What Amazing Art!

Welcome Visitors

Karara State School had some visitors drop by the school yesterday. Glen Cherry has generously offered to share his magnificent art with the school. The works take the shape of a peacock, deer, horse and a koala and her joey. The koala’s stand at the entrance of the school ready to greet all our students and visitors, while the other animals are on display in the back garden behind the library.

The works are magnificent and a welcome addition to the school landscape. Please drop on by and have a look anytime.

The school would like to thank the Cherry’s for their very generous donation to the school and its students. They are a very welcome addition to the grounds and add another welcoming element to the schools already welcoming environment.

NAIDOC Day

Karara State School students had a wonderful day at Inglewood State School last week. Students from Karara were invited to join Inglewood in their NAIDOC celebrations. The students had the opportunity to make Damper, play sport, create bracelets, and enjoy a great sausage sizzle.

Many of the Inglewood teachers and volunteers raved at how well behaved and well mannered all of the Karara students were. Well done Karara students! Keep making the school and community proud!

Wheatvale Sports

This Friday Karara Students will travel to Wheatvale State School to participate in their fun sports day. This is a great chance for the students to practice up on their skills and get ready for the real thing coming up in a couple of weeks. Parents are most welcome to attend and help cheer on our budding athletes as well as help Karara re-take the parent/teacher relay race which we lost last year...

Trail Bike Update

The Karara Trail Bike Ride continues to roll along and garner support within the community and surrounding area. The committee has been working very hard to make sure the event is bigger and better than last year. Pamphlets and registration forms have been mailed out to every participant last year and the ride has taken out an advertisement on a very popular trail ride website with hopes of attracting even more participants. To visit the website go to this address: www.austrailrides.com.au

The next Karara Trail Ride meeting is July 17th. We would love to see you there!

Student of the Week

Joshua Wilson
Community Newsflash

QSchools App

You can now download the QSchools app and subscribe to receive the latest news from our school on your smart phone or tablet. QSchools is free and available from the iTunes store and Google Play.

Karara Speed Shears

A meeting will be held at the Leyburn Hotel on Saturday 20th July, commencing at 3pm. Everyone is invited to attend! The Karara Shearing Association.

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Above: Karara received an aesthetic boost yesterday as some beautiful wildlife showed up for a visit!

2014 Camp

Big plans are starting to take shape for the schools 2014 camp. In consultation with parents and community, many thought it would be a great idea to take the kids to Canberra and the ski fields for next year’s camp. There are massive concessions offered by the government to fly students down to Canberra for them to experience the nation’s capital. After a visit to Canberra Mr. Pedley would take the students to the ski fields for a few days on the slopes. With Mr. Pedley being a certified ski instructor (in Canada) it would be a perfect opportunity for students to learn how to carve up the slopes of Thredbo.

Daniel Morcombe Safety Curriculum

Final phase of the Daniel Morcombe child safety curriculum now available. The Department of Education, Training and Employment has released the Years 7 – 9 (Junior Secondary) phase of the Daniel Morcombe child safety curriculum. This is the third and final phase, completing the suite of lesson plans available for Queensland schools in all year levels from Prep to Year 9. The lessons have been developed by a high-level government working group including Queensland child safety ambassadors Bruce and Denise Morcombe to develop students’ personal safety and awareness including cyber and phone safety.

2014 Camp


Fruit Break

The School will be implementing a fruit break into their daily activities. Starting from next week students should come to school with a piece of fruit which will be eaten during the schools fruit break at 10am. This new initiative will help retain student focus in the classroom. Thanks in advance for your participation.

NAB Schools First Awards

Applications for the NAB Schools First Awards are open and students with an idea for a great partnership our school could organise with the community could win $5000 and an iPad! The application window closes on 28 June and the NAB Schools First Awards website has all the details: http://www.schoolsfirst.edu.au/apply.

Tuckshop

There will be no this Friday as students will be at sports day. Thanks for the continued support!

P&C News

The next P&C Meeting will be on Monday, July 22nd at 3:30pm.