

7. DELIVERY:

Entries can be typed and emailed to library@kiama.nsw.gov.au

Ensure that a copy of the entry form is scanned and emailed with the entry.

Hand written and typed entries can be delivered to Kiama Library, along with the completed entry form.

8. COPYRIGHT:

Copyright of any work submitted as an entry to the writing competition will remain with the author. By submitting your story to the **Kiama Library Local History Writing Competition**, the copyright owner gives Kiama Library and/or Kiama Municipal Council permission to reproduce, communicate and display the work in public. Kiama Library and/or Kiama Municipal Council may also reproduce the work in any publication. The purpose of such reproduction, communication, public display or publication, is for educational, resource or publicity purposes. Kiama Library and/or Kiama Municipal Council reserve the right to edit or crop images for the purposes of promotion and publicity on the internet, events and other formats. All writers will be acknowledged for their work at all times.

9. Council does not accept any responsibility for any lost, damaged or delayed entries from any cause.

All entries to the Writing Competition will remain the property of Kiama Library to be added to the Local History Collection.



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Kiama Library Ken Donnellan Memorial Local History Competition



Entry form

Entries close at 4pm
Friday 6 April 2018

ENTRY FORM

Kiama Library Writing Competition

One entry only per Stage 3 (Year 5 & 6) child

Surname: _____

First name: _____

Postal address: _____

Ph: _____

School: _____

Title of diary entry: _____

Date written: _____

Declaration: I, the undersigned, acknowledge and agree to the Conditions of Entry and that the story submitted by me for the Kiama Library Writing Competition is my original work and has not been entered in any previous competitions.

Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian signature:

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Office use only:

Received date:

Kiama Library Writing Competition

‘WWI Diary Entry’

Imagine you are a World War I soldier in the trenches in a war zone. You are keeping a diary of your daily activities so you can show your family when you return home to Australia.

Write a 500-word diary entry detailing a day in your life. Some ideas could be:

- Explain in detail what you do each day in the trenches. How long do you spend doing each activity? Remember that they had to cook, eat, clean, sleep and write letters and diary entries while fighting the war.
- Describe your relationship with your closest mates alongside you.
- How long does your Unit stay in the trenches until you are relieved by other soldiers so you can go back to base camp?
- Describe the sounds you can hear.
- Describe the weather. If it is raining, what do you do to keep dry. If it is hot, what do you do to cool down?
- What do you do in your free time after you have done all your chores?
- What do you think about while you are there? Do you think about your family at home and what they are doing in their lives in Kiama/Gerringong/Jamberoo?
- What do you see in your surroundings?
- What are some of the animals that you come across where you are fighting?

Tell us what happened on your day!

KIAMA LIBRARY LOCAL HISTORY WRITING COMPETITION

Kiama Library will be running an annual Local History Competition in memory of Ken Donnellan, who passed away suddenly in 2016. Each year the competition will alternate between a writing and a photographic competition.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. ELIGIBILITY:

Participants must live in or go to school in the Kiama Municipality. One entry per person. Entrants must be in Stage 3 (Year 5 & 6).

2. PRESENTATION:

Entries should be between 400-500 words. Please use font size 12 and line spacing of 1.5.

3. ENTRY FEE and CLOSING DATE:

Entries close at 4.00pm on Friday 6 April 2018.

There is no fee to enter.

4. IDENTIFICATION:

The entry must be clearly labelled on the back with the title of your diary entry and writer's contact details. The entry form must be submitted with the story.

5. SELECTION OF ENTRIES FOR EXHIBITION AND FINAL JUDGING:

Selection for exhibition and judging will take place after the closing date, and prior to the exhibition of entries at Kiama Library. The judge's decision in all respects will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.

6. PRIZES:

There will be a winner from each local primary school. Each winner will receive \$100. All participating local schools will receive \$200 towards their school library. All entries submitted outside of a local primary school will be judged together and will be eligible to win \$100, however they will not be eligible for the \$200 school library prize.