



Aiming for Excellence

KEILOR HEIGHTS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Thursday 24th July, 2025



DATES TO REMEMBER

Term 2

Term 3

Friday 25th July—
Girls T-Ball Final

Monday 28th July
Foundation 100 Days

Friday 1st August
Y5/6 Treetops Excursion

Monday 4th August
CURRICULUM DAY-NO SCHOOL

Tuesday 5th/12th August-
Foundation Fire Education

Monday 11th August
Interscholar Athletics

Friday 5th September
Father's/Special Person Stall

Saturday 13th September
VSSS—John Cain Arena
Tickets on Sale 31st July



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NOW!!

Dear Parents and Carers,

Wakakirri

Welcome back to Term 3!

What a wonderful way to begin the term, with our Wakakirri students performing on Tuesday night at the Clock Tower. They did a brilliant job and we are all very proud of them. Their commitment and enthusiasm certainly paid off and they received some very positive feedback from the judge and applause from the audience and other schools. It was really warming to be part of such a positive event, where everyone was so encouraging and supportive for each other.

Congratulations and special thank you to Miss Carden and Mrs A for their work with the group and Mr B for building and creating the props. I believe we already have lots of ideas for next year!



Word of the Week—Mindset

This week's word is MINDSET—(Fixed v Growth). A fixed mindset believes intelligence and abilities are static, while a growth mindset believes they can be developed through effort and learning. Which one are you?

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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Victorian State Schools Spectacular -VSSS

Rehearsals are well under way for the VSSS performance at the end of this term. Students had their first whole day rehearsal at the Melbourne Town Hall on Wednesday with Miss Carden and Miss V.

This year's theme is REMARKABLE.

Tickets will go on sale next week, Thursday 31st July.

Please make sure you get in early so you don't miss out. Information on tickets has been sent out via email today.



Upcoming Events

Although this term is only nine weeks, it is certainly full of celebrations and various events, so please make sure you read all Compass notifications. We currently have a group of students attending Somers Camp for nine days and Miss V and I have been invited to make a visit this Friday. Our T-ball team is competing this Friday and we wish them the very best and know they have been practicing hard. Don't be alarmed if you see some elderly folk walking around on Monday, as our Foundation students celebrate 100 days of school. Our Year 5/6 students will be venturing into the bush on Friday 1st August as part of their Leadership program and we also have various Book Week celebrations and special activities planned. These are just a few of the things coming up and you will receive further information in the Cohort newsletters.

Student Led Interviews

Thank you for your support and attendance at the Student Led Interviews at the end of last term. We received some really positive feedback verbally and appreciate you completing the survey. These results will help guide us with our next steps in transitioning to our ongoing reporting system which we will share with the community. We were very proud of the confidence students demonstrated while talking about their achievements and future goals and hope to continue to build on this crucial life skill.

NAPLAN Results

Next week we are expecting to receive our NAPLAN results which we will also review as a staff to inform us of how to continue to improve our practice, while celebrate our successes. Families of students in Years 3 and 5 will be provided with further information and their child's individual results, while I will provide a summary of our whole school's results.

Stay warm over the weekend, it's looking wet and cold.

Victoria Graham



BOOK CLUB

Book Club **Issue 5 Catalogue** has been distributed,

If you are interested in placing
an order please do so by

Friday 8th August, 2025

Using Scholastic Book Club LOOP online

ORDERS ARE NOT TAKEN THROUGH THE SCHOOL OFFICE



PROCEDURAL WRITING



In Year 1/2, Students are exploring the writing genre of procedural texts.

Here, they are following instructions (in order of course) to make a nice and tasty FRUIT SALAD!

What other fun recipes or processes can be done at home that also follow a procedure?

There's only one way to find out and give them a go (with parent/carer permission as well).



How to Make a Fruit Salad

To make some fresh fruit salad, I will need a banana, 1 apple and a handful of grapes. A small bowl, a spoon and a plastic knife.

First, wash all the fruit.

Next, peel the banana and slice it into small pieces.

Then, cut the apple into small cubes (ask an adult for help).

After that, pull the grapes off the stem.

Finally, put all the fruit into the bowl and mix it with a spoon.

Enjoy your tasty fruit salad!

Yummy Yummy

Learn Italian with Signora Di Sipiò



Ciao a tutti!!

Welcome back to Term 3.

This week we revise some of the important words that we use in class.

Speaking Italian



Ciao! – Hello or Goodbye

Buon giorno! – Good morning

Arrivederci! – Goodbye

Per favore – Please

Grazie – Thank you

Prego – You're welcome

Ti amo! – I love you

Nonna – Grandmother

Madre – Mother

Padre – Father



1 - uno	6 - sei
2 - due	7 - sette
3 - tre	8 - otto
4 - quattro	9 - nove
5 - cinque	10 - dieci

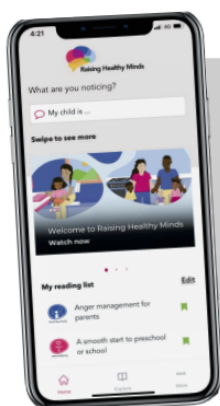


Raising Healthy Minds

Do you have a question about your child's emotions, behaviours and wellbeing?

The Raising Healthy Minds app is a FREE, personalised pocket resource to help you raise confident, resilient children.

Co-designed with parents and experts and funded by the Australian Government, the app offers a mix of quick-read articles, videos and animations designed to support your child's social and emotional wellbeing from birth to age 12.



Download the app from Google Play or the App Store



Find out more about Raising Healthy Minds at raisingchildren.net.au/rhm

28 June –
12 October 2025

Incinerator
Gallery

The Playground Project Melbourne

An immersive exploration of creativity, play and discovery

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Children 12 years and under free!

Curated by Gabriela Burkhalter
Project Partner
Kunststalle Zurich
Major Partner
Jellis Craig | Jellis Craig Foundation
Education Partner
Monash University | MADA



Jump. Fall. Imagine. 180 Holmes Rd, Aberfeldie 3040 playgroundproject.com.au

BY CHIARA, ALLEGRA, NEVAEH,
TIARA

KEILOR HEIGHTS' CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME



MAKE A POSITIVE CHANGE BY FUNDRAISING AND RECYCLING AT THE SAME TIME



EACH BOTTLE THAT YOU RECYCLE IS WORTH **10 CENTS**

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WHAT IS RECYCLING?

Recycling is the process of taking materials that would be thrown away and turning them into new products. Materials that can be recycled include: **paper, plastic, glass** and metal.

You can recycle plastic and glass bottles by collecting them and recycling them at container deposits for 10 cents per bottle.

STEPS ON HOW TO RECYCLE

Number 1: In CDS vic west app, search 'cans for khps under charities'

Number 2: click 'set as payout'

Number 3: scan cans as normal and move onto your day.

HOW TO RECYCLE

Collect: Collect plastic or glass bottles to recycle.

Sort: Sort your bottles by the type of material to recycle them properly.

Deposit: Deposit your bottles at a container deposit centre to receive money to donate.



DONATED MONEY FROM BOTTLES WILL GO TOWARDS A GAGA PIT!



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BAYFIT

SUPPORT OUR CAUSE



This August, buy a 6-month membership at BayFit for just \$299 and BlueFit will **DONATE \$100** to our cause.

BLUEfit

For every new member that joins in August, BlueFit will donate \$100 to Keilor Heights Primary School. Just nominate the school on joining.

We are grateful for the funds we've received in the past two years. This has enabled the school to purchase equipment for the cooking and gardening groups. Future donations will continue to be used on educational resources and equipment for small groups run by ES.

Join up this AUGUST. Start your fitness goals and at the same time support the school. Together, we can move with purpose and achieve success.

Thanks for your support, Sue