



Newsletter

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Dates to Remember

August

Sat 30th Aug

Last day to enter Premier's Reading Challenge data

September

Wed 3rd Sept

Father's Day Stall (fundraising event)

Fri 5th Sept

Fun Run (fundraising event)

8th – 10th Sept

Group A 3/4 Camp

10th – 12th Sept

Group B 3/4 Camp

Mon 15th Sept

School Council Meeting 6.30pm

Wed 17th Sept

School concert

Thur 18th Sept

School concert

Fri 19th Sept

Casual Clothes day (fundraising)
End Term 3 – 2.30p.m. dismissal

Term 4

October

Mon 6th Oct

Term 4 begins

Sat 18th Oct

Kingsville Fete

November

Mon 3rd Nov

Student Free Day

Tue 4th Nov

Public Holiday – Melbourne Cup

Fri 7th Nov

2015 Prep Transition Program
9a.m.-10a.m.

Fri 14th Nov

2015 Prep Transition Program
9a.m.-10a.m.

Fri 21st Nov

2015 Prep Transition Program
9a.m.-10a.m.

December

Fri 19th Dec

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



Assistant Principal's Message

Kingsville Primary School Art Show

Kingsville Primary School was the place to be on Wednesday night as many, many families gathered to view the beautiful artworks created by our students. Even people with only a passing interest in the visual arts could not help but be captivated by the range of techniques the students had explored. Painting, drawing, sculpting and mixed media including some extraordinary collaborative mosaic works were on display.

The Art Show celebrates the skills, talents and creativity of not only Kingsville students but also provides an opportunity to showcase the richness of the visual arts curriculum.

Of course an event such as this one requires significant planning and organisation. The process was begun by Lily Yiannoulidis and more recently has been led by Rhonda McLeod with the assistance of Sam Meddis and Samantha Skarecky. This incredible team ensured every child, almost 600 children, had at least one piece of artwork displayed – an amazing feat in itself.

Many staff and parents contributed to the success of Wednesday night, however Inger Morrissey deserves a special mention for her meticulous planning in the hanging of so many pieces of art, and of course the support she provided to us most of last Sunday.

So thank you to:

- Kingsville students for their creative and individual artworks
- the fundraising team for organising the refreshments and the gourmet treats

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 Sam Elg 0437 774 338
OSHC Camp Australia 0401 054 261

School Uniform Primary School Wear 9363 8458
Program Manager Asi Malu

- the Kingsville School Choir led by Hilary Fairlie, who opened the Art Show with a beautiful rendition of "Let Me Paint You a Song"
 - the artist donations for 'Silent Auction', staff, parents and community members – your generosity was overwhelming. The sale of these stunning art works will add a great deal to the fundraising for 2014.
 - volunteers who just popped in to assist with the setup, including ex-student, Reg Seyit
 - staff and parents for the creative contribution to posters, invitations, catalogues and the setup – a great team effort
- and most of all to Rhonda whose passion, enthusiasm and perseverance ensured the Art Show was a resounding success.**



Where in the world are you reading?

Added to the collection this week:

- **Rory Green** reading in Bali
- **Hollie Green** reading in Bali
- **Billy and Sam Dynon** reading at Anglesea Beach
- **Josh Schumann** reading on his way to school



Happy Birthday

28th August to 3rd September

Happy Birthday to Selena Salas-Miles, Damon Foster, Lachlan Wilson-McKenna, Seniani Chung, Austin Mulvogue, Finnegan Vrisakis, Anton

Lieberman, Caelan Alley, Aleksandra Kolundzija, Bronte Abernethy, Thomas Cameron, Liam Ralley, Sam Cookson, Indira Lau, Hamish Panetta, Damien Nguyen and Anton Ngan.



Premiers' Reading Challenge closes tomorrow!!

Time is running out to meet the challenge. Tomorrow, 30th August is the last day to ensure all books are logged into the site. If you wish your child's name to appear in the Age newspaper the consent form should have been returned to the classroom teacher by today, 29th August.

Any problems please see me
Nicole Shirreff
Premiers Reading Challenge Co-ordinator



Kingsville Awards

To be presented on Friday, 5th September

Prep A	Bol Thuc
Prep B	Jack Wilkinson
Prep C	Olive Dillon
Prep D	Lucy McConnell
Prep E	Shiva Nathi
1/2A	Charlotte Ring
1/2B	Liam Ralley
1/2C	Liam Kalpenos
1/2D	Emmanuel Yonathan
1/2E	Sophie Zhang
1/2F	Charlotte Davis
1/2G	Macy Baker
3/4A	No Award
3/4B	Tommy Peile
3/4C	Ashleigh Cassidy
3/4D	Harry Louey
3/4E	Nathan Merchant
3/4F	Jessie Farrell
3/4G	No Award
5A	Coco Knowles
5B	Corben Shirreff
5C	No Award
6A	Sam Komp
6B	Georgina Drummond
6C	Luke Nicol

Fundraising News



Father's Day Stall

A reminder that the Father's Day stall will be held on Wednesday 3rd September. As with the Mother's Day stall there will be \$5 and \$10 presents. Please send your child with the correct money on the day. There will also be an opportunity to buy an extra present for grandfathers at lunch time.

The stall will be open from 9:30am till 2:30pm. If you can help at the stall please email [vita Budlender](mailto:vita.Budlender@bubudlender@gmail.com)

Fun Run

Please keep collecting sponsorships for this years fun run taking place on Friday 5th September. You can register your child online. Go to www.schoolfunrun.com.au and use social media to help with raising money and help reach your child's target.

KPS Fun-Run School – Friday 5th September

Our school Fun Run is being held next Friday 5th September, starting at 2pm. The main focus of this event is on participation and we encourage all students to get involved either via running, walking or just being outside to have fun on the day. It's important that for students who are taking part that they do so at their own pace and level of enjoyment.

The schedule for the day is as follows:

Venue: School/Cruickshank Park

Date: Friday 5th September

Time: 2pm – 3pm

Course: One kilometre Cruickshank Park track. (Grade 3 – 6)
School oval running track (Prep – 2)

Distances: Grade 3 – 6 3 laps (approx. 20 minutes) = 3km
Prep – 2 10 laps (approx. 15/20 minutes) = 1600m

Order of event – grade level starting times will be staggered to ensure we have a manageable number of students on the course at any given time. The order will be from 2pm.

- **Cruickshank Park:** grade 4 boys/4 girls, 3 boys/3 girls, 5/6 boys/5/6 girls
- **School Oval:** grade 1 boys/ 1 girls, prep boys/prep girls, grade 2 girls/grade 2 boys

Information to note to ensure a successful day –

- Family support is most appreciated and in fact we need some volunteers to help oversee the course. Ideally we need 12 parents from grade 3-6 and 8 parents from Prep-2 to assist. We will need to meet at 1.30pm and be available until 3.30pm so if this is possible I'd love to hear from you
- all students should have received a Sponsorship Form to help collect sponsorship on behalf of the school. If your student has collected donations on behalf of the school this form needs to be returned to the school with any donations on or before Friday 5th September. **IMPORTANTLY** this form serves as the record of the donations & prize that your student has selected so without this we'll be unable to match donations and/or fulfil any prize. Please return to the classroom.
- for those families who have registered online please also return this form as while your donations can be viewed online the paper form serves to record your students prize preference

- at completion of distance/time the children are corralled off the track to a position where they can cheer on the other kids. At the end of the final event all the children will assemble to be taken back to their classrooms and school will be dismissed at the normal time. Please collect your student from your normal collection point.
- encourage children to wear suitable clothing – the KPS sports uniform or similar will ensure students are comfortable & prepared for the afternoon

Thank you for your support
Sam Elg, School Council President

Kingsville Sporting Round Up District Athletics Day

Last Friday, seventy-five students went to Newport Park to represent Kingsville Primary School in the Yarraville District Athletics competition. The other schools competing were Wembley, Footscray City and Yarraville West Primary Schools.

Many students recorded their personal bests with some students setting new Yarraville District records. Congratulations to the students who demonstrated commitment by training at school and home.

As a result of their performances, twenty-seven students have qualified for the Maribyrnong Division Finals on the 9th September at the Keilor Athletics Track.

We wish them well.
Sue and Graeme Hodgart, PE/Sports Department

Concert tickets

If you ordered concert tickets on Monday or Tuesday of this week but have not received your tickets please contact Nicole Shirreff or the school. We have received an order form with no contact details on it.

When ordering tickets please ensure you fill in your child's name and grade. Also please note if your child is performing on the night you do not have to purchase a ticket for them as they will stay with their class for the duration of the concert.

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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SCHOOL CONCERT TICKET SALES



KPS School Concerts – Ticket Order form



Eldest Childs Name _____ Grade _____

	No. of tickets required		Total No. Req.
	Adults	Children	
<u>School Concert 1 Only</u> Wednesday 17 th September	_____ ticket/s @ \$10 = _____	_____ ticket/s @ \$5 = _____ _____ * ticket/s @ no charge (choir)	
<u>School Concert 2 Only</u> Thursday 18 th September	_____ ticket/s @ \$10 = _____	_____ ticket/s @ \$5 = _____ _____ * ticket/s @ no charge (choir)	
<u>Both Concert 1 & Concert 2</u>	_____ ticket/s @ \$15 = _____	Tickets for children attending both nights should be marked above.	
Amount Enclosed \$			

* Please note: If your child is in the choir and not performing with their grade, they will still require a seat and a ticket but there will be no charge.

CONCERT 1 Wednesday, 17th September
Choir, Prep D - Julia, Prep B -, Di G, Prep A - Jacinta, 1/2D - Jeanette, 1/2 F - Aaron, 1/2 B - Dylan, 1/2A - Helene, 3/4 C - Alison, 3/4 E - Amila, 3/4B - Jessie, 5A - Mrs Seyit, 5C - Anna, 6A - Emily
CONCERT 2 Thursday, 18th September
Choir, Prep E - Lorey, Prep C - Monica, 1/2G - Pauline, 1/2E - Tony, 1/2C- Christine, 3/4 A - Gareth, 3/4 F - Mik, 3/4 D - Lucy, 3/4 G - Georgia, 5B - Di Sturrock, 6B - Mori, 6C - Peter

KPS Website Parent Survey

Our new look website (which you can find at www.kingsvilleps.vic.edu.au) has been up and running for some time now and we are continually looking at ways of improving it and making it more family friendly and a useful tool for the school year. We'd now like to get a better feel from our school community as to what would encourage a broader audience and repeat visits to the website.

I would encourage you to take the time to fill in the survey so that we can continually improve the information we provide to our school community. Please note that no personal identifying information is captured in this survey and it is completely confidential. You can find the survey at:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/NGZSLJF>

or alternatively complete the survey below and return it to the main office of the school. The survey closes on 19th September.

1. Have you visited the school website in the past six months?	
Yes	
No (go to 4)	
2. If yes, approximately how often would you visit:	
Weekly	
Fortnightly	
Monthly	
Once a term	
Just the once	

3. How do you mainly access the website?	
Desktop computer	
Laptop	
Tablet	
Smart phone	

4. If you haven't visited the website can you please tell us why not?	
Infrequent or no access to internet	
Not aware of it	
Printed newsletter is all I need	
Not interested	
Other (please explain)	
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5. Please rank what you consider would be the five most important reasons why you would visit the Kingsville Primary School website with (1) being the most important reason and (5) the fifth most important reason. You only need to select five reasons.

	Photos of recent events		Weekly newsletter		Important to know (eg parking advice)
	Examples of student work		Able to make school payments		Dates to remember
	Fundraising dates		Lunchbox ideas		Staff profile
	School policies		Uniform ordering		Contacting the school
	Notifying absences		Local community events		School sporting events/results
	Education support links		Reading suggestions		

6. Is there anything else you would like included on the school website which would encourage you to visit the site more regularly?

7. What grade is your child in? Please note you can select multiple grades if you have more than one child at Kingsville Primary School.	
	Prep
	Grade 1
	Grade 2
	Grade 3
	Grade 4
	Grade 5
	Grade 6

Thank you for your time and please return this slip to your child's class teacher or direct to the office by Friday 19th September.