



Newsletter

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2022 Dates to Remember

Term 2

June

Monday 20th Professional Practice Day / Student Free Day

Fri 24th Last Day Term 2 (2.30pm)

Term 3

July

Mon 11th Day 1 Term 3
Tues 12th Student Led Conferences
Thurs 14th Student Led Conferences
Wed 27th 2023 Foundation Tour

Term 4

2022 Term Dates

Term 2 Tuesday 26 April to Friday 24 June
Term 3 Monday 11 July to Friday 16 September
Term 4 Monday 3 October to Tuesday 20 December



Principal's Message

In mid March 2020 schools moved to remote learning and parents / carers / families began the setting up of their 'home learning centres' as they embarked upon the first period of **remote and flexible learning**. This of course resulted in many valuable on-site engagement activities and opportunities for school community members to be put on hold. One of the very first 'casualties' so to speak, as noted in the newsletter of March 20th, 2020 was the planned Easter Hat Parade. From there the presence of parents / carers onsite was removed and very much missed.

Whilst we were able to hold the Easter Hat parade on the grounds this year there have been other events experiences and undertakings that have still not been able to be fully reinstated. Now over two years later **I am very pleased** to announce that we will be welcoming our school community back onsite throughout Semester 2 in a myriad of ways.

A very special event to end Term 2 however, will take place next Friday 24th June. Friday morning assembly is a long standing highly valued tradition at KPS. Whilst we did return to Friday assemblies for short periods between lockdowns and, assemblies were continued remotely by teachers it is over two years since parents were part of the audience in the hall.

The assembly next Friday (the last day of Semester 1) will see **parents / carers return**– you have been greatly missed and as Principal and on behalf of all staff, I invite parents as possible to return and celebrate this important milestone.

Parents of course have been welcomed back into the grounds for some time and have been taking up the opportunities before and after school and have been back into the buildings for appointments, meetings, interviews etc.as planned and approved. Volunteers in classrooms are seen as vital resource and the training and induction required in any year does need to be undertaken. Dates for this will be announced at the beginning of term 3 and, volunteers back in the classroom will certainly be welcomed by teachers.

Enrolment process for 2023 continues

Following the very successful Information Night for perspective KPS students / families held on May 19th onsite with an audience close to 80, there have been many requests for enrolment from both families within the neighbourhood zone and expression of interest of families outside the zone.

In addition, tours of the school have once again been able to be carried out in situ and these have already provided close to 40 families with a "close up" of the school buildings, grounds, classrooms and our amazing students. This is all great news and we have more tours planned and enrolment meetings will take place throughout Semester 2.

Reminder

Parents / carers who have younger children / siblings of current students to enrol for 2023 should have already made contact with the school. If you are in this category and have not let us know please do so as soon as possible.



Kingsville Awards

To be presented on Friday 24th June

FFW		3/4C	
FMC	Spencer Nye	3/4H	
FRT	Dana Eltayeb	3/4J	
1/2A		3/4L	Thomas Hine
1/2C	Milla Jovancevski	3/4S	Mitchell Gumley
1/2D		5AA	Abigail Jaffray
1/2G		5DS	Brock Morton
1/2H		5JL	Georgina Goodridge –Kelly / Alice O'Brien
1/2J		6CB	
1/2M	Arthur Maurice	6CM	
3/4A	Marsal Salim	6EH	Lila Chominsky / Vivan Mondkar
3/4B		6LA	



Happy Birthday

18th June – 24th June

Happy birthday to: Georgina Goodridge – Kelly, Bryon Le, Poppy Amemiya, Eli Hong, Jethro Blassan and Lulu Giansiracusa.

Building & Grounds sub-committee update

As part of School Council in any year, there are a number of sub-committees to provide advice and make recommendations to school council.

Kingsville Primary School Council has maintained a Building & Grounds sub-committee for a long period of time, working through and guiding many of the projects that are now a large part of the KPS grounds and facilities. Over the last few years this has included:

- upgrades to the F-2 & 3-6 playgrounds via new equipment
- the installation of three flag poles to help support KPS in acknowledging and celebrating the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture
- working with the Junior School Council to revitalise the student toilets, including having student chosen quotations
- installing new shade sails to provide outdoor classroom spaces

In 2022 we are looking to involve the Kingsville community in a way that hasn't been possible over the previous two years. This includes bringing back the famous Kingsville Working Bees – more information to come soon!

If you have an interest or passion, or would like more information about how to be involved in the Building & Grounds sub-committee, please feel free to contact me: Samuel.eason@education.vic.gov.au

Samuel Eason
Acting Assistant Principal

Sports News

Regional Cross Country

This week, we had 11 children chosen to represent the Maribyrnong District in the Regional Cross Country event held at Keilor Park. This is an amazing achievement for them, considering that we have not been able to conduct these events at this level for the past two years.

They braved the rain and the cold weather and did themselves proud. We congratulate the following children:

9/10 Boys

Chase	GIACOMIN	34A
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9/10 Girls

Elli	MILLIGAN	34B
Hazel	MCILROY	34B
Beatrix	MACGREGOR	34L

11 Boys

Samuel	KEIRS	5AA
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11 Girls

Frankie	ROSS	5AA
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12 Boys

Harry	ROBERTSON	6CM
Anthony	HINE	6EH

12 Girls

Hazel	NGUYEN	6LA
Maya	HAWKE	6CM
Ruiha	GEMMELL	6EH

Skateboarding Clinics

Recently the year 3 and 4 children were able to participate in some skateboarding clinics. This was able to be held as we were successful in receiving a grant through the Sporting Schools Program to run this.

The feedback from the children indicate that it was one of the most popular clinics that we have held. Some of the feedback was: 'I have never skateboarded before and he said that I was a legend at it!' 'It was the most fun that I have ever had' and 'I didn't think I could do it at first, but then I could balance'.



3/4 Skateboard clinic

Rolling, tic tacing, standing and jumping, the grade 3/4 skateboard clinic had it all! The pupils were buzzing with excitement as they learnt to roll on these awesome boards! Everyone had a growth mindset when it came to getting on the skateboard and weren't afraid to ask for help. If anyone was afraid of getting on the skateboard, help and encouraging people came to help out.

By Eloise and Jessica 34S



'It was enjoyable and I had fun' Audrey 34B



'I enjoyed practising new skills' Ivan 34A

'I enjoyed learning how to do a crabwalk' Ben 34H

'I enjoyed doing the tic tac skill' Astrid 34C

'I loved the free skate and learning how to tic tac' Ella 34L

'I enjoyed learning how to tic tac' Willy 34S



'I really enjoyed doing tic tac even though I already knew it' Jack 34J

Incursion

Camp Australia - Kingsville Primary School OSHC –
10/06/2022



Hello parents and carers of our Kingsville children,

This week we had a "Pupil Free Day" with a difference. During our day long session, we had an incursion of "African Drumming".

The children were excited to see the brightly clad gentleman arrive and set up a range of African style drums. After introducing themselves and speaking about the drums, they also explained how in Africa, drums hold a deeper, symbolic and historical significance. After they explained children how African drums are made and what they are made of they began their drumming.



Children were seated behind their own drum and watched and listen to the instructions on how to copy the "beats" performed. All participated enthusiastically as the rhythm of the beat got longer and longer...one beat with each hand right up to 4-5 beats, quite an involved sequence which the children managed well. They were really getting into it and even did the vocal parts as well.

Then came the chance to get up and have a dance, two at a time then everyone even the educators and our performing arts teacher who snuck in for a visit.

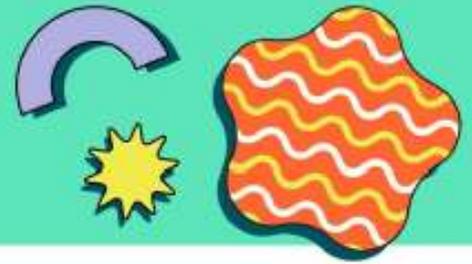
These performers from "Super Mande Percussion" did a wonderful job and "Coffee" the main instructor was bright, bubbly and very instructive...a great incursion was had by all.



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**Your
OSHC.**

Incursion



Learning Outcomes: Learning Outcome 2: Children are connected and contribute to their world.
Children respond to diversity with respect.

Learning outcome 3: Children become strong in social and emotional wellbeing.

Learning Outcome 4: Children develop a range of skills and processes such as problem solving, inquiry, experimentation, hypothesising, researching and investigating.

Learning Outcome 5: Children engage with a range of texts and gain meaning from these texts and interact verbally and non-verbally using music and songs.

Pupil Free Day



Date: 20-Jun-2022



Time: 07:00 to 18:00



Location: The Before and After School Care Room at Kingsville Primary School



Fees: \$57.24
\$8.57 after max. CCS*



*Child Care Subsidy (CCS)

The Child Care Subsidy can provide up to 85% off your fees. Your eligibility is determined by your family's annual adjusted taxable income, the type of childcare you use, and your activity level. To find out if you're eligible, contact Centrelink on 13 61 50.

Your OSHC.

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