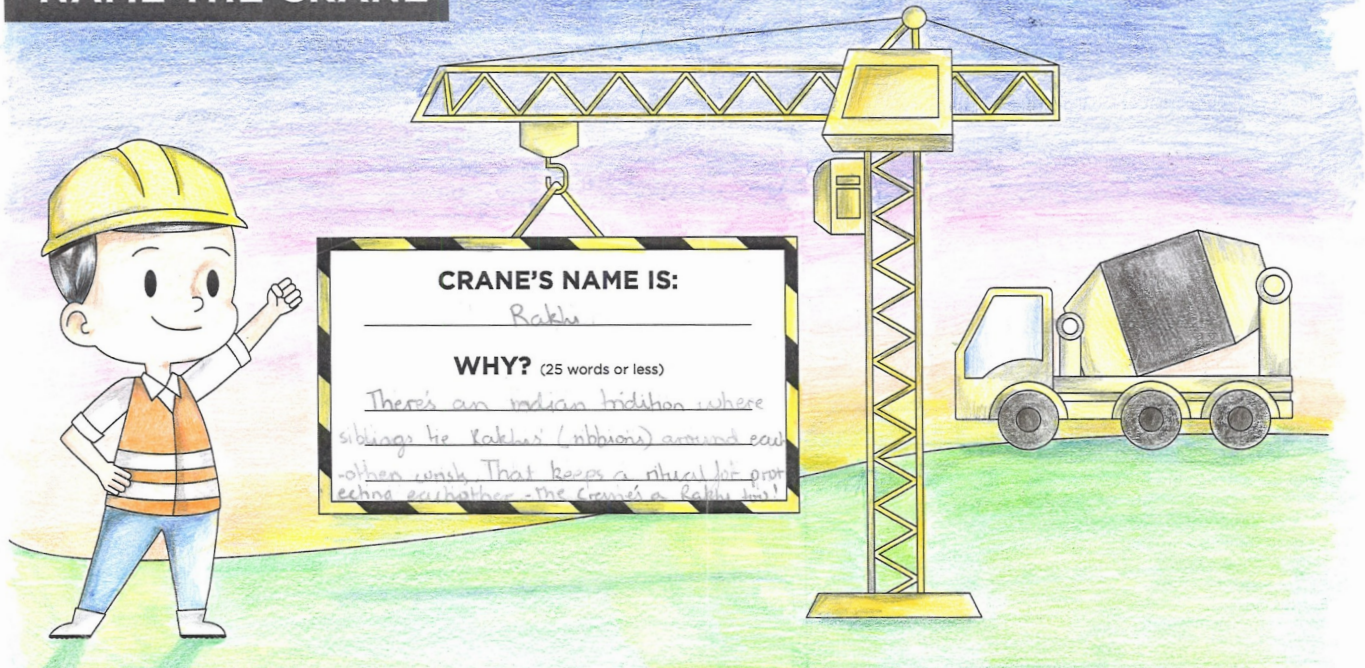


## NAME THE CRANE



## Winners Announced

We received 83 entries in the Name the Crane colouring competition and the winners are:

**1st Place: Mannat Kaur, 12, St Michaels Mittagong - Crane's Name - Rakhi**

"There's an Indian tradition where siblings tie Rakhis (ribbons) around each others wrists. That keeps a ritual for protecting each other. The crane's a Rakhi too."

*(wins an iPad and their chosen name will soon be seen hanging from the crane)*

### The name Rakhi means: Bond of protection.

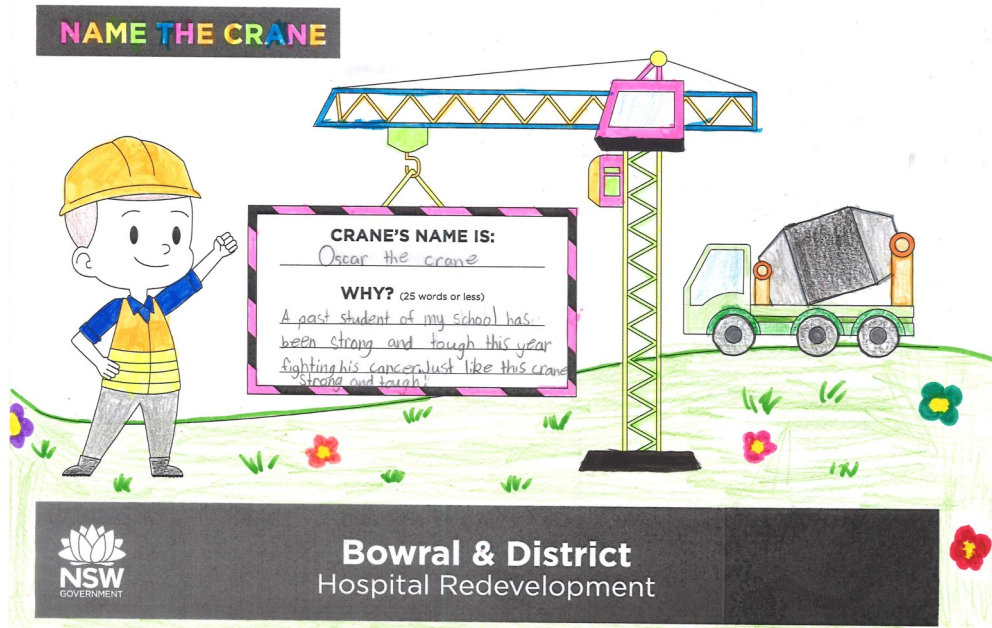
*Raksha Bandhan in Sanskrit literally means "the tie or knot of protection". It is an ancient Hindu festival that ritually celebrates the love and duty between brothers and their sisters. Raksha Bandhan is not just a festival, but an emotion and a special day to celebrate the love between brothers and sisters. On this occasion, sisters tie a holy thread called Rakhi on their brothers' wrists. This band or thread is not a normal thread, it is a representation of love, prayer, care, and affection, given by a sister to her brother.*

Thank you Mannat for choosing a name for our crane with such a powerful meaning and relevance to our hospital reflected through the care and protection provided to patients by our wonderful staff.

## 2nd Place: Ruby Francis, 8, St Michaels Mittagong - Crane's Name - Oscar the Crane

"A past student of my school has been strong and tough this year fighting his cancer. Just like this crane strong and tough."

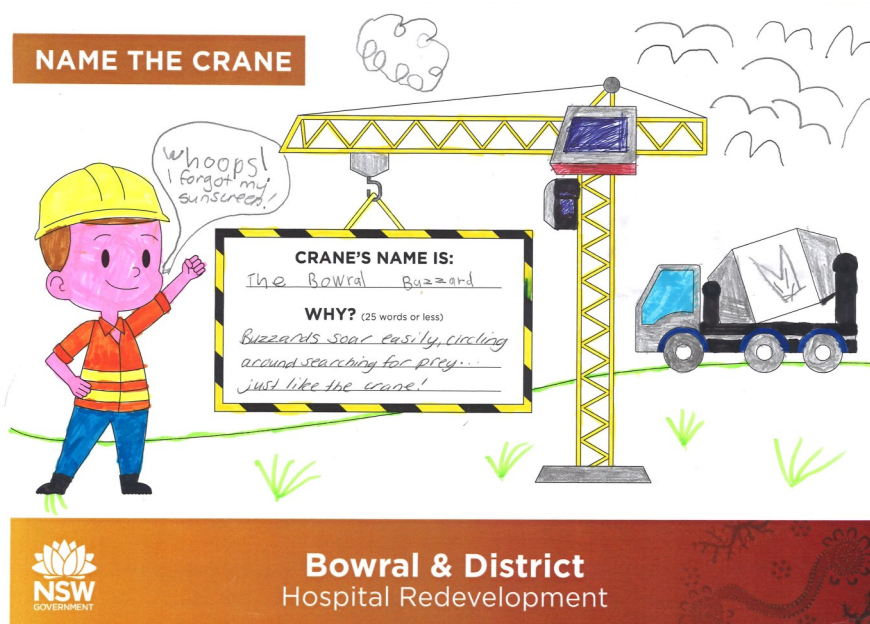
(wins a \$50 gift voucher redeemable at Angus and Robertson Bookshop in Bowral)



## 3rd Place: Nicholas James, 7, Bowral Public School - Crane's Name - The Bowral Buzzard

"Buzzards soar easily, circling around searching for prey...just like the crane!"

(wins a \$30 gift voucher redeemable at Angus and Robertson Bookshop in Bowral)







## Construction Update

The last major concrete pour is forecast for completion by the end of this month for the level 3 plant room suspended slab.

Following the last concrete pour and final stressing of the concrete slabs, formwork and propping that is supporting the concrete will be gradually removed.

Installation of the level 3 walls and roof structure will commence after the level 3 slab is poured.

Façade installation and internal wall framing will commence soon on the ground floor.



**Thank you for your patience while we build our new hospital**



## Happy 130th Anniversary



Bowral & District Hospital recently celebrated its 130th anniversary with an afternoon tea.

The hospital opened its doors on 4 September 1889 and was celebrated by the public with an athletics carnival and fete and, the public school children and band played and sang the national anthem. In those first few months of opening, to January 1890, 12 patients were admitted for care and in the year following, 42 patients presented.

In comparison to care provided today, in the 2018/19 financial year, there were nearly 20,000 emergency department presentations. In the past 130 years, the hospital has provided 47,450 days of care with 32 of those being leap days. A big thank you to past, present and future staff who make the hospital an amazing place to work and visit.



## ADCO CEO visits BDH



L-R: Jeremy Wilson, Andrew Kulasingham, Greg Barlow, Patrick Collins, Ken Barnett, Stephen Clark, Bruno Zinghini, Neil Harding

ADCO CEO Neil Harding recently visited our worksite and was accompanied on a tour of the facility by Bruno Zinghini (Executive Director Western Region Health Infrastructure), Greg Barlow (Director Western Region Health Infrastructure), Patrick Collins (Project Director Health Infrastructure), Jeremy Wilson (Senior Project Manager Capital Insight), Andrew Kulasingham (Project Manager Capital Insight) and hosted by our General Manager Ken Barnett and Stephen Clark our Redevelopment Manager.

The group was onsite to see some of the Level 2 concrete pour - our new hospital sure is going up quickly!



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