



Preparation key to success

From the Principal's Desk

Welcome to the many new students and families who have been visiting this term in readiness for the 2020 school year.

Preschoolers from local kindergartens have concluded a five-week program aimed to familiarise them with classrooms, staff, routines and importantly, play equipment!

Middle School is also a busy time for transition visits, with year 7's from feeder schools introduced to a much larger cohort, new subjects, teachers, and environment.

We also have 'internal' transition, with year 6 and 7s having an opportunity to experience a day in a higher year level and meet new students from feeder schools, as well as finally being able to venture into new grounds!

In week 8, year 11s will have a 'taste' of what to expect in their final year with an opportunity to get a head start and use the 'holiday' period for thinking time for major folio tasks.

Preparation is key to a good start in a new environment. Educators across the NY Partnership liaise with each other to ensure students experience a smooth change in their new school.

There is a lot to take in as the new school year approaches, and equally a lot to reflect upon and celebrate as term 4 concludes.

World Challenge Depart today

I wish our intrepid 21 senior students and teachers Danielle Hicks and Glen Williams safe travels as they begin their three-week World Challenge, starting in Borneo. Students have filed a report in this week's newsletter in the lead-up to their departure.

Prize Presentation Assembly

Reception to Year 12 students who have achieved significant milestones in their education, school service and sport will receive awards at two prize presentation assemblies next week, **Friday 6 December**.

We thank the many local businesses, community organisations, Governing Council and Parent and Friends for supporting our students.

R-6 Assembly, CCSLC, 9:15am

7-12 Assembly, CCSLC, 11am

2019 School Magazine

I had the pleasure of reading the 2019 School Magazine on the weekend before the final print. Congratulations to senior students Will Hunter and Damon Mills along with the Magazine Committee on producing a highly professional publication. An order form is included in this week's newsletter, with magazines available in week 9.

REMINDER

Early Dismissal

Term 4 Week 9

Friday 13 December, 2:10pm

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Principal's Report continued:

Parents & Friends Report

A keen and committed group of parents and friends met recently. Next year this team has some great ideas including:

- A welcome start of day coffee for new (and old) parents on **day two of term one, Wednesday 29 January in LB3**. This will allow for reminder invitations to be given on day one and enable staff to answer any emerging questions.
- A fun family event towards the end of term 1 with possibly an obstacle course type activity with such things as hay bales to climb over, CFS fire trucks to squirt people etc for a coin donation with ice blocks, zooter doopers and sausage sizzle available on the night.
- Knitting/crocheting poppies workshops with students potentially for ANZAC and Remembrance Day.

In addition to planning the above, parents heard about the school's 2020 plans and contributed valuable ideas regarding these.

The first meeting next term will be a daytime one, **Thursday 20 February (week 4) at 9am** with further meetings planned for a mixture of day and evenings depending on interest. Please add these times to your diary and talk to a committee member if you would like to be involved in helping plan or run any of the above activities. The more the merrier!

2020 Student Free Days

Term 1: **Tuesday 10 March** – NY Partnership wide

Term 2: **Tuesday 9 June** – NY Partnership wide

Term 3: **Monday 7 September** – Kadina Memorial

Term 4: **Monday 16 November** – Kadina Memorial

2020 School Closure Day Friday 4 September in line with the Royal Adelaide Show

2020 Network Learning Groups, earlier closure 2:10pm

Term 1 Week 5: **Tuesday 25 February**

Term 2 Week 3: **Tuesday 12 May**

Term 3 Week 3: **Tuesday 4 August**

Term 4 Week 5: **Tuesday 10 November**

2020 Photos

R-12 School photos will be taken in the first week of term 1 on **Thursday 30 January** and **Friday 31 January**.

Photo order envelopes with your child's code will be sent home on the first day of school, **Tuesday 28 January**.

Unfortunately, we cannot send envelopes home earlier due to class placements being finalised in term 4 and business operating hours during the Christmas holidays.

Families can either order photos via the envelope or online in week 1. Sibling photos for children attending Kadina Memorial School will also be offered with a booking system provided. To view current packages visit Event Photo's website at www.eventphoto.com.au/ or phone Event Photo on 1300 362 492.

Karnkanthi Graduation

Congratulations to year 12 student Mackenzie Weltman who graduated from the Karnkanthi Indigenous Education Program through the University of Adelaide on Saturday 10 November, held at the Intercontinental Hotel in Adelaide.

Translating to 'lifting up' in the Kurna language, Karnkanthi ensures the success of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, in years 10, 11 and 12/13, as they transition from their senior years into university. Karnkanthi offers a high expectation and support approach to student learning. Building a reciprocal relationship of trust, the program is tailored to guide and support students, taking into account individual needs and strengths of each successful applicant.

Understanding that studying at a senior level is an ongoing commitment and work load, Karnkanthi program leaders work closely with students to ensure that their academic growth and success is sustainable.

Ultimately, the aim is to build within students the confidence and capacity to pursue a university education that will empower them for life.

The Karnkanthi Indigenous Education program offers two distinct streams; the Karnkanthi Full Program and the Karnkanthi Associate Program.

In 2019, Mackenzie was fortunate to receive the full program, and benefited from Tutors and access to technology, and leadership camps at the University of Adelaide.



Above, Mackenzie Weltman receives her graduation certificate from Professor Shane Hearn, Dean of Indigenous Research and Education Strategy.

Basketball State Champions

Congratulations to the Year 10 Knock Out Boys' team who won the State Championship recently. A great effort by all. Their report is in this week's newsletter.

Youth Opportunities Scholarship

Year 11 students Chloe Edmiston and Nikkita Edmiston have been awarded Youth Opportunities scholarships with funds invested into driving lessons and performing arts career guidance respectively. There were 36 successful applicants from across the state. Well done!

Kind regards,
Alistair Williams
Principal

R-6 Corner: Early Years Transition

Students from Wallaroo and Kadina Preschools attended transition visits beginning in Week 2. Each week they participated in school activities in Wambana classrooms to acclimatise to what school life will be like in 2020. Stories make up a big part of learning, and our students heard "We're going on a bear hunt" and made binoculars to look for bears around the school. After listening to "The very hungry caterpillar", year 6 buddies helped the group paint symmetrical butterflies. When looking at numbers and counting the children made an octopus with eight legs, and egg cartons became ants during Jolly Phonics learning. Week 6 was their final full day visit, and they each took home a "ready for school" checklist to work on during the holidays, as well as a special letter to open the night before school starts next year. We look forward to seeing the students return in term 1 as fully-fledged Reception students.

Shelley Hier

Early Years Coordinator



Unit News

Giving students who will be new to our site the opportunity to spend time with their new classmates and teachers, is a great way to support them and their families to learn about the routines and activities that occur on a daily basis.

The transition sessions that have been organised for the two preschoolers who are beginning school at Kadina Memorial School in the Unit in 2020, have been very positive experiences and we have enjoyed spending time getting to know them and their families.

They have become very familiar with their new classroom and friends, as well as the yard and playground, taking lots of photos so they can look through them during the holidays as a reminder of where they will be going to school in the new year. We look forward to seeing them every day in 2020.

A Unit student has also been visiting Emily Daly's class as part of his transition program into a Year 1 mainstream class next year. He has been very excited when his buddies have come over to meet him and take him to spend time in their classroom. This opportunity for Noah has been fantastic and transition visits for him will ensure a positive experience in the mainstream in 2020.

We also have had transition visits between our two Unit classes and over the next couple of weeks with a Junior class student spending time in the Senior classroom for some lessons, in preparation for full time next year.

The Small classes have also been a hive of activity with student visits from other sites, taking photos and becoming familiar with new surroundings.

Sandy Mumford, Unit Coordinator



Middle School Transition

In 2020 we welcome 26 students from feeder schools into year 8. During the past two weeks we have had separate days of transition that have involved a tour of the school and a full day of being a Year 8 student at Kadina Memorial School. The full day included our current Year 7s joining in with our new students and attending subjects such as: Home Ec, Tech, PE, English, History, Drama, Art and Maths. We have also had current Year 8 students return to their previous school to answer questions about coming to Kadina Memorial School. Thank you to all involved.

Tarryn Germein
Head of Middle School



Above, our future year 12 class in 2024!



Above, visiting new classrooms, introduced to new subjects and new friends.

World Challenge

World Challenge is an organisation which provides students from different schools the opportunity to travel to, and experience the lifestyle and cultures of other countries. This month the Kadina Memorial School 2019 World Challenge team will depart Australia and travel to Miri (Borneo). The Challenge is for 21 days, and it may be that when you are reading this, the team will already be on a plane.

A group of people, who were once strangers, join together to face the ultimate experience of World Challenge. Our team involves 21 students, two teachers (Mr Glen Williams and Miss Danielle Hicks), and highly experienced World Challenge leader, Jono Liew, travelling to Borneo and Malaysia.

As a World Challenge team of 2019, we will face the challenges of organising transport, food and accommodation whilst in Borneo and Malaysia. We will manage all these tasks while carrying everything (besides the kitchen sink) on our backs.

As this life-changing experience unfolds, we will cherish opportunities to make long-lasting memories of our engagement with the local communities (working with the *Ace Lighthouse Academy* and the local Orang Asli children). We will also endeavour to appreciate the hikes among the beautiful landscapes, visits with orangutans and meet people who will touch our hearts. We would like to thank everyone who supported each and every one of us over the past 12 months. We look forward to filing a report on our return.

Written by Lita Nash, Naziah Cheek and Jess Niotis



Cert 1 Building and Construction thanks

The final day of work for Certificate 1 Building and Construction students was Monday 11 November, concluding with a celebratory barbecue. We were joined by staff from the Copper Coast Council, whereby they were thanked for supporting our students in the work experience program. We are very grateful for the opportunity provided by the Council to have had our students work alongside their builders this year. A significant part of the course is that all students completed three weeks of work experience throughout the year. This meant that up to three students each Monday had to be prepared in work uniform and at the Kadina Depot for 7am. This program ran from term 1 through to week 3 of term 4. We are very grateful to Tim Neumann and Wade Della Torre for agreeing to accept us and of course the fellows at the depot including Tony Steer, Pete, Simmo, Jammo and Shaun.

We also acknowledge students sought work experience with other builders and associated trades within our local community. We thank them for generously offering to take our students and share insights into the various trades and businesses.

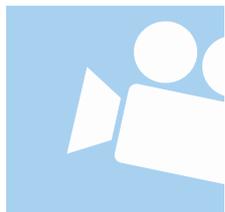
Andrew McDonald
Teacher



Students presented with certificates.



Copper Coast Council's Wade Della Torre chats with students during the barbecue.



ART BEAT

Term 4 Week 7

The R-Arts Showcase

Since the beginning of Term 3, students and staff have been busily preparing this year's End of Year Concert but of course in recent weeks work has amped up! This year's concert will be held on **Tuesday 10 December 2019**. Doors open at 6pm with pre-show entertainment by the Instrumental Music Students and Year 4 Recorder Group. The main show starts at 6:30pm and goes for approximately 1hr.

This year, students have again chosen the acts that they will perform for you. In addition, as part of their assessment, they have also created their own choreography. This means every class dance from Year 1 to Year 6 has been entirely created by our own students, and I have to say they can produce a high-quality performance! This year we are focusing on the students' dance moves rather than their singing ability. While students are encouraged to sing along with the songs, they won't be 'microphoned up' so they can completely focus on the choreography they created.

Costume notes have been sent home and we thank you again for your support with this. If you have any questions or did not receive the note please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher or myself via class dojo.

All students are working incredibly hard for this show, with some even giving up most of their lunchtimes to rehearse, so we'd love to see as many families, friends and community members as possible come out to support our stars in the making!

Governing Council is hosting a sausage sizzle from 5:30pm near the CCSLC to make tea a little easier for students, siblings and family members. We also thank Ms Sandra Hawes' Small Class for helping prepare the barbecue on the day.

Below are a few sneak peaks of students practising their dance moves. See you at the R-6 Arts Showcase!



Sausage sizzle and soft drink are available for purchase on the night, from 5:30pm, near the CCSLC.

Sausage/ bread:	\$2.00
Soft drink:	\$1.50



Kadina Memorial Food Drive

After many weeks of organising and advertising this year's food drive, the year 9 student cohort and Middle School KMSC have had another successful campaign. We thank all students, staff, families and community members who contributed to the donations in which we received approximately 1,000 items of food. The food has been delivered to Anglicare's Emergency Pantry in Wallaroo where it will be used to support locals in need.



SACE Dynamics \$20 Boss

Soaps, pet care and delicious food were just some of the items created, promoted and sold as part of the \$20 boss entrepreneurial program run through SACE Dynamics in year 10.

\$20 cash was provided to each student to fund a small business idea to learn and develop money management in preparation for the world of work. Parents, friends and students were invited to attend a 'Gallery Walk' last Wednesday and Friday. Students will now evaluate and assess their ideas before preparing a final business report.



Rotary Health of the River Forum

“The 2019 Rotary Health of the River Forum was held this year from 28th October to November 1st up at Calperum Station, near Renmark. A whole range of skills that are important for achieving credible research and the reasoning behind the science of managing and maintaining a ‘healthy’ river system were continually emphasised by the Calperum team and it can be well affirmed that the “Health of the River Forum” met its goals of assisting in the development of future young scientists through this special Rotary opportunity.” – Bruce Cole, HOTR 2019 Convenor Blackwood Rotary Club

“The Health of the River Forum was the best camp I have been a part of. I made heaps of new friends that made the experience well worth it. The Rotary leaders were friendly and always there to help or support you when you need it. The staff at Calperum were very knowledgeable and let us help with lots of the different activities that they complete when working at the station. I would recommend this camp to anyone and I would even enjoy participating in this camp again.” – Lucy Ey, Year 10

“I enjoyed the fishing down the river during free time. On the last day we caught 14 fish in 2 hours. I also enjoyed checking out pitfall traps and studying the reptiles we found.” – Owen McCarthy, Year 9

A big thankyou to the Kadina Rotary Club for their financial sponsorship of both Lucy and Owen’s attendance at this fantastic opportunity. We hope to see more students have the chance to attend in coming years.

Caroline Kennett
HASS Coordinator



8/9 Knock Out Girls Basketball

On Wednesday 13 November, the 8/9 Girls KO Basketball team went to Adelaide for the Pool B State Finals. The team consisted of Olivia Elsworthy, Shayla Herbert, Kayleigh May, Lucy Johns, Saraya Mercer, Macayla Marnier, Baylee Houghagen, Meg Dayman and Jordy Rogers.

Throughout the day, we played five games against various schools from all over South Australia. We won against Adelaide Botanic and Kapunda and lost to Naracoote, Tatchilla and Whyalla. Although the girls did not make the grand final, they upheld the school values with pride and played some really good basketball.

Thanks to Jordy Taylor for coaching the girls.

Kristina Toole
Teacher



8/9 Boys Knock Out Basketball

A depleted KMS Yr 8/9 Boys basketball team were excruciatingly close to pulling off a remarkable title defence in the finals at Port Adelaide. After dropping one game in the round-robin event and beating the undefeated Naracoorte in the last minor round game to seal a place in the final, the boys went in to the game with only five fit players. Coming up against Naracoorte again, the boys battled hard all game and were in it right up until the last seconds of the game. It was a real 'backs against the wall' encounter with all five players trying their hardest to pull off an unlikely victory. Unfortunately, it just wasn't to be but the whole squad should be very proud of their efforts over the course of the campaign.

Chris Rennie

Coach



Year 10 Boys Knock Out Champions

The Year 10 Boys Knock Out team has claimed the state title in Pool B

First game played against very good opposition Roma Mitchell in a low scoring game. Roma Mitchell came out firing whilst we took a bit of time to settle and score. Both teams were playing good defence making scoring very difficult. We won 23-20.

Second game against Naracoorte was much easier. All players were able to play and we ran out winners in what was a great team performance 47 – 30.

Eastern Fleurieu was our next opponent. This team had obviously decided that to try and beat us they would need to play aggressively to upset our game plan. This turned out to be very costly as they received technical fouls in a crucial period and we were able to stamp our authority on the game. Final Score 48-29.

In the Grand Final we came out firing. We were now playing 4 x 10 minute quarters. Playing against Roma Mitchell who we had previously played in a close game in the morning – we were very switched on from the start. We got out to an 8 – 0 start before they could reply with a score. We played very consistently in a great team game. They were running out of legs and we were combining well with everyone scoring in what turned out to be our easiest game of the day, winning 59 -19.

Our superior fitness and willingness to play as a champion team not a team of champions was what differentiated us from the other teams on the day. We would like to thank our coach Gerrard Kleinig for keeping us focused on the task and sharing court time around, and SSO Gen Elsworthy for being our scorer and for her input.

Gerrard Kleinig

Coach



Above, the pool B State Champions.

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Age Groups: All Welcome
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Where: Port Wakefield Oval

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A parent information session will be run along-side the Come and Train, staff will be there to answer any questions and link families to their local playing opportunities.

For more information contact the Female Engagement Team
female.engagement@sanfl.com.au

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SAPSASA Tennis

Twelve students represented Northern Yorke Peninsula at the 2019 SAPSASA Tennis Carnival at Seaside Tennis Club, Henley Beach in early November.

Nathaniel Evans, Toby Nolan, Imogen Trengove, Georgia McKay, Dana Green and Olivia Brook represented Kadina Memorial School, partnering students from other local schools.

In our first game, we played North Eastern, winning by four sets. Our second game against Lower Eyre Peninsula wasn't as successful, losing by 20 games.

On the Tuesday our two matches were very close, with Southern Valley defeating us 9 sets all, 67 games to 77 and Murraylands winning by just five games.

On Wednesday we played Southern Yorke Peninsula with our fellow peninsula rivals winning 3 sets to 15 sets and 44 games to 99.

The team played well in the afternoon recording a victory against Mid South East winning by four sets.

Thursday was our last day, which felt like the week went very quickly and we were sad the carnival was coming to an end.

We played Southern Fleurieu losing by eight sets. In the afternoon we played a 'fast 4 mixed doubles'. Everyone played well and we won against the three teams we met. Thank you to everyone, parents and caregivers who took us to the week-long event - we enjoyed your support.

Thank you to Mr Keane for coaching us.

Toby Nolan

(The SAPSASA cricket report will be published next newsletter)



Water Safety Lessons

Year 1 and 2 students have been participating in water safety lessons at Wallaroo's Office Beach this week. Reception students will have their turn in week 9 at the CCSLC swimming pool.



Decision Making Committee

The Kadina Memorial School Decision Making Committee is a representative committee consisting of staff, students and parents who meet each fortnight. The next DMC is scheduled for early term 1, 2020.

Proposals approved

Proposal: Year 12 History camp (annual)

Date: Wednesday 22 April – Sunday 26 April

Proposer: Megan Tucker

Proposal: 2020 East of the Ranges, Festival of Music Performance, Port Pirie

Date: Tuesday 25 August

Proposer: Ben Graefe

Proposal: Year 6 Camp

Date: term 4, week 1 Monday 12 October – Wednesday 14 October, Wednesday 14 October – Friday 16 October

Proposer: Kylie Williams

Canteen Report

Thank you again to all those who support our canteen. Unfortunately we cannot give credit and we are unable to have eftpos facilities installed. Please keep this in mind by uploading our Qkr app. If you do have issues with the app, please contact Canteen who can direct you to the Qkr helpline. There is also an emergency payment option that senior students can use if wanting to purchase from Canteen without having the cash.

Thank you again to all our volunteers who have helped this year in Canteen.

Vicki Hartleib

Canteen Manager

Year 11 Exams

This week year 11 students have been sitting exams. It's good practise for year 12 next year. While laptops are now used for some subjects, a few of you may recognise the classrooms in F Block.



Notices

Ignite Netball Club: Seeking expressions of interest for junior and senior players for the 2020 season. Ignite is a Sports Voucher provider. For further information, please contact Kendra on 0400 950 826 or Clare on 0428 240 236.

NYP Little Athletics: Coaching and competition sessions on Friday evenings until 20 December on the Kadina Memorial School Oval. A full competition will begin on January 31 2020 until March 6 2020. Athletes need to bring a water bottle and a snack. To register visit the Little Athletics website www.salaa.org.au Athletes need to be registered to participate. For further information, including Come & Try night and free meets, please contact Steve Larsson on 0418 810 315.



Calendar

BLUE LIGHT MOVIE EVENT

Kadina Cinema
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FROZEN 2 (PG)

SUNDAY 8th DEC 1:30 — 4:00 PM (MOVIE STARTS AT 2.00PM)

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TERM 4 2019	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week 8	2 nd December Yr 10 Work Experience Primary KMSC Celebrations	3 rd December Yr 10 Work Experience Yr 10 Youth Opportunities Graduation	4 th December Yr 10 Work Experience Governing Council mtg, 7pm	5 th December Yr 10 Work Experience	6 th December Yr 10 Work Experience R-6 & 7-12 Presentation Assembly Feeder School Ambassador Visit World Challenge
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