

***We are a Child Safe School.
All children have the right to feel safe and to learn.
We are committed to protecting the wellbeing of students in our care.***

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday 15th December	Prep Graduation, 9.15am—Sensory Garden (weather permitting) Swimming Continues "Up Day" — meet 2024 classroom teacher, 3.00pm—3.30pm
Monday 18th December	Grade 6 Graduation
Tuesday 19th December	Bundoora Park excursion WHOLE SCHOOL , 10.00am—1.30pm
Wednesday 20th December	Assembly & Christmas Raffle drawn, 1.00pm Term 4 ends, 1.30pm finish
Monday 29th January 2024	Staff commence (Curriculum day—no students) Uniform shop open for collection
Tuesday 30th January	Years 1-6 students commence, 9.00am
Thursday 1st February	Foundation (Prep) 2024 students commence, 9.00am

From the Principal,

School will be dismissed for the year at 1.30pm on Wednesday December 20th.

Greetings All,

It's been a busy couple of weeks since our last newsletter what with Swimming and the Art Show and STOMP all taking place. Firstly, I would like to congratulate all of the students on their STOMP performance. It was 100% involvement 100% of the time and the levels of enthusiasm was second to none. I have taken the liberty to book STOMP for 2024.

This was followed up by Miss Renee's dance group which performed for us on December 7th. Thanks to Renee for giving up her break time to rehearse and for the students for their efforts as well.

Finally a big shout out to Mrs Krause and her parent team (Chole, Jillian, Rachel, Hoang, Ngoc, Anh, Musab, Sarah) for their work in setting everything up in Isurava for the event . Also, a big thank you to Cindy for helping sizzle the sausages. We have included some shots of the Art Space.

Staffing List

We have finalised our staffing list for 2024 and it is as follows-

Prep Simone Bevan

1 /2 Marcelina Jap

1/2 Katherine Wicks

3 /4 Shaun Bishop

4 /5 Cindy Nguyen

5 /6 Matthew McKenzie

PE Wayne Bolton

Visual Arts Alice Krause

Performing Arts Renee Cerantonio

LOTE Catherine Jenkins

Inclusion Wayne Bolton

EAL Anne Atkinson

Teacher Aides Mikayla Porteous, Carlene Thompson, Jennifer Watson

Office Silvia Murray, Mikayla Porteous

I will be as continuing on in the Principal Role.

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From the Principal (continued)

Lastly

I have included a full summary of our Attitudes to school survey along with this newsletter. It is a great result with Kingsbury achieving better than our Network (neighbouring) schools in ALL of the different measures.

There will be a brief final bulletin next Tuesday afternoon..



All the best,
Brett Millott
Principal

Quick Hits

Library

Just a reminder that library books are now due back. Any books that have been lost or misplaced may incur a charge.

End of Year Celebrations—Bundoora Park

Students are celebrating the end of the year by visiting Bundoora Park on Tuesday 19th December 2023.

All staff and students will participate in a range of activities to celebrate end the year. There will be no staff left at school as all teachers will attend the days activities and all students will be expected to attend. Students and staff will walk to from the park.

More information is available on compass.

Raffle Tickets

Our end of year raffle will be drawn on the last day of term at our short assembly before school dismissal. Tickets are 50cents each or \$5 for a book of 15. Please return tickets to the office by Wednesday morning. This years prizes include;

1st prize— \$100 Ultimate gift for Everyone card

2nd prize—\$50 Wish card

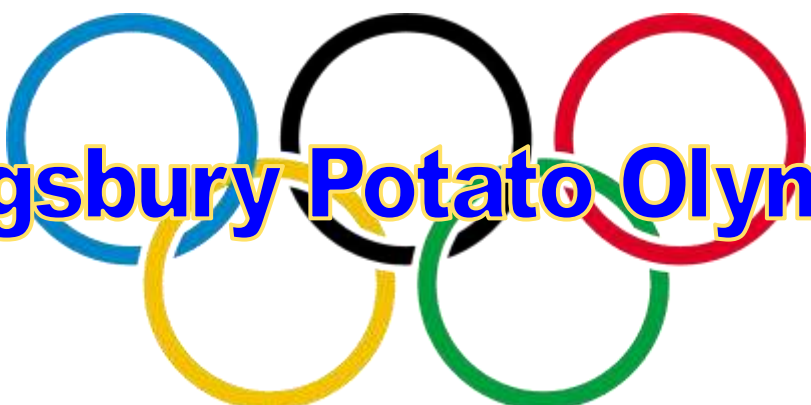
3rd prize—\$30 Gift card

Potato Olympics

7th of November we did something called Potato Olympics. The 3/4 to 5/6 competed by playing with potatoes by the rules of the Olympics. The activities were Velodrome, swimming, gymnastics, weight lifting, making boats, diving, soccer, running, sliding, bowling and spinning. Everyone had a fun time and we hope to do it next year.

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Kingsbury Potato Olympics

Art Show

On the 7th of November After school every grade from school had a chance to go to the art show with both or one of your parents. In the art show, you could see all the hard work that all the kids did at art, and at the art show you could get yourself a candy cane if you wanted one. The activity that was at the art show was a color your own skeleton which many kids went to. The last thing that happened at the art show was the prized winner. These prizes were given to people that tried their best in art and there were 15 gifts for the 15 people who won. This event was very put into and the people that came had a very good time at the art show.

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STOMP

On the 30th of November our whole school performed our STOMP concert with each class performing two dances each. We practiced our dances for four weeks and performed in front of parents and the school. It was a very fun and great experience.

Tianah & Vivienne