



Newsletter

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Dates to Remember

Tue 29th July
Thur 31st July

Student led conferences
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August

Fri 1st Aug
Mon 4th Aug
4th – 8th Aug
Sat 9th Aug
11th – 15th Aug
Sat 16th Aug
Fri 22nd Aug
Wed 27th Aug

Last day for Book Club
School Council Meeting 6.30pm
Grade 5 Canberra Camp
Bogan Bingo (fundraising event)
Grade 6 Canberra Camp
KPS 95th Birthday celebrations
Yarraville District Athletics
Kingsville Art Show 5p.m.-8p.m.

September

8th – 10th Sept
10th – 12th Sept
Mon 15th Sept
Wed 17th Sept
Thur 18th Sept
Fri 19th Sept

Group A 3/4 Camp
Group B 3/4 Camp
School Council Meeting 6.30pm
School concert
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Casual Clothes day (fundraising)
End Term 3 – 2.30p.m. dismissal

Term 4

October

Mon 6th Oct
Sat 18th Oct

Term 4 begins
Kingsville Fete

November

Mon 3rd Nov
Tue 4th Nov

Student Free Day
Public Holiday – Melbourne Cup

December

Fri 19th Dec

Casual Clothes day (fundraising)
End Term 4 – 1.30p.m. dismissal



Assistant Principal's Message

Last semester we conducted a rigorous process of School self-evaluation in preparation for our School Review on Monday. The self-evaluation provided an opportunity for the whole school community, including students, parents and all staff, to reflect on student outcomes in light of their goals, targets and key improvement strategies from the previous planning cycle. In reviewing our student achievement data there was some discussion about the impact our student attendance may be having on some of our results.

There continues to be a focus on Student Attendance at both State and Regional levels and data at Kingsville from the last semester informs us there is certainly room for significant improvement. It is timely therefore to remind parents of the benefits of regular attendance and punctuality.

What we know

- regular attendance correlates with higher levels of student engagement
- there is a high correlation between student attendance and the performance of students
- poor attendance impacts on teachers' ability to plan and present class work in a sequential and organised way
- regular attendance enhances the development of social skills i.e. making friends and maintaining relationships over a period of time
- students who are regularly late miss out on key instruction time at the start of the day
- most students like to be part of the group and consequently can become quite anxious when they arrive late

Obviously there are times when being late is unavoidable, likewise absences – we certainly don't

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.

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Program Manager Asi Malu

want children coming to school when they are unwell. If there are other issues that are preventing your child from being at school and/or on time please come and talk to either the class teacher or myself so that we can work together.

We look for your continued support and assistance in this area.

2015 Prep Enrolments

Thank you to all those parents who have now enrolled their children for next year. I am still hoping to enrol all children who have siblings at Kingsville well before the end of this term so if you haven't done so already, please make an appointment for an enrolment meeting as soon as possible.

Student led conferences

Please use the main entrance to the school building in Bishop Street from 6p.m. onwards when attending your Student led conferences next week. **All other gates will be locked.**

Where in the world are you reading?

Added to the collection this week:

- **Kate Harman** reading a book to her sister
- **Darcy Goonan** reading up a tree
- **Oscar Goonan** reading on the banks of the Murray River
- **Ruby Goonan** reading at Clip n Climb Indoor Rock Climbing Centre
- **Olivia Powell** reading at her grandparents farm in Womboota, NSW
- **William McArthur** and **Matilda Lester** reading at Werribee Zoo
- **Molly Grimes** and **Thomas Grimes** reading on a boat on Hobsons Bay
- **Alice Piper** reading at Tweed Regional Gallery and Margaret Olley Art Centre, Murwillumbah, NSW
- **Lydia Waghorne** reading on a ladder
- **Marty Waghorne** reading on a ladder
- **Ziggy Kamal-Haywood** reading in the flight deck
- **Jude Fotiou** reading in Ubud, Bali
- **Patrick Manning** reading in the stocks at Kryal Castle, Ballarat
- **Jessica Manning** reading in a wardrobe
- **Diane Graham** teacher reading at Centre Court, Wimbledon
- **Diane Graham** teacher and **Rachel Gardner** CRT teacher reading on 'the hill' at Wimbledon



Kingsville Awards

To be presented on Friday, 1st August

Prep A	Bonnie Schmidt
Prep B	Gilbert Strachan
Prep C	Thomas Grimes
Prep D	Wilfred Johnson
Prep E	Ella Leith
1/2A	Sylvie Ward
1/2B	Mila Marsh
1/2C	Linda Kitanovski
1/2D	Brodie Clutterbuck
1/2E	Thomas Doherty
1/2F	No Award
1/2G	Isla Drooglever
3/4A	Austin Baker
3/4B	Leon McCann
3/4C	Khoi Nguyen
3/4D	Sasha Nelson
3/4E	Sophia Frangos
3/4F	Khanh Lam
3/4G	Winter Flaherty
5A	No Award
5B	Gus Greer
5C	Charlotte Coghlan
6A	Ella Taylor
6B	Damon Foster
6C	Mimi Grenfell-Fox



Happy Birthday

24th July to 30th July

Happy Birthday to Charlie Brookman, Max O'Brien, Balen Sauter, Leonardo Sidney, Phil Kyaw, Pat Hill, Neve

Sheard, David Everett, Sam Gunesequera and Aurelia Finnin.



Kingsville Primary School – 95th

Birthday Celebration

Kingsville Primary School opened in August 1919 and will celebrate 95 years of education with a reunion of all past and present students, staff and parents on **Saturday 16th August 2014**.

The school will be open from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. with displays of memorabilia and on-going tours of the school. Official speeches will be held at 4 p.m.

Direct any enquiries to Graeme Hodgart
ghodgart@hotmail.com



Important - EMA 2nd Instalment

Please note that if you received the first **EDUCATION MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCE** instalment **at Kingsville P.S. this year, you do not have to reapply** for the second instalment - it will be paid automatically into your bank account by the Department of Education.

The following information is for those parents who need to apply for the second instalment (i.e. your child enrolled at Kingsville Primary School after 28th January 2014 OR you have become eligible for EMA since January 2014):

Eligibility

To be eligible to receive the second EMA instalment, parents must hold a current Centrelink Pensioner Concession or Health Care Benefit Card, a Veterans Affairs (TPI) Pensioner Card, or be a foster parent, as at the first day of Term 3 (i.e. 14th July 2014).

Application

Application must be made in person at the General Office by the eligible card holder and the relevant Centrelink card must be provided for verification.

Application can only be made between 9.00 a.m. & 3.30 p.m. from Tuesday, 15th July until Friday, 1st August, 2014. Please note that the Department of Education does not accept any late applications and parents cannot receive EMA for a previous period if they forget to apply (even if they were eligible at the time).

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:

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

New school (if known):

Signature of parent/guardian:

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Bogan Bingo

COMEDY SHOW
BINGO
RAFFLES / PRIZES
SILENT AUCTIONS
AIR GUITAR COMPS
DJ & AFTER PARTY

COME IN YOUR BEST BOGAN ATTIRE
STRICTLY NO BYO / FULLY LICENSED

TICKETS \$30
TABLES OF 8 AVAILABLE

SATURDAY 9TH AUGUST
7PM
KPS HALL

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Eldest Child's Name: _____

Grade: _____

No. of Tickets @ \$30 or Table (8 tickets / \$240)

Total enclosed

Please place order before Wed 6th August

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