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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

It is with much sadness that I sit at my desk to pen my last newsletter for the year and for my very much valued time at Kangaloon Public School. I would like to thank each and every one of you for your kindness, support and trust in me in fulfilling this role over the last two years. Working at Kangaloon PS is not a job but a passionately felt interest and investment. It has been extremely rewarding. I have enjoyed every single moment! The culture and ethos that this small school, in an idealic setting, has is beyond defining or describing exactly in words. Suffice to say Kangaloon students, staff, parents and the wider community strive, on a daily basis, to achieve excellence as articulated in the school’s vision statement. ‘At Kangaloon Public School our commitment is to ensure that quality teaching and learning are the focus of our classrooms. We assist students to fully develop their talents and capacities and aspire to be the best that they can be.’

I would like to invite you all to our very special Presentation Evening this evening at 6:00pm in the Kangaloon Hall. All students need to wear their full school uniform and be at the hall by 5:45pm. Many of our students will be receiving well deserved awards to culminate and celebrate a productive year of academic, social, creative and sporting achievements at Kangaloon Public School in 2018. We will also sadly commence our farewell of our Year Six students as we warmly welcome our new leaders for next year, with one Year 5 student being announced tonight as School Leader 2019. We will be providing a catered supper for everyone immediately after the formalities. Please come and join me for a chat so I can enjoy a casual conversation with each and every one of you.

We would also like to warmly welcome you all to come to our school library tomorrow afternoon at 2pm. Our Primary class have been working on a special project on immigration in the last two terms and would love to present their ‘Story In A Suitcase’ to as many people that can attend tomorrow as an exhibition. Please come along!

We will be distributing Semester Two reports tomorrow. We ask that all students refrain from opening the sealed envelopes on the way home and deliver them safely home to you. Please do not hesitate to contact any of the teachers if you would like further explanation or clarification on your child’s progress. We would also like to start sending school books and resources home. Please assist us by sending study e.g. shopping bags to school each day as well as their normal school bags so extra items can be carried home safely.

Next week I am looking forward to spending Monday with our Year Six students and some parents at Jamberoo Action Park. On Tuesday, the Primary class will be having a creative munch and movie day as our last day together. I will send another note home about this. On Wednesday, the last day of term four for our students, we would like to invite you all to come up to the school at 2:45pm to farewell our Year Six students with a ‘farewell arch’.

A special thank you once again to Louise and John Keats for holding the Wildwood Dinner. It is with much gratitude that I would like to let you know that they raised $4,185.00 for new resources for our school.

A huge congratulations and thank you again to Mrs Alissa Whatman. Mrs Lyn Dunn and all of the Kangaloon Public School students on an amazing musical performance of Ali Baba and The Bongo Bandits last week. It was an outstanding success.

Thank you to Avoca Public School for organising and hosting the first of hopefully many to come, combined Bong Bong School discos. We all had a lot of fun at Avoca Hall on Tuesday night. Thank you again for all of your ongoing kindness and support. I would also like to thank ‘Mr Leicester’ and my family for all the extra support they have given to me and the school. I wish all the very best to everyone and the new principal next year.

Kind regards
Mrs Sarah Leicester
YEAR 6 REMINDERS
Please bring back your Jamberoo notes and payments as soon as possible as well as your dinner choices for the Farewell.

SCHOOL PHOTO BOOK ORDERS
If you would like to order a School Photo book, please bring your order in no later than this Friday 14 December.

ANZAC EXCURSION