



Kang GURU

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Welcome to KGI's first ever bulletin. First of all a BIG thank you to all those people who have written letters, sent emails and logged onto the new KGI Facebook Fans Page asking about KGI magazines. As we mentioned in the March magazine, there are no more KGI magazines this year. However you can still keep close contact with KGI on the web, by email and letters AND on KGI's new *Facebook Fans Page*.

This September KGI bulletin has been sent to all KGI-ites, English-language teachers and educational institutions on the KGI database plus all Australia Indonesia Partnership (AIP) activities in Indonesia. It is also available in pdf format on the KGI website. Be sure to check the KGI website in November for the next edition of this bulletin. Please continue checking the KGI website and the NEW KGI Fans Page on Facebook during the next few months for news of KGI in Indonesia.



+628213759XXXX - just one of many SMS to KGI about AIBEP school.

Thanks for KGI. When I saw the KGI JUNE ed front cover, I'm so surprised, I think that's a good image. I also want to congratulate because AIBEP made new school. I hope AIBEP can continue the program to build 2000 schools because it is helpful to many people, especially for students to study well. (Muhammad Sulthon Asidiq from JawaTengah, Purwantoro, Sukomangu, Nglogung, Rt 01 Rw 02)



AusAID / Josh Estey

Mr Marty Natalegawa, Indonesian Foreign Minister (left), accompanied Mr Stephen Smith, Australian Foreign Minister (centre) to the opening of Madrasah Tsanawiyah Negeri (junior high school) in Balaraja.

2000 AIBEP schools

Date: July 15th, 2010

Location: Balaraja Village in Banten

Hundreds of people, including excited members of the local community, attended the opening of the 2000th school built in Indonesia by the Australia Indonesia Partnership (AIP). Foreign Ministers from Australia and Indonesia, Mr. Stephen Smith and Bapak Marty Natalegawa, respectively, opened the school. It was a big day for the community and for the teachers and students of Madrasah Tsanawiyah Negeri (junior high school) in Balaraja. Read more and check the KGI video of the opening on July 15, 2010.

www.kangguru.org/ausaidprojects/aibep_2000_schools.html



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AUSTRALIAN INDIGENOUS LIFE-SKILLS/SPORT IN JAKARTA

Imagine this - an indigenous (aboriginal) Australian teaching aboriginal life-skills in Jakarta to SD students. Awesome, right! These hunting and food collection life-skills have been taught to indigenous children in Australia for the past 1,000 years. Learning these life-skills helped to prepare the indigenous children for their nomadic life in the Australian outback. Rob Hyatt used sporting equipment to teach some of these Australian traditional games and life-skills to these lucky Indonesian students. They visited the Australian Embassy in Jakarta earlier this year as part of NAIDOC Week. *What is NAIDOC? Check the KGI website!*



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Anindita Kusumawardhani
from Cultural Affairs at the
Australian Embassy Jakarta
and Rob Hyatt, State
Coordinator, Indigenous Sport
and Recreation Program,
from Sport and Recreation, Victoria.



www.kangguru.org/kgretravel.htm

'Good Neighbours Make Good Friends'



Royal Australian Navy



Dental Education Mission Pacific Partnership 2010

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Eight dentists and dental assistants from the Pacific Partnership 2010 team, including Australian Navy Dentist Lieutenant Tom Yong, arrived at SD Negeri 78 in Air Putri, Ambon, on 28 July to conduct dental hygiene classes and a dental screening. "We are really, really happy to have them here," said Principal Ms Magda Mual. "We have made lots of preparations and included the parents in the day also," she said. Each of the school's 259 students saw a dentist and received a toothbrush and toothpaste to put into practice all that they learned. The team also met with parents and teachers from the school.

AUSTRALIA

Earthquakes - look out for that roof!

Do you know that most people who die in earthquakes, die because of collapsing buildings. It is true! The Australia Indonesia Facility for Disaster Reduction (AIFDR) is busy working with local government authorities and local communities in many parts of Indonesia to design and build stronger structures in earthquake-prone areas such as Padang. Then the number of fatalities will be reduced. This is a huge task but Indonesia and Australia are working together and the work has begun ... www.aifdr.org



In the three sub-villages of Banyumeneng, Desa Giriharjo near Yogyakarta, groups of UGM students have been working for several years to build and maintain a solar-powered water supply system. Dr Ahmad Agus Setiawan, an Australian Development Scholarship (ADS) alumni, is leading UGM students on this educational adventure. Getting water from the underground source (see left) to the top of the hill - by solar power! The team also helps with community awareness of the importance of sustainable water supplies, agriculture, public health and livestock development. www.kangguru.org/kgretravel.htm



BRIDGE
AUSTRALIA-INDONESIA SCHOOL PARTNERSHIPS

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BRIDGE in Dps www.kangguru.org/ausaidprojects/2010_bridge_dps.html

This is certainly NOT the first BRIDGE exchange visit between Indonesian and Australian schools and it will not be the last. Students and teachers from Southern Christian College Tasmania visited SMA Muhammadiyah 1 Denpasar in August. And guess what? There was no shyness at all and the students interacted very, very easily with each other. This is because they had actually known each other for nearly 12 months as part of the BRIDGE program from AusAID - fantastic! What a great way to make friends and develop lasting links between people, and countries.

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Kang Guru Indonesia Teacher Workshops

KGI recently went to Pasuruan. Sue was very BUSY. She saw the mud flow, climbed an ancient monument, drank *jamu*, was entertained by the SMP1 Sukorejo Marching Band, kidnapped a teacher and was almost deposited at a bank!

KGI teacher workshops have been held recently in Pasuruan and Parepare. Workshops coming up include Pariaman, Biak, Yapen, Serang and ...



Where is Sue? Who is the thin man in the orange shirt?



Want to know more? Want to see more? Go to *the KGI Travel Page* - www.kangguru.org/travel/kgitravel2010_pasuruan.htm



Ayu from KGI joined SOIna in Jakarta in July 2010. What is SOIna? What happened in Jkt? Read about Ayu, the athletes and Ade Rai on the Travel Pages of the KGI website. Where is KGI going next? See for yourself, okay.

KGI Presentation Tips

Here are two introductions welcoming participants to a KGI teacher workshop.



- A. 'Ladies and Gentlemen, *thank you for coming* and it's lovely to see you all here today.'
- B. 'Ladies and Gentlemen, *thank you for your coming* and it's lovely to see you all here today.'

Which is the correct way to say this?

Now go to KGI's Learning Tips Page on the KGI website to find out which was correct and find some tips about public speaking.

www.kangguru.org/languagetips.htm

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Nur Yanti (SMAN 1 Purwonegoro)
Well, this year will be my first year teaching the third grade of senior high school. Could you please give me some tips so that I can help my students to learn English well? I hope all of my students can pass the national examination 100%. So fellow teachers, please give me some suggestions to do that!!!

Check the **Discussion Board** on the Kang Guru Indonesia Fans Page and WIN KGI SMP & SMA Teacher Packages.

Discussion Board

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Displaying all 13 topics.

TEACHING ON THE REMOTE AREA (FAR FROM THE CENTRAL CITY)
3 posts, Created on August 9, 2010 at 4:57am
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seven-eleven teacher
4 posts, Created on August 10, 2010 at 6:15am
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HOW TO MAKE KGI MEMBER JOIN THIS PAGE??
6 posts, Created on August 10, 2010 at 12:42am
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WIN the NEW Kang Guru Listenig Materials for SMP/SMA/SNIK
3 posts, Created on August 9, 2010 at 7:56pm
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good english teacher
1 post, Created on August 11, 2010 at 6:41am
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how to make peoples (specially children, villager, and un-educate people) using english for communication ?

GAMES

What do you see?

Do you want a simple and fun way to help your SMP students review vocabulary on a theme? Have a look at the idea on the KGI in the Classroom web page. Find out how to make your own **KGI Picture Sheet**. Your students will love it!

Tongue twisters in your classroom

How fast can you say this sentence?
The sixth sheikh's sixth sheep is sick.
Using tongue twisters in class is a fun and challenging way of providing pronunciation practice. Tongue twisters don't always make sense but your students will enjoy trying to say them. Here's just one idea on how to use tongue twisters in the classroom.

Disappearing tongue twister

Choose a tongue twister. Practice it as a class then write up the *sentence on the board*, for example:
She sells sea shells by the sea shore. Now rub out a couple of words and replace them with lines, for example: *She sells ____ -shells by the sea ____.*
Ask the class to say the complete tongue twister, then remove another word, for example:
She sells _____ by the sea _____.
Continue until there are no words left! Your learners can now practice repeating the tongue twister as quickly as possible. You might want to remind your students that part of the fun of tongue twisters is getting them wrong so it doesn't matter if you make lots of mistakes. Just have fun!

For these and other activities check the updated KGI website teacher pages - www.kangguru.org/kgreinthe classroom.htm



The Joeys' Club

SMP & KGI

Hi guys, the JOEYS are back!

I know it's been a while ... we miss you too. But I have great news for all SMP students, now you can see more of us on the Kang Guru website. There are some new language games and competitions for you to follow - like this crossword puzzle below. Complete the puzzle, send it to KGI, and win KGI Surprise Gift Packs.



www.kangguru.org/joeys.htm

Talking about the Generations

Builders, Baby-boomers, Generation X, Generation Y, Generation Z, Generation Alpha

2010 - 2015

1965 - 1979

1920 - 1945

1946 - 1964

1995 - 2009

1980 - 1994

Which generation do you belong to? Find out on the new Joeys Page on the KGI website.

My favourite Aussie slang:

brunch (breakfast and lunch)
munchies/nibblies (cemilan),
knick knacks (pernak pernik)

Do you wanna know what the favourite slang expressions are from the other KGI staff?

Go to www.kangguru.org/idioms.htm

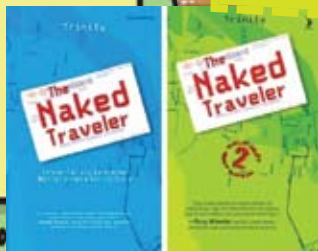
Famous Blog: 'Trinity's Naked Traveler'

Trinity is one of Indonesia's most famous cyber-celebrities. She created a blog about her travel experiences which was later made into a book.

Do you want to be a successful blogger like Trinity? Why don't you start with your own blog and let everyone read and give comments about your blog. A blog can make someone famous and make money as well.

Read more about Trinity and her best selling book 'The Naked Traveler' on KGI website's Latest News Page.

Give comments about her blog and you can win copies of 'The Naked Traveler' from KGI.



KGI Radio NEWS

Can you name two movies and two celebrities that Ayu and Sue talk about in Series 70 on KGI radio? Make sure to listen to this Entertainment Series every week starting in September on 170 radio stations across Indonesia. You can win a great Aussie pictorial book and CD language compilations from KGI. Check for more details on the KGI Radio Page. Is there a KGI radio station near you? Just check the KGI Broadcast Schedule. You can also listen to KGI radio with KGI Podcasts.

www.kangguru.org/englishradio.htm



As in Indonesia, there are many, many indigenous languages in Australia. Below are some examples of aboriginal vocabulary used in the Uluru region of the Northern Territory. Can you guess which definition is correct? For the answers go to KGI's Joeys Page.



1. **anangu**: a. non-indigenous people
b. indigenous people c. tourists
2. **kali** : a. water b. boomerang c. river
3. **kapi**: a. tea b. water c. coffee
4. **kuka**: a. animal b. fish c. meat
5. **malu**: a. kangaroo b. deer c. koala
6. **rapita**: a. chicken b. rabbit c. frog
7. **mai**: a. food b. drink c. snack
8. **anumara**: a. snake b. butterfly c. caterpillar
9. **tjala**: a. ant b. bee c. cricket
10. **wati**: a. man b. woman c. girl
11. **kungka**: a. man b. woman c. boy
12. **iti**: a. girl b. boy c. baby