



Killara Primary School

Our Best – Every Child, Every Day

Caring Acceptance Responsibility Excellence Support & teamwork

Newsletter 25

August 16 2018

CALENDAR

20-24 Aug	Camp 2 Woorinbinda
20-24 Aug	Book Week
20 Aug	Understanding Ourselves Parent Information Night
21 Aug	Regional Tee Ball Finals
22 Aug	Book Week Dress Up Day – Parade 2.30pm Gym
25 & 26 Aug	Vision Portraits Fundraiser
27 & 28 Aug	Year 5/6 Understanding Ourselves
29 Aug	Father's Day Stall
31 Aug	Year 5/6 Summer Sport
3 & 4 Sept	Understanding Ourselves
3-10 Sept	Book Fair
10 & 11 Sept	Understanding Ourselves
20 Sept	Footy Dress Up Day in aid of Rural Aid (farmers)
21 Sept	Last Day Term 2.30pm Finish
8 Oct	Term 4 Begins
22 Oct	Special Group Photo Day Semester 2 – Graduation Group Photo

FROM THE LEADERSHIP TEAM

On Monday we celebrated our Class Captains and Vice Captains by hosting Josh Bull at our school to present them with their badges. It was wonderful to see so many parents and family members at assembly to support the students receiving badges and awards and I know that our students really appreciate having a special person there to recognise their achievement. A full list of these students is provided on the next page for your information.

It's been great to see the number of students who are now consistently coming to school in their full school uniform. This is one way our students can show they are proud of our school and are a part of our team. Over the term we have been encouraging our students to reflect on what membership of the Killara team means for them and ways in which we can make sure our team not only performs the best but also displays the best teamwork. Parents are also an important part of the Killara team and we thank you for following through with these things at home in your discussions with your children.

We would like to wish our school Tee-Ball team the best of luck at the upcoming Regional Championships that will be played next Tuesday. We know that you will be great ambassadors of our school and look forward to hearing how you all go.

On Tuesday our Grade 1/ 2 team were released for the day to work with our Leading Teachers and our school's Teaching Partners to further the knowledge of our staff about the teaching and assessment of writing. During the day teachers worked together to moderate writing samples from students across the grades. As part of this they also begun to develop an assessment tool that can be used by staff during future moderation sessions to ensure we make consistent judgements about student learning needs. Over the remainder of the term the rest of our teams will be released to continue to build on this work to create a cohesive document that will cover all levels of learning across the school.

**Best wishes,
Michelle and Andrew**

CURRENT NEWS

BOOK WEEK

Book Week is occurring between August 20 - 24. We are very excited to share that there will be special events occurring each day during the week including a Dress



Up day and parade on Wednesday at 2.30pm in the gym and separate author visits on Thursday and Friday. Killara always has great involvement in the parade and we can't wait to see everyone's creative touch this year. If you are stuck for ideas, this year's National Book Week theme is "Find Your Treasure". This the me does not have to be taken literally, but can also prompt ideas of treasured characters or stories. Families will be informed of the parade time in the coming weeks.

Stay tuned via all means of communications for further updates.

Literacy Team

BOOK FAIR

Book Fair will be held in the library from Tuesday September 4, before and after school until Friday September 7. Lamont Books will once again provide a wide range of children's fiction and non-fiction books for sale. This is a great opportunity to browse recently released books with your children. Families wishing to support us in further establishing our classroom libraries, will also have the option of purchasing a book to donate back to the school. Simply select a text, add it to your purchase and indicate to staff which classroom/ team library you would like to donate it to. Be sure to fill out a donation label so we can remember and be thankful to the family who donated the book in years to come. Credit card and cash sales are welcome.

CLASS CAPTAINS & VICE CAPTAINS - SEMESTER 2 2018

Room	Captain	Vice-Captain
Prep A	Bella R	Darcy B
Prep B	Hailey P	Genevieve W
Prep C	Sage M	Brody C
1/2A	Angus H	Leila M
1/2B	Xanelle V D	Piper E
1/2C	Vaughan W	William P
1/2D	Shae P	Mitchell B
1/2E	Harvey T	Claire H
1/2F	Ebony G	Erin C
1/2G	Emily G	Alice H
3/4A	Archie F	Hannah C
3/4B	Jaxon G	Milly H
3/4C	Salini T	Chloe T
3/4D	Zoe L	Jamie S
3/4E	Aaron D	Lucas C
3/4F	Charleen D	Jet L
5/6A	Lachlan D	Hannah L
5/6B	Caden S	Kiana T
5/6C	Perry M	Felix O
5/6D	Bella J	Isabella J
5/6E	Noah M W	Lexie R
5/6F	Jacob W	Jonathan M
5/6G	Ela M	Jay G

PFA NEWS

We would like to thank everyone for their cookie dough orders. You all raised \$1660 for our school. There are some orders that were not collected yesterday. If you have not yet collected your order can you please contact the office and organise collection asap as we don't have the freezer space to store them all.

Our Father's day stall is fast approaching. Any donations of non-perishables are still welcome to be dropped off at the office. We are still also looking for volunteers to help us on stall day.

Vision Portraits is next weekend August 25 and 26. Have you booked in your photo shoot? For only \$15 you can get an amazing photo of the kids or family. We are also looking for volunteers to help man reception on the Saturday and Sunday. Please contact us if you can help out for an hour or two.

Killara PFA is sponsoring the Blue light disco next Friday August 24. Hope to see you all there in your pyjamas. Any parents wanting to volunteer for the night please let us know. Your children will get free entry into the disco on the night.

If you can help us with an hour or two of your time at the Father's day stall, blue light disco or Vision Portraits days we could really use it. Please contact us at killarapfa@gmail.com if you would like more information.

FATHERS DAY STALL SPENDING VOUCHERS


If you would like to pre pay an amount for your child to spend at the stall please use our QKR app. Click



on the "Fundraising Activities" tab, you will find Fathers Day Stall.

You can choose an amount you would like your child to spend at the stall on gifts for dad. On the day of the stall your child will receive a voucher from their classroom teacher detailing the amount they have to spend.

If they do not spend all the allocated amount, change will be given in cash to the child.

PUPIL OF THE WEEK TERM 3, WEEK 4			
Prep For making good text to self-connections		Year 3/4 Consistently demonstrating focus and persistence	
R1	Lachie K	R11	Ethan G
R2	Jasmyn J	R12	Austin P
R3	Chloe I	R13	Bryce P
Year 1/2 For showing enthusiasm and effort in their poetry writing		R14	Jamie S
		R15	Leah D
		R16	Felisha C
R4	Maxwell D	Year 5/6 Writing a letter using the correct structure	
R19	Arya P	R5	Tierney G
R20	Caleb M	R6	Nirvana M
R21	Khloe C	R7	Caylem W
R22	Damon B	R8	Diya N
R23	Ryan C	R9	Dean C
R24	Claire H	R10	Talesha I
		R17	Alannah D

COMMUNITY NEWS

SUNBURY BLUE LIGHT DISCO

Friday August 24, Sunbury Memorial Hall. \$7 entry fee. Pyjama party!!! Door prizes from skin ski & surf, Big W and Reading cinemas. Plus heaps more giveaways to be given out on the dance floor.

SUNBURY SOFTBALL REGISTRATION DAY

Saturday August 25 2018 10am – 12pm John McMahon Recreation Reserve, 155 Lancefield Rd, Sunbury. Ages 5+ bring a friend and grab a free sausage at the sausage sizzle. For more information email sunburysa@gmail.com

RUPERTSWOOD CRICKET CLUB

Players wanted! U12 and U16 girls cricket comp 2018/2019 season. Expression of interest Saturday August 25 from 9am Sunbury Square Shopping Centre. Come try day at cricket club nets Sunday September 16. Contact Kellie Spencer 0411637785 or kelliespencer@internode.on.net for more information

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