



Newsletter

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Dates to Remember

Term 3

September

8th, 9th and
10th Sept
Fri 11th Sept

School concerts

Mon 14th Sept
Fri 18th Sept

- Ride and Walk to school day
- Planning week starts
- School Council meeting 6.30p.m.
- Casual Clothes Day (fundraising)
- **Last day Term 3 – 2.30p.m. dismissal**

Term 4

October

Mon 5th Oct
12th – 14th Oct
14th – 16th Oct
26th – 30th Oct

Term 4 begins
Grade 3/4 Camp - Group 1
Grade 3/4 Camp - Group 2
Grade 5/6 Camp

November

Mon 2nd Nov
Tue 3rd Nov
Mon 9th, Tues
10th & Wed
11th Nov
Thur 12th Nov

Student Free Day
Public Holiday – Melbourne Cup
School Musical Production –
‘Adventures of a Comic Book
Artist’
Grade 2 Scienceworks sleepover
Group 1
Grade 2 Scienceworks sleepover
Group 2
Grade 2 Scienceworks sleepover
Group 3

Tues 17th Nov

Thur 19th Nov

December

Thur 17th Dec
Fri 18th Dec

Casual Clothes day (fundraising)
• Casual Clothes day (fundraising)
• **Last day Term 4 – 1.30p.m. dismissal**



Principal's Message

STATE CHAMPIONS at Kingsville Primary School – it is not often that we get to read these two words.

In September 2015 however, our girls soccer team created history by becoming **SCHOOL SPORT VICTORIA STATE CHAMPIONS** in primary girls soccer.

Congratulations to our champions Lola Knowles, Coco Knowles, Sophia Frangos, Cecilia Karlovic, Grace Sim, Saskia Junge, Bella Stringfellow, Lindsay Ipsen, Marisa Vallejos, Sonia Cekalovic, Corrie Sawicki-Bennett, Oenone Sawell, Lulu Greer and Kiara Ciancio-Knauer.

Your Principal, parents, family, friends and teachers are so very proud of you and, my congratulations for your personal and team achievement and the honour you have brought to your school. Your victory will now be part of Kingsville history.

The details of the encounter with the other finalist schools makes for thrilling reading. The girls played Kennington PS Bendigo, Boroondara Park PS Balwyn North, Araluen PS Sale and St Columba's School Ballarat North.

Finally the Kingsville team won through to extra time and penalty shoot outs. Our girls won each penalty and then moved ahead to victory. They held the line, kept their nerve, truly played as a team and yes, "brought home the gold" so to speak.

Yesterday in my office they proudly wore their substantial medals and provided me with a blow by blow description of the games. The only problem was fourteen extremely excited, very loud young ladies

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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talking non stop over each other, it was however a delight to experience.

Acknowledgements at assemblies, on the website and in newspapers will continue. When I told the girls a family member of one of our Kingsville staff was walking home from work in Singapore and heard it on ABC radio shortly after their win – the excitement level went up further.

Well done to all of our students who play sport, try out different sports, have a go, take a chance, compete, win or, are defeated and keep on going and enjoying the activities.

Thank you to Peter Ritchie who coached and guided the girls and of course looked after and encouraged and supported them throughout the day. Also to Lorey Bentley for her continued work in ensuring such an effective PE and Sports program.

Please see the short statements made by the members of our winning team in this newsletter.

KPS student competing in a state team

Congratulaions to Thanh AuTRAN 6C, who will be representing Victoria with the state team in the Australian Goalball Championships in Queensland during the term break. A brilliant effort and we look forward to hearing about the experience.

Student Achievement

Australian Goalball Championships

In the last week of the holidays, I will be representing Victoria in the Australian Goalball Championships, along with the rest of my team. Goalball is a sport played by the vision impaired, where the aim is to get the ball (which is filled with bells) through the other team's defences, and into their goals, The opposing team, who would be defending, would need to dive across the ground to prevent the ball from getting through. More info can be found at www.goalball.org.au

This will all take place in Queensland, from the 1st October until the 4th October. Every state in Australia will be involved. I'm definitely looking forward to participating in this competition, and I know my team is, too. We're all going to try our very best, have a great time, and hopefully win.

Thanh AuTRAN
Grade 6C

Security

We have just a couple of more locks on our new school gates to adjust and we will be ready to introduce some new procedures relating to

- locking of boundary gates and
- providing information to the community regarding access for students and teachers

At the moment students are entering or exiting the school through any number of entrances before and after school. This will change the changes will impact on daily access to the site.

It is important now, prior to full introduction of these procedures which are due to begin early in Term 4 that, parents and students are aware of the changes.

Please note

- all gates to the school except for the gates leading to the front door of the school will be locked by 9.10a.m. each day.
- children who arrive after this time will need to enter through the front main gates and front door to the school
- if parents need to collect children during the day e.g. if they are sick or have appointments again, you will only be able to enter through these main front gates
- at 3.15p.m. the gates will be opened for student dismissal
- Out of Hours Care program parents collecting students will need to do so from the Julian Street entrance i.e. the small gate leading into the school from the school crossing as this will be the only gate apart from the main entrance that will be open after 4p.m.

Education Support staff members at Kingsville will be responsible for the locking and unlocking of gates during the day and our cleaners will do another lock up at 4p.m. The Out of Hours Care staff will lock the Julian Street gate when they leave.

This work is an ongoing additional task for a limited number of staff. Carmel Cooper, Nicole Shirreff and Kim Cassidy, will be the staff responsible with Trish Harris and Acting Assistant Principal, Blagma Veljanoska providing back up.

Parent assistance is also required and if at times the system falls down or, a staff member is away or, there is an issue with the gates please let us know. Parents may also assist by making sure all students know about these new security procedures that are being introduced.

Coming late to school will also be addressed via this strategy we don't however, want any late children getting to a gate after 9.10a.m. and finding it locked and becoming distressed. We also don't want

students concerned about having to come through the main doors after 9a.m.

Please note

Children should not proceed through the front gates and then attempt to move around the site to their classroom. If they do arrive late to their classroom teachers will check and reinforce the message as we move to build awareness of the expectations.

We will be putting in place a late 'sign in register' next term, but the purpose of this in the initial stages will just be to track how we are going and where assistance, support or intervention may be necessary.

School Concert Update

Please see the timetable attached

No grades have changed nights however, please note there has been an adjustment to the order of items for Session 1 on Tuesday 8th. 3/4B – Danniell Smith is up first and the other 4 grades will follow on as were listed in Newsletter 26 – 21st August.

Don't forget no ticket sales on the night, all tickets must be purchased on line prior to the night.

Planning Days for Term 4

The planning week for Term 4 will run from Friday 11th September through until Thursday 17th September.

On planning days teams of teachers work together and class programs are taken by specialist teachers and at times additional casual relief staff. All students including Preps, are now used to these special days however a conversation or reminder about them, especially for junior students is always helpful.

Friday 11th – 5/6 planning
Monday 14th – 3/4 planning
Tuesday 15th – 1/2 planning
Wednesday 16th – Specialist planning
Thursday 17th – Prep planning

Change of Working Bee dates for the remainder of 2015

The planned Prep – Year 2 September 6th Working Bee has been cancelled.

For 2015, School Council planned working bees for Terms 2, 3 and 4. Each working bee was to have a Prep – Year 2 or Year 3 – Year 6 focus, however parents from any level of the school are always welcome.

A Prep – 2 Working Bee was planned for this Sunday September 6th. This has now been cancelled and new dates set for Term 4.

The Buildings and Grounds subcommittee of School Council met last night and agreed that the clash this Sunday with Father's Day necessitated a change of date.

Thanks to Parent Fundraiser

All Kingsville students were able to purchase a gift for dad yesterday. Thank you to all volunteer parents who made this possible and to Zoanne Morrissy for coordinating the Father's Day Stall and Father's Day Raffle.

Winners:

- 1st prize – Austin Howell
- 2nd prize – Isobelle Townley
- 3rd prize – Lloyd Deunk
- 4th prize – Genevieve Bennetts



Happy Birthday

3rd to 9th September

Happy birthday to Loma Chung, Liam Ralley, Sam Cookson, Indira Lau, Hamish Panetta, Damien Nguyen, Xander Hunt, Daniel Fisher, Isobel

Robertson, Mirka Cumming, Charlotte Fullerton, Alfie Band, Jesse Parnham, Carla Vallejos and Samiha Haider.



Kingsville Awards

To be presented on Friday, 11th September

Prep A	Isaac Reed
Prep B	Nina Gartside
Prep C	Eve Harris
Prep D	Indiana Bogoevski
Prep E	Megan Harman
1/2A	Lucy McConnell
1/2B	Charlotte Philpots
1/2C	Piers McColl
1/2D	Finnegan Vrisakis
1/2E	Loila Balbontin
1/2F	Jasper Le Grand
1/2G	Liam Donnelly
1/2H	No award
3/4A	Jeht Featherston
3/4B	Charlotte Davis
3/4C	Kalan Doloughan Marion
3/4D	No award
3/4E	Nujhat Tabassum
3/4F	Gabe Lyon
3/4G	Andrew Friedmann
5A	Jack Harmer
5B	No award
5C	No award
6A	Grace Sim
6B	No award
6C	Ruby Goonan

Premier's Reading Challenge

Well done to all students that have taken part in the Premier's Reading Challenge. Time is running out to meet the challenge – 10 days left. The challenge officially closes on the 14th September. If you wish your child to be acknowledged for their hard work, please ensure that all books are logged into the site NO LATER than the 30th August. If you wish your child's name to appear in the age, a consent form must be signed and returned to the classroom teacher by this date also.

Nicole Shirreff,
Premier's Reading Challenge Co-ordinator

Fundraising

Thank you to those who attended the KPS Parents Soiree, we hope you had a great night. An extra huge thank you to the volunteers who made it possible. As well as a special thank you to the students for their wonderful artwork contributions and Visual Art teachers Rhonda and Lily for teaching them such creative techniques.

Auction winners from the night have been notified, please pick up and pay for these items from the main office as soon as possible. There are some artworks still available for auction if you would like to place a bid. Prep A, B, D, E, 1/2G, 3/4A, B, E, 6A and C. Please email your bid to rod_heidi@hotmail.com starting at \$20 (Auction will finish Fri 11th Sept).

Heidi Germaine – Fundraising Committee

Visual Arts Supplies

Thank you to all parents who have donated plastic containers for the art room. We no longer require plastic containers but do still need magazines.

Thank you
Rhonda McLeod, Visual Arts teacher

Community Noticeboard

Westside Basketball

Enrol for summer season
(October – March except school holidays)
Vic Uni Community Sports Stadium at Whitten Oval
For more information contact
info@westsidebasketball.com.au

School Sport Victoria State Champions 2015

Primary girls soccer



Champions Reflections

I felt the adrenaline run through my body and the sweat dripping down my face.

Kiara Ciancio-Knauer

The main feeling that I felt would definitely be doubt. In the first round all we were thinking about was trying our best, there and then. We never even thought up to the idea of state champions, yet here we are.

Marisa Vallejos

I still can't believe that we won the State Championships! It's surreal!

Saskia Junge

I was just picturing us winning and then before I knew it we were State Champions! I'll never forget it!

Cecilia Karlovic

I was really nervous playing with the grade 5/6's but the feeling of being State Champions overtook that feeling and we won!

Lulu Greer

We came thinking that we would lose the first game, we came back with smiles and satisfaction.

Corrie Sawicki-Bennett (5B)

I can't believe that we got so far in soccer for school, and we all tried our hardest.

Sonia Cekalovic (5C)

After getting to the regionals we were so happy in ourselves and could not believe we made it to States, let alone WINNING IT!!

Bella Stringfellow

I felt the nerves building as we went into extra time then, all of a sudden we are in penalties and we have WON!

Lindsay Ipsen (5B)

I was so relieved when our team shot the last penalty. Everything we had worked for had paid off, we won.

Oenone Sawell (6B)

My heart stopped when we were taking the penalties. I still can't believe we are the state champions.

Lola Knowles (6A)

I can't believe that we made it through to the finals, and I'm so proud of my team mates for being the best in the state.

Sophia Frangos

My heart was still when we were taking the penalties. I will remember that day for the rest of my life.

Coco Knowles