

Group 2 News

“We rock hard but rocks rock harder!” Bill Nye the Science Guy.

Volcanoes, magma chamber, volcanic eruptions, lava, tectonic plates, transform plate boundaries, convergent plate boundaries, divergent plate boundaries, tsunamis and earthquakes - Group 2 have gone EARTH SCIENCE MAD this term!!! We have been exploring, investigating and experimenting the ‘foundations’ of Earth Science. As you can see we have been having a ‘blast’!!!





We have also created mixed media artworks to represent the local rock formations we observed at the creek and bush.



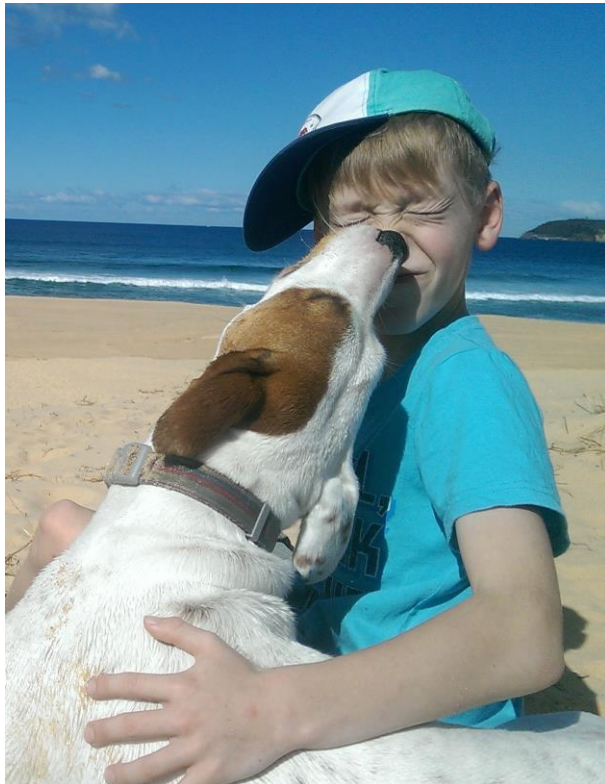
Riga (a travelling artist and also Gilad's aunt) and Ronald (a Doctor of Geology and also Gilad's grandfather) showed us a thing or two about art techniques like the oil pastel and water colour paint resist technique and shading using natural charcoal (from the school fire pit).

Thank you Riga and Ronald!



In other exciting news: **Aidan's** passion and dedication to help animals in need has driven him to initiate a **fundraising event for the RSPCA** next coming **Thursday 1st of September!** Aidan first raised his idea in a class meeting last term:

"I want to help endangered animals and animals on the street. We got Tia (Aidan's pet dog) from the RSPCA and that's the reason why I want to help them. Tia means everything to me!"



An **RSPCA Educator**, Sarah, will be visiting our school on **Thursday 1st of September** and will be talking to the kids about the work that the RSPCA does, animal welfare and pet adoption. Aidan and Group 2 will also host a **bake sale** afterwards at **home time on the basketball court with all profits going towards the RSPCA**. Please help us support the amazing work that the RSPCA does for our two and four legged friends in need!

We look forward to sharing with you more of our adventures and discoveries as they unfold this term!

Lots of love from,

Group 2, Tristan, Kimberley and Aimelyn.



Snack attack is a flat \$5 regardless of what bits your child is having, and we are no longer serving juice. Parents making Snack Attack - please put out water for the kids to drink.

Snack Attack has been a part of Kinma for a very long time...and how wonderful for the children to have their parents come in and fill the air with a good home-cooked meal. There have been some amazing foods and traditional goodies that parents have become loved and famous for.

There are 64 children in the Primary and 28 in Preschool, approx. 10 adults on Wednesdays.

We have 17 gluten-free, 10 dairy-free children, and 3 vegetarians. If your child is any or all of these 3, please let me know.

Usually we have 2-3 parents that come in on a Wednesday and one makes the Main and the other Dessert...or you do it all together on the day. It is a great way to meet and get to know the parents of Kinma and spend the day with the children.

Like everything at Kinma it is a very relaxed easy day. There are not many rules, all we ask is for it not to be too junky and offer vegetarian, dairy-free and gluten-free options.

The kids really enjoy Snack attack, and it's great when we can make Snack Attack happen every week. Below are the dates for Term 2 Snack Attack.

PLEASE REMEMBER – We do not use nuts or nut products anywhere at Kinma.

August 31 st	Gemma, Neil + Alex PR
Sep 7 th	Isobel, Sona & Tan
Sep 14 th	Sam, Sam, Stephany & Georgie
Sep 21 st	Liz & Sally G

If you have any questions or want to contribute please email me at hayleyjl@tpg.com.au or call 0435 145 486.

Thanks,
Hayley Lewis (Turiee's mum)

Some examples of successful meals have included Chicken wings/ drumsticks and salad, tacos, nachos, pasta dishes, pizza, sushi, quiche, fruit and yoghurt, baked apples with cream/yoghurt, natural ice blocks... and much more.

All expenses for ingredients are reimbursable.