



# Newsletter



**Week 9 Term 3, 9th September 2015**

**P&C NEWS - A.G.M. MONDAY, 14TH SEPTEMBER at 7PM**

**ALL Executive positions will be declared vacant.**

**The AGM will be followed by a general meeting at 7.30pm. All welcome. In the Staffroom.**

Dear Parents,

Parents are an exceptionally important and valued part of our school community. Over the course of the last few weeks, a survey for parents has been advertised in our newsletter. Yes it's an online survey not a traditional pen and paper return. I would like to bet that most of our parents are at some time, in any given 24hrs, on their computer or ipad and online. *To date we have had 11 parents complete the survey. That is 1.7% of our parent population.*

Parents are asked in the survey to give feedback about the level and effectiveness of communication with the school, between staff and parents. Your opinion on homework and the amount of time that you feel is appropriate forms part of the survey. Parents are also asked about such things as the amount of information provided to parents about student progress and reporting. These are significantly important aspects of communication. We would like to be meeting the needs of parents but can only work towards this if we are responding with accurate information.



I would like to really encourage all parents to spend some time before the end of term to complete the survey. The surveys are totally anonymous and complement the surveys completed by students and staff. The survey link is:

[https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/j\\_acegi\\_security\\_check?j\\_username=parent17092&j\\_password=Kor2330](https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/j_acegi_security_check?j_username=parent17092&j_password=Kor2330)

If you go onto the school website (just search Kororo Public School) the link is also embedded in the first news story so this is an easy way to copy and paste the URL address and get started on the survey.

## Leader in Me Parent Workshop

It was disappointing to have only two parents attend the parent meeting around the 7 habits last week, despite quite a number of RSVP's from parents. I'm guessing people just get busy. Many thanks to my two guests – hopefully you are now more informed about our leadership program.

Two weeks to go until the end of Term 3. Please check the return date for students – Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October. Don't forget that the library needs all books returned in the next week, to make way for the new library system we are being transferred to.

Enjoy the emerging spring weather,



Sue Mackay  
Principal

## Quote of the Week

*If we keep doing what we're doing, we're going to keep getting what we're getting.*  
-Stephen Covey

**Act Responsibly - Be Respectful - Think Smart**

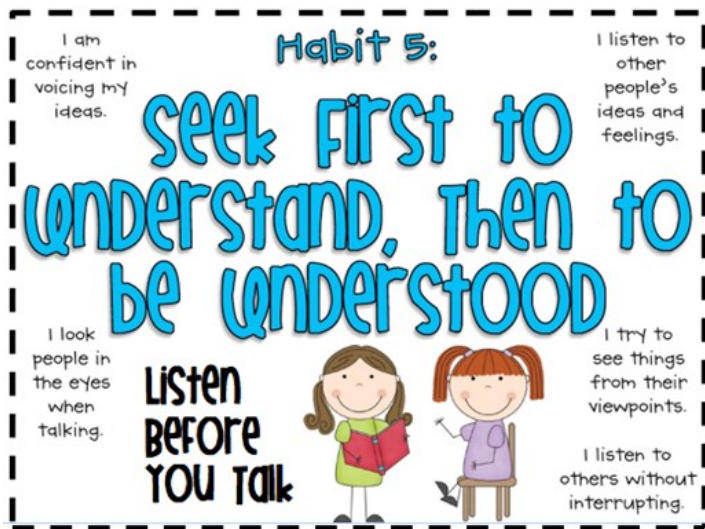


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### Important Dates



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|---------------------------|---|
| Friday,<br>11th September | ◆ 3DH Assembly at 2.30am                            |
| Monday,<br>14th September | ◆ P&C AGM at 7pm<br>◆ P&C monthly meeting at 7.30pm |
| Friday,<br>18th September | ◆ Stage 1 Spring Disco<br>◆ Last day of Term 3      |
| Tuesday,<br>6th October   | ◆ School returns for students and staff             |



## DEPUTY'S REPORT

### Music Lessons



The Conservatorium of Music in school program begins this week. Students involved need to be responsible for remembering their own lesson time. Some lessons are at recess or lunch and others are during class time. A copy of the timetable will be placed on the door of the multi-purpose room where the lessons will be held. Students should see Mrs Burns if they are uncertain of their lesson time. The music teacher's name is Siobhan Corcoran. If students bring their own instrument, they need to organise a safe place to store it with their own class teacher. This is an exciting program to have in our school. We look forward to hearing many musical performances in the future.

## AWESOME ATHLETICS

On Friday 28<sup>th</sup> August 14 students from Kororo competed at the North Coast PSSA Athletics Carnival in Lismore.

Some athletes competed in several events while others only had a single event. They all represented our school with great sportsmanship and should be proud of their achievements. Congratulations to you all!

The following results will see many of our students move on to represent Kororo and North Coast at the NSW PSSA Athletics Carnival early next term.

- Jnr Girls relay-3<sup>rd</sup> *Joey K, Bella M, Summer W, Breah F*  
 Snr Girls relay-1<sup>st</sup> *Jorja W, Alyssa J, Hayley F, Maddison G*  
 11yrs 100m - *Alyssa J -2<sup>nd</sup>*  
 12yrs 100m - *Hayley F -1<sup>st</sup>*  
 11yrs 200m - *Jorja W -2<sup>nd</sup>*  
 Snr girls 200m - *Hayley F -3<sup>rd</sup>*  
 11yrs 800m - *Olissa O -2<sup>nd</sup>*  
 11yrs High Jump - *Georgia K -3<sup>rd</sup>*  
 Jnr Long Jump - *Summer W -1<sup>st</sup>*  
 11yrs Long Jump - *Jorja W -2<sup>nd</sup>*

An outstanding effort also by *Cloe N, Hunter C & Jake W.*

Mrs Dianne Hartmann  
 Sport Coordinator

**OUR GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM IN  
 BATHURST REPRESENTING  
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**FRIDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER**

**LUNCH**

**BAG**

**COMPETITION**

**Spring Fever**

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## TWILIGHT FAIR PLANT STALL

- ✧ If you are potting up plants to donate to the Twilight Fair plant stall, please feel free to take pots from the box on the verandah near the front office.
- ✧ Thank you to everyone who donated pots for the stall. We have had a generous response to the request and no more donations of regular pots are required at this stage. However, if you have any hanging pots that you could donate, please contact Elli on 0400 543 688.
- ✧ Please keep all plant donations at home until closer to the fair. A request for plants to be left at the school will be made closer to the fair date. Until then, happy planting!

## Bouquet of Flowers

A huge thank you to Tracee Tyas for her organisation of the Fathers Day Stall and to her band of many helpers, your help was invaluable. Thank you all very much for your efforts!



## Starworkers



<b>KC</b>	Zac C, Sam O, Amira K, Jack M.
<b>KG</b>	Makenna B, Mathyas S, Rihanna C, TJ R.
<b>KL</b>	Mikaelah J, Bree L, Mitchell R, Kweller H.
<b>KM</b>	Shania F, Julius N, Ryder P, Tara S.
<b>KS</b>	Sarah G, Bellah S, Taylor S, Kobe P.
<b>1JB</b>	Enya V, Elizabeth L, Jonah G, Koby D.
<b>1JC</b>	Chantelle C, Lydia K, Tyson S, Chanice C.
<b>1NL</b>	Eva S, Cody R, Bisman G, Callum O.
<b>1RC</b>	Blair F, Jethro M, Jiya F, Reetpal K.
<b>2CB</b>	Max G, Mia D, Cooper W, Luca J.
<b>2LB</b>	Isaac M, Harry P, Skye H, Bethany B.
<b>2VW</b>	Logan S, Kaylee W, Sebastian W, Jack P.
<b>2/3GH</b>	Nicole K-E, Amelia P, Amelia L, Melchor G.
<b>3DH</b>	Hailey M, Nissiah K, Ryan G, Kyan P, Henry B.
<b>3MW</b>	Will D, Riley L, Lily M, Lachlan C, Oscar H.
<b>3/4BY</b>	Lara H, Brodie W, Oren T, Lachlan M, Sebastian L.
<b>4CA</b>	Mira P, Precy C, Imogen T, Izaya J, Alec A.
<b>4LB</b>	Braydon P, Eden L, Araken P, Alex Y, Rocco S, Alexsa S.
<b>4LM</b>	Hayley C, Sam M, Kaitlyn W, Luke G, Ziggy B.
<b>5AM</b>	Elise C, Cloe N, Georgie K, Peter J, Ty M.
<b>5LF</b>	Bree C, Tom Y, Jalen F, Blake C, Tahlia F.
<b>5RS</b>	Charlie M, Angus O, Sally M, Quade C, Lily J.
<b>6DD</b>	Hayley F, Claudia FL, Jorja W, Lucy G, Hunter C.
<b>6JC</b>	Alyssa J, Paityn D, Siane T, Charlie P, Marshal B.
<b>6LS</b>	Van M, Olivia S, Tibby H, Olissa O, Aisha G, Grace P.

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