



Newsletter



Dear Parents,

Week 10 Term 4, 10th December 2014

By the time this week's Newsletter finds its way out of the school bags, our Annual Presentation Day will be over for 2014. Many thanks to the parents and families who were able to take the time out of their busy weeks, to join us at this occasion. It is always very rewarding to see all of the years' award recipients being acknowledged by the school community. With reports out at the end of the week, I know that there will be lots of pats on the back for effort and achievement during the school year to all of our students.

Student reports for Years 1 through to 6 are laid out in a five point scale. The underlying premise of the report scale is that students who are working and achieving at the expectation for their grade will be awarded a 'Sound.' For students to receive above this level they would need to be working above the expectation for their grade. If you do have any questions around your child's report, please direct them in the first instance to your child's teacher.

SCHOOL CLASSROOM REQUISITES

It is anticipated that Student Requisite Packs will be distributed to students in the second week of the new school year. Teachers will identify individual needs for their classes when our class organisation is confirmed though the vast majority of equipment required is in the book pack. Students will need a pencil case with coloured pencils and textas. The bookpacks are put together to meet the specific needs of each of the grades and are sold to parents at cost. It is expected all students will need a pack to kick of the new academic year.

CAROLS BY KOROROLIGHT

Please remember that Carols is a family occasion. Students will need to share the time with parents and not be out on the field playing soccer or running around. Please help us by reminding your children before the event. The field will be closed to games on the night. Many thanks.

Have a wonderful last few days of school.

Sue Mackay
Principal



Quote for the week:

What is Christmas?

*It is tenderness for the past, courage for the present, hope for the future.
It is a fervent wish that every cup may overflow with blessings rich and eternal, and that every path may lead to peace. Agnes M. Pahren*

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School Uniforms

Please remember our school uniform when purchasing school footwear for the new school year. Day to day wear is black school shoes. Soft canvas shoes are not acceptable due to WH & S issues. Loud coloured sports shoes are not uniform. Please do not purchase sports shoes that have bright fluoro laces or inserts. At Kororo there has been long standing pride in the way our students dress each day. Please help us to uphold our high standard of uniform.

The Uniform Shop will be open on **Tuesday 27th January** for parents wishing to purchase uniform items. Remember this is a Staff Development day with students returning to school on Wednesday 28th January. New Kinders commence on Monday 2nd February.

IMPORTANT DATES

Thursday 11/12: Year 6 Farewell at Pacific Bay
Friday 12/12: Talent Quest Finals & Reports Sent Home
Monday 15/12: Stage 3 – Big Banana, Stage 2 – Hills Beach, Stage 1 – Wet and Wild Day at school.
Carols by Kororolight
Tuesday 16/12: ES1/S1 Disco and Class parties
Wednesday 17/12: Last Day of Term 4 2014.



DON'T MISS THIS GREAT NIGHT OF
SINGING

Carols by KOROROLIGHT

Next Monday 15th December 2014

6.30pm to 8.30pm

at KORORO PUBLIC SCHOOL

Come along, pack a picnic, bring a blanket or chair, wave your candle and have a lot of fun singing your heart away to a vast selection of old favourites.



DEPUTY'S REPORT



What a wonderful turnout we had for our annual Presentation Day. Congratulations to all those students who received awards. Also a special thankyou to all our sponsors and special guests who gave up their time to present awards.

The SRC and student body did a wonderful job in making sure the day went smoothly. I have included a list of the major award recipients below.

ALBERT CHAPPELL CREATIVE AND PERFORMING ARTS AWARD - *Rachael McConnell*

JUNIOR CREATIVE AND PERFORMING ARTS AWARD - *Sophie Zahner*

JADE BRAUER VISUAL ARTS AWARD - *Zahra Franklin*

DEBATING & PUBLIC SPEAKING AWARD - *Allana Ryan-Silvia*

HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY AWARD - *Matilda O'Brien*

ENVIRONMENTAL AWARD - *Kade Partridge*

STAGE 1 CITIZENSHIP AWARD - *Charlize Morrison*

STAGE 2 CITIZENSHIP - *Tahlia Farag*

STAGE 3 CITIZENSHIP AWARD - *Jaide-Ebony Kachel*

KORORO SPIRIT AWARD - *Tess Zahner*

SPORTS PERSON OF THE YEAR - *Jorja Welch & Hunter Churchwell*

SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY AWARD - *Matthew Lang*

CONSISTENCY OF EFFORT AWARD - *Lochie Alexander*

MATHEMATICS AWARD - *Tarryn Arnold*

ENGLISH AWARD - *Monessa Williams*

DUX AWARD - *Will Geddes*



To
Mrs Bev Tristram,
Mrs Leonie Randall,
Mrs Kaye Campbell and
Mrs Ruth Powley
a huge thank you for all of the
wonderful years of teaching.
We wish you all the very best for
your retirement.






Starworkers



KC	Hunter O.
KG	Alicia C, Tyler C, Allira L.
KR	Iki H, Milla K, Lachlan N, Isaac R.
KS	Archie T, Jenna J, Tamika B, Jackson F.
K/1MW	Madelyn V, Hannah W, Korben H, Kaylee W.
1JB	Chloe C, Maja R, Alannah P, Bronte P.
1RP	Mia D, Harmony C, Lucas M, Elisa H.
1/2CB	Elle S-C, Barton F, Kora S, Logan S.
2GH	Breia C, Dylan R, Destanee L, Tyler S.
2LB	Mollie O, Riley N, Mia P, Oscar H.
2VW	Saree B, Lachlan B, Paige H, Ashlee G.

3BY	Holly W, Yana B, Rocco S, Tahliya S, Flynn C.
3SL	Oren T, Keidis G, Jazmyn A, Keidis G, Sebastian L, Connor B.
3/4LM	Angus O, April H, Imogen T, Asher F, Bree C.
4CA	Teia S, Olivia T, Ty M, Emily F, Cody F.
4LB	Byron V, Hannah D.

A SINCERE APOLOGY to
TURNSTYLES BARBERS
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PRESENTATION DAY.



We accidently missed acknowledging this business
on our Presentation Day Program.

Don't forget to visit them over the holidays for a
back to school hair cut!

PRESENTATION DAY AWARD RECIPIENTS

If your child was a recipient of an award it is redeemable at Dymocks. There is a dollar value on the bottom of the certificate. Please take your child to redeem this certificate, you can still keep it as we send them a list of the award winners. Sadly last year only half of our winners chose a book.

North Coast Sports Awards

Two of our outstanding athletes for 2014, Jorja Welch and Casey O'Brien were awarded with North Coast Sports Awards medallions last week.

They have represented our school with distinction over several years and we are very proud of them.



LUNCH BAG COMPETITION FRIDAY



**DECORATE YOUR LUNCH BAG IN
A CHRISTMAS THEME**

MUFFIN MADNESS



SUSHI

**DON'T FORGET TO ORDER ON
THURSDAY FOR FRIDAY**

OUR EXCURSION TO WOOLGOOLGA TEMPLE

Last Tuesday Years 3 and 4 went to the Sikh temple in Woolgoolga. We all met John and Goodprek who worked in the temple.

Firstly, we got to put on some amazing Sikh clothes which was exciting, then he told us about Sikhism and India.

Next, we went upstairs and learned about their Holy Book and about ideas. We got to play the drums which was cool as well!

After that, we all went to the beach and played all sorts of wonderful games. Then we had delicious curry and awesome Naan bread!

Finally, we went back to school. I loved the excursion and wish we can go back.

By Fletcher S 3SL



Merry Christmas!

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