KEILOR HEIGHTS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Aiming for Excellence

Thursday 19th November, 2026









DATES TO REMEMBER TERM 4

HATS MUST BE WORN

Friday 20th November—Whole School Assembly 3pm

Friday 27th November—Foundation/Y1 Breakfast

Friday 4th December -Whole School House Sports Day

Tuesday 8th December Whole School STEP UP DAY

Thursday 10th December WHOLE SCHOOL PICNIC

Friday 11th December Year 6 Graduation

Tuesday 15th December Whole School Concert Tickets via CompassTix

Friday 18th September CHRISTMAS RAFFLE DRAWN LAST DAY-FINISH @ 1.25pm



WORD OF THE WEEK—INITIATIVE

Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 2 Stay Late

Our Year Two students had a great time last night at their special 'Stay Late Night'. They enjoyed an evening playing games, dancing, singing and finished it off with fish 'n' chips. Thank you to the Year 1/2 Team for organising this for our students. Don't forget our special breakfast for our Foundation students and families is coming up too as part of our end of year celebrations.







Parent Cyber Safety Information Session

Thank you to the parents who were able to attend our Cyber Safety Information Session last night and run through the Cyber Safety Project. These sessions are always very informative and keep us up to date on the current things we should watch out for to help keep our young people safe while they are using technology. They provide very useful and practical tips and ways we can stay connected and even useful tips for us as adult users of technology. Thank you to Miss V for organising this session and she will send out important links and information to families from the evening.

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.

Avondale FC Soccer Clinic

Today students in Years F-2 were lucky enough to participate in a free soccer clinic provided by Avondale FC.
Next week they will be back to provide students in Years 3-6 the same opportunity.





2027 School Captains

Over the last few weeks students in Years 4 and 5 have been looking towards leadership opportunities they can apply for. Students have had the opportunity to apply for School Captains as well as House Captains. They go through a thorough process, including a written application, speech in front of their peers and to a panel and interview. We also include our current School Captains on our panels and have really valued their input and maturity with this responsibility. I would also like to acknowledge all of the applicants, it was great to see so many put their hand up for the role. It has made our final decision quite difficult as everyone who applied put in a lot of effort and had qualities that would suit the role.
Students who made it to the final stage will be notified by the end of tomorrow.

Victoria Graham





Look at what's happening in Foundation.....

This term, our Foundation students have been learning about gardens and have been excited to design and create their own Community Garden models. They have also enjoyed planting peas, tomatoes and sunflowers, taking responsibility for caring for them, and observing how they grow over time.














Year 2 Late Stay

Wednesday November 18th 2026

On Wednesday, our Year 2 students enjoyed their camping program, the Year 2 Late Stay! They had a fantastic time playing board games with their peers and sharing a delicious fish and chip dinner together. To finish off a wonderful evening of games and , everyone enjoyed a refreshing icy pole. It was a lovely opportunity for students to spend time with their friends and create some special memories!













EKC ART & TECH SHOW 2026



ARTIST: ARIELLE CRAGGS – YEAR 12

OPENING NIGHT – NOVEMBER 23

OPENING 4:30PM, PRESENTATION OF AWARDS 6:30PM

ESSENDON KEILOR COLLEGE
286 BUCKLEY STREET, ESSENDON
ESSENDON CAMPUS (UPSTAIRS IN HALL)

REFRESHMENTS AND NIBBLES PROVIDED, NO RSVP REQUIRED

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CENTREWAY
Christmas Carols
FRIDAY 4TH DECEMBER 2026
4:30 - 7:30 PM
CENTREWAY SHOPPING PRECINCT
KEILOR EAST
FACE PAINTING
SANTA
GIFT VOUCHERS
PERFORMING GROUPS
VOCAL ART STUDIOS
THE REAL SONGWRITERS OF MELBOURNE
MONNEE VALLEY BRASS
KEILOR HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL
BYO: CHAIR, BLANKET, PICNIC & DRINKS.
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2026 KHPS F-6 HOUSE SPORTS DAY

Who will be crowned this year's house sports champion?

FRIDAY 4TH OF DECEMBER
9.15AM-1.00PM
SPECTATORS ARE WELCOME

Don't forget to wear your house colours


KEILOR HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL
Christmas Raffle
TICKETS
$5 EACH
OR
3 FOR $10
Our Christmas Raffle is back, support our school and get into the festive spirit!
GREAT PRIZES TO BE WON!
Can you help?
We are seeking prize donations from local businesses to help make our Christmas Raffle a success.
If you have any business contacts, workplaces or local organisations that may be willing to donate a prize, gift voucher, product or experience, we would love to hear from you!
FUNDS RAISED WILL GO TOWARDS A
New Junior Playground


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TERM 4 NEWSLETTER November 2026

Dear Families,

We have had another busy and exciting week filled with lots of learning, creativity and fun!

This week, we have been continuing our celebrations and learning around Diwali, which took place last week. The children had the opportunity to explore the meaning and traditions of this special celebration through a variety of creative activities. We enjoyed Diwali colouring-in, creating beautiful rangoli patterns, decorating candles, making our own colourful lanterns and participating in other fun craft experiences. The children showed great creativity and enthusiasm while exploring the different colours, patterns and decorations associated with Diwali.

We also enjoyed our soccer training session last Tuesday afternoon. The children were very excited to participate and had lots of fun practising their soccer skills. These sessions are a wonderful opportunity for children to develop their coordination, balance, teamwork and confidence while learning to follow instructions and take turns with their friends.

On Remembrance Day, we took some time to talk with the children about the importance of remembering and showing respect to those who have served. We participated in a minute of silence, standing quietly together, and created our own poppies as a way of remembering and acknowledging this special day. It was lovely to see the children participating respectfully and engaging in the experience.

We also had our Prep Transition Talk, where we discussed the care, support and guidance children receive as they prepare for their transition into primary school. These conversations are important in helping us support each child's individual needs, build their confidence and ensure they feel comfortable and ready for this exciting next step in their learning journey.

Throughout the week, we have also continued working on our 'We Care' charts in support of the Salvation Army. We have been encouraging children to demonstrate positive behaviours, kindness, respect and care towards their friends and educators. Children receive stickers on their charts when they are observed making positive choices, following expectations and demonstrating the behaviours we encourage within our learning environment. This is a great way to recognise and celebrate their efforts while helping children understand the importance of being kind, respectful and caring members of our community.

Overall, it has been a lovely week full of meaningful experiences, opportunities to learn and moments to celebrate the children's achievements. We look forward to continuing to support their learning, development and positive relationships in the weeks ahead.

Thank you, families, for your continued support. We hope you all have a wonderful week ahead!

Arts and crafts Club

Come and join our fun-filled Arts and Crafts Club, where you can let your creativity shine! 🌈
Explore your imagination, experiment with different materials, try new ideas and create something unique to take home and proudly show your family.
Let's get messy, think outside the box and see what amazing things we can create together! 🖌️

Every Thursday from 4pm - 5pm

Tuesday 24 November is National Fairy Bread Day
Let's celebrate with a ***Pyjama Party!***

WeCare Spotlight Charities for Term 4:
Food Bank and **The Salvation Army**

More information about our Special Days will be available soon! Book now at no extra cost to families.

Soccer Incursion! ⚽

Come and join the fun!
Every Tuesday
Time: 3:45pm - 4:30pm
Get ready to kick, play and have a great time and learn new skills



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5TH KEILOR SCOUT GROUP ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE DRIVE

Nov 28 & Nov 29 – 8:30am to 3:30pm (onsite Sales day)

Dec 5 & Dec 6 – 8:30am to 3:30pm (onsite Sales day)

Dec 12 & Dec 13 – 8.30am to 3.30pm (onsite Sales day)



Fresh Trees from $85

Home Delivery from $20*

Tree Stands $48

Tree Disposal $20^

Trees are graded based on height, density and shape.
Price guide: Approx 5ft $85 / Approx 6ft $95 / Over 6ft from $105

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- * Tree Disposal (Sat 2 Jan ONLY from 8am)

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$20 delivery – 3042 Airport West, Keilor Park, Niddrie | 3033 East Keilor
$25 delivery – 3036 Keilor, Keilor North | 3038 Keilor Downs, Keilor Lodge, Taylors Lakes 3034 Avondale Heights | 3040 Essendon, Essendon West, Aberfeldie | 3039 Moonee Ponds 3041 Essendon North, Strathmore, Strathmore Heights | 3043 Gowanbrae, Tullamarine, Gladstone Park | 3044 Pascoe Vale South, Pascoe Vale | 3046 Oak Park, Glenroy, Hadfield



Children's AAA Dance & Social Program

Sundays @ 10:30am - 11:15am
22 November - 13 December
Keilor East Leisure Centre | 84 Quinn Grove, Keilor East, 3033

A welcoming and inclusive session for neurodiverse children and children with disabilities aged 6 - 9 years, featuring dance activities led by Maddy from the Dance Society. This family-friendly class encourages movement, creativity and relaxation in a supportive environment.

We're also excited for a registered Play Therapist and Occupation Therapist from Bloom Play Studio to join us throughout these sessions.

- Parent, Guardian and/or Care Giver Attendance Required
- $61 (4 week program)
- Maximum Group Size: 12 children
- Parallel play, sensory activities & reset zone

Registration required via QR Code

For more information contact:
Jaye Hansford - Community Engagement Coordinator
Email: jhansford@belgravialeisure.com.au | Phone: 0431 998 792

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Performing Arts "Through the Ages", concert coming soon!




KEILOR HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL
Presents...
THROUGH THE AGES
END OF YEAR CONCERT
Tuesday
15th DECEMBER
Essendon Keilor College
Essendon Campus
12:30 - 2:30
Matinee Performance
3:30 - 5:30
Afternoon Performance
TICKETS
$10 Each
Max 2 Per Family
TICKETS VIA
COMPASSTIX



Student	Class	Being For
Ghassan J	FA	Trying His Best During All Learning Tasks & Showing Care to His Peers
Fletcher D	FA	Applying Himself to Classwork & Showing Respect to Others
Julian D S C	12A	Writing a Great Response to the Class Text 'Supersnake'
Mitchell I	12A	Seeking Feedback & Support to improve His Persuasive Writing
Harry M	12B	Making Good Choices, Great Listening & Trying His Best
Micheal M	34A	Applying Himself during Writing Sessions & Producing a Strong Persuasive Piece
Aria K	34B	Using Powerful Words in Her Persuasive Writing
Rayaan A	34B	Using Powerful Language to Persuade the Reader in Her Writing
Fotini B	34C	Continuing to Show Resilience & Always Giving Things a Go
Harlow C	34C	Showing Resilience in Writing & Always trying Your Best
Aylin E	34C	Showing resilience in Writing & Continuing to Push Yourself
Benjamin K	56A	Showing Great Effort During Our Text Study Sessions & Working Hard to Deepen His Understanding
Jayden L	56B	Showing Initiative & not Hesitating to Help Sort Out the Bins & Keep the School Clean
Melissa M	56B	Showing Initiative & not Hesitating to Help Sort Out the Bins & Keep the School Clean
Adrian B	56C	Writing a Detailed Persuasive Essay Supported by Evidence
Sam E	56C	Writing Thoughtful & detailed Responses to our Class Text

SPECIALIST AWARDS		
Angury T D	34B	Excellence in Italian



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Friday 27th November, 2026

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