

**Aiming for Excellence** 

KEILOR HEIGHTS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Thursday October 19th, 2023



#### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### <u>Term 4</u>

Friday 20th October -Assembly 2.50pm -Whole School

#### Friday 27th October— Casual Clothes Day— Gold Coin Donation

Monday 6th November— Curriculum Day— No Students at School

Tuesday 7th November— Melbourne Cup Day— No Students at School

Tuesday 14th,21st,28th November—2024 Foundation Transition Days

Thursday 16/17 November— Y3/4 Campaspe Camp

Monday 11th December— Foundation Bundoora Farm

#### HATS MUST BE WORN FOR THE REST OF THE YEAR









Hello everyone,

It is hard to believe we are coming to the end of week 3 already. We are well and truly into the busy period of Term 4.

It has been another great week at KHPS. Last Friday we had the Honourable Ben Carroll along with Regional Director Chris Thomson and Senior Education Improvement Leader Alex Artavilla come out to KHPS and officially open our school oval.

It was a great opportunity for the school to be able to celebrate our brand-new facility.

On Tuesday some of our students represented KHPS at the regional athletics competition, all participants represented KHPS proudly and it is exciting to announce that one of our students Loukia from 5/6 will be moving to the state level in discus. Good Luck Loukia.

It has been a big week for our Foundation students, who on Tuesday were visited by our local fire department to deliver a fire education session, they will be returning next week for a follow up session. In addition to this on Wednesday our Foundation students were visited by one of the local kinders who came for a visit with some very excited 2024 Foundation students.



#### Assembly

We will have our first assembly for Term 4 tomorrow afternoon. Parents are welcome to attend, and our choir will be performing. Assembly starts at 2.50pm.



Keilor Heights Primary School acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we meet and learn together, the Wurundjeri People of the Kulin Nation, and we recognise their enduring connection to the land, waters and culture. We pay our respects to their Elders past and present.

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#### School Review

Next Tuesday we will be having our Validation Day as part of our school review. Every school is reviewed every four years, and this is an opportunity for the school community to reflect on the previous 4 years of great work and put an action plan in place for the school's direction over the next four years. It will also be exciting to have our four School Captains participating in the day, as well as several KHPS staff.

#### Student Free Day and Melbourne Cup Public Holiday

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> of November is a student free day. Staff at KHPS will be attending school on this day.

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November is Melbourne Cup Day and the school will be closed all day.

I hope you all have a great weekend.

Ben Pickett

**Acting Principal** 





#### Interschool Athletics Update

A massive congratulations to the 7 KHPS athletes who competed at the Western Metropolitan Athletics Carnival on Tuesday– Ava S, Alexia V, Finn M, Jake C, Loukia K, Katie T and Diya K. There were some fantastic results with a number of students getting incredibly close to qualifying for state competition. They all did another amazing job representing our school.

An extra big congratulations to Loukia who came 2nd in discus and has qualified for the Primary Track & Field State Championships in November. It's an incredible achievement and we wish her all the best!

Mr Matton

PE and Sports Coordinator

# CASUAL CLOTHES DAY

# FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER

## **GOLD COIN DONATION**



## **RAISING MONEY FOR CHILDREN'S WEEK**



#### **REMEMBRANCE DAY**

SATURDAY 11TH NOVEMBER

**KEILOR EAST RSL 11AM SHARP** 

### BOOK CLUB

Book Club Issue 7 Catalogue has been distributed,

If you are interested in placing

an order please do so by

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20th, 2023

Using Scholastic Book Club LOOP online

**ORDERS ARE NOT TAKEN THROUGH THE SCHOOL OFFICE** 



### **KHPS TRANSITION DAYS FOR FOUNDATION 2024**

## TUESDAY 14<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

#### **TUESDAY 21st NOVEMBER**

### TUESDAY 28th NOVEMBER

## STEP UP DAY – MEET YOUR TEACHER TUESDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

### ALL SESSIONS WILL BE 9.30AM - 10.45AM

## PARENTS ARE ASKED TO COME ALONG FOR AN INFORMATION SESSION ON TUESDAY 14<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER WHILE CHILDREN ARE ATTENDING THEIR FIRST TRANSITION





# Sign up in 4 simple steps

## 1, Download app and select School Rewards



## 3, Select KHPS



## 2, Click on join your school



## 4, Start earning points















# **Rewards & Prizes**

#### \$1,000 Partnership Pack

Sign up your school in and receive \$1,000 worth of Pancake Parlour perks to indulge in!

### Every 2,000 points earned

\$200 worth of Pancake Parlour vouchers to reward students, staff and volunteers.

#### Every 5,000 points earned

\$500 worth of Pancake Parlour vouchers OR the same amount worth of pancake mix! The choice is yours!

### Every 10,000 points earned

Thanks to our partnership with the AFLW Western Bulldogs, your school could earn a visit from superstar All-Australian and Best and Fairest winner Kirsty Lamb for a meet 'n' greet with students! *Limited sessions available*.

#### Local League Winner

Compete against other schools in your league to win and take home \$1,000!

## Overall Winner

Earn the most points overall to win your school a whopping grand prize of \$10,000!!



Student	Class	Being For
Masih K-P	FA	Improvement in Listening & Following Instructions in Class
Lily P	FB	Her Wonderful Work on Writing Number Sentences
Kiara A	12A	Aspiring During Her Learning & Staying Focused
Frankie C	12B	Being Enthusiastic Towards All Areas of Learning, Especially Maths
Thomas G	12B	Returning to School with a Positive Attitude Towards All Learning
Shrihaan D	12C	Displaying a Growth Mindset
Summer P	12C	Aspiring to do Her Best Work
Carter F	12D	Showing the School Values
Nathaniel N	12D	His Creative Poems
Jaydah L	34A	Showing Focus when Developing Her New Writing Piece
Elizabeth M	34A	Taking on Feedback & Seeing it as a Way to Improve Her Work
Lucy R	34A	The Self Drive to Stick to Open Writing Cycle Timeline
Addison R	34B	Showing Great Responsibility with Her Learning & Assisting Her Peers
Kanika A	34B	Actively Participating in All Learning Tasks to Her Best Ability
Toby K	34B	Showing Respect when Listening to Others in Class
Jake C	34C	Aspiring to Do His Best by Improving His Bookwork
Jeremy G	34C	Displaying Responsibility in the Classroom Helping Others
Allegra M	34C	Displaying Resilience in the Classroom & Playground
Dario B	34D	Displaying the School Values of Respect & Responsibility
Ella L	34D	Displaying the School Values of Respect & Responsibility
Ryan S	34D	Displaying the School Value of Aspire
Emily P	56A	Aspiring to Achieve in All Lessons by Contributing & Seeking Feedback
Henry C	56A	Showing Responsibility by Contributing to All Class Discussions
Alex K	56B	Showing Persistence & Stiving for Excellence in the Classroom
Alessio Z	56C	Displaying the School Values of Resilience & Respect
Stephanie S	56C	Always Displaying Respect Towards Staff & Classmates
Cynthia K-M	56D	Showing Respect when Speaking to Her Classmates & Teachers
SPECIALIST AWARDS		
Whole Class	34A	Excellence in Italian
Whole Class	12C	Excellence in Physical Education
Whole Class	12C	Excellence in Visual Arts





# Is this your daughter?

Look no further than the Australian Girls Choir because we encourage, challenge and inspire girls as they learn to sing, dance and perform.

# Join us at our NOVEMBER OPEN DAY!



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# The drop off and pick up zone



