



# Newsletter

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## Dates to Remember

### Term 3

Thur 20<sup>th</sup>  
August

Second Hand Uniform sale  
8.45a.m. - 9.15a.m. and  
3.15p.m. - 3.45p.m.

Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> – Fri  
28<sup>th</sup> August  
Fri 28<sup>th</sup> Aug

Book Week

KPS Parents Soirée

### September

Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept  
Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Sept  
8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and  
10<sup>th</sup> Sept

Father's Day Stall  
Working Bee Prep-2  
School concerts

Mon 14<sup>th</sup> Sept  
Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Sept

School Council meeting 6.30p.m.  
• Casual Clothes Day (fundraising)  
• **Last day Term 3 – 2.30p.m.  
dismissal**

### Term dates 2015

**Term 3** - 13<sup>th</sup> July to 18<sup>th</sup> September

**Term 4** - 5<sup>th</sup> October to 18<sup>th</sup> December



## Principal's Message

### School concerts update

As you would be aware from information provided in Newsletter No. 12, May 1<sup>st</sup> and Newsletter No. 22, July 24<sup>th</sup> the concerts are planned for September 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. This year we are unable to hire the Williamstown Town Hall and concerts will take place over three nights at the Yarraville Club in Stephen Street, Yarraville.

When this venue was booked earlier this year we were aware that there would be limitations on tickets available to families. Investigations into space and seating has now revealed however, that if we were to go ahead with 8 or 9 items on each night we would only be able to offer 2 seats to each family. This is not satisfactory and would cut out siblings and, other family members from being able to enjoy the concerts.

### Therefore

- the concerts will still take place over the same 3 nights
- the grades listed for each night in newsletter of 24<sup>th</sup> July will remain the same
- the change will be that on each night there will be two sessions - 1 and 2 with a smaller number of grades performing in each session
- this will **decrease** the number of classes performing in each session and **increase** the number of tickets that can be offered to families
- we understand that with a total of 6 possible sessions parents with more than one child may need to attend on more than one night
- the price of tickets this year reflect that possibility
- four tickets per family will be on offer during stage 1 of ticket sales and then, if tickets are still left sales will be opened up to 'first in'

### **General Guidelines for Parents when making any Payments to the school:**

**End of Terms 1, 2 & 3** All payments need to be made prior to 10:00am on the last day of term.

**End of Term 4** All payments must be made 2 days prior to the end of term.

**Cash Payments** Correct money is requested, as change cannot always be provided.

**School Council President** Leah Young 0418 369 039  
**OSHC Camp Australia** 0401 054 261

**School Uniform Primary School Wear** 9363 8458  
**Program Manager** Asi Malu

**Reality check**

When the decision was made to go ahead with the 2015 concerts at a smaller venue, we knew that there would need to be compromises made. We did not want to just cancel concerts for 2015 altogether and felt it important to provide a performance opportunity be it in a modified provision. I am confident that all families will appreciate that 2015 concert items will go ahead and together we will work through the adjustments necessary.

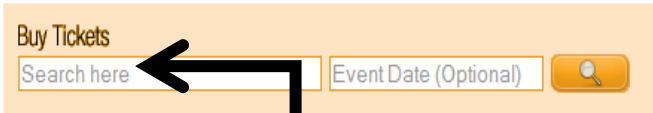
**Ticket sales**

This year school concert ticket sales will be online. We are trialling an online booking system called **trybooking**. The link is <http://www.trybooking.com>

**Booking Method**



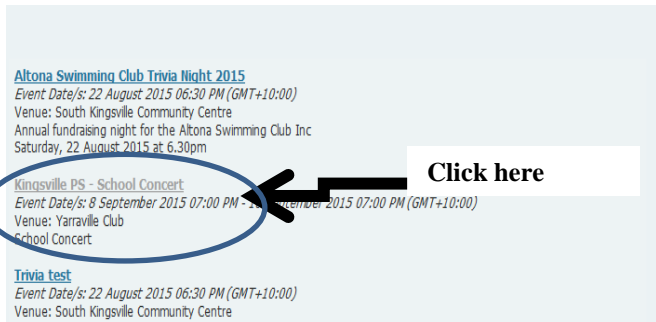
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Having trouble finding your Event.

Option 1

Click the search button with no text in **Enter Kingsville in search area**



You will need to choose your first session , highlight the number of seats. **Please note this is restricted maximum of 4 per family at this stage.** Click 'continue' and indicate number of adults, children, then click 'checkout' or if you need to book for another concert session go through the same procedure again – do this as many times as necessary for additional concert sessions.

Parents who have any computer access problems at home may use the computer in the foyer of the

school. Should you have any problems regarding using this system please do not hesitate to contact Nicole Shirreff either via email [shirreff.nicole.n@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:shirreff.nicole.n@edumail.vic.gov.au) or by phone 9314 5869.

Bookings will open on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> August and remain open up until the 10<sup>th</sup> September, being the day of the last concert. For the period 19<sup>th</sup> August until 2<sup>nd</sup> September the restriction of 4 tickets per family will apply. From 3<sup>rd</sup> September to 10<sup>th</sup> September any additional tickets available for any sessions will be made available for purchase without restrictions.

Please note individual adult and child tickets are required for each session. The audience of session 1 on each night must leave and enter again at the set time with a new ticket if they are attending session 2 on any night.

Please ensure that all of your 'tickets' are printed off and you bring them on the night to verify your booking.

**Cost of tickets**

Adults – \$5.00  
Children – \$3.00

**Sessions**

Tues 8 <sup>th</sup>	Wed 9 <sup>th</sup>	Thurs 10 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Session 1</b>	<b>Session 1</b>	<b>Session 1</b>
<b>Prep E</b> Rosemary	<b>Prep A</b> Jacinta	<b>Prep D</b> Julia
<b>12A</b> Meagan	<b>12G</b> Gareth	<b>12F</b> Carmel
<b>34B</b> Danniel	<b>34E</b> Ian	<b>12D</b> Harriet
<b>34D</b> Georgia	<b>5B</b> Sheri	<b>34C</b> Amila
<b>5A</b> Anna		<b>5C</b> Dianne
<b>Session 2</b>	<b>Session 2</b>	<b>Session 2</b>
<b>Prep B</b> Monica	<b>12C</b> Jacqui	<b>Prep C</b> Laura
<b>12E</b> Dylan	<b>12H</b> Christine	<b>12B</b> Helene
<b>34G</b> Alison	<b>34F</b> Jessie	<b>34A</b> Greg
<b>6C</b> Mori	<b>6B</b> Aaron	<b>6A</b> Peter

## Information

### Arriving and departing

To ensure each night runs smoothly it is vital that parents comply with the timeline below.

#### **Session 1**

- Doors open/children arrive: 6.00pm
- Show starts at 6.30pm
- Show ends at 7.15pm

#### **Session 2**

- Doors open/children arrive: 7.30pm
- Show starts at 8pm
- Show ends at 8.40pm

### What to do when family and students performing, arrive for any of the six sessions

Please enter through the main doors to the club off Stephen Street. Signs will direct student performers to the "holding room" and parents and family to the audience area.

For session 1 students need to be there by 6p.m. for session 2 by 7.30p.m.

### Other information that may assist families

A number of families in past times have taken up the opportunity to have dinner at the Yarraville Club prior to the concerts. Please note the restaurant will be open early on the three concert nights 4.30p.m.-9p.m. with many quickly prepared menu items available.

Bookings are essential to avoid disappointment  
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direct booking line to pekish @ Yarraville  
Yarraville Club 135 Stephen St Yarraville  
[www.yarravilleclub.com.au](http://www.yarravilleclub.com.au)

I thank the Yarraville Club for their assistance and guidance through the "minefield" of organisation and in particular Amy Reynolds (Function and Business Manager).

Huge thanks also to Nicole Shirreff in working through so many of the planning issues and organising the online booking system.

Also to Jeff McDonald, Assistant Principal who can now add "event management" skills of a high order to his CV.

Kingsville families please print off the schedule and other details, keep them handy and make sure you log on to book your tickets.

## Celebrating sport, physical education and being active at KPS

The school sport program encompasses a wide range of opportunities for all students to participate, be active, gain enjoyment and develop many different individual and team skills.

Within the weekly program and in line with government mandated requirements, set times for Prep-3 and 4-6 for involvement in Physical Education and Sport are complied with. Weekly specialist classes, class level team activities, games and set sport times are all part of this. The program provides for all students and for varying levels of fitness and interest in sport. An important goal is to ensure students enjoy being active and do not feel stressed or pressured at all on days of PE or Sport classes.

Competitive or 'out of school sports' are not compulsory. At Kingsville however we involve students in a number of out of school experiences and competitions. Within our local network of schools students in 3-6 are involved in the popular winter and summer sport gala competition days. Resulting from these school teams in a range of sports including football, soccer, cricket, netball, t-ball may move through to a regional and even state final. In addition athletics, cross country, swimming are undertaken along with further options each year that may include hockey, basketball and lacrosse to name just a few.

In 2015 we have had great success across the board with a quality school program and a number of teams and individuals moving through to Regional and State finals and even Australian championship level. Some recent examples –

- last week our school athletics day was a great success with over 330 children competing throughout the day in up to 11 different events.
- 75 students have moved forward and are participating today in the Yarraville District Schools Sports Victoria.
- next week we have a team of 13 girls competing in the School Sport Victoria Primary Girls Soccer finals
- **News just in** – Kingsville came second overall today and individual students received a large number of ribbons
- a highlight and what could be termed a 'Kingsville wipeout' was the 12 year old girls 800m where we took out every place being 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>

Well done to Lorey Bentley, all students, staff and parent volunteers.

Newsletter items and reports will also highlight student effort and achievement in this area throughout the year. For example Bella Stringfellow has gained 4<sup>th</sup> in the state for cross country and she will now be part of the state team at the Australian championships later this year.

We celebrate the effort of every child and every achievement in this area from the first run down the race track in preps, to learning to skip, hop, jump, have a go at hurdling or, compete in a team. We stress that participating and just getting active is what matters. This might be riding your bike or scooter to school or having a run with your class mates all the way through to possibly being part of a competitive team

As Principal I acknowledge the sporting efforts of all students and thank staff in making sure all opportunities are taken up on in this area. We are very fortunate this year in having Lorey Bentley running the PE and Sport Department. Lorey's passion for sport and her positive modelling for students inspires them on a daily basis. Thank you also to Jeanette Mejak who has joined the PE and Sport staff this semester and is currently taking classes for 12 of our 26 groups. Parents also play a significant role in encouraging students and acting as volunteers for many sporting activities inside and outside of the school. So a great team effort and well done everyone.

### Dress code reminders

The school uniform consists of:

- a. items as outlined in the School Uniform List and available from Primary Schoolwear (PSW)
- b. Items purchased elsewhere that match our school colours (red top, navy bottom) and style and have no other logo, writing or decoration on them
- c. a combination of the above



## Kingsville Awards

To be presented on Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> August

<b>Prep A</b>	Zoe Mullins
<b>Prep B</b>	Avi Fryer
<b>Prep C</b>	Lucy Giatis
<b>Prep D</b>	No award
<b>Prep E</b>	Maggie Ellis
<b>1/2A</b>	Angus Hawker
<b>1/2B</b>	No award
<b>1/2C</b>	Nadya Abdu
<b>1/2D</b>	Charlie Gunn
<b>1/2E</b>	William McArthur
<b>1/2F</b>	Bello Yacin
<b>1/2G</b>	Toma Kellam
<b>1/2H</b>	No award
<b>3/4A</b>	Ngor Thuc
<b>3/4B</b>	Brodie Clutterbuck
<b>3/4C</b>	Mietta Gardiner
<b>3/4D</b>	Hollie Green
<b>3/4E</b>	Sam Cookson
<b>3/4F</b>	No award
<b>3/4G</b>	Lyla Artavilla
<b>5A</b>	No award
<b>5B</b>	Skye Edmonds
<b>5C</b>	Charlotte Whiteside
<b>6A</b>	Lola Knowles
<b>6B</b>	Finn Craig
<b>6C</b>	Fergus Browning

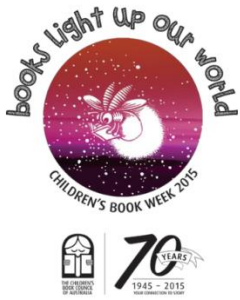


## Happy Birthday

13<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> August

Happy birthday to Georgia Webb, Alexander Elg, Clara Droogleever, Lucas Marshall, Olive Dillon, Emlyn Davies, Elodie Casemore, Lalu

Germaine, Elouan Blouin Hussen, Amelie Sims and Hawii Abdu.



## Book Week

This year the Children's Book Council of Australia is celebrating 70 years of Book Week, from Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> August (Week 7 for us). The theme for this year is **Books Light Up Our World**.

The Short Listed Books for each category have been announced and the winners will be announced on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> August. We have been hard at work setting up a display of all the books in the Library for everyone to share during their Library sessions.

We will be celebrating reading in a variety of ways each day of Week 7.

Monday August	24 <sup>th</sup>	Drop Everything and Read!
Tuesday August	25 <sup>th</sup>	Reading with buddy class
Wednesday August	26 <sup>th</sup>	Celebrating our teachers' favourite books
Thursday August	27 <sup>th</sup>	Dress Up Day
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> August		Whole school reading outside after assembly

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> August will be the much anticipated Dress Up Day. Everyone in the school is invited to come dressed up as their favourite book character or author – yes teachers, that is you too! While we will not be having a whole school parade, each year level will be holding their own parade throughout the day in the hall. The times for each year level are:

Prep: 9:10am – 10am  
 Year 1/2: 10am – 11am  
 Year 3/4: 11:30am – 12:30pm  
 Year 5/6: 12:30pm – 1:30pm

If you would like to find out more about the shortlisted books, or to find some dress up inspiration, have a look at the Children's Books Gould of Australia's Book Week page: <http://cbca.org.au/bookweek.htm>

Laura McCray, Prep Teacher

*Donations Needed*  
*Can you help?*

## Visual Arts room supplies

The Visual Arts room is in need of the following items:

- newspapers
- empty, clean icecream containers
- large plastic tubs i.e. margarine, yoghurt

If you are able to help by donating any of these items please leave them just outside the Visual Arts room door.

Thank you  
 Lily Demetriou, Visual Arts teacher



## Student Voice News

On the 31<sup>st</sup> of July the Student Voice group held an event to raise money for our World Vision sponsored child Abdletif. The sporting theme dress day raised \$604.35. We would like to thank everyone for their support and great generosity.

The commitment, empathetic and caring attitudes of the school community has in a small and significant way helped to fulfil our commitment to make the world a better place.

Anna Terzi  
 Student Voice Coordinator



## Pre Loved Uniform Sale

Items range from \$3 - \$10 and all proceeds go towards school fundraising. Please note that there will be a morning sale and an afternoon sale.

**Date:** Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2015  
**Morning:** 8.45a.m. - 9.15a.m.  
**Afternoon:** 3.15p.m. - 3.45p.m.  
**Place:** outside library  
**Please note:** Cash sales only.

# Fundraising News



## Father's Day Stall

This year we are having a Father's Day Stall on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September. Just like the stall for Mother's Day, there will be items for sale from \$3 - \$6. Please send your child with the correct money on the day.



## Fathers' Day Raffle

Alongside the stall, we will be holding a raffle, to be drawn at assembly on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> September.

The fundraising committee is actively looking for donations, which can be left at the main office. Raffle tickets at the end of this newsletter.

Any volunteers for the stall, please contact Zoanne on zoanne11@hotmail.com

# Premier's Reading Challenge

Well done to all students that have taken part in the Premier's Reading Challenge and special congratulations to the 119 students that have completed it to date. Time is running out to meet the challenge - there are now only 2 weeks left. The challenge closes on the 30<sup>th</sup> August. If you wish your child to be acknowledged for their hard work, please ensure that all books are logged into the site NO LATER than the 30th August. If you wish your child's name to appear in the age, a consent form must be signed and returned to the classroom teacher by this date also.

We would love to see many more of our students complete the challenge. Any problems please see me.

Regards  
Nicole Shirreff  
Premier's Reading Challenge Co-ordinator

## Will your child / children be at Kingsville in 2015?

If you know your child / children will not be returning to Kingsville in 2015

or

If they will be only here for a short time e.g. you could be moving in Term 1

Please fill in below if you have not already informed the school

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CHILDREN NOT ATTENDING KINGSVILLE P.S. IN 2015

Name: ..... Year level in 2014: ..... Date finishing at KPS: .....

Name: ..... Year level in 2014: ..... Date finishing at KPS: .....

Name:..... Year level in 2014: ..... Date finishing at KPS.....

New school (if known): .....

Signature of parent/guardian: .....

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Eldest Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

No. of Tickets @ \$10

Total enclosed

**Please place order before Wed 26th August**

**Please return form and payment with your child or to the office. Cash or cheque only.**

**Kingsville Primary School  
Father's Day Raffle – \$1 per ticket**

**Name & Class:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact no.:** \_\_\_\_\_

Tickets due back to school by Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September.  
Raffle drawn Friday 4<sup>th</sup> September at school assembly.  
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