

# Kareela Courier

Penrose Public School

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Term 1 Week 11

12 April 2019

## Regional Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to our swimming team who competed at the Regional Swimming Carnival on 13 March. You all showed the positive, 'try your best' attitude that we love to see here at Penrose.



## Cross Country

Penrose had a great day at the Bong Bong Schools Cross Country on 29 March at Robertson. A fun day was had by all and the students once again represented our school with pride. Well done to all students who participated. We also had some outstanding results:

7 Years Boys—Hunter 3rd place

7 Years Girls—Gia 2nd place

10 Years Boys—Jacob 1st place

10 Years Girls—Eternity 1st place

12/13 Years Boys—Ned 4th place

12/13 Years Boys—Isaiah 6th place

Overall Handicap—Penrose 2nd place!



Help us raise  
funds with  
**RETURN and EARN**



We're collecting eligible containers to redeem for a 10c refund each under the NSW's Return and Earn scheme. It's a great way for students to get involved in recycling, help reduce litter and raise money for the school.

You can do your bit by bringing eligible containers and drop them off in the office or classroom during the school terms.

*Penrose Public School - encouraging confidence, responsibility, awareness and adventure.*

## Coming up:

**Staff Development Day: 29 April**

**Students return: 30 April**

**District Cross Country: 2 May (back-up 9 May)**

**Science and Engineering Discovery Day (Years 5 and 6): 4 June**

**Athletics Carnival: 13 June (back-up 20 June)**

## Would you love some fresh eggs?

Our chickens have settled in well and are enjoying their new home at our school. If you would like to purchase any eggs, please contact the school and we can add you to the list!



## Do you have leftover food scraps that you are going to just throw out?

Our chickens would really enjoy eating them for you.

Please bring in: cooked meats cut into small pieces, corn, fruits, grains, vegetables and bread.

Please do NOT bring: green potatoes or tomatoes, avocados, dried or raw beans, apple seeds, rhubarb, anything too salty or fried, any citrus or uncooked meats.

## Swimming.

A huge thank you to Rose and Amanda for all of the work you did with our students during swimming lessons this term at Vitarose. It was great to see the growth in students and their confidence in the water develop. Now that these lessons are over, it is important that the students are given the opportunities to keep working on these skills that they have worked so hard on. It is through regular repetition and practice that their skill levels will continue to improve.





## Our day at Wingello.

Today we spent the last day of term at Wingello Public School. We all had a great time. All students went to the Life Education Program. Years 3-6 learnt how to cook Sushi (Nori) and Dumplings (Gyoza). To end the busy day each school showcased their musical talents.



# COMMUNITY NEWS

## The Penrose Community Pantry has arrived!

The idea behind the Penrose Community Pantry is if you have excess produce (fruit, veg, jam, flowers etc) and would like to share it around you can drop it off at the Pantry for someone to come along and take. You can also drop off a few books/cd/dvd's to share or swap. Of course you don't have to drop something off to be able to take something it's all about making good use of all the food we have and not letting anything go to waste. As of this afternoon the Pantry contained, pomegranates, delicious apples, parsley, books, audio books and flowers - so feel free to come and have a look. It is located directly opposite the railway crossing on the Kareela Road side of the Penrose.



## Singing at Penrose 2019

All ages and abilities welcome

**Every Tuesday**  
(during school terms)

**At Penrose Village Hall 7pm**  
(time may vary - but we will let you know if that happens)



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Singing at Penrose is part of the Penrose Community Association

Check us out on Facebook



## REGULATORY & TRAFFIC ZONE SIGN

### Bus Zones

**What does this mean?**  
No stopping or parking permitted. Can only be used if driving a bus.

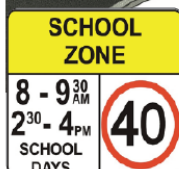
**Why is it there?**  
To provide a safe place for buses to set down and pick up passengers. Drivers parking in bus zones put lives at risk by forcing buses to double park and out of 'their' designated safety zone.



### No Parking

**How to Use?**  
You can stop here for a maximum of two minutes to drop off and pick up passengers. You must stay within three metres of your vehicle at all times.

**Why is it there?**  
To provide a safe place for children to be set down and picked up without endangering other children and increase parking turn over during busy school times.



### Children Crossing

Hand held stop signs at children's crossings must be obeyed.

**PENALTY EXCEEDS**  
\$561 + 2 Demerit Points  
Road Rule 80 (2)(a)

### No Stopping

**What does this mean?**  
You cannot stop in this area for any reason

**Why is it there?**  
To keep sight lines clear for drivers and children so both have more time to avoid accidents.



## COMMON PARKING VIOLATIONS

### Parking Across Driveways and Footpaths

You must not stop your vehicle across a driveway or footpath in a school zone, not even to drop off or pick up students.

**PENALTY EXCEEDS**  
\$337 + 2 Demerit Points  
Road Rule 198(2)

### Stopping in Intersections

You must not stop in an intersection.

**PENALTY EXCEEDS**  
\$448 + 2 Demerit Points  
Road Rule 170(1)

### Double Parking

You are not permitted to stop on a road between the centre of the road and another vehicle that is parked at the side of the road, to wait or pick up or drop off passengers.

**PENALTY EXCEEDS**  
\$337 + 2 Demerit Points  
Road Rule 189

