



Newsletter

Issue 4

Term 1

Week 8

DIARY DATES

TERM 1

WEEK 9

**PARENT/CARER
INTERVIEW WEEK**

**Mon 22/3
HARMONY DAY
Assembly 9:10am,
HOST RM 17
*Special Lunch***

**Thurs 25/3
NAPLAN Nationally Coordinated
Practice Test**

WEEK 10

**PARENT/CARER
INTERVIEW WEEK
WITH INTERPRETERS**

**Thurs 1/4
SAPSASA Girls Netball**

**Fri 2/4
EASTER LONG WEEKEND
GOOD FRIDAY**

WEEK 11

**Mon 5/4
EASTER LONG WEEKEND
EASTER MONDAY**

**Wed 7/4
World Health Day
Physical Fun Day**

**Fri 9/4
SPORTS DAY
Special Lunch
EARLY DISMISSAL 2:05PM**

A Message from the Principal

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Yr 6/7s to High School News

As most of you know, this year both our Year 6s and our Year 7s will be graduating at the end of the year and heading to high school. Both the Education Department and our school are working hard to make sure that this is a memorable year for our 6/7 students and that the transition to high school runs smoothly. For families of Year 6/7 students, you will be starting to think about applying for and enrolling in high school through the department's state-wide transition process. We will pass on information about how to apply for and enrol in your child's local high school as soon as we receive it. If you are unsure of which high school zone you live in, you can use the Find a School tool on the Department's website at www.education.sa.gov.au. There will be open days, information sessions and principal tours at your local high school throughout the year and we will communicate with you when we know these things are happening.

External School Review

Next term (in Week 7) our school will be involved in an External School Review. All schools go through these reviews every three years. The focus of these reviews is to evaluate our school performance and to then support us in setting future directions and making improvements into the future. I will send out further information about the review early next term.

Learning Conversations

All families will have received notes from their child's teacher about Learning Conversations happening next week. These conversations with your child's teacher are an important way to find out about your child's strengths and growth points within their learning. If you have not yet sent back your Learning Conversation time preferences could you please do that by next Monday (22nd March) to ensure that you get a time for next week.

Kind Regards,
Denise Squire
Principal



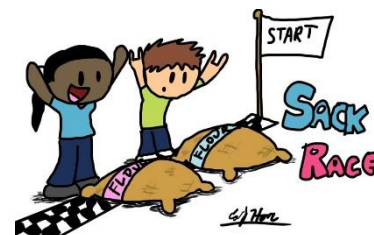
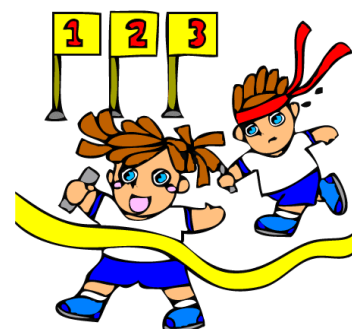
SPORTS DAY 2021

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

We invite you to our annual Sports Day which will be held on **Friday 9th April, 2021**. If the forecast temperature is 28 degrees or over our Sports day will be rescheduled for Term 2. We are so glad to be able to run this special event again, and welcome families to come along! **However, please keep in mind that due to current venue capacity restrictions, our trophy presentation in the gym will only be for staff and students.**

Proposed Program for the day:

8:50	Students in class
8:55 – 9:05	Whole School Yoga on Oval
9:05 – 9:35	Sprints
9:45 – 11:00	Tabloid events 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5 (15 mins each)
11:00 – 11:10	1 st Lunch eating time
11:10 – 11:25	1 st Lunch playtime on asphalt
11:35 – 12:50	Tabloid events 6, 7, 8, 9 & 10 (15 mins each)
12:50 – 1:00	2 nd lunch eating time
1:00 – 1:15	2 nd Lunch playtime on asphalt and oval
1:20 – 1:25	Yard Clean up
1:30 – 1:45	Presentation of trophies (Students and Staff only)
1:45 – 2:05	Students go back to classrooms
2:05	School ends



All students are in one of Karrendi's House Teams and are encouraged to wear their team colours on the day. Students are in the same teams each year. New students have been put into a team and have been given a note to let them know which team they are in.

The House Teams, which are named after early aircraft, are:

DeHavilland, **Red** Team
De Havilland produced Vampires

Avro, **Blue** Team.
Avro produced Bombers



Bristol, **Green** Team
Bristol produced Bulldogs

Supermarine, **Yellow** Team
Supermarine produced Spitfires

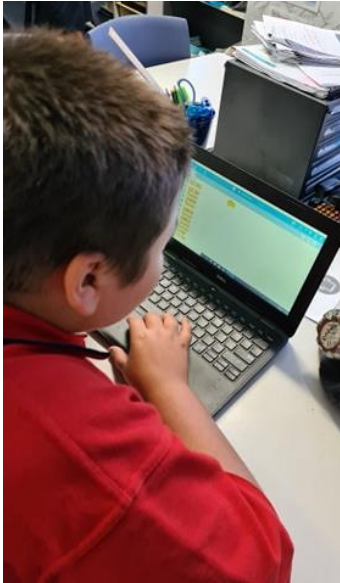
If you are interested in ordering the **special lunch** order for yourself or your child, an order form will be sent home at the end of Week 9 and needs to be returned before Thursday 8th April.

We look forward to seeing Parents, Caregivers and families on the day supporting students and their teams

Kind Regards,
Karrendi Primary School Staff

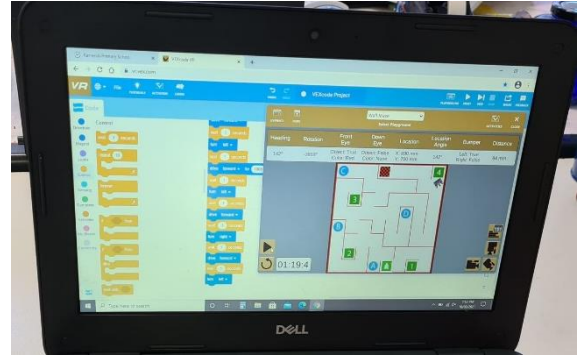


VEX Robotics



In Room 7, we have been developing our knowledge and skills in coding, through the use of online coding programs and virtual robots.

Students started off programming a virtual robot to move forwards and backwards, and by the end of the unit, were able to complete virtual mazes.



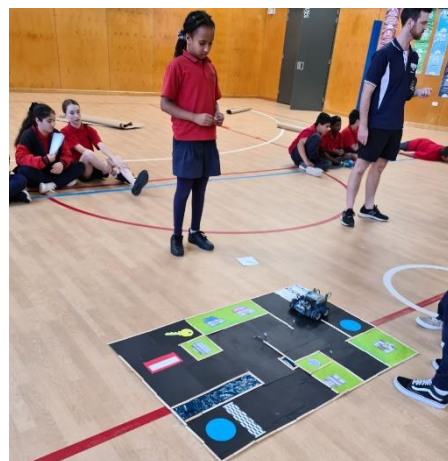
Maze Challenge

Each of our Year 6/7 classes were given the challenge of creating their own maze, with the intention of it being given to the partnering class to complete.

After a lot of measuring, designing and problem solving students were ready to engage in a bit of friendly competition.

Room 5 & 7 raced against the clock, and each other, to complete their opposition's maze in the quickest time.

After completing ten maze races, Room 7 won the challenge 7-3.





Karrendi Hub Playgroup
 Wednesday 24th March
 9.30am - 11.30am
 Karrendi Primary School
 15 Bradman Road, Parafield Gardens 5107
 Please contact Hayley to register - 8258 3612

National PLAYGROUP Week

HARMONY WEEK CELEBRATION

Join us in the celebration of Cultural Diversity & Inclusiveness

- ◆ Dress in Orange or your Cultural Dress to celebrate the day
- ◆ Art & Craft and Play Activities provided for children under 5
- ◆ FREE Face Painting & Henna by Happy Paint and Art
- ◆ Every Family will receive a FREE Gift Bag
- ◆ FREE Coffee & Tea provided



COMMUNITY HUB

Circle of Security Parenting Course



Mondays 10.00am-12.00pm

FULLY BOOKED



Tuesdays 9.30am-11.30am –
 Beginners
 Thursdays 9.30am-11.30am –
 Pre Beginners

FREE MINI LIBRARY

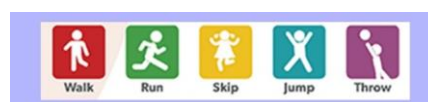


PLAYGROUP

For 0-5 year olds & their caregivers
 Sensory Play • Art & Craft • Tea & Coffee
 No cost
 Bring a piece of fruit to share

Karrendi Primary School Community Hub
 15 Bradman Road, Parafield Gardens

Wednesdays 9.30am-11.00am



FUNDAMENTAL MOVEMENT SKILLS CIRCUIT

Wednesdays 10.30am-11.00am



Aboriginal Bush Tucker Garden

(More Details Coming Soon!)