



#### CALENDAR

21 Nov	T20 Girls Cricket Regional Final
21 Nov	2019 Prep Information Night 7.00pm
21 & 22 Nov	Year 5/6 CBA Smart Start Program
27 Nov	Prep 2019 Orientation Session 1 9.15 – 10.15am
27 Nov	Year 5 'Show Off' Sunbury College
27 & 28 Nov	Year 3/4 Mad About Science Incursion
28 Nov	Prep – Year 2 Responsible Pet Incursion
4 Dec	Prep 2019 Orientation Session 2 9.15 – 10.15am
6 Dec	Clothing Collection 8.15am
6 Dec	Step Up Day
11 Dec	Year 6 High School Orientation Day
11 Dec	Prep 2019 Orientation Session 3 9.15 – 10.40am
11 Dec	Year 2-5 Swim Trials
18 Dec	Year 6 Graduation
21 Dec	Last Day Term 1.30pm Finish

#### FROM THE LEADERSHIP TEAM

##### BITTER SWEET CONGRATULATIONS

It is truly the definition of a bitter sweet celebration in our announcement that Miss Emma Heywood has been the successful applicant for a Leading Teacher role at Deer Park West Primary School. Since joining Killara fresh out of University in 2010, Miss Heywood's commitment and passion for Killara Primary School has been beyond compare. In particular, she has had significant positive impact on the school through her roles as Literacy Co-Ordinator and Coach, and through her various positions in school Leadership.

We invite parents and families of students who have been impacted by Miss Heywood's vast contributions to our school to take the time to pass on their farewells and best wishes. As we also do for our students of course.

On behalf of the school, we would like to thank Miss Heywood for all that she has done to make Killara Primary School a better place for its staff, families, community and above all else, its students. We wish her every success as she takes on this new challenge in her career.

##### SUNBURY REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

It was fantastic to see our school represented by students, parents and staff at the Remembrance Day Service held at the Sunbury War Memorial on Sunday. The service marked 100 years to the day since the armistice of World War 1 on the 11<sup>th</sup> of

November, 1918, making the service extra emotional and poignant.

Thank you to the students who represented the school, and a special thank you to those staff who attended on behalf of the school.

##### REMEMBRANCE DAY ASSEMBLY AT KILLARA

On Monday we held our weekly assembly around our ANZAC Memorial Garden to commemorate Remembrance Day. This year's assembly held a special significance because we were presented with a second plaque from the AWAS.

We are very proud of the way in which our students conducted themselves during the assembly and the respect that they demonstrated for both our visitors and the sentiments that are the foundation for Remembrance Day ceremonies. Our school has a long tradition with supporting our local RSL branch and this was recognised by the representatives who attended our assembly on the day.

##### PREP TRANSITION SESSIONS

Transition sessions for our 2019 Prep students start next week with a Parent Information Night on Wednesday at 7pm. We look forward to meeting with everyone and discussing the ways in which we can work together to ensure a smooth start to each child's years at school. Sessions for students start the following Tuesday from 9:15 - 10:15. We look forward to meeting our future students and getting to know them a little better.

Best wishes,  
Michelle and Andrew

#### CURRENT NEWS

##### REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

Five dedicated SLC members attended Sunbury's Remembrance Day Service at the Cenotaph on Sunday. Under a beautiful sky, we listened to the commemorations and paid tribute to the men and women who have given so much for us to live in peace. Morgan, Alysha, Rhys, Anna and Cooper proudly laid a wreath on behalf of all at Killara Primary School.

Robyn Smith, SLC Coordinator



## REMEMBRANCE DAY ASSEMBLY

The whole school assembled on Monday around our ANZAC Memorial Garden for Remembrance Day. Special guests included members of the Sunbury RSL, WRAAC, AWAS, Marnie Harding, on behalf of Sunbury Traders, Carolyn our bagpiper and Rev Gavin Ward from Sunbury Uniting Church who blessed the new plaque. Representatives of the Student Leadership Council (Lorenza and Cooper) read poems of commemoration and our choir sang moving songs of remembrance.

Thank you to all involved, especially Kelli Brogan, for organising and setting up the assembly, to the parents and friends of Killara who attended, and our students who showed wonderful respect and attention throughout the proceedings. Lest we forget.



## YEARBOOK COVER COMPETITION

We are on the lookout for amazingly colourful designs that showcase life at Killara Primary. Two winners will be chosen, with runners-up displayed on the inside cover. Entries due by tomorrow **Friday November 16**.

Put your designs in to the entry box at the front office.



## 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.

## REGIONAL ATHLETICS

Congratulations to the students who competed at Regional Athletics. This is one level below State and all students put in a great effort, narrowly missing out on qualifying for State.

Well done to Brianna M, Emily K and Abbey M.

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## UNWANTED CLOTHING COLLECTION FOR DIABETES AUSTRALIA - DECEMBER 6, 2018.

Killara has partnered with Diabetes Australia to raise funds and reduce our carbon footprint.

We are asking Killara families and friends to have a spring clean. Go through your wardrobes and cupboards over the next few weeks and put aside any unwanted clothing, accessories, belts, shoes, linen etc. that is no longer needed.

This program helps raise money for our school, reduces waste to landfill, supports those living with diabetes in our community and provides funding into research for finding a cure for diabetes.

The collection will happen on Thursday December 6 at 8.15am. Our Student Leadership Council students will be around to help you unload your car. See you then.

Robyn Smith, Sustainability Team and SLC students

### PAYMENTS DUE

Year 3/4 Science Incursion – 21 Nov

Year 6 Graduation – 26 Nov

Year 2-5 Swim Trials – 4 Dec

## WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK

Parents who wish to volunteer at our school regularly and are likely to be working with a child on a 1:1 or small group basis and/or wish to attend an excursion or overnight camp are required to hold a current Working with Children Card. Working with Children application forms can be obtained online. There is no cost to obtain a Working With Children Card and the check is valid for 5 years. Once you have received your card please submit it at the office and a photocopy will be made for our records.

[We also ask that you display your Working With Children card when volunteering at school.](#)

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### SUNBURY STREETLIFE FESTIVAL

Sunbury Streetlife Festival will be held on Sunday 18 November from 10am – 3pm. The family friendly event brings Sunbury's O'Shanassy Street to life with great entertainment, kid's activities and community displays. The event is free and is presented by Home Grown Promotions Inc. For more information visit [www.homegrowneventsVIC.com](http://www.homegrowneventsVIC.com)

### GIANT CAR BOOT SALE

Saturday November 17 from 8.30am at the Uniting Church Hall & Village Green Cnr Brooke & O'Shanassy Streets, Sunbury. Over 60 cars! Handcraft stalls inside and outside. Enquiries to Helen on 0407506507

### SUNBURY TIGERS RUGBY LEAGUE

The Sunbury United Rugby League Club are seeking male and female players of all ages for the 2019 season. Our home ground is located at Langama Park in Mitchells Lane, Sunbury. Please contact Tony Gould 0434184626 or Mark Gifford 0418133940. Send email enquiries to [sunburytigers@gmail.com](mailto:sunburytigers@gmail.com)