



Karanggi News

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS	
17/8	MNC Athletics
23/8	Book Character Parade
24/8	NAIDOC Celebrations
29/8 & 30/8	P&C Father's Day Stall
3/9	P&C Meeting
5/9	SRC Fundraiser Walkathon
Assembly Presentation Week 4 - Class 3 /4 Week 5 Class K/1	

Wow what a fabulous week last week. Education week is a fantastic time to acknowledge the wonderful work Public Schools do. We began with the trip into Park Beach Plaza where our choirs performed beautifully. To be able to take every child to a public venue to perform is amazing. The students were a credit to themselves in the manner they conducted themselves at the Plaza – whilst moving through and performing, and at the Jetty Foreshores Park. I was exceptionally proud of all our students. On Wednesday a number of our students competed at the Coffs Harbour District Athletics representing the Orara Valley.

All students who were successful in moving on to the next level will be competing this Friday as members of the Coffs Harbour District team. The big brekky was held Thursday morning and it was wonderful to see so many families coming along to have a chat and mingle in the morning sun as the frost slowly melted, enjoying a brekky provided by the school, prepared and served by the staff. Families took the opportunity to spend some time in classrooms sharing their child's learning journey. On Friday, the mayor attended a special morning assembly to present our school captions with our new Waterwise certificate and every class presented items demonstrating their learning and understanding. Whilst last week was a special week to celebrate all things Public Education offers, our schools do an outstanding job every day in looking after children's wellbeing – academically, socially and emotionally.

I would like to take the opportunity to acknowledge the dedication and commitment of all the staff at Karangi Public School. It is a special community of people who work tirelessly together for your children, thank you to all my teachers, Administration/Office staff, School Learning Support Officer and General Assistant for the work you do every day.

I would also like to acknowledge the support network behind the scenes – the often-unseen (by public) support network that dedicates itself to supporting Principals, teachers and students in being the best they can be; The Director Educational Leadership NSW– Mrs Murray and the large number of district office support personnel who provide exemplary advice on curriculum, wellbeing etc. through many means including school visits, advice and Professional Learning.

I would also like to inform the community that I have been placed at Tyalla Public School for weeks 4 & 5 of this term, during this time Miss Mulrooney will be in the role of relieving Principal at Karangi Public School. Miss Ross who teachers 3/4 on Fridays has been employed 5 days on the class during my absence. Miss Mulrooney and Miss Ross will team-teach with Miss Mulrooney being flexible when principal duties are required.

Sharon Rovere
Principal

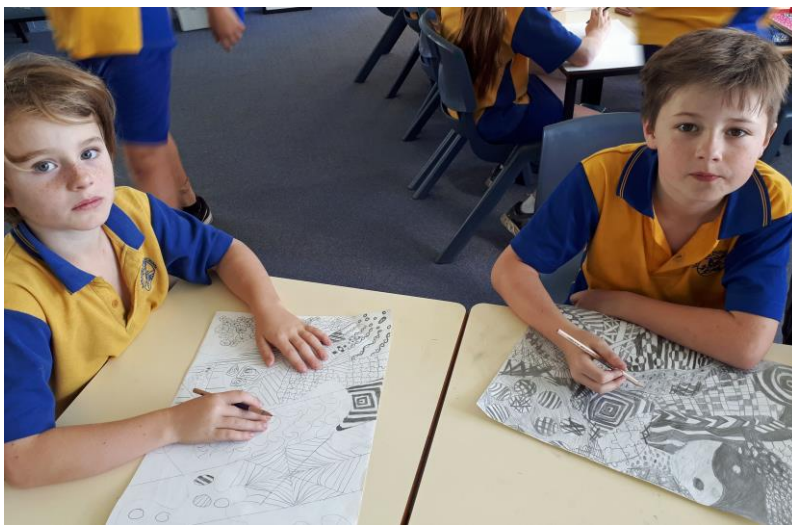
NAIDOC CELEBRATIONS

Friday, 24th August

In recognition of NAIDOC week, Karangi Public School will hold a special assembly on **Friday, 24th August** starting at 9.10am in the Rainforest Room. Kristian Benton from 'Sticks with Spirit' will attend the assembly and talk with the children about the places he has visited recently in support of NAIDOC week. He will also be performing on the yidaki (didgeridoo). Uncle Michael will also address the assembly with stories to share. Students will then go to their classrooms to complete NAIDOC day activities.



Year 4/5/6 News



ART

This term the students have used the repetition of an element in their work using line and patterns to create contemporary art pieces in the style of Sarah Morris.

STEM

In STEM this term students are challenged to [design](#) and build a model of a waterwheel that is turned by the flow of water.

During this project, students will:

- Recall that water is a major source of renewable energy.
- Describe how water is used in everyday life.
- Describe the advantages and disadvantages of using renewable energy sources.
- Look at various images of waterwheels and windmills and explain how they are similar and/or different.



PROJECT BASED LEARNING

Students in 4/5/6 have engaged in an IT based research task which has involved them finding information about a famous key figure or event in Australia's history. They will communicate their ideas and will explain the significance in the development of Australian democracy in the form of a PowerPoint presentation.

William Bligh

Congratulations to the following students who received their awards at assembly: Week 3

Class	Students of the Week	Class	Students of the Week
Kinder/1	Corey Gant Matilda Fensom	Year 1/2	Angus Evans Jaiah Dolahenty
Year 3/4	Wilfred Kleinschafer Amelia Buckler	Year 4/5/6	Jewel Bloomfield Kruze Alderman-Parter
Library Award	Archer Casson	ICT Award	

Week 4 Positive Behaviour for Learning Focus:

Pillar: Safe

Focus Area: Playing games that are safe and ensuring all games have stopped at the sound of the bell.

Congratulations to the following students who received their awards at assembly: Week 4

Class	Students of the Week	Class	Students of the Week
Kinder/1	Billy McGuire Arden Benton	Year 1/2	Kooper Kelly-Fletcher Liam McCallum
Year 3/4	Jett Walton Lennox Curlis	Year 4/5/6	Mosey King Ted Kleinschafer
Library Award	Raphaelle Rooney	ICT Award	Ted Kleinschafer

Year 3/4 News

What a busy term we've had in Year 3/4 with our exciting and engaging learning! Students have been hard at work on their collaborative STEM project throughout the Term. This week, they applied their Literacy, ICT and research skills to creating some impressive, descriptive blurbs! I personally cannot wait to see the completed websites!

In Maths, students embraced the Matific Challenge and enjoyed the interactive learning opportunities the program afforded. They also enhanced their Multiplication skills through a fun and engaging game called 'Around the World'.



Book Week 20-24th August 2018

This year's Book Week theme is "*Find Your Treasure*". Students are invited to come dressed up as their favourite book character on Thursday, 23rd August. There will be a parade of costumes at the morning assembly for those wishing to participate. A gold coin donation on the day will be greatly appreciated. Money raised will go towards purchasing new library resources.

Families are encouraged to be creative with what you have for costumes, it may not be necessary to go out and buy anything new.



Education Week at Karangi School
Community Big Breakfast and Waterwise Assembly



Coffs Harbour High School YEAR 7 2019

IMPORTANT DATES

Parent Information night – Tuesday 13th November 2018 – 5.00pm – 6.30pm

- This is your chance to learn more about the school, our programs, structure and activities, as well as a chance to meet key staff. Afternoon tea provided.
- Tours of the school commence at 5.00pm with the Information Session from 5.30pm in the school hall.
- If parents would like to purchase **uniforms** or **book packs** the canteen will be open from 3.30pm to 5.30pm.
- Parents will be handed an Orientation Information Pack.
- 2019 Year 7 students are welcome to attend.

Orientation day for ALL students - Tuesday 4th December 2018

- Please ensure students come dressed in their Primary School uniform.
- Please ensure students bring morning tea, a drink, (lunch is provided) and covered shoes.
- Students will engage in activities with their peer support teams and have sample lessons.
- Parents are welcome to join children from 9.00am – 9.30am in the hall.
- Students may be collected from 3.00pm or go home on the bus from 3.20pm.

1st day of attendance for Year 7 students – Wednesday 30th January 2019

Voluntary School Contributions

Karangie School would greatly appreciate all families paying our Voluntary School Contribution for 2018. These contributions are used in a number of ways across our school including: subsidised buses for school activities, workbooks, stationery used in classes each day, Spelling Rules textbook provided for each student, art and craft supplies and many other essential items for the use of your child in our school. Contributions are set at \$15 per term (\$60 for the year) capped at 3 children in a family. Remember all school payments can be via cash or cheque sent into the school classroom, the front office or utilising the *\$Make a Payment* online payment system available on our school website.

KARANGI WILD DUCK CANTEEN

Please note there will be NO CANTEEN WEEK 4, 17th August and WEEK 5, 24th August

The canteen is in need of volunteers to be able to remain open for the remainder of Term 3.

We have step by step, hour by hour instructions for any new volunteers who would like to have a turn in the canteen.

The canteen is a major fundraiser for our school with funds raised benefiting all students at the school.

Unfortunately unless we can fill the positions below then we will have to close the canteen for rest of the term.

Please contact Bec Bargon on tarn.bec@bigpond.net.au or phone 0433 270 003.