



Newsletter

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2021



Dates to Remember

Term 4 October

Tuesday 26th Students in Years 3 & 4 return (see Kingsville schedule of return dates)

Thursday 28th Students in Years 5 & 6 return (see Kingsville schedule of return dates)

November

Mon 1st **Student Free Day**

Tues 2nd Melbourne Cup Day - **Public Holiday**

Friday 5th All students back on-site

Monday 15th School Council Meeting

December

Monday 6th School Council Meeting

Fri 17th **Last Day Term 4 – End of school year 1.30pm dismissal**

Date	Return to school schedule
Week 3 18-22 October	
Monday 18 October	Foundation
Tuesday 19 October	Foundation
Wednesday 20 October	Foundation
Thursday 21 October	Years 1 and 2
Friday 22 October	Years 1, 2, 5 and 6
Week 4 25-29 October	
Monday 25 October	Foundation
Tuesday 26 October	Foundation, Years 3 and 4
Wednesday 27 October	Foundation, Years 3 and 4
Thursday 28 October	Years 1, 2, 5 and 6
Friday 29 October	Years 1, 2, 5 and 6
Week 5 1-5 November	
Monday 1 November	Pupil Free Day
Tuesday 2 November	Melbourne Cup
Wednesday 3 November	Foundation, Years 3 and 4
Thursday 4 November	Years 1, 2, 5 and 6
Friday 5 November	ALL STUDENTS RETURN TO FACE TO FACE LEARNING AT KPS 😊



Principal's Message

Please see a reprint of the ***return to face to face on-site learning schedule***. This was provided for all families via Compass post Monday October 18th.

Monday October 18th was a joyous day indeed as our Foundation students triumphantly returned to school. In visiting the classrooms I was warmly greeted and witnessed so many happy children engaging and being together again. On Thursday our Year 1 & 2 classes returned with many skipping or running through the gates. Today the senior students years 5 & 6 were back on-site with their friends and teachers. We look forward now to 3/4 students returning next Tuesday and then finally, all levels back from Friday November 5th.

Well done everyone involved in all aspects of the work undertaken for us to be able to get to this point as a school community. The education roadmap was as you would be aware quite suddenly adjusted last Sunday. Since then, there has been significant information that parents/ carers have had to take on board to ensure compliance with expectations and, a safe passage so to speak for their child / ren to return to school.

Again the demonstration of resilience and patience has been unwavering and I thank every member of our school community for their efforts. It is important now that we continue to move forward together and so, please ensure all communications to you are read and acted upon. There are a number of areas e.g. mask wearing that have given rise to questions and queries. These have and, will continue to be responded to and addressed by staff, leadership and administration team members.

Please see Compass post of October 18th which provided comprehensive information with regard to the requirements as they relate to mask wearing for students in the primary school setting. Whilst we know this requirement will not be without ongoing challenges, I am pleased to say the Year 5/6 students (mandatory wearing) have, along with their teachers ensured a successful beginning.

Student placement 2022

This is a follow up article is to the one titled '***Student Placement for 2022 - the process at Kingsville Primary School***' in edition 30 (8/10/21) School Newsletter.

Schools at this time of the year are working towards the organisational model for the following year and subsequently the placement of students into class groups. In line with this it is very important that parents / carers are reminded of key considerations that relate to this work.

In assisting the process we ask that parents/carers understand what is noted below.

- please **do not** request specific teacher(s) for your child/children or, request for child/children **not to be** with a specific teacher(s)
- information that parents may choose to provide regarding this area is taken on board however, **we cannot** of course guarantee such requests will be met.
- **we can** however guarantee that all of the information known about each child is utilised and along with a myriad of other considerations is included and acknowledged in the process of combining students into class groups and assigning available teachers.

It is important to note as well that staff for each following year are often not known until well into December. All current staff have the opportunity to move to teaching roles across levels F-6 or, take on a specialist area and at times, such moves will be a requirement to support workforce needs and ensure professional growth. In addition, some staff have contracts which end this year and others will be applying for positions elsewhere. Class groups of course for each following year are not allocated to a teacher until the whole school class model is completed.

In summary we ask that parents / carers trust that considerable attention is given to each child as this process is worked through and completed.

School leadership team & teaching staff



Kingsville Awards

To be presented on Friday 29th October

FFW	Clementine Ireton / Lotus O'Brien	34M	Brock Morton
FLB	Marlon Malone	34P	Akur Awar / James Campbell
FLI		34S	Jacob Stojcevski
FJH	Devon Sharma / River McMaster	34H	Essie Jugovic / Charlie Clenick
1CW		34A	Byron Le
1DG		5AA	Omer Abubaker
1RT	Rees Prius / Preetam Balu	5AT	
1GD	August Nette	5TD	Angelina Citra
2EE	Liam Blanco - Kombo	56S	Isla Stemberidge
2MC		6JI	
2JD	Orlando Lamberti	6KG	
2AO	Luke Sutton / Deni Stojcevski	6SE	
34L	Marley Johnstone		
34C			



Happy Birthday

23rd – 29th October

Happy Birthday to: Thomas Laverty, Hudson Moca, Austin Bogoevski, Grace McDonald, Kobey Upeke and Hannah Schroeder.

Reminders - return to school

- compulsory school uniform (school dress code)
- sunhats
- check all uniform items are named
- drink bottle/s
- hair must be tied back (shoulder length and longer)
- nails should be short
- masks years 3 – 6 and as possible a spare one in the school bag would be good

Sporting Achievements

Congratulations to Louis Anderson and Henry Bishop for their sporting achievements outside of school. Louis won a major award at his little athletics club, and he polled very well in the WRFL Best and Fairest vote count recently.

Henry was selected in the WRFL team of the year, and also competed very well in the state football trials. He was also leading goal kicker for his team this year.

Congratulations to both boys, who have overcome the adversity of this year as they continue to push each other to do their very best.

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Will your child /children be at Kingsville in 2022

If you know your child / children will not be returning to Kingsville in 2022 or

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

Please fill in below or email the school Kingsville.ps@education.vic.gov.au

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CHILDREN NOT ATTENDING KINGSVILLE P.S. IN 2022

Name: Year level in 2021: Date finishing at KPS:

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New school (if known):

