



CALENDAR

9 June	Year 5/6 Winter Sport
9 June	Year 3/4 Commonwealth Bank Incursion
12 June	QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
13 June	Prep Billy Cart Incursion
22 June	"Courage for Callum" fundraiser casual clothes day \$2 donation
22 June	Sausage sizzle lunch day
22 June	Years 3-6 Public Speaking Final
23 June	Last day for "Courage for Callum" donations
23 June	Semester Reports Available
26 June	Alpha Productions 'Snow Queen'
28 June	Parent Teacher Interviews
30 June	Last Day Term 2:30pm dismissal

FROM THE EXECUTIVE TEAM

REPORTS

Mid-year reports will be available online via Compass to parents from 4pm Friday 23 June. This will give parents time to read the report prior to the parent teacher interviews next Wednesday 28 June.

From the parent portal on Compass (home screen), you will have the option to select "View Academic Reports" (as seen below) you will be directed to another screen where you can select the Semester 1 2017 report to download.



You can print the downloaded report or read online as the school will not be sending home printed copies unless they are requested.

As mentioned in previous newsletters, we are reporting more often via Learning Tasks on Compass and these reflect units of work that have been occurring in the classrooms during a 3-5 week period.

We encourage you to login to Compass and view the learning tasks as they are made available. Teams will notify parents through the newsletter and Team Newsletters that go out each term will also have details regarding the upcoming learning tasks.

We thank you for your support in moving to a digital approach to reporting that is more timely.

COURAGE FOR CALLUM

Callum Judd Bloomfield is a Prep student at Killara who is suffering from a rare form of childhood cancer. As a school community, we would like to support the Judd Bloomfield family and especially Callum, by having a special "favourite super hero" out of uniform day on June 22, as well as a donation drive. Please see the article in "Current News" for more details.

To add to this day, we will also conduct a special sausage sizzle lunch. Order forms will go out today and will be due back by the end of the week. The canteen will be closed for normal lunch orders on that day.

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Parent Teacher Interview bookings will be available on Compass from 4pm on Thursday 8th June.

Parent Teacher Interviews will be held Wednesday June 28. As is usual practice, we will be asking for your help with this on the day, by picking up/allowing children to go home early (12:30pm).

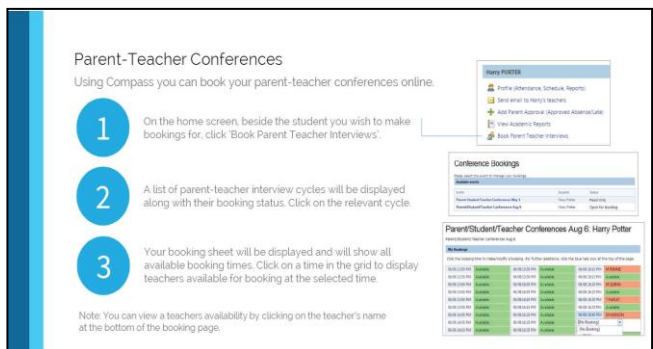
The logistics of interviews is such that we need from 12:30pm through to 8:00pm to be able to fit everyone in! So if you can help with this it will be very much appreciated. We need the notice returned by all parents to ensure that logistical arrangements can be appropriately made for the interview day.

Bookings for interviews are accessible via Compass, killaraps.vic.jdlf.com.au

Please refer to below for instructions. If you are having difficulties booking an interview time, please contact the office for assistance 9744 6432, or send a note to school with the approximate times you require

We hope you find the Parent / Teacher Interview(s) a valuable experience to discuss your child(ren)'s progress.

Interviews are strictly 15 minutes and spaces are limited. You are able to book a time with your child's classroom teacher and, if you wish, with the Specialist teachers.



PLANNING WEEK

Teachers, in teams, will be planning for Term 3 on a designated planning day the week after next. The major change for students is that their Where possible, specialist classes will occur on the one day during that week and, in some instances, be covered by other teachers.

FIDGET SPINNERS – NOW BANNED

Due to an increasing number of issues with fidget spinners, including inappropriate use, spinners being lost or going missing and the fact that many are considered “valuables” (for which it is policy that they should not be brought to school), they are no longer to be brought to school.

Teachers will confiscate spinners that are brought to school and return them at the end of the day to be taken home. Please ensure your child(ren) do not bring them to school.

MILK BAR

It has once again come to our attention that students are going to the milk bar without permission, especially at the start of the day. We ask that parents avoid giving permission to children to go to the milk bar during school time, including the time before and immediately after school. Once students are at school they must stay in the grounds. When students leave school, they are expected to go directly home.

There have also been recent incidences of shoplifting. Our advice to the Milk bar management will be to go directly to police in these instances.

ROAD SAFETY

Killara Primary School is a large school and, with over 600 students, caring for the safety of everyone is a challenge that we are all responsible for.

We teach the children that everyone has the right to feel safe and comfortable while at school and that there is an individual and communal responsibility to uphold safety and comfort levels.

It is important that this responsibility is modelled and reinforced by all members of the school community.

Please encourage children to follow road rules – **in particular to use crossings to safely cross roads**. Even if you are with your children, they should be shown that crossing at the school crossings is the way to go.

When driving and parking around the school road rules must be followed for the sake of all concerned and, most importantly, the safety of our students. Parking will be at a premium if everyone tries to park right outside the school. Families can assist by walking, not driving, if that is feasible. If you need to drive, please be patient and consider parking and walking.

Be fair to our friendly neighbours, by not parking over driveways and being aware of their rights.

Please be aware that the area around the school is patrolled regularly by the authorities and fines will be issued for misdemeanours.

Be aware that the 2 minute drop off zone is for dropping off only, do not leave your car parked unattended.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

A reminder that there will be no school **this Monday June 12**, due to the Queen's Birthday holiday.

Best wishes,
Phil, Pete and Andrew

CURRENT NEWS

PUPIL OF THE WEEK TERM 2, WEEK 6

Junior School Their fantastic predictions in reading		Middle School Making interesting observations during our excursion to Werribee Zoo	
R1	Logan V	R12	Hannah B
R2	Leni O	R13	Ryley E
R3	Aidan B	R14	James W
R4	Lachlan W	R15	Cairo P
Year 1/2 for active participation in Education Week		R16	Tamika T
		R21	-
		R22	Melba B
R17	Amelia L-Z	Senior School Using a range of strategies and resources when investigating our inquiry topic	
R18	Danyal M		
R19	Darcy P		
R20	Aleisha S	R5	Ashley H
R23	Oscar H	R6	Lachlan M
R24	Isabella M	R7	Alexander
R25	James M	R8	Rhys H
R26	Charlotte P	R9	Eric S
		R10	Charleigh W
		R11	Tierney G

COURAGE FOR CALLUM

Callum is a Prep student at Killara who has cancer. Callum's cancer diagnosis and treatment has put both an emotional and financial strain on the family. Callum and the Judd Bloomfield family need our support so that they can devote their energy towards Callum and his treatment.

We are running a donation drive for Callum and his family. We are seeking the support of our school community to donate **new** toys, **new** size 5 to 6 clothing, vouchers (i.e. food and fuel vouchers) or services and experiences that could assist in creating the best quality of life for Callum. Donations are to be delivered to the office by Friday 23rd June. Thank you for your support



ANZAC CENTENARY COMMUNITY GRANT

Killara Primary School has the opportunity to apply for an ANZAC Centenary Community Grant to fund a memorial to all who served in WW1. Staff and students have come up with several options and would like your opinions via a survey.

If you would like to be involved in this process, would you please log on to:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=IrlqJM78HE-ZElt9NrbKdeEAtriF6lpBmkwjQkGjgldUNldHREUwVzQxUzE4NzZCTTFVTkpHRzI2Ni4u>

and tick the ideas you would like to see at our school, if we are successful with the Grant.

There is also an area where you can tell us if you have any expertise that could assist us in the creation of the memorial. We look forward to your participation.

As we are on a tight timeline, we would appreciate comments being logged before next Monday, 12th June. If you have any queries please see: Sarah Round, Kelli Brogan or Robyn Smith - ANZAC Memorial Committee.

PREP ENROLMENTS 2018

Enrolments are currently being accepted for 2018. Enrolments should be made by **Monday 24 July, 2017** (or earlier if possible!) This will assist the school with planning for 2018.

Existing families who have previously indicated they will have enrolments for 2018 will have received enrolment forms and these should be returned by Monday 24 July. If you require enrolment forms please see the office.

Enrolments must be accompanied by a birth certificate and immunisation certificate. Copies of these documents are acceptable.

Please be sure to alert family and friends who may be interested in the excellent learning opportunities that Killara Primary School provides.

QKR APP FOR SCHOOL PAYMENTS

Our preferred method of payment for excursions, canteen lunch orders and fundraising activities is QKR.

This easy to use free app by Mastercard gives you flexibility to make your school payments at a time and place that suits you.

No need to find cash to send to school with your child, you will have a QKR receipt on your phone and receipt number for your records.

A brochure on how to set up your account is available from the school office or just follow the simple instructions when you download the app.



PUPIL OF THE WEEK TERM 2, WEEK 7

Junior School Experimenting with capital letters and full stops in their writing		Middle School Enthusiastic attitude towards their first STOMP workshop	
R1	Indiana R	R12	Bailey M
R2	Gabby C	R13	Dexter P
R3	Chase D	R14	Zak M
R4	Cadin W	R15	Emily M
Year 1/2 Positive participation in Cultural Incursion		R16	Megan B
		R21	Ryley W
		R22	Madison T
R17	Adam S	Senior School Using key points to summarise different text styles	
R18	Lincoln E		
R19	Cooper D		
R20	Xander B	R5	Harrison E
R23	Luca P-S	R6	Mitchell H
R24	Joshua J	R7	Shelyse W
R25	Ethan G	R8	Angus R
R26	-	R9	Grace B
		R10	Ahnaf H
		R11	Mia D-S

COLOURING COMPETITION – WIN TICKETS TO PETER PAN AND TINKER BELL

Download and colour-in the Peter Pan characters, fill in your details and send your entry to: Kids News Competition, PO Box 14611, Melbourne, VIC 8001. Entries close 16/6/17. Entrants must be 15 years old or under. Full terms and conditions available at heraldsun.com.au/kids-news/competitions
https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/news-networkeditorial/masthead/heraldsun/KidsNews/pdf/learning+activities/KIDS_NEWS_PETER_PAN_COLOURING_IN_COMPETITION.pdf

ENVIRONMENTAL CORNER

DID YOU KNOW.....

It seems that some of us are always renovating. Well, the good news is that if you use a reputable construction and demolition recycling company you can recycle well over 80% of a house. The materials are put through a sorting process and then turned back into useful products. Don't be shy to ask the contractor what happens with your waste.

Happy recycling.

Killara Sustainability Team.

COMMUNITY NEWS

SUNBURY BLUE LIGHT DISCO

Heros and Villians theme Friday June 23. Door prizes from Skin, Ski & Surf, Intersport Sunbury, Reading Cinemas. Plus heaps more giveaways to be given out on the dance floor!

Sunbury Memorial Hall, Barkley and Macedon St, Sunbury.

\$7 entry fee 6 – 8pm primary age. Contact Senior Constable Kimberley Hunting 9744 8111

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Parent-Teacher Conferences

Using Compass you can book your parent-teacher conferences online.

1

On the home screen, beside the student you wish to make bookings for, click 'Book Parent Teacher Interviews.'

2

A list of parent-teacher interview cycles will be displayed along with their booking status. Click on the relevant cycle.

3

Your booking sheet will be displayed and will show all available booking times. Click on a time in the grid to display teachers available for booking at the selected time.

Note: You can view a teachers availability by clicking on the teacher's name at the bottom of the booking page.

Harry PORTER

- Profile (Attendance, Schedule, Reports)
- Send email to Harry's teachers
- + Add Parent Approval (Approved Absence/Late)
- View Academic Reports
- Book Parent Teacher Interviews

From select to a event to manage your bookings.

Available events

Event	Student	Status
Parent Student Teacher Conferences Aug 6	Harry Potter	Ready Only
Parent/Student Teacher Conferences Aug 6	Harry Potter	Open for booking

Parent/Student Teacher Conferences Aug 6: Harry Potter

Parent/Student Teacher Conference Aug 6

My Bookings

Click the booking time to make/modify a booking. For further assistance, click the blue help icon at the top of the page.

Time	Availability	Teacher	Availability
06:00 13:00 PM	Available	06:00 15:20 PM	Available
06:00 13:30 PM	Available	06:00 15:50 PM	Available
06:00 13:40 PM	Available	06:00 16:00 PM	Available
06:00 13:45 PM	Available	06:00 16:05 PM	Available
06:00 13:50 PM	Available	06:00 16:10 PM	Available
06:00 13:55 PM	Available	06:00 16:15 PM	Available
06:00 14:00 PM	Available	06:00 16:20 PM	Available
06:00 14:05 PM	Available	06:00 16:25 PM	Available
06:00 14:10 PM	Available	06:00 16:30 PM	Available

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