



## CALENDAR

<b>18 Nov</b>	2021 Prep Information Night 7.00pm – via Webex
<b>24 Nov</b>	2021 Prep Orientation Session 1 9.30 – 10.30am
<b>1 Dec</b>	2021 Prep Orientation Session 2 9.30 – 10.30am
<b>8 Dec</b>	2021 Prep Orientation Session 3 9.30 – 10.30am
<b>8 Dec</b>	Secondary School Orientation Day
<b>16 Dec</b>	Year 6 Graduation
<b>18 Dec</b>	Last Day Term 1.30pm Finish

## FROM THE LEADERSHIP TEAM

### REMEMBER THE WILD FILM FESTIVAL

We would like to wish good luck to our school's sustainability team in the Remember the Wild short film festival for this Saturday. The film submitted by our school celebrates our school's biodiversity journey. Don't forget too, all members of our school community are welcome to attend the finalist event that is being held online on Saturday November 7 between 3:00-4:30pm. To register your intention to attend please click on the following link:

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/wild-by-nature-short-film-festival-tickets-125280873465>

### ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT LEARNING

Now that our students are settled back into school and have re-connected with their friends, our teaching staff have begun to conduct assessment tasks that would normally be carried out in our school at this time of year. This will give us a clear indication of the growth in learning that has occurred for all of our students over the course of the year and inform both the end of year student reports and planning for next year. While this process has only just begun, it is pleasing to see that, despite the two shifts to remote learning, many of our students have continued to show the learning growth that would have been expected for the year.

### INDIGENOUS EDIBLE GARDEN

Over the coming weeks our indigenous edible garden at the front of our school will be planted out with plants. This will support the planning and work our students from an indigenous background completed during the last period of remote learning. This planting is the first phase of the garden's completion, with future work also including painting the surrounding tyres with the story of Bunjil and representations of local indigenous lives.

### 2021 PLANNING – REMINDERS

A reminder, once again, to let us know of any changes with enrolments for next year. If you know of any Preps yet to be enrolled or families who will be leaving us next year, please let us know.

### HATS – TERM 4

A reminder that it is school policy that students wear hats outside during term 4. Please make sure your child has a hat and that it is clearly named. This is a Sunsmart measure and ensures students have good sun protection during the months when the sun's ultra-violet rays have the highest impact.

**Best wishes,**  
**Michelle and Sue**

## CURRENT NEWS

### REUSEABLE DRINK BOTTLES

A reminder to all families that the student bubble taps are not permitted to be used during Covid-19 restrictions and we therefore remind everyone to ensure all students bring a reusable bottle every day to school clearly labelled with the student's name.



### PE CLASSES

Just a reminder to all parents/guardians, if your child has an injury and is unable to participate in physical activity, a note must be sent with them to PE, or email Bec Gerber directly at [rebecca.gerber@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:rebecca.gerber@education.vic.gov.au), otherwise all students are expected to participate.

### 2020 YEARBOOK COVER COMPETITION

The 2020 yearbook cover competition is running again. In your design try and reflect on the year that we've had in your cover. You must colour all the way to the edge and put nothing important on the edge (because your creation might be missing a few bits). You also have to include a **hidden surgical mask** in your entry because of Covid-19.



Don't forget to put your name and room number on the back of your design. Your entry must be dropped in the box outside the office by next Friday November 13.

Good luck and we can't wait to see your creativity!

## SCHOOL CAPTAINS CORNER

Hello Killara Family,

We are back with the School Captains' Corner. Hopefully you've all had an amazing week so far, and enjoyed the relaxing Melbourne Cup Public Holiday on Tuesday.

A quick reminder for everyone that we are running a drawing competition with a different topic for each grade. If you missed last week's newsletter here are the topics:

PREP: A picture of yourself

1/2s: An animal - any animal, maybe your pet?

3/4s: A Reuse, Reduce, Recycle poster using your own logo.

5/6s: Your own meme e.g. Among Us, Screaming Cat.

Remember to put your drawing in the entry box at the office and put your name and grade on the back, so we can notify you if you are a winner. The competition closes on Monday, November 16.

Here are some origami videos if you would like to be creative:

Crane:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D9qwLZZenlw&ab\\_channel=GiftOurPrecious](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D9qwLZZenlw&ab_channel=GiftOurPrecious)

Whale:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hjole5KutUA&ab\\_channel=GaryEasyOrigami](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hjole5KutUA&ab_channel=GaryEasyOrigami)

Fox: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z2JnMBQFa6Y&ab\\_channel=HelloOrigami](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z2JnMBQFa6Y&ab_channel=HelloOrigami)

Boat:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=THkUkhBt8Rc&t=1s&ab\\_channel=ArtforKidsHub](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=THkUkhBt8Rc&t=1s&ab_channel=ArtforKidsHub)

Fortune teller:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SAhillTxUYA&ab\\_channel=PPO](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SAhillTxUYA&ab_channel=PPO)

For the final weeks of the School Captains' Corner we will be adding an inspirational quote to help you think about some important things:

"Do the right thing, even when no one is looking" C.S. Lewis

Have a great weekend.

Your School Captains - Luke and Charleen.

## 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.

## STUDENTS ARTWORK



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