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Week 8 - Term 3

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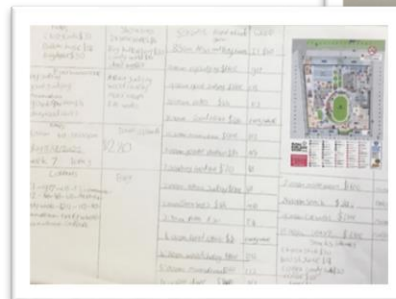
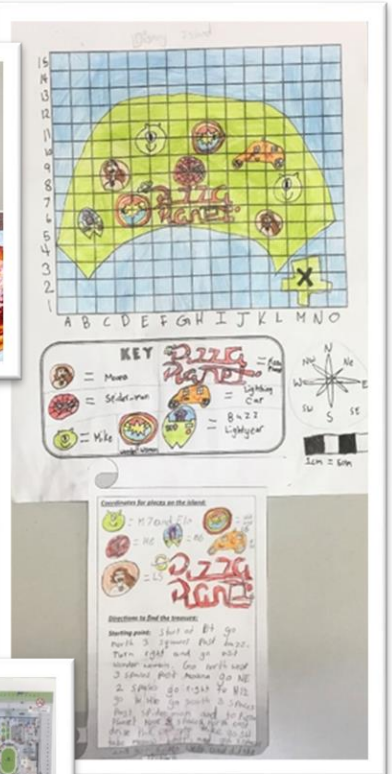
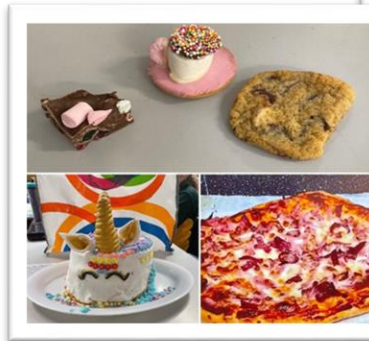
Year 3 – Room 17 Update

English

In writing this term we have been looking at procedure writing. The students have been using a range of resources to help their understanding of how a procedure is written. We have had an opportunity to write several of our own, including an assessment describing "How to make..." The class sharing topic for the last fortnight was directly related to the writing genre. At home or at school the students had to write scripts and recipes and make a dish to eat. Some chose to share their dishes with the class after their sharing time...yum!

Maths

The class has just completed a unit of work on Location and Transformation. A Treasure Island map was the assessment task. Students had to draw a map of an island and include grid coordinates, a compass, a scale and a key. They also had to write clear directions, with six or more steps, to find the lost treasure. Recently the students completed a maths budgeting task for the Royal Adelaide Show. The task required the students to plan a day at the show for a family of four. All expenses; food, show bags and rides had to be budgeted for, as well as a schedule for the day.



Wear Something Yellow to School Day – Monday 26th September

As September is Childhood Cancer Awareness month we are raising money to donate to the Cooper Rice- Brading Foundation. Cooper sadly lost his life to Osteosarcom as an adolescent. His family continue to work tirelessly to improve treatment and outcomes for Sarcoma patients. Students have an opportunity to wear something yellow on the Monday and bring along a gold coin donation.

Sports Day – Early start 8.45am

We are fast approaching this year's (previously postponed) Sports Day, which is being held on the last day of the term. Our year 3-6 classes have been practicing the events that they will be in as well as practicing in their teams for the afternoon relays. This year our R-2 classes will participate in tennis, netball, AFL, Little Athletics and Aerobics as well as the championship



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sprints. Every student trialed for the sprints and the fastest two from each house will compete in on the day.

Parents are encouraged to come along and support their children, and if they're game, wear their colours. We will have full canteen facilities including a BBQ (preordered) as well as parent Scott O'Connor from Rebel Alliance Roasters setting up his coffee stall. We hope to see as many people as possible which normally makes our Sports Day one of the biggest events on the school calendar.

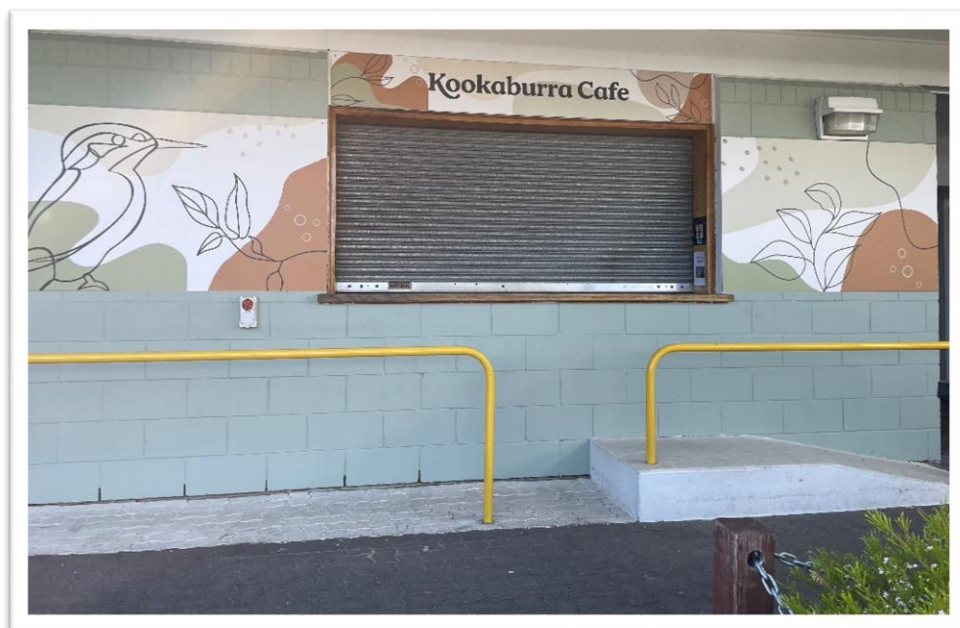
Lunches can be pre-ordered prior to sports day and paid for via the QKR! app. Some chips, drinks and ice blocks will be available to purchase on the day.

Working Bee

On Sunday 18th September, the school has organised a working bee to plant new bush tucker plants and general weeding around the school grounds. If you are available, please come along from 10am until 12 noon.

Canteen

Our canteen has had an upgrade with new paint and signage. We thank Robyn and her son for the painting and design, and Len for the installation.



Kind regards
Paul, Jackie and Katharine



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