

## Kitchener Public School

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### "Proud to teach amazing kids"

Wednesday 29th May, 2019

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

#### Welcome to Week 5!!

This week we are starting some Fundamental Movement Skill groups. We will be focusing on balance, hop, skip and sprint. The four groups will focus on these skills for four weeks so students will get two turns at each activity whilst rotating through. This will occur on a Tuesday and Wednesday at 3pm.

Well done to all our students for representing our school at the Small Schools Carnival on Friday. It was such a wonderful day and our students competed with such great sportsmanship. Thank you also to our parents who helped in the canteen. This year the canteen was able to fundraise money to purchase some singlets for our Small School athletes to wear to Zone. Last year the funds went to the Small School sign. Thank you again, so much.

On Friday 7 June, we will begin our Zone team training where students who have qualified and wish to train for their zone events at lunch time. We will be able to give the students tips on their techniques to help improve their skills and abilities in preparation for next terms zone carnival.

Our Project Launches have begun and our students are very excited about these. We recently had Stage 3 venture to a Japanese restaurant where they were lucky enough to taste an assortment of traditional food. We have Stage 1 and Stage 2 still to attend their Project Launch which has the students very excited.

Next week we will also be implementing our Boys Group. Selected students will be working on some strategies to assist them with real life situations whilst in small groups.

Cat Boorer (Relieving Principal)

#### **Upcoming Events:**

28/5	Fundamental Movement Skill
	Groups begin—3pm
29/5	Rebecca Young Girls Rugby League
	Gala Day- Raymond Terrace
31/5	Year 1/2 Historic Walk Cessnock
6/6	Year 3/4 Earth Market Maitland
7/6	Zone athletics team training
19/6	Jump Rope for Heart Jump off

As a part of ensuring we are providing the best for our students our teachers are also committed to furthering their skills and knowledge. Some upcoming dates are:

31/5 Mrs Couper—LAST conference

#### REAL Project launch

#### Stage 3

#### Oishii Restaurant



Miss Hutt launched our REAL projects on Monday 27th May. During the morning we had to complete a code breaking activity that led us to find out where we were going for lunch. We discovered we were going to the Japanese restaurant Oishii, in the Hunter Valley. Whilst we were there we got to eat five courses. Some of the meals we tried were Sashimi Salad which I attempted to swallow, but sadly failed and got the taste of fish eggs in my mouth. This was quickly followed by Kokoree Pork, it was amazing! After that delicious meal, we had a Chicken Satay which tasted just like peanut butter, followed by tofu glazed in miso. At first I poked it and it wobbled, then I tried it and I definitely couldn't say it was the best. Our final meal was Chicken Kare, a traditional Japanese yellow curry served with vegetables and rice. This was another of the classes favourite meal. Overall, we had a great experience launching our project 'Cultures, beliefs, experiences; how does it change us?'

By Seth J-Year 5/6





## Small Schools Athletics Carnival Friday 24 May

A great day was had by all at our Small Schools Athletics Carnival last Friday.









#### YEAR 1/2 HISTORIC WALK—FRI 31.5.19

PLEASE REMEMBER TO RETURN YOUR PERMISSION NOTES & \$6 TOMORROW (THURS) TO ATTEND THE EXCURSION ON FRIDAY. COME ALONG DRESSED AS PEOPLE FROM 100 YEARS AGO OR 100 YEAR OLD PERSON.

WE WILL BE LEAVING SCHOOL AT 9.15AM AND RETURNING AT 1.30PM. YOUR CHILD CAN ONLY ATTEND WITH PERMISSION NOTE RETURNED.

# YEAR 3/4 EXCURSION EARTH MARKET MAITLAND

THURSDAY 6 JUNE 2019

Permission notes and \$13 to Cover bus travel are due in this Friday 31 May.

## CRAZY SOCK DAY—17.5.19

A big thankyou to all students and parents for their kind donations.

Our school proudly raised \$72.80 to support Cri du Chat (also known as 5p minus syndrome).

## YEAR 3/4 SYDNEY EXCURSION

Last week Expressions of
Interest were sent home, please
return ASAP so we can
calculate final numbers and
costs for our Sydney Excursion
in October. No deposit is
required at this stage.

## GREAT AUSSIE BUSH CAMP—YEAR 5/6

\$20 deposit are due this Friday 31 May



# Jump Rope for Heart

### We're skipping through the term!

Jump Rope for Heart is well underway and it's great to see so many children out in the playground skipping with smiles on their faces. Kitchener Public School has already raised \$146.98.

It's not long until our Jump Off Day on **19/6/19** so keep on practicing those tricks! And don't forget to share your online fundraising page with friends and family to raise money for a great cause! Still need to sign up online? It's easy just follow this link and enter your details.

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