

# KANGAROO INN AREA SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER



**FROM THE PRINCIPAL**

TERM 3 WEEK 9 - 22/09/2023



*You are invited to the*  
KANGAROO INN AREA SCHOOL

## 60th Birthday Celebrations

*Friday 29th September 2023*

10.30AM - SCHOOL ASSEMBLY IN THE HALL

- See what current students are doing
- Photos and memorabilia will be on display

11.45AM - BBQ LUNCH

- Catering by the KIAS social club
- Coffee van and soft drinks available

12.30PM - 2.30PM

- School tours



All welcome. Please rsvp for catering purposes to the front office - 87343046 or email [emma.chambers387@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:emma.chambers387@schools.sa.edu.au)

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### COMMUNICATION

**Community Portal**



Find us on



### DATES TO REMEMBER

**Fri. 22nd September** - Yr. 8/9/10 Boys 9-a-side Football Carnival

**Wed. 27th September** - Yr. 8/9 Girls 9-a-side Football Carnival

**Fri. 29th September** - 60th Birthday Celebration Assembly

#### TERM 4

**Mon. 16th October** - PUPIL FREE DAY

**Thurs. 24th October** - Life Ed

**Fri. 25th October** - Life Ed

**Thurs. 26th October** - Yr. 4/5/6 Choir Rehearsal

**Fri. 27th October** - Festival of music Concert

**Mon. 6th November - Wed. 8th November** - Yr. 7/8 Aquatics Camp

**Mon. 6th November** - General Math's Exams

**Wed. 8th November** - Essential Math's Exam

**Tues. 14th November** - Psychology Exam

**Wed. 15th November** - Nutrition Exam

**Thurs. 23rd November** - Presentation Night

**Fri. 24th November** - PUPIL FREE DAY

**STRIVE FOR LIFE**

### KIAS 60th Birthday Quotes -

- I enjoyed meeting people, teaching and learning the 3 R's, Life skills and sport. Teaching natural science to my students outside, surrounded by the great Kangaroo Inn environment! Making lifelong friends including my husband of 55 years! - Margaret Lang
- I remember the year the whole school concert was 'Joseph and his Technicolor Dream Coat' Jas Patterson and Val Horwood singing, Terry Maloney and the Pharaoh dancing and Bronwyn Clark as Joseph. The skill I learnt was tree climbing! - Kate Delaporte
- Loved sports days, loved the concerts. KIAS was the BEST place to be and with the best teachers and kids - Kate Heading
- I love the concerts, the costume making, set production etc., so much fun - Peter Pan flying through the air one year! Sports day, marching practice. The Igloo in the library, turning the library into an 'underwater the sea' place to learn - painting the windows blue and drawing fish on them, walking through blue cellophane and things dangling from the roof- Year 5 Miss Horwood's class. Primary school at KIAS was wonderful and the people we shared it with will always be special to me - Vanessa Malony 1975 - 1980
- In 1963, we had diesel generators near the old canteen which ran the school, the asphalt area was sand, and the school was surrounded by uncleared scrub! It was a long bus trip to get to school - we had to have 2 water stops to fill the bus radiators along the way! I remember the older boys trapping rabbits to sell and pay for their footy jumpers. KIAS gave me a love of reading and nature - Malcolm Matthews 1963 - 1973



# Adelaide Show News

Kangaroo Inn Area School students have returned from the Royal Adelaide Show with many accolades. K.I.A.S exhibited 6 goats and 6 wethers this year with the goats purchased from Vrey Goat Stud and the wethers donated by the Ballantyne family. Special thanks to the KIAS Ag Committee, Bob Ballantyne and in particular, Tony Skornsek who spent many hours feeding and looking after the wethers and goats. Tony's support in this area was invaluable and showed in the overall results achieved. We thank everyone for their ongoing support and appreciate the willingness of our community to help in other aspects of show preparation.

Kangaroo Inn Area School were one of over fifty schools exhibiting wethers this year. This puts into perspective the overall success achieved, which is a credit to our students and all contributors. The wethers placed 8th overall, in the Australian Wool Network Prize with one wether cutting 11.9kg of wool. They also received a 5th and 7th placing in The Thomas Foods International Prize, which is for the best meat value.

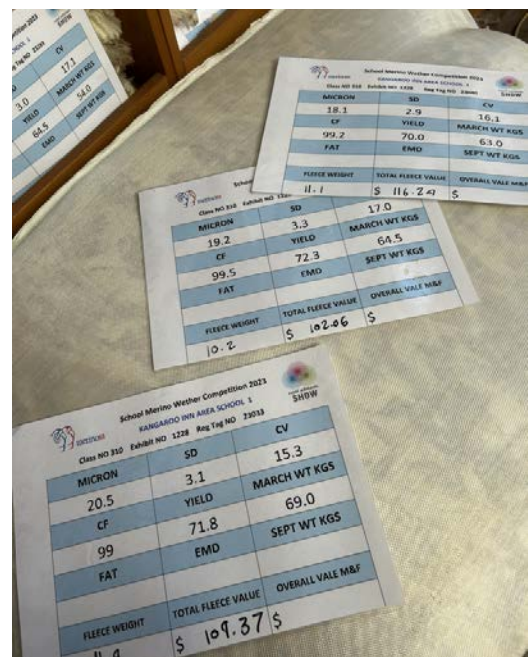
We had excellent success exhibiting our goats this year. Two goats received 1st place in their respective weight classes and one received a 2nd place. The two 1st placed goats were exhibited in the Grand Champion Arena, which was a fantastic experience for the students. The Grand Parade was another successful event where the collective goat team received 7th place for their organised and skilled parade.

Thanks to all concerned,  
Deb Neale and Eric Prelc.





# Adelaide Show News





# Year 11 Team Building Excursion

On Monday 18th of September, the Year 11 and some Year 12 students travelled to Robe to participate in a day of activities. This day was a great opportunity to build strong relationships with their peers and spend some time together leading into Year 12 next year. The students showed off their skills on the Mountain Bike Riding tracks, going down to Stony Rise, through Beacon Hill and along the steep hills of the Lighthouse track. They pushed through some challenging moments and used positive encouragement to support one another. After the bike riding, they had lunch on the main street and spent some time on the beach. It was great to see the students taking a break from their study to enjoy a fun time together!



# Year 4/5/6 Hotshots Tennis





# Name Pavers.

## *Kangaroo Inn Area School 60th Celebrations*



### **YOUR NAME WILL GO DOWN IN HISTORY**

#### **INDIVIDUAL PAVER**

Your donation of **\$40** entitles YOU to have your name engraved into a paver as a lasting record of your valued support. The paver will be permanently installed in the Gazebo area.



A unique and lasting record of your involvement with Kangaroo Inn Area School.

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Engraving details: Please print clearly in block letters. Each square represents one letter, number, space or punctuation mark. (34 max)

Simply fill out this form and return with full payment to either:

**60<sup>TH</sup> Celebrations  
Kangaroo Inn Area School  
PMB 24 Millicent SA 5280**

**Kangaroo Inn Area School  
BSB: 633-000  
ACCOUNT NUMBER: 150122653  
(Please reference family name)**

Contact Name: .....

Address: .....

Phone: .....

Individual paver

Offer closes on the Monday 4th December 2023

Please photocopy and pass on to family and friends.  
**Kangaroo Inn Area School** needs your support!





# Life Ed is coming!



Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Your school has chosen Life Ed to support the school's health and drug education. Life Ed SA will be visiting your school from: 23rd till 25th October 2023.

Life Ed is Australia's largest preventive health organisation empowering children to make safer and healthier choices so they can live happier lives. Life Ed provides a unique learning experience for children, giving them the skills needed to make informed decisions about their health and wellbeing. We cover topics such as:

## Pre School

- Body knowledge
- Personal safety
- Healthy lifestyle
- Social skills

## Primary

Body knowledge	Medicines
Safety	Cyber safety
Nutrition	Decision making
Physical Activity	Alcohol
Relationships	Tobacco/Vaping

## Secondary

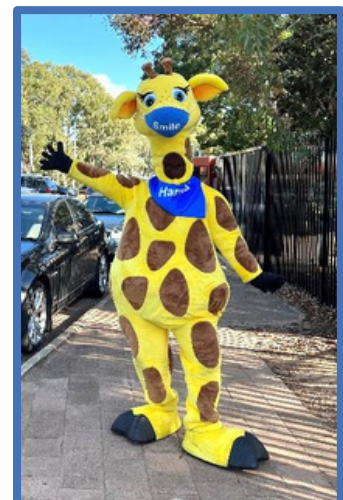
- Peer pressure
- Decision making
- Tobacco / Vaping
- Alcohol
- Cannabis
- Other Drugs

Each class will have the opportunity to experience Life Ed's unique, fun and exciting sessions, either in their classroom or in the Life Ed Pop-up classroom. We will provide your school with a comprehensive set of resources to continue delivering positive health messages throughout the year.

Healthy Harold, the much loved Life Ed giraffe mascot, is always a highlight. The sessions are entertaining, interactive and will extend the children's understanding of the topics covered. Life Ed's programs are designed to grow, develop and change with the children as they navigate their own life journey.

Class teachers will be able to give you information about which module your child/children will be participating in. You can also access Life Ed's extensive range of parent information from their website at [www.lifeed.org.au/families/resources-for-parents-carers/](http://www.lifeed.org.au/families/resources-for-parents-carers/)

*From the team at Life Ed SA*





# SPRING HOLIDAYS AT THE LIBRARY

## TUESDAY 3 OCTOBER

CRAFT ACTIVITY | BUILD YOUR OWN 3D WOODEN CAR DIORAMA & GNOME TABLE MAT 10.30-11.30AM  
DESIGN & MAKE YOUR OWN JIGSAW PUZZLE 2.30-3.30PM

## WEDNESDAY 4 OCTOBER

CRAFT ACTIVITY | MAKE A MOBILE WINDOW BIRD FEEDER 10.30-11.30AM  
SWITCH COMPETITION IS ON AGAIN - 2.00 PM JOIN US

## THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER

CRAFT ACTIVITY | BUILD YOUR OWN WOODEN PLANE WITH KAYE (over 8s)  
AND TORN PAPER OWL CRAFT WITH CARMEL 2.30-3.30PM

## FRIDAY 6 OCTOBER

SPRING INTO NATURE ACTIVITIES WITH SOME GREAT CRAFTS 10.30-11.30AM  
TECHNO FUN FOR ALL—VR Goggles, Switch, X Box, Augmented Reading with Spotty, Evo the Robot, Virtual Sports 2:00PM-8:00PM  
LEGO CLUB— 4:00PM-5:00PM

During the holidays we will have out some activities for you and your family to enjoy. PLUS- VR Goggles, Switch & Xbox will be available when not in use.—Come & Try!! Call us and enquire. Looking forward to seeing you



## TUESDAY 10 OCTOBER

CRAFT ACTIVITY | DINOSAUR FUN— MAKE A PULLALONG & MAGNET 10.30-11.30AM  
MAKE SOME PEBBLE FAMILIES IN THE LIBRARY 2.30-3.30PM

JOIN US IN THE GALLERY AND CREATE A MANDALA—PAINT PEBBLES & CREATE A MANDALA WITH JULIE, CAROL & MERRYN 2.00-4.00PM

## WEDNESDAY 11 OCTOBER

DESIGN & MAKE YOUR OWN JIGSAW PUZZLE 10.30-11.30AM  
SWITCH COMPETITION IS ON AGAIN - 2.00 PM JOIN US

## THURSDAY 12 OCTOBER

CRAFT ACTIVITY | NATURE AT PLAY MAKE A WOODEN FLOWER PLANTER & TRY YOUR HAND AT VELVET ART  
BUTTERFLY CRAFT 10.30 AM - 11:30 AM  
POKEMON SWAP SESSION—2:00PM



## FRIDAY 13 OCTOBER

SUPERHEROES FUN WITH MASKS & SOME GREAT CRAFTS 10.30-11.30AM  
TECHNO FUN FOR ALL—VR Goggles, Switch, X Box, Augmented Reading with Spotty, Evo the Robot, Virtual Sports 2:00PM-8:00PM  
LEGO CLUB— 4:00PM-5:00PM





# TERM 4

	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT/SUN
WK1	16/10 <b>PUPIL FREE DAY</b>	17/10	18/10 Playgroup 9-11.30am	19/10	20/10	21-22/10
WK2	23/10	24/10 Life Ed Visit	25/10 Life Ed Visit Playgroup 9-11.30am	26/10 Yr. 4/5/6 Choir Concert Rehearsal	27/10 Festival of Music Concert	28-29/10
WK3	30/10	31/10	01/11 Playgroup 9-11.30am	02/11	03/11 NEWSLETTER	04-05/11
WK4	06/11 Yr. 7/8 Aquatics Camp Yr. 12 General Math's Exam	07/11	08/11 Yr. 12 Essential Math's Exam Playgroup 9-11.30am	09/11	10/11	11-12/11
WK5	13/11	14/11 Yr. 12 Psychology Exam	15/11 Yr. 12 Nutrition Exam Playgroup 9-11.30am	16/11	17/11	18-19/11
WK6	20/11	21/11	22/11 Playgroup 9-11.30am	23/11 Presentation Night	24/11 <b>PUPIL FREE DAY</b>	25-26/11
WK7	27/11	28/11	29/11 Playgroup 9-11.30am	30/11	01/12 NEWSLETTER	02-03/12
WK8	04/12 Reception to Yr 5 swimming	05/12	06/12 Playgroup 9-11.30am	07/12 Transition Program	08/12	09-10/12
WK9	11/12	12/12	13/12 Playgroup 9-11.30am	14/12	15/12 <b>LAST DAY OF TERM 2.30pm FINISH</b>	16-17/12