent calendar is on the School Bytes App

### Term 2 (Apr – Jul 2024)

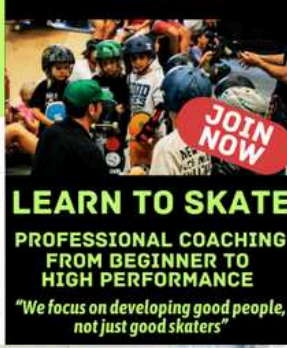
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
W1 Term 2 29 Term 2 start	30 Students Return to School	May 1	2	3
W2 Term 2 6	7	8	9	10
W3 Term 2 13 School Photos MNC Boys and Girls Touch Trials	14 School Photos Girls PSSA Cricket	15	16 CHD Cross Country Back up	17 6 Blue Assembly Girls and Boys PSSA Basketball
W4 Term 2 20 MNC Cross Country	21	22 CHD Netball	23 MNC Rugby Union Trials	24 CHD Football
W5 Term 2 27 1 Purple Assembly	28	29 GRIP Leadership Conference	30 Stage 3 Athletics-Field Events Trials	31 Stage 3 Athletics-Field Events Trials 4 Yellow Assembly
W6 Term 2 3 MNC Netball Trials	4	5 KPS Athletics Carnival	6 NC Rugby Union Trials 1:00pm - 2:50pm CHHS Transition Session	7
W7 Term 2 10 King's Birthday	11	12 NC Boys & Girls Touch Trials	13 MNC Boys & Girls Football Trials	14
W8 Term 2 17 NC Boys & Girls Softball Trials	18	19 Musica Viva Performance NC Netball Trials	20	21 NC Cross Country

### Term 2 - Important Dates

- Thursday 16th May - CHD Cross Country
- Monday 20th May - P&C Meeting
- Monday 20th May - MNC Cross Country
- Wednesday 5th June - KPS Athletics Carnival
- Monday 10th June - King's Birthday (Public Holiday)
- Wednesday 19th June - Musica Viva Performance
- Friday 21st June - NC Cross Country
- Thursday 4th July - NAIDOC Assembly

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