



Newsletter

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Dates to Remember

Term 4

October

Sun 22nd Oct Working bee 9a.m. – 12noon

24th – 26th Oct Grade 6 Exhibition

Fri 27th Oct Halloween Disco
(Friends of KPS event)

30th Oct-3rd Nov Grade 5 Roses Gap

November

Thur 1st Nov Foundation First Aid

Mon 6th Nov Student Free Day (no students at school)

Tue 7th Nov Public Holiday – Melbourne Cup

Fri 10th Nov Year 1 Late Stay

14th & 15th Nov Foundation FireEd

Thur 16th Nov Year 2 Scienceworks Sleepover
(2JL & 2LB)

Thur 23rd Nov Year 2 Scienceworks Sleepover
(2AT & 2GJ)

Fri 17th Nov Friends of KPS Fun Run/Walk

Fri 24th Nov 2018 Foundation Transition Program
9a.m. – 10a.m.

27th & 28th Nov Grade 5/6 Beach Program

December

Fri 1st Dec 2018 Foundation Transition Program
9a.m. – 10a.m

Thur 7th Dec Kingsville Carols, Beavers Reserve
Kingsville

Fri 8th Dec 2018 Foundation Transition Program
9a.m. – 10a.m

Thur 14th Dec New Family social event 6-7.30p.m.

Thur 21st Dec Casual clothes day (gold coin
donation)

Fri 22nd Dec

- Casual Clothes Day
- **Last day term 4 (1.30p.m. dismissal)**



Principal's Message

Enrolment Alert 2018

During the course of any school year we work to gain as much information as possible regarding enrolment demand for the following year. It is vital to be able to predict student numbers accurately to ensure all staffing and resources for the following year are in place.

Now at this stage of the year we need to move to refine the data and information we have and, determine as closely as possible student numbers to begin 2018. Work has begun on school organisational modelling and this includes consideration of number of grades, specialist areas, staff required and, all other associated resources.

Parents please assist us in the process by informing us of any student movements. We hope that the grade model in place by the end of the school year remains the model to begin the new school year. It is important however for parents to always remember that any model or allocation of teaching staff published at the end of the school year may need to be adjusted. Changes do sometimes need to be made late in December or, even in January of the new school year.

How Current Kingsville Families Can Help Us Now

1. If you still have a child to enrol for Foundation for 2018, it is **vital** to let us know now. There should not be any reason for late forms or, applications from current Kingsville families
2. If you have not already done so please confirm your foundation place / places by

General Guidelines for Parents when making any Payments to the school: Preferred method of payment is BPay. EFT/credit card facilities are available over the counter at the main office. Correct money is required for all cash payments, as there is not always access to change. Please do not send large amounts of cash with your child. Receipts will be issued through your child's classroom. Payment plans for EEI fees are still available. Payments for Voluntary Contributions to assist in purchasing new playground equipment are welcomed at any time of the year. To help the office in finalising accounts, where possible, please limit any cash payments in the last week of any school term.

Sharyn Fletcher, Business Manager

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OSHC Camp Australia co-ordinator Sarah 0401 054 261

returning the appropriate paperwork included in your 2018 Transition Book. Even if you have provided your forms and attended an enrolment interview this confirmation form must be returned.

3. If any family is not returning for 2018 this information should come to myself as Principal (see Newsletter form) as well as the class teacher. **Please note** a notification slip for this purpose has been provided for a significant time now in the newsletter.
4. If any family is returning at the beginning of 2018 but, moving early in the year this is also vital information that should be communicated.

The Kingsville family is growing

Of the 90 foundation students enrolled there are currently 40 who are younger brothers or sisters of current students. This is a wonderful piece of data and a cause for celebration. We are fortunate that so many foundation students beginning school next year are already a part of our growing Kingsville family.



Kingsville Awards

To be presented on Friday 27th October

FCM	Sasha Nacov
FMG	Anish Kodidasu & Walter Williams
FSM	Alice O'Brien
1JM	Jackson Leppard
1LR	Hugo Quach & Ariane Nombreuse
1SP	Ubaidah Naghar
1SS	Angie Citra, Mason Johnstone & Michael O'Keeffe
2AT	Violet Mautner
2JL	Madeleine Elg
2LB	Ella Landsmann
3GM	Aurelia Finnin & Mae Keating
3GP	Millie Giacchi & Charlie Gunn
3HL	Kiera-Mai Clarke & Lachlan Wilson-McKenna
3LI	Luke Pritchard
4AM	Koki Christian
5DS	Remy Van Merkestein
5KG	Devmina Ratnasekara
6JD	Lloyd Deunk
6MM	Felix Marsh
6RT	Harrison Louey
6SE	Jasper Wisdom & Taylor Newbegin



Happy Birthday

19th – 25th October

Happy Birthday to Sophie Zhang, Jensen Templar, Ryan Ly, Charlie Le Marshall, Damien Merchant, Aida Hudson, Lucy Nguyen, Semhal Haddis

Beyene, Thomas Laverty, William McArthur and Mila Marsh.

PYP Exhibition

The Primary Years Programme (PYP) Exhibition is a requirement of all authorized PYP schools. It represents a significant event in the life of a PYP student as they work to make sense of the essential elements, skills, knowledge, attitudes, concepts and actions of the PYP experience and share them with the whole community.

The exhibition is in fact the culminating experience of the student's engagement with the Primary Years Programme (PYP) and provides a forum for demonstrating the attributes of the Learner Profile to our school community.

The transdisciplinary theme being explored in 2017:

Sharing the Planet.

An inquiry into the nature of the self; beliefs and values; personal, physical, mental, social and spiritual health; human relationships including families, friends, communities, and cultures; rights and responsibilities; what it means to be human.

The staging of the exhibition next week is the coming together of an extended collaborative investigation. The students are all looking forward to sharing their learning with their parents, families and the wider school community.

It is very important for us all to understand that the final product presented by the students at the exhibition is really just the "tip of the iceberg" with regard to the complete process. When we reflect upon the undertakings, research and work that has been carried out by the students prior to the event, the exhibition journey is obvious.

In 2017 this journey has been one of individual personal development and discovery and has been responsible for tangible growth of the learners. The eight week unpacking of the inquiry via the topics, themes and ideas based around *Sharing the Planet*, has led the students to some very significant personal conclusions and views.

As a result, a range of actions has been carried out by both individuals and groups.

In the evermore complex and interconnected world in which we live access to information for the students is readily available, 24/7 through multiple platforms. The students of today are aware of so much more through exposure to an amazing and dynamic world. This, combined with their work as passionate 11/12/13 year olds should give rise to an exciting and engaging exhibition experience.

When we view and experience presentations next week we need to understand that students are not attempting to present a *sales pitch* of just their viewpoint. We expect there will have been challenging ideas explored and naturally, tensions and a range of views and perspectives will have emerged.

We should view this as a positive aspect as it means the students have immersed themselves in the theme and are confident to express their views and share knowledge regarding what they consider important concepts and understandings. Their aim is not to convince their audience to take what they have presented as the one and only answer or view point. Their aim is to engage with their audience in discussion, hear other views, and put alternative ideas forward. The goal is for everyone involved to understand that even though views may differ a range of views may also be right. It is important for the students to understand that there can be another perspective or, alternative approach to the investigation or action they took and this is vital in becoming a global citizen. What is presented at the Exhibition is what each individual or group desires to show you, their audience, regarding how they view this 'part' of the world, at this particular point in time in their development and maturity.

We encourage all parents, including those with children in other levels, to take this opportunity to visit our exhibition and talk with our fantastic grade 6 students.

The exhibition is open on:

- Tuesday 24 October – 2:30pm →4.00pm
- Wednesday 25 October – 12.00 →1:30pm
- Wednesday 25 October – 6.00pm →7:30pm
- Thursday 26 October - 9:00am →10:30am

Jeff McDonald
Assistant Principal
Welfare Coordinator/Teaching and Learning
Kingsville Primary School
IB World School

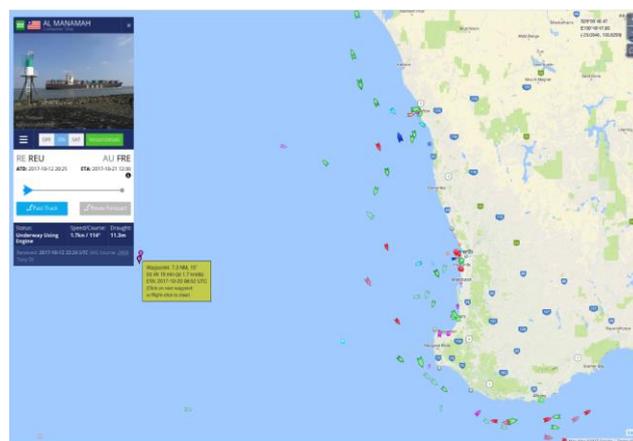
Working Bee Reminder

The Working Bee advertised for this Sunday 22nd October is going ahead and thank you to the families who have responded so far. We are hoping to gain as many parent helpers as possible. If you have not sent your response back just come along Sunday morning 9 – 12 pm. Please see full details in last Newsletter October 13th.

Thank you to Dale Schumann convenor of Buildings & Grounds school council subcommittee and to Glen Yates and Jeff McDonald for the organisation of a range of resources.

School Council News

Playground Update



Exciting news continues with regards to our new playground. It's now only 800Km's of the west coast of Australia and on time for a November delivery and installation.

In follow up to information provided last week the ship carrying our new playground equipment has been reported to be close of the coast of Fremantle.

Any families who have not yet made their 2017 Voluntary Financial Contribution please note it is not too late to do so. School Council determined that all contributions made in 2017 would go towards the cost of this play equipment.

All contributions will be very valuable in assisting Council to cover the cost of this much anticipated equipment for the students. The recommended contribution for 2017 is \$60 a family We have to date contributions from 78 of our 450 families. So don't miss out on knowing your family has made a contribution to this \$100,000 asset which we expect will provide enjoyment for Kingsville students for years to come.

A large colour image of this significant installation is on display in the foyer of the school.

Will your child / children be at Kingsville in 2018?

If you know your child / children will not be returning to Kingsville in 2018

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 2018

Name: Year level in 2017: Date finishing at KPS:

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New school (if known):

Signature of parent/guardian:



BOO!

IT'S A HALLOWEEN DISCO

27th October, 2017

\$5 per child

Prizes for best Halloween outfits!

6:00pm-7:15pm for Foundation - Grade 2 students
7:30pm-8:45pm for Grade 3-6 students
Enter Hall via Bishop Street

Tickets can be purchased through
www.tfybooking.com

The Grade 6 Students of Kingsville Primary School are delighted to invite you to celebrate their PYP Exhibition which explores...



KINGSVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL GRADE 6 EXHIBITION 2017

SHARING THE PLANET

An inquiry into...



Rights and responsibilities in the struggle to share finite resources with other people and with other living things



Communities and the relationships within and between them



Access to equal opportunities



Peace and conflict resolution

TUESDAY 24/10

2:30 pm to 4:00 pm

WEDNESDAY 25/10

12:00 pm to 1:30 pm / 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm

THURSDAY 26/10

9:00 am to 10:30 pm



For RSVP and further information

Contact PYP Coordinator Peter Ritchie — ritchie.peter.p@edumail.vic.gov.au

Kingsville Primary School, 58 Bishop St Yarraville VIC 3013

Pupil Free Day

Come join us at Outside School Hours Care for nonstop fun with friends, including outdoor group games & sport, cooking, art & craft and much more!!!

Date: Monday 6th November 2017

Time: 7:00 am – 6:00 pm

Location: Kingsville Primary School OSHC

58 Bishop Street, Yarraville Vic 3013

To register your child in the fun curriculum day programs we have on offer, please visit our website www.campaustralia.com.au For more information contact our Customer Service Team on ph: 1300 105 343.



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