



Kadina Memorial School learning opportunities

From the Principal's Desk

Seizing every opportunity to build and strengthen students' skills, confidence and understandings has recently been evident in many ways at Kadina Memorial School including the Year 5/6 students performing within the 1000 voice choir at the Entertainment Centre, the school musical: Popstars, parading and presenting animals at the Royal Adelaide Show, quality environmental dioramas with invented/creative animals and excursions to Bounce/Adelaide Oval.

The school value, opportunity, allows students to broaden their understandings of the world in meaningful ways and in particular build their 'soft skills'. Soft skills is a synonym for 'people skills', critically important life skills. Unlike hard skills, which describe a person's technical skill set and ability to perform specific tasks, soft skills are evident in a range of situations.



Soft skills include good manners, optimism, common sense, a sense of humor, empathy, the ability to collaborate and negotiate, adaptability, diplomacy and maintaining respectfulness even when disagreeing. They are skills that with clear expectations, nurturing and feedback all can develop and practise in a range of situations.

We all know a smile, a wave, a thank you, an act of generosity and consideration of others can make someone else's day.

Given the uncertainty of employment and roles in the future, developing and strengthening soft skills is considered a critical role of schools and reflected through the general capabilities of the Australian Curriculum.



Term 4 resumes
Monday 16 October, 8.30am
Week 5, Early Closure Day
Tuesday 14 November, 2.20pm
Buses depart 2.30pm



Thank You

Opportunities for students at school don't just 'happen'. In many cases, like the Musical, planning begins the year before. I thank the Arts team for their collaboration for an entertaining production. It's been a big few months and intensive weeks in the lead-up and staff, students and families should feel extremely proud of their achievement.

Staffing News

In Term 4 we welcome Miss Breanna Smith who will teach Mr Ben Graefe's class. Mr Graefe will step into the R-6 Arts coordinator role while Mrs Jo Hurrell is on long service leave. Miss Annalyce Baird will also join our team filling in for Mrs Sue Stanley while Sue is on leave for five weeks. Please make them feel welcome.

Reminder: Hats on in Term 4

A reminder that from day one, Monday 16 October, next term all R-12 students are required to wear an approved hat at all times whilst out in the sun. Students will need reminding of this routine to observe correct sun smart behaviour having gone through Terms 2 and 3 not required to wear a hat. While sunblock is provided in classrooms, it would be appreciated if students could come to school wearing sunblock. Thank you for your support to ensure students come prepared at the start of Term 4.

CCSLC Car Parking

Car parking will be limited at the Copper Coast Sport and Leisure Centre due to the next phase of the development. Parking will still be available on either side of the traffic island at the Centre and along the edge under the trees at the Doswell Terrace end. If at any time you need to access the rear of the building this will need to be via the road between the tennis courts and TAFE. Please be assured the development work has been considered for students travelling on buses, with minor changes made.

2018 Class Placements

Executive Leadership has begun staffing and year level class planning for next year. In a big school this can be challenging with enrolment numbers fluctuating. We ask parents to inform us if their child/ren will not be attending Kadina Memorial next year. Likewise, if you know of a family moving to the area who is intending to enrol at our school we would like to know to assist us with planning.

Staffing numbers are based on estimated enrolments at the start of the year.

If you have a request regarding your child's class placement please submit it in writing to Head of R-6 Mrs Tarryn Germein or Head of Middle School Mrs Chris Morrison. Only requests based on genuine reasons will be considered.

Year 12 and school holiday revision

It's getting to the business end for our Year 12 students and I encourage them to use their time wisely during the holidays. It's a balance between study revision, leisure and for many, work commitments. We will farewell our Year 12s at a special 6-12 Assembly on Friday 3 November at the CCSLC, starting at 9.15am.

Middle School Transition Parent Meeting

We encourage families of new 2018 Middle School students to attend a Parent Information Evening on Tuesday 24 October, 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm, commencing with a school tour at 6.00 pm. See the calendar for transition dates.

Enjoy your two week break, ready for a busy Term 4!

Regards,
Debbie Terrett
Principal



Sub School News

R-6 Corner: Bounce Excursion

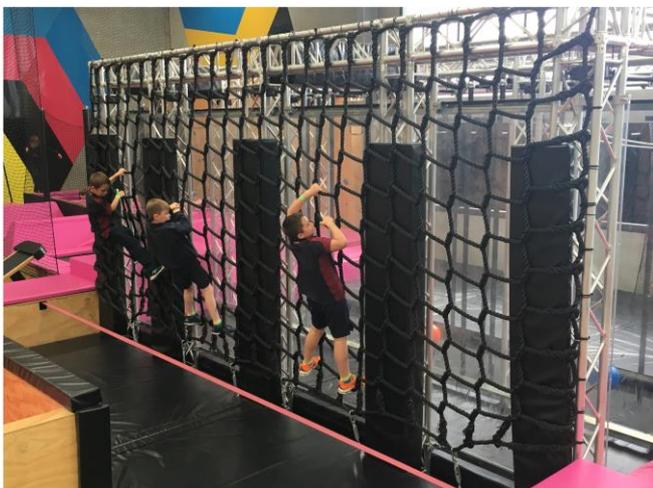
On Thursday 7 September the Year 3 classes went on an excursion to Bounce in Adelaide. Bounce is a place full of trampolines!

At Bounce we were divided into our three classes. The instructors gave us a demonstration of flips and jumps. Each class rotated around the different activities. The activities were: X-park, dodge ball, trampoline pit, wall run, basketball, and the free run. Bounce was exciting, scary, fun, and sweaty work.

Once we left Bounce we had lunch at a nearby park. The park had a playground that we played on. We then got back on the bus and headed home.

When we got home we were worn out and tired, and had sore muscles from all the jumping! We were happy to see our mums and dads. Overall, we had an awesome and fun filled day.

Miss Ireland's Class



Unit News

In Term 1 Loretta Exelby, a teacher at the Findon High School Disability Unit contacted our school asking if students and staff from their Unit could visit us in September. They were going to be on a camp staying at North Beach Wallaroo, made possible by the support of Variety SA.

Since then the Senior class students have written letters to the Findon High School students and they have written to us. We have enjoyed looking at their photos and reading their letters.

Last Thursday we finally met each other when they visited us for lunch and a tour of the school. The students excitedly exchanged gifts with the person they had been writing to. Our students iced biscuits for our visitors and we were given a package of written work and photos, as well as saltbush plants from their school garden.

All of the Findon High School Unit students were in wheelchairs or used walkers, so this was quite unique for our students. Some of our students were very curious as to how the gears worked on the wheelchairs and initiated games of chasey with our visitors. After a tour of our school it was time to sadly say 'Goodbye' and wish our new friends a great camp. We discussed the possibility of having a follow up visit at their school.



Sandy Mumford
Unit Coordinator



Middle School

Year 9 Food Drive – Campaigning for a Cause

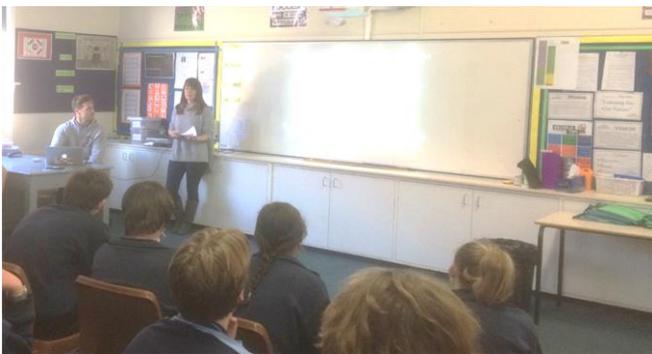
As part of their Term 3 learning, students from Year 9 are currently developing an advertising campaign for Anglicare SA. The students are utilising skills and knowledge developed through their Geography and English studies to encourage primary school students to participate in a food drive which will occur in Term 4.

In Week 7, 70 students had the opportunity to listen to guest speaker Cathy Obst of Anglicare SA, who spoke of the need to raise awareness and community support for those less fortunate. This presentation helped to develop students' understanding of Anglicare SA, the role it plays within the community and set the context for this 'real world' learning task.

Student advertisements will drive the campaign, encouraging primary school students and families to donate food for use at the local Anglicare Emergency Pantry in Wallaroo. We hope to make this an annual event continuing the strong ties between Kadina Memorial School and the local community.

If you know someone who may need a helping hand with emergency support call Anglicare SA on 08 8305 9200.

Year 9 Teachers,
Shane Moss and Chris Rennie.



Yr 11 Research Project Day

Year 11 students attended the Research Project Evaluation Day on Monday 11th September at the Kadina Football Clubrooms. During the day they had the opportunity to learn with their peers, look at example evaluations and start planning their own. They also participated in goal setting and team building activities, and enjoyed a barbecue lunch.



Senior School: Personal Learning Plan (PLP)

In Weeks 5 and 6 Miss Frost's PLP class ventured to different workplaces in Kadina, to give us a taste of potential careers we might want to pursue in the future. During our time we visited the Kadina Preschool, Copper Coast Council, Germein Reed Lawyers, YP Country Times and Country Living Homewares and Flowers. Traveling to these places allowed us to learn about what they do each day, positives and negatives of their career and what education was required to get there. Being able to go behind the scenes of each business and see how they operate was one of the favourite things. We learned that most careers required us to finish Year 12 and then complete further study either at University or Tafe. We would like to thank all of the local businesses for allowing us to visit and ask questions to further our knowledge on future career paths.

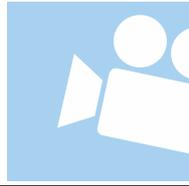
Miss Frost's PLP class



Copper Coast Council CEO Peter Harder presented a slideshow on all of the projects around the Copper Coast and the careers available within this sector.



Students took part in a range of activities at Country Living Homewares and Flowers, including; creating a flower arrangement, setting up a shop display, using numeracy skills for completing book work and serving customers.



ART BEAT



Year 5/6 Choir in Adelaide

Wow! Wow! And wow!! Thirty KMS year 5/6 choir members, joined over 950 students from across South Australia, to create a choral spectacular at the Entertainment Centre, on Friday 15th September. This was the culmination of 3 terms of hard work to ensure word knowledge, singing parts and choreography were spot on. Students enjoyed working as part of a professional team. The opportunity to experience at first hand careers in lighting, sound, staging, choreography etc. was an added bonus to the unbelievable high of performing in front of an audience of thousands of people. An unforgettable experience! Thank you to our accompanist Mrs Brenda March for helping us achieve the high standard required, as well as parents and staff, especially Mr Graefe, who supported by attending.



DIARY DATES

Advance notice of known dates

- What?** Instrumental Showcase
- Who?** Year 5 - 12 IM students
- When?** Term 4 Tuesday 31st October Week 3
- Where?** Kadina Town Hall 7:00pm

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT



Creative Arts - Stage 1
"Deep Blue"
Practical Skills - Photoshop manipulation is hard but I persevered and am very happy with the outcome. -Madi Liebich

SAPSASA Basketball

In Week 9 the Year 6/7 boys travelled to Adelaide for State SAPSASA Championships where they competed against all the top schools from around the state. Representing the boys were Jace Wigzell, Tom Paddick, Ryan Kirley, Josh Webb, Griffyn Hansen, Jack Harris, Will McKay and Jedd Thomson. Year 9 student Trent McCauley coached the team.

Game 1: Kadina 19 defeated by Port Lincoln 20

The boys started well in a close game. In an exciting finish Will McKay had two free throws to potentially draw level after the siren and made one.

Game 2: Kadina 12 defeated by The Heights 15

After a slow start the team bridged the gap but were unable to get away with the win in another close game.

Game 3: Kadina 13 defeated Victor Harbor 8

The boys started slowly trailing 8-2, but through a time-out and changes in defence they re-focused to score the next 11 points to secure their first win.

Game 4: Kadina 10 defeated by Norwood 23

Norwood presented some challenges for our small boys with an opposition player standing at over '6 foot' tall. The boys still played well and held their own, but unfortunately lost to a classy team.

Game 5: Kadina 6 defeated by Mitcham 26

After playing four games in under three hours the boys showed signs of fatigue and were not able to match the speed of Mitcham.

Game 6: Kadina 20 defeated by Trinity 22

Trinity showed in their previous games that they were a very strong team which could go all the way. We matched

them early but they managed to get a run on and led 20-8 with five minutes remaining. After a time-out the boys almost caused a remarkable upset scoring 12 points to 2. Unfortunately, we just came up short.

Game 7: Kadina 5 defeated by St. Joseph's Murray Bridge 17

In the final game we started well against St Joseph's but we were quite tired after playing six games for the day. The boys still tried hard but weren't able to match the talent and speed of St Joseph's.

The boys did an excellent job and tried hard all day. It was heartening to see them work well together and get along so well. We are pleased to have students at our school who demonstrate our school values and play sport with such good sportsmanship. Thank you to all the parents who transported students to the event and the rounds leading up to the championship day.

Well done!

Mr Aaron Smith



Parent Club: It has been a productive Term 3 with Parent Club assisting with the annual Book Fair, collecting and collating Earn and Learn stickers, as well as holding regular meetings

In addition Parent Club is assisting KMSC to purchase a new soccer goal with the proceeds raised from a movie night earlier this year. We enjoyed a tour of the school grounds with Principal Debbie Terrett, which gave us a greater understanding of the new STEM development. The walk around the various sub schools and faculties made us all feel very proud of how well our school is maintained and presented.

Parent Club will meet in **Term 4 Week 5, Wednesday 15 November, 7.30pm**. All parents and caregivers are welcome to these informal meetings where we share, learn and discuss school 'happenings'. It's a great way to be involved in our wonderful school.

Mrs Narelle Koch
President



DMC and Notice Board

Decision Making Committee

The Kadina Memorial School Decision Making Committee (DMC) is a representative committee consisting of staff, students and parents who meet each fortnight. The next DMC will be held in Term 4 Week 1, **Monday 16 October, 5pm** in the Staff Room.

Principal Approved:

Proposal: Knock Out boys 8/9 tennis

Date: Thursday 19 October, Kadina

Proposer: Leanne Wait

Proposals tabled Monday 25 September:

Proposal: ATSI Kadina Preschool Transition Visits

Dates: Monday 30 October; Friday 3 November; Monday 6 November; Thursday 9 November

Proposer: Janine McKay

Proposal: Junior Primary Walk as part of PE Week

Date: Friday 17 November, 10-12.30pm

Proposer: David Wetherall

Proposal: Year 3-6 Walk –Kadina to Wallaroo return

Date: Friday 17 November, 9.45am -2.45pm

Proposer: David Wetherall

Proposal: Academy of Interactive Entertainment mobile studio visit

Date: Monday 20 November

Proposer: Glen Williams

Proposal: Yr 10 Surf Camp (annual event)

Date: Monday 11 December – Thursday 14 December

Proposer: Gerrard Kleining

Proposal: Year 8 El Shaddai camp (annual event)

Date: Monday 11 December – Wednesday 13 December

Proposer: Kristy Bond

Proposal: LB6 & LB5 visit to Port Pirie Bowling

Date: Wednesday 22 November

Proposer: Jenny Smith

Proposal: Year 4 Inflatable World Excursion

Date: Friday 1 December

Proposer: Luke Davies

Proposal: Wonder Movie Visit

Date: Wednesday 13 December

Proposer: Helen Skinner

Proposal: House Meetings

Date: Wednesday 15 November

Proposer: Luke Driver



Canteen News

TERM 4, is our new **PINK Summer Menu**. Please keep an eye out in the Newsletter or pop in to the Canteen or Front Office for your copy. Qkr will be updated during the holidays so check that out too!

NEW to Canteen:

Beachbox – 4 Nuggets & Junior Salad includes Quelch iceblock	\$5.00
Mediterranean Chicken Salad	\$6.50
Sushi (Fridays only)	\$3.50
Cold Rolls (Tuesdays only)	\$1.50ea
Spinach, Pumpkin and Fetta Salad	\$6.50

We are looking for volunteers to help serve at lunchtime as summer is a busy time with iceblocks. If you are a student (Yr 6-7) or a parent who can help us, please pop in to the canteen to see us. We will have a roster available to record put your name. Students will receive a complimentary iceblock. Your help is much appreciated.

Enjoy the holidays and see you next term.

Thanks Vicki, Annie and Jeanette

Community News

Kadina Softball Club: is seeking players for this upcoming season. For more information please contact Carol Walker on mobile 0427 328 096 or Shelley Smith on 0407 664 434. Alternatively look up the Kadina Softball Club facebook page.

Kadina & District Gymnastics: New sessions are now available due to more coaching staff. Any children aged from 4yrs to 15yrs are welcome to apply. There are spots available in the competition stream and recreational classes. Gymnastics develops balance, co-ordination, and confident body movement, building on self-esteem, strength and flexibility and preparing the body and mind for life's challenges. For more Information please contact Sonya Tiver on 0437 389 680



Fund-raising for SOS Copper Coast Suicide Prevention Network

SOS Copper Coast Suicide Prevention Network

Quiz night, Saturday 14 October, Wallaroo Town Hall, 7pm (doors open at 6.15pm). Strict limit of 8 per table, \$10 per person and pay at the door on the night. Bring own supper and drinks. To reserve a table email: soscoppercoast@gmail.com or phone Chris on mobile 0417 854 945.

Wallaroo Primary School: Trash 2 treasure, Sunday 24 September 2017, open to the public from 8.30am to 3pm. Food and drinks available.

Calendar



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TERM 4 2017	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week 1	16 th October DMC, 5pm	17 th October Crossing Monitor Training	18 th October Fatal 5 Yr 11 – 9am Obtaining L's & P's Yr10 – 9am	19 th October NEWSLETTER Yr 8 Final Immunisations 8/9 KO Basketball 3.30 Finance Mtg (Sept Report)	20 th October Kayak Prac 1
Week 2	23 rd October Jr KMSC Mtg Lunch Yr 12 Music Moderation	24 th October Kindy transition 9-10.30am Yr 7-8 Transition Mtg, 6pm	25 th October 7pm, Governing Council	26 th October Kindy transition 9-10.30am 3.30pm Numeracy Improvement	27 th October Kayak Prac 1
Week 3	30 th October ATSI Kadina Preschool Transition visit 3.30pm Literacy Improvement Mtg 5pm, DMC	31 st October Kindy transition 9-11am Instrumental Showcase	1 st November Dr Lea Waters: parent webcast, Kadina Town Hall, 9.30-11.30am 3.30pm Grounds Mtg	2 nd November NEWSLETTER Kindy 9-11am Jr KMSC Disco Dr Lea Waters: parent webcast, Kadina Town Hall, 7-9pm	3 rd November ATSI Kadina Preschool Transition visit Yr 12 Farewell Assembly-CCSLC 9.15am attended by Yr 6-12 Kayak Prac 1

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2. Text: 0417 963 378 with name and class
3. E-mail: dl.0778.frontoffice@schools.sa.edu.au, or
4. Write and sign a note in your child/ren's diary.

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