

Edensor Park Public School

NEWSLETTER



25th August 2011



Demountable Removal

Last week two of our demountable classrooms were removed from the school. It was a very intense process, which will be repeated sometime in the next two weeks to remove the last demountable from the front of the school, and the old Italian demountable from the back of the school. At this stage we do not know when it will happen as the grounds are still too wet for the weight of the loaded trucks.

As per last time, please avoid the areas when you see the trucks, crane and work in progress. I must also ask that you follow the requests and directions of the workmen in order to keep all members of our community safe.

Happy Travels, Mrs Newans!

I would like to take this opportunity to wish Mrs Newans and her husband a very safe and enjoyable experience, as they embark on a long adventure in the United Kingdom. Mrs Newans is a very valued and skilled member of our staff, and we look forward to her return to Edensor Park in 2013, (I think she might pop in for a quick visit at the start of 2012, before she returns to England for the rest of the year). We will all miss you Mrs Newans, please promise to come back to us, or we will come looking for you!!



Naplan Results

For parents of students in Year 3 and 5, our NAPLAN results should arrive in the school at the start of September. We then send these results home to you, with your children on the day they arrive. Mr Cootes is organising a parent meeting with translators on Wednesday 7th September, for parents who would like to find out more about NAPLAN and how to understand the reports. More information will be sent home about this event shortly.

Industrial Action

On Thursday 8th September there is talk of possible industrial action in all public sectors. If this goes ahead it will mean that school will be interrupted for that day. Once details have been finalised, and I know the impact on the school, I will send a note home to all families. Please keep this date in mind so you can make appropriate supervision for your children in the event that classes will not be running.

K. de Falco

Principal

5K's Haiku Poetry

5K has been learning about the Haiku which is a poem comprised of five, seven and five syllables respectively.

Here are a few poems written independently by three students in 5K.



Zane Droscher
Joyful Days Haiku

When will the sun show
all its dynamic brightness
of wonderful joy

Bright dandelions
fall from the fiery clouds
to bring us closer

Hieu Nguyen
The Power of Friendship Haiku

My friend is coming
he is a good friend to have
to play and share with



My friend is the best
if you want to have a friend
come to our cool group

Dylan Clark
The Ultimate Power of Burning Souls Haiku



There's this heat somewhere
something that is powerful
like a volcano

I hate the power
the power of the heated
and the burning souls

SRC Report



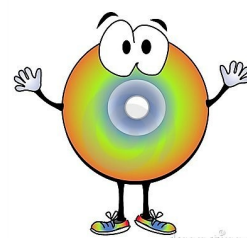
The SRC have been meeting each week and organising fun activities at lunchtime.



Last Tuesday at lunchtime, the SRC organised a game of 'Octopus' on the lower grass. Many people participated in our fun and exciting game. There were a lot of athletic children in our game. Thank you to all the people who joined in the game.

Reminder: We will be holding another game soon!!

We would like to remind students to bring music every Thursday for our lunchtime D.J. If you would like your music played, please put your name on it and give it to your class representative.



Please bring in your "funny" jokes because we don't want to listen to Mr Kelly's lame jokes!

We wish our Zone Athletics qualifiers luck and look forward to finding out how they went.

Zone Athletics - Take 3

Good luck to the following qualifiers for the Zone Athletics Carnival, which we hope will be held on Friday! Wet weather has caused the postponement on two previous occasions, so we are hoping that the sun shines this week and Edensor Park children can run and throw themselves into the record books!

Stephanie Long, Henalisse Papalii, Alana Nicholas, Sarah Lewis, Jayda Karakaya, Cindy Pham, Isabella Cavallaro, Vivien Pham, Rose Matti, Maggie Lai, Lauren Bell, Jessica Veljanovski, Jasmine Ortiz, Selin Gogebakan, Kijanna Kapitanoivc, Jenny Long, Jovana Kolar, Ashley Phan, Sue Tran, Samantha Carr, Sarah Walsh, Angelica Soumpholphakdy, Anders Yousef, Benedict Simamora, Tommy Dujou, Richard Peng, Anthony Chau, Alex Syromahos, Dragon Soumpholphakdy, Tommy Le, Joshua To, Brandon Grima, Steven Le, Nathan Jamou, Kevin Sae Lam, Simon Nicholas, Jake Patsiokostas, Yahya Kata, Marvin Yousef, Ben Skoric, Zane Droscher, Joshua Gandjou, Peter Petrovic, Luke Topic





Wednesday, 7th September

at the new starting time of

4:30 p.m.

Everyone welcome!



Aussie of the Month

Nominees

KC	David Kadri, Sabreen Hassan
KH	Tahlia Gardner, Theo Reissis
KS	Anthony Abbasi
1W	Damian Gutierrez, Jylise Ann
1/2L	Brendan Tran, Esho Samano, Natasha Peters
2/3C	Tanya Do, Jayden Soumpholphakdy, Fadi Butrs
3/4W	Cindy Pham, Cindy Huynh, Alven Shamoun
4E	Joshua To
5K	Alyssa Tran, Mack Nguyen
5/6D	Vivian Pham, Nicholas Winmill, Lauren Bell
6R	Stefan Kolar

Aussie of the Month Winners



Kindergarten's Visit

KC

We saw a lion and crocodile at the zoo.

By Kamryn

I saw a lion. I saw a seal. I liked the bear.

By David

I saw a snake and a giraffe. By Elayna

I saw a bear. By Isabella

I saw a monkey in a tree. I saw a zebra.

By Evelyn

I saw a koala. I saw a giraffe eating leaves.

By Janina

I saw a giraffe and a zebra at the zoo.

By Ryan

I saw an emu and a snake. By Monique

I saw a crocodile and a koala. By Tony

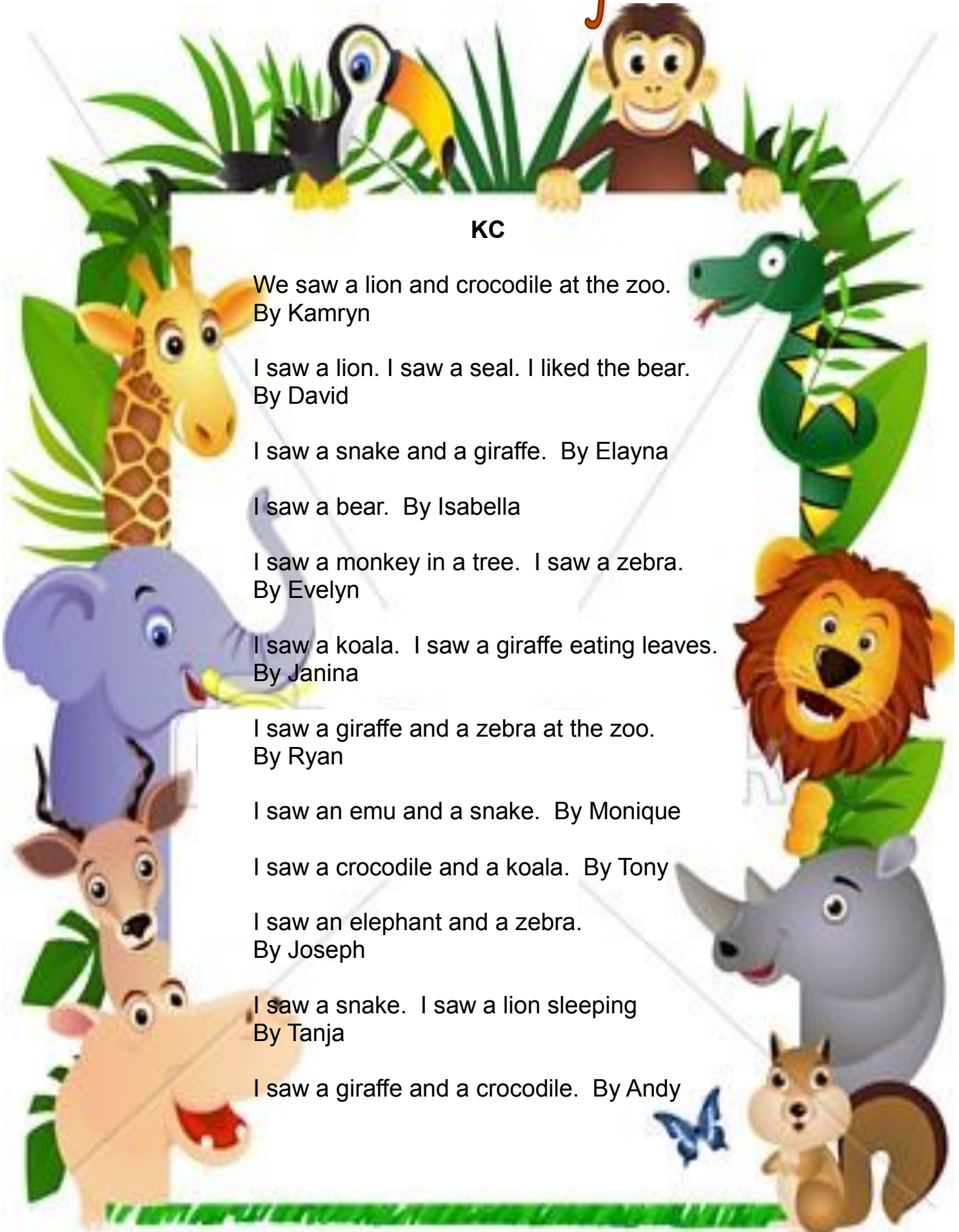
I saw an elephant and a zebra.

By Joseph

I saw a snake. I saw a lion sleeping

By Tanja

I saw a giraffe and a crocodile. By Andy



to Taronqa Zoo



KH

My favourite animal was
... the peacock. By Kristina
... the snake. By Lana
... the elephant. By Onella
... the peacock. By Tahlia
... the emu. By Steven
... the bears. By Joseph
... the reindeer. By Kevin
... the lions. By Savvio

KS

My favourite animal at the zoo was
... the giraffe. By Anders
... the bongo. By Phoenix
... the spider monkey. By Marcus
... the big snake. By Shaina

My favourite part was
... dancing on the disco bus.
By Anthony
... singing 'Dynamite' on the bus.
By Hannah

Don't FORGET!



Dates to Remember

AUGUST	26th	Zone Athletics
	31st	Fathers Day Stall
SEPTEMBER	1st	Oratory Finals
	7th	P & C—New starting time 4:30pm
	13th	Music Festival
	14th	Regional Athletics
	15th	Bookfeast
	16th	Yr 3/4 Excursion—"Lessons Afloat" Sydney Harbour
	21-23	Canberra Excursion, Yrs 5/6



**Enrol now
for Kindergarten 2012**



Children who turn five before 31st July 2012 are eligible to start school next year.

If you have a child, or you know of any children in Edensor Park who will be ready to start school next year, please call into the office now for an enrolment form.

If your child turns five in late May, June or July and you feel they are not ready to start school, please feel free to make an appointment with Mrs McCosker, our Transition to School Coordinator.

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