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Term 4 - Week 3

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KANAHOOKA HIGH SCHOOL IS A PROUD MEMBER OF THE DAPTO LEARNING COMMUNITY

School Start & Finish Times

Monday 8:30am - 2:40pm
Tues, Wed and Fri 8:30am - 2:30pm
Thursday - Sport day 8:30am - 2:20pm



We wish to express our appreciation for the assistance given by your students in selling Legacy Badges during Appeals Week. Their willingness and courteous behaviour has been a credit to your school. Their efforts will be of significant aid in providing help to those needy widows and dependants who Legacy supports.

Yours support is very much appreciated.

Once again, thank you.

Yours sincerely

The Legacy Club of Wollongong & South Coast Inc.



2013 Core Year 7 - 10 Classes

Teaching staff are organising the placement of students into **graded classes** for their core subjects in 2013.

Student assessments and NAPLAN results will be used to position students in the appropriate graded class grouping. This assessment will continue until the end of the 2012 school year and all students are encouraged to attend all lessons and complete their assessment tasks to the very best of their ability.

Mr Jones, Principal

Year 11 RYDA Program

Reminder to all Year 11 students that their notes and money are due in for the RYDA Program. All students are strongly encourage to attended. Any questions please see Ms Cannon.

Year 12, 2013 School Jackets

Year 12, 2013 have selected their School Jacket style and a deposit is now required for the order to be processed.

Students are required to pay a deposit of \$40 to the front office by Monday 29 October.

The jackets will be delivered to the school early in 2013.

Ms Cannon, Year 12 Adviser

Year 7 Art

3D Clay Dragons

7 Art 1 and 7 Art 5 worked on a second unit on Dragons using clay.

Earlier this year Dragons were the topic for a Lino Print unit. During Term 3 we again learnt a little more about the Mythology in different cultures that embrace the Dragon.



Students made a 3D creature out of clay using everything they learnt about them. They decorated and painted the finished piece of work. Students were very pleased with the finished pieces.

Year 8 Art

Primitive Masks.

During Term 3 Year 8 Visual Arts worked on a Primitive Masks unit. We learnt about different cultures and the use of masks and body decoration in rituals, celebrations and their aesthetic values.

The masks were made from clay and decorated by adding bits of clay or carving into the slab to achieve different types of decoration. Once fired, the students used paints to further decorate their work.

Students always enjoy this unit and the results reflect the success of their work.



beach. The weather wasn't right for swimming, but maybe next time!

T20 Blast Cricket Carnival

Summer is almost upon us and this can mean only one thing, you guessed it... Cricket! Last Thursday a small, but enthusiastic group of girls competed in the Girl's T20 Blast Cricket Carnival.

The girls fought valiantly against some top opposition and showed that they were not to be taken lightly.

Some highlights of the day included some hard hitting by Tamarra Hasiuk and some spirited fielding from Maddison Warren.



Mr McKay

Canteen Uniform Prices

White Polo	\$15.00
White Blouse	\$15.00
Jumper (Fleecy)	\$20.00
Jacket	\$30.00
Sports Shirt	\$30.00
Sports Shorts	\$16.00

MEP's Visit to Wagga Wagga

Last Tuesday Mr Jones, Ms Toohey, Mr R Hall, Mr R Mar and Miss Sljivic road tripped down to Wagga Wagga to talk about the Modified Education Program (MEP) to several Principals and Executives from the Riverina Area in a Successfully Engaging Students Forum.

Overall our presentation received great feedback, with everyone showing keen interest in our distinctive alternative school program running here at Kanahooka High School. We also exchanged ideas with other schools that were running similar programs to ours. The Modified Education Program stood out as the most unique and successful program being offered by any of the schools, something for Kanahooka High School to be very proud of!

While in Wagga Wagga our team explored the beautiful country town. Mr Hall took us on a trip down memory lane by showing us all of his favourite hangouts when he was younger.

The highlight of the trip was definitely our visit to the famous Wagga Wagga beach. The weather wasn't right for swimming, but maybe next time!



Plover territory

Plovers (masked lapwings) nest in this area and may swoop on intruders. This is normal defensive behaviour during the breeding season and lasts up to six weeks.

Protect yourself:

- Stay as far away from the nest as possible.
- Move quickly through this area—don't run.
- Wear a hat or carry an umbrella.
- Wear sunglasses for eye protection.
- Bike riders—dismount and walk.
- Don't act aggressively—this will only make things worse—they are only protecting their young.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 29 October

- IEA Brick & Block Bricklaying Program

Tuesday 30 October

- High Needs Transition Day 2
- Year 5 Science Transition Day

Wednesday 31 October

- Illawarra Science Fair

Wednesday 14 November

- RYDA Program - Year 11 students
- P&C Meeting - 7.00pm

SVDP Breakfast Club Every Tuesday 7.30am in Room 703



CAREERS CORNER



Course in Volunteer Tutor Training

TAFE Illawarra is offering a free course in volunteer Tutor training. This course will train you to help adults improve speaking, reading and writing.

Course Dates:

Monday 29 October
Monday 5 November
Monday 12 November

Time: 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.

Location: Wollongong TAFE Campus
Cottage W2

For more information please phone Michele Broad on 4229 0451 or
Michele.broad@det.nsw.edu.au

TAFE open days

One of the best ways to find out more about what TAFE NSW offers is to go to an open day. They're a great way to check out the campus and facilities, and give you the opportunity to talk to teachers and other staff.

Go to www.tafensw.edu.au/about/calendar/event-2012_institutes_open_days.html#.UFKUA655eRW

Planning a future

The myfuture career information service helps young people make career decisions and plan career pathways. It provides inside information on occupations and industries, offers details on courses and advice on how to get a job or start a business. Go to: www.myfuture.edu.au/en.aspx

Trades for girls

AUSGRID, with the support of Women NSW, is running a work experience week for high school-aged girls who may be interested in taking up a trade. The week is open to young women 15 years of age or older, currently enrolled in school or TAFE and who want to try their hand at an electrical trade.

www.women.nsw.gov.au/news/items/

ausgrid.joins_campaign_to_boost_the_number_of_women_in_trades

Degrees at TAFE

If your son or daughter is planning on getting a degree at TAFE, they will need to get their applications in by October. Find out about TAFE higher education courses and how to apply: www.highered.tafensw.edu.au/degrees-at-tafe/courses/index.html#.UHZeJ65Nt8E

Vocational courses

If your child is in Year 10 or 11 next year they may be keen to take up a vocational course while at school. Watch the video to hear Worldskills medal winners talk about how their VETIS courses have worked for them. www.youtube.com/watch?v=bV4dhWEN50M

HSC-university pathways

Talented students can begin their university studies while still at school. They can study by distance with the option of a weekend residential, or attend university on campus for an early experience of the university environment. Find out about the courses on offer:

www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/syllabus_hsc/pathways.htm

Career options

Is your child trying to decide on a career pathway? These videos show 25 young apprentices and trainees telling inspirational stories while on the job. Find out more: www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL78g8-WmjFKvFrtgPCB5CalBSAJCX7MAh&feature=plcp

Budding artists

Young aspiring artists could get off to a great start by entering this competition to design the look for Youth Week 2013. Winners get to showcase their work and win \$1000. Find out how to enter: www.youthweek.nsw.gov.au/

A degree at TAFE

If your child has decided to embark on a degree course at TAFE in 2013, remember their application needs to be in by October 26. Go to the application: www.highered.tafensw.edu.au/applying-and-fees/how-to-apply.html#.UHJaLK5Nt8E

Old School Uniforms

As the weather gets warmer and you don't know what to do with school uniforms your child has outgrown.

Why not donate them to the school clothing pool?
Please drop off clean clothes to the Front Office.

Transport and Logistics Cert II (Warehousing and Storage)

School Based Traineeship Commencing January 2013

Do you want to get paid whilst gaining experience in the transport and logistics industry and get your HSC at the same time, then this school based traineeship is for you? Illawarra Group Training (IGT) in conjunction with a highly reputable Wollongong based Host Employer, currently is seeking applications from interested local school students looking to enter into a School Based Traineeship in 2013.

Some typical duties will include:

- ◆ Provide customer service to internal clients
- ◆ Use IT and computer hardware and applications
- ◆ Packaging and sending out goods
- ◆ Loading and unloading materials and cargo safely and effectively
- ◆ Stocktaking of goods
- ◆ Undertaking administrative paperwork

To be eligible to enter into this School Based Traineeship you will:

- ◆ Be a minimum of 15 years of age in January 2013

Ideally, you will be enrolled in Year 11 in 2013, however, students enrolled in Year 10 in 2013 will also be considered.

For full selection criteria and to apply for the position visit our website, illawarragt.com.au then simply click on New Positions Available on bottom left hand corner.

Meat Processing Certificate III (Retail Butcher)

School Based Apprenticeship Commencing December 2012

Do you want to get paid whilst gaining experience in the meat industry and get your HSC at the same time, then this school based apprenticeship is for you?

Illawarra Group Training (IGT) in conjunction with Bush's Fresh Meats currently is seeking applications from interested local school students looking to enter into a School Based Apprenticeship at their Corrimal store in December 2012.

To be eligible to enter into this School Based Apprenticeship you will:

- ◆ Be a minimum of 15 years of age in December, 2012

Ideally, you will be enrolled in Year 11 in 2013, however, students enrolled in Year 10 in 2013 will also be considered. Some typical duties will include:

- ◆ Customer service
- ◆ Cash handling
- ◆ Cutting meat products using limited knife skills with safety
- ◆ Cleaning in accordance with hygiene regulations
- ◆ Working within Work Health and Safety Guidelines

For full selection criteria and to apply for the position visit our website, illawarragt.com.au then simply click on New Positions Available on bottom left hand corner.



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