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Principal's Report: Alistair Williams

This time of year is always a mix of high emotions as we farewell our oldest cohort, the Year 12's.

We have a special farewell assembly for them tomorrow in the Copper Coast Sport and Leisure Centre.

This is one of our first indoor events with big crowds since the COVID-19 pandemic and we are genuinely excited to present a fabulous tribute to these young adults.

I wish our year 12's all the best as they embark on life after school, whether it be further study, an apprenticeship or employment.

It has been a privilege to be the principal of such a resilient group of young people who have endured one of the most challenging periods in recent education history.

Behind students' success is an incredible professional team of educators.

Teachers and non-teaching staff have a pivotal role in your child's life to scaffold and extend their learning.

Last week we celebrated World Teachers' Day, with two of our senior team recognised by industry peers for their outstanding contribution to education at an Educators SA Awards evening on Friday.

As announced previously, Mrs Jacq Barry was awarded a Creative Arts Excellence and Innovation Award by the Creative Arts Association Australia.

Secondary English / HASS leader, Year 12 coordinator and History teacher Miss Megan Tucker was awarded the South Australian History Teacher of the Year by the History Teachers' Association of South Australia.



Research consistently finds a strong foundation in the early years sets students for success in primary and secondary school.

A key component to student achievement is a strong partnership between school and home. R-2 families joined us for a coffee morning on Friday, which we hope to replicate in 2023.

The coffee and chat provided an opportunity for us to share the InitialLit program, for parents to ask questions and to talk one-on-one with leaders.



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Principal's report continued:

COVID-19 Update

We experienced an increase of COVID-19 cases at school during the past week. DfE recommends positive student and staff cases remain off site for 5 days. Please report positive Rapid Antigen Test result to SA Health and let us know at school of your child's absence. Data is uploaded daily with a department COVID-19 Task Group determining if a class or year level is a potential virus spreading hotspot.

Regardless, the rule is, if your child or yourself are unwell, please do not come to school. Thank you for helping us to prevent the spread of illness.

Important Bushfire Information

Kadina Memorial School has a "low risk" bushfire rating.

At Kadina Memorial School on days of catastrophic fire danger, no school buses or taxis will run. The school will remain open. As the school may not receive notification of this until after the school has closed, it is vitally important families have up to date mobile phone, email contacts recorded at the school or like the "Kadina Memorial School" Facebook page.

If buses / taxis are cancelled during the school day, then parents will be notified via a text message and "Facebook" and students will be supervised at school until buses can run or students are collected by parents.

If school is open, but your child's bus or taxi service morning run has been cancelled, you will need to make your own travel arrangements. If your child is unable to attend because of the transport cancellation, you will need to advise the school.

It is important that all students know about their own family bushfire plan. If there is a fire, students are likely to know about it quickly and will become anxious if their family is likely to be affected. In times of danger, it is possible that incorrect information is transmitted. We will need to maintain a state of calm whilst the students are at school and the more they are aware of the plan, the easier it is to care for them.

During days of forecast catastrophic fire danger rating or an actual bushfire, information will be provided on the Departmental Parent Hotline (1800 000 279), ABC Radio 891 and local Regional stations, ABC TV.

More information and resources are available via the DfE link:

<https://www.decd.sa.gov.au/sites-and-facilities/bushfires-and-emergency-closures/bushfire-information>

Prize Presentation Assemblies

The R-6 and 7-12 Prize Presentation Assemblies will be held in week 8, Friday 9th December at the CCSLC.

We present over 100 awards recognising academic, school community, community and sporting achievements.

If your family or business would like to sponsor an award, please contact us on 8821 0100.

All sponsors will be invited to our assemblies to present their award and thanked publicly on our social media platforms and YP Country Times.

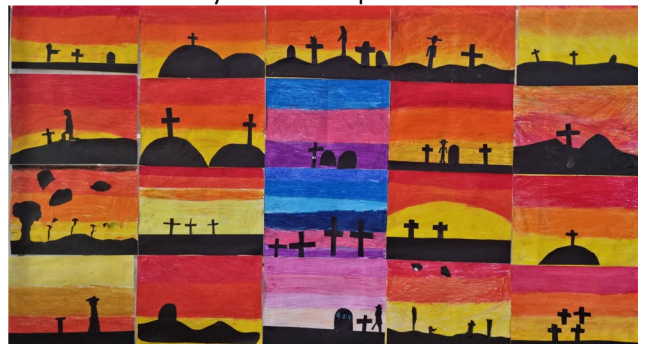
Community Garden Open Afternoon

Please join us for a Community Garden tour on Wednesday 9th November, located near the Hallett Street carpark, 2:30pm. Students are excited to share their work and how volunteers can help us make this beautiful space an authentic community garden.



Remembrance Day

The next newsletter will feature learning experiences R-11 students have embraced in the lead-up to Remembrance Day. Below is a preview from 6ME.



Children's Week: Many primary students have written a post card to raise issues of greatest importance to them as part of an initiative of the Commissioner of Children and Young People. Some letters will be shared in the next newsletter which detail thought-provoking questions and statements, a sense of global responsibility and gratitude for family, friends and school. It's a heartening read reconfirming the future is in good hands.

Alistair Williams
Principal

Year 6 Camp Mylor Adventure Camp



On Monday the 17th October our journey began. We left at 8:30am to go to Mylor Adventure Camp in the Adelaide Hills.

When we got to Mylor, we unloaded the bus and talked about the activities and went on campground tour. We found our dorms and set up our beds.

On the first day we did bridge building, bouldering and the giant swing. For bridge building we got logs and crates then needed to get to the other side of the pond. My team all did it and won. We did bouldering and we climbed up rock walls. The final activity for the day was the giant swing. I was so nervous! Everyone who did the giant swing went to the top. When I was up at the top, I realised how high it was. I pulled the blueberry cord on the count of three and started to swing. I got butterflies going side to side but it was really fun!

After all the activities were finished, we had lasagne and chocolate mousse for dinner. We played some games then went to our dorms and talked for a while. We all woke up early and started to pack up and had some breakfast which was toast, pancakes and cereal.

For the last few activities my team did the challenge course and archery tag. For the challenge course we slid down a slide into a pond and needed to find three golf balls. We needed to jump over a wall, then over a plank and under a plank. We also climbed under a rope which was surrounded by mud. We did a tangram puzzle then needed to high five our instructor! In archery tag we practised shooting a bow and arrow then we played a few games. After all the activities were finished we had lunch then loaded our belongings into the bus and headed home to Kadina.

Written by Lacie Sze

Year 6 staff were very impressed with student behaviour on camp. They represented Kadina Memorial School in a positive manner and camp instructors were impressed with their resilience and teamwork.

Melinda Ellis, Kylie Williams and Mel Mitchell would like to thank Des Hancock, Ashton Greenslade & Aaron Smith for accompanying our classes on camp.



2022 Year 11 Day



The South Australia Metropolitan Fire Service presented its Road Awareness Program to year 11 students on the first day back to school this term. It was a good opportunity for us to work with our community toward keeping our students safe on the roads.

Content covered included:

- good attitudes, smart decision making and safe behaviours
- the dangers of excessive speeds, distractions and driving under the influence
- being a responsible passenger and pedestrian
- becoming a responsible driver
- first-hand experience of the trauma suffered by all parties involved in both fatal and non-fatal road crashes

We hope students have been equipped with a broader understanding of how their choices impact others, and how they can support each other to make better decisions.

Shine SA also attended the day providing students with information around sexual consent, relationship violence and protective practice around images. Students will be provided with websites they can visit to further increase their knowledge around these topics in the weeks to come.

The day ended with our presenter from Headspace who focused on looking after your mental health. Students were given strategies to help be well and stay well. Break out boxes encouraged students to practise their problem-solving skills and focussed on group dynamics.



Year 10 Day incorporated presentations from South Australian Police, SHine SA, TAFE and Uni Hub. The content was confronting and informative. The sessions allowed students to ask questions to right misconceptions and provided food for thought and different points of view that may not have been considered before.

At the TAFE presentation students learnt about the certificate courses they could study in the future, including certificate 2, 3 and 4 offered throughout the state. The ladies from Uni Hub spoke of the options available to students should they choose to explore a university degree without having to leave the local district and break out boxes were delivered by KMS staff encouraging students to develop their group working and problem-solving skills. Students found these challenging and fun.

SAPOL covered topics including becoming a safe and responsible driver, the differences between 'L' plates, P1's and P2's and the importance of reducing distractions while driving.

SHine SA covered topics such as sexual consent and diversity in relationships. Students gained an understanding of many varied gender differences within society and the importance of gaining consent when entering into a sexual relationship.



KMS Food Drive 2022

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

The KMS Yr 9 cohort and the Middle School KMSC have planned the 2022 KMS Food Drive, to be held during Week 5 (Monday 14th November – Friday 18th November) of this term. Students are utilising their knowledge and skills developed in Geography and English during Term 3 to encourage R-11 KMS students to donate one item of non-perishable food which will be used at the local Anglicare Emergency Pantry in Wallaroo.

For more than 150 years, Anglicare SA has supported South Australians in need through diverse programs including parenting, youth, foster care, Aboriginal services, disability care, homelessness, and emergency assistance. The KMS Food Drive will help raise awareness and promote community support for those less fortunate, especially those who are in need of food. This as an important annual event, maintaining the strong ties between Kadina Memorial School and the local community.

We ask R-11 KMS students to donate one item of non-perishable food during Week 5 of this term. Please note that this request is optional, and your child is not obliged to participate. Food can be placed in classroom boxes during Week 5, with boxes being collected at the end of the week. Popular food items include:

- Meals in a can
- Pasta
- Rice
- Condensed milk
- Canned vegetables
- Canned fruit
- Cereal
- Canned soup
- Baby food



Yr 9 students have visited R-6 classes this week to promote the event. Each class has also seen a short video and heard from the Yr 9 students about the issue of access to food in the local community. The KMSC will be promoting the event to the Middle and Senior School and we hope that all students are motivated to help out and support those in need.

If you have any questions, please ring the school on 8821 0100, or email us at Chris.Rennie229@schools.sa.edu.au or Robyn.Paterson428@schools.sa.edu.au

Yours sincerely,

Chris Rennie
Yr 9 Geography/English Teacher

Robyn Paterson
Middle School Wellbeing Leader



Triumphs of Kapyong

Students in Kapyong attend Home Economic classes with Mrs Daniel each week. Students plan, organise and cook a variety of dishes. Recently they needed to organise and plan a meal for an adult at our school. Kapyong students selected their meal to make, practised making the meal and then made the meal and delivered it to their chosen staff member. Students had to make sure meals tasted good and looked good!



Technical Studies teacher Mr McDonald was chuffed to receive his specially made meal by Connor.



Beck in the Front Office was the lucky chosen one by Jake.

In Physical Education students are involved in a "Walking to Para Hill's School" challenge. Students and staff in Kapyong walk laps of the oval and receive a token for every 100 metres. After the timed session, students tally up all the tokens to see how far the group has walked in that day's timed session. They then add this score onto the previous lesson's kilometres. We haven't got there yet but we are well on our way. Everyone walks at their own pace, and we are confident as a team that we will get there.

Tracy Henderson, Kapyong Team



ATSI Year 12 Farewell Breakfast



Thank you to the ATSI Team who organised a Year 12 Farewell Breakfast this week. It was a great opportunity to catch-up and celebrate the many milestones of our students.

Library News

The Library's 'Tree of Knowledge' continues to transform currently featuring a 'bee' Spring display, with mottos such as "bee kind" and "bee helpful".

Students have been immersed in non-fiction books looking at the importance of bee pollination in the environment.

Over the next few weeks, the focus will shift to Remembrance Day, where age-appropriate stories will be read followed by rich discussions and activities.

Term 4 also means it's time to start looking for lost library books and to return all overdue items. Students are reminded during weekly class library visits of the books which need to be returned and overdue notices are given to classes. Staff also double-check bookshelves to make sure lost items haven't unintentionally been put back without being processed. We try our hardest to solve the mystery but sometimes we do need parents / caregivers to help us at home. Common places library books are found are under beds, behind cupboards, between lounge chair cushions, on a bookshelf at home, or still in a school bag!

Below is a certificate our school received following the recent annual Book Fair in term 3. We sold many books and we thank you for your support. The money raised will be reinvested into buying more books for our students!





THIS CERTIFICATE IS PROUDLY PRESENTED TO

Kadina Memorial School

CONGRATULATIONS! YOUR RECENT SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR
HAS ENABLED YOUR SCHOOL AND STUDENTS TO GAIN AN ADDITIONAL

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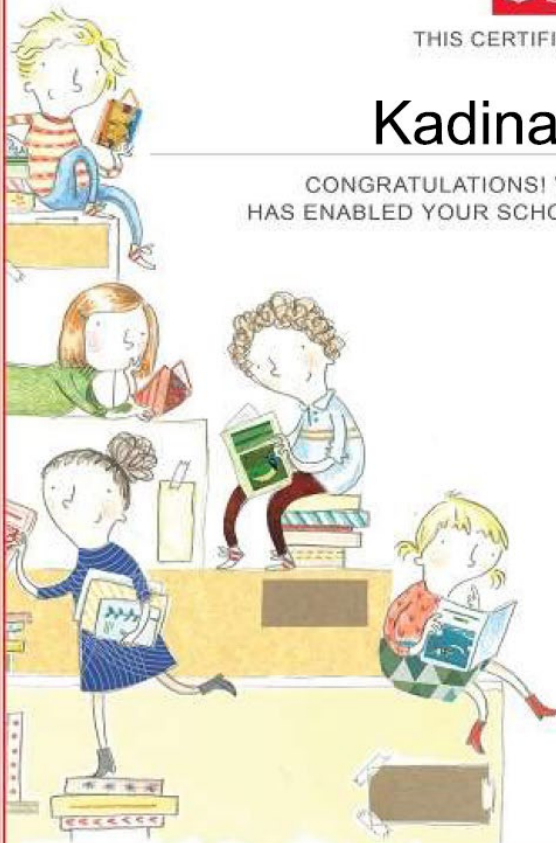
INDEPENDENT Reading Minutes

Based on the Scholastic Reading Minute Formula and the number
of books purchased through your school.

*Thank you for helping
us to Raise Readers!*



David Peagram
Managing Director
Scholastic Australia & New Zealand



Canteen News

NEW TERM - NEW SUMMER MENU

We have been busy at the Canteen and appreciate your support daily. Did you know we fill about 250 – 300 lunch orders on a Thursday and Friday? This makes canteen a hive of activity with pre-orders via Qkr much appreciated.

Tuesday Special: *Sushi*

Friday Special: *Burger and Drink Deal* (Qkr meal deals)

Sushi has proven to be a popular healthy eating choice with more than 70 orders taken every Tuesday by R-12 students.

Please note we are unable to supply your children with extra lunches for families to consume at night. It is a Health and Safety issue and food poisoning is possible should the food not be consumed immediately. We have a huge workload and appreciate your understanding.

2023 Volunteers needed

Are you a parent who would like to gain food and hospitality experience and meet new people? Please come and see us today or pop into the Front Office to start the Volunteering process. We are always looking for help, and children love to see someone familiar at school helping. All volunteers are supplied with a free lunch and drink, working in a friendly environment.

Vicki Hartleib, Canteen Manager

Canteen mobile: 0488 222 699

Halloween in the Canteen!



Decision Making Committee

The Kadina Memorial's Decision Making Committee is a representative committee consisting of staff, students and parents who meet each fortnight. The next DMC is term 4 week 4, **Tuesday 8th November, 5pm.**

Proposals for consideration:

Proposal: Primary KMSC End year Celebrations

Date: Monday 12th December

Proposer: Zelly Ritter

Proposal: 2023 school photos

Date: Term 1 week 1

R-6 class & portrait photos, plus sibling photo session, Tuesday 31st January

7-12 class & portrait photos, Wednesday 1st February.

Proposer: Executive Leadership (approved)

2022 Magazine Order Form

The 2022 Kadina Memorial School Magazine production is well underway with even more photos published than previous years. The Magazine is a comprehensive visual overview of the school year, with articles covering class activities, excursions, major events, sport, daily learning, and student contributions.

Only 200 copies will be printed this year and are available for purchase at \$25 (incl GST).

The magazine will be available for collection in Week 9.

Magazines can be ordered via Qkr

RETURN SLIP TO FINANCE OFFICE

I (name) _____ would like to purchase a 2022 School Magazine.

Student Care Group: _____

Number of magazines ordered: _____

I have paid \$25 (Incl GST) per magazine via:

Total amount paid: _____

Qkr:

CASH/CHEQUE

DIRECT DEBIT

Person to collect Magazine from Finance Office: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Signed: _____

For online payments:

BSB: 105 004

KMS A/c Number: 051004640

Reference: Family Code



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MOONLIGHT PRESENTING

Spring Concert




**KADINA
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THEATRE**



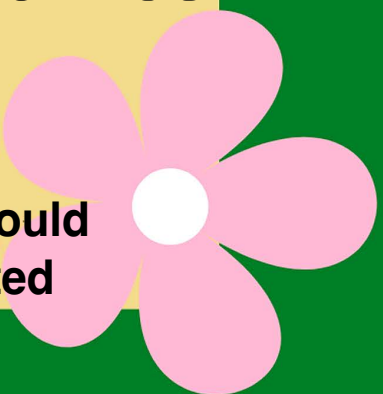
Tuesday 8th November

6:00 pm start

**Free tickets available at
the finance office**



**A gold coin donation would
be very much appreciated**





Australian Childhood Anxiety TREATMENT STUDY

Free home-based assessment and treatment for 7 to 12 year old children with fear and anxiety disorders.

Does your child become very afraid of certain situations or objects, worry about a lot of things, get very distressed, or try to avoid things they fear?

About the study

Our team at Griffith University may be able to assist you. We are conducting a nationwide study that includes the following services at no cost to families:

- A thorough assessment of your child's anxiety with a trained psychologist via the telephone;
- Your child receiving one of two kinds of home-based treatments delivered on a PC, laptop or tablet; and
- Two follow-up telephone assessments with a trained psychologist 6- and 12-months after treatment to track your child's progress.

The study aims to find out if these two treatments are as effective as each other, and which children have the best response to each kind of treatment. This will mean that there are more evidence-based treatments available for helping anxious children.

About the treatments

Each treatment involves your child completing treatment sessions at home on a PC, laptop or tablet.

Each treatment involves your child learning practical strategies to better manage anxiety.

- One treatment helps children learn to control the focus of their attention on helpful things around them.
- The other treatment helps children learn to think differently and approach things they fear.

Each treatment includes information, telephone or email support for parents in assisting their child to better manage anxiety.

Prior studies have shown that children who complete each treatment experience significant reductions in anxiety.

Contact us

This study is being funded by the National Health and Medical Research Council and is led by Professor Allison Waters and a team of experts in childhood anxiety disorders.

For more information about our study and our team, or if you would like your child to participate, please contact us:



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griffith.edu.au/childhood-anxiety-treatment-study



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Community Notices



WALLAROO



LOCATION: Wallaroo Sailing Club beach
December 19th – 23rd.

Comedy Night: First National has partnered with The Kids Helpline to raise funds and spread awareness about how the service can help children and young people. A Comedy Night Fundraiser will be held on Friday 25th November with special guests Fiona O'Loughlin and Nickyboy. There will also be a raffle with great prizes, including two free nights' accommodation at the Wallaroo Holiday Park.

When: Friday 25th November 2022 @6:30pm

Where: The Anglers Inn Wallaroo

Tickets: Purchase via Event Brite (ticket includes 1x entry and a main meal)

Special Guests: Fiona O'Loughlin & Nickyboy



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Calendar

Week 4	7 November Youth Opportunities Program Math Methods Exam, KFC, 9am General Maths Exam, KFC, 1:30pm	8 November SAPSASA Cricket State Carnival 2023 Reception transition, 8.45am-11.40am Essential Maths Exam, KFC, 1:30pm Music Showcase Rehearsals (all day) and Performance Evening, 6pm DMC 5pm (Review mtg)	9 November SAPSASA Cricket State Carnival Community Garden Open Day, 2.10pm	10 November SAASTA Elite Program, Adelaide SAPSASA Cricket State Carnival 2023 Reception transition, 8.45am-11.40am Physics Exam, KFC, 9am 3:30 Sport & Recreation mtg	11 November Remembrance Day at KMS Remembrance Day Kadina Park Remembrance Day morning tea, 11.15am NYP Clay Target Club L3&4 Biology Exam, GAL1, 9am Modern History Exam, GAL1, 1:30pm
Week 5	14 November Youth Opportunities Program R-11 KMS Food Drive Yr 10 History Excursion Chemistry Exam, KFC, 9am	15 November R-11 KMS Food Drive 2023 Reception transition, 8.45am-3pm Yr 2-9 ATSI Learning on Country Excursion, Point Pearce Psychology Exam, GAL1, 9am	16 November SAPSASA Tennis State Carnival R-11 KMS Food Drive Yr 9/10 KO Basketball Final Specialist Maths Exam, KFC, 9am 2:30 Canteen mtg	17 November NEWSLETTER R-11 KMS Food Drive SAASTA Elite Program, Adelaide SAPSASA Tennis State Carnival 2023 Reception transition, 8.45am-3pm	18 November SAPSASA Tennis State Carnival R-11 KMS Food Drive NYP Clay Target Club L3&4
Week 6	21 November STUDENT FREE DAY Yr 12 Formal, Alehouse Wallaroo	22 November Yr 5 Aquatic Excursion, Marion 2023 Reception transition, 8.45am-3pm	23 November Performing Arts Official Opening with Education Minister Drama Showcase, Theatre, 6:30pm	24 November SAASTA Elite Program, Adelaide 2023 Reception transition, 8.45am-3pm	25 November

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To inform KMS that your child/children are absent or late with reason:

1. Phone: 8821 0100
2. Text: 0437 010 328 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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