

We are a Child Safe School.
All children have the right to feel safe and to learn.

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday 25th October	<i>Interschool Sport, 12.30pm vs. Reservoir (Home game)</i>
Monday 28th October	<i>Prep Fire Ed Incursion, 9.30am</i> <i>Assembly, 3.15pm</i>
Wednesday 30th October	<i>School Banking</i> <i>Playgroup, 9.-00am—11.00am</i>
Thursday 31st October	<i>Halloween Dress Up Day—Gold coin donation</i> <i>Sporting Schools Volleyball, Prep—Year 3 incursion</i>

From the Acting Principal, Mr Wayne Bolton

Considerations for 2020 class placement

We are in the process of finalising staffing and grades for 2020. If you have an educational reason why consideration should be made for your child's placement in 2020, then please forward this in writing by Friday 1st November. It should be placed in an envelope marked 'For the attention of the Principal, Ms Christine Campbell'. Whilst I will do my best to accommodate parent requests, this cannot be guaranteed. I assure parents that student placements are considered very carefully by teachers to ensure balanced grades and appropriate placements. Once students have been allocated to a grade, no changes can be made.

Year 6 Graduation

Families of our 2019 graduating class will shortly receive their graduation invitations. Please organise your guests as soon as possible and return all notes and money to the office. I remind families that this event is unsuitable for younger children and they are not able to attend.

Walk to School Day

A group of students, together with Mr McCredden, Mr McKenzie-McHarg and myself walked to school from the Link St shops as part of Walk to School Day, today, Thursday 24th October. Students also took part in healthy eating, enjoying some fresh fruit, provided by Darebin Council.

Halloween Dress-up Day

The Junior School Council will be organising a Halloween Dress-up Day on Thursday 31st October. Students and staff are invited to dress up on this day or wear a Halloween hat. There will be a short parade to show off our costumes. Participating students are asked to bring a gold coin donation, which will be donated to the Domestic Violence Resource Centre. If you do not wish for your child to participate in this activity please notify the classroom teacher, who will provide an alternate activity during the parade time.

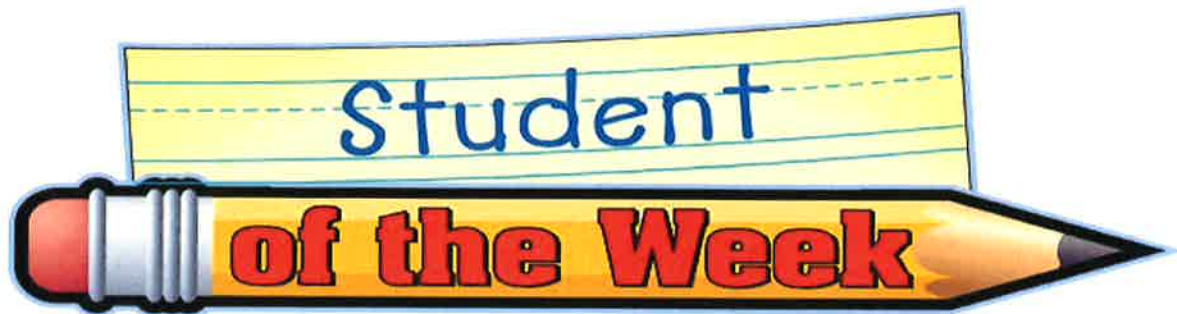
Retirement Farewell

Our Business Manager, Mrs. Toula Athanasopoulos has announced her retirement. We thank Toula for her dedication and service to the school over the past 22 years, and we wish her and her husband George, all the very best in the coming years. Enjoy this new journey in your life. Congratulations on a well deserved retirement.

REMEMBRANCE DAY
MONDAY 11TH NOVEMBER 2019



Poppies are available for purchase from the School Office. Ranging from \$2.00—\$5.00 Please support this worthwhile cause. We will be holding a special assembly on Monday 11th November, commencing at 10.45am.



Student of the Week

00A	Oliver	Oliver has demonstrated Kingsbury's value of Friendship by always being a helpful and considerate friend to his classmates. Oliver has worked consistently well in Mathematics and Reading.
1/2A	Hoaxuan	Hoaxuan is a hard worker who always completes his work. He tries his best in all areas and it has been pleasing to see him becoming more confident and sharing his ideas with the class. Hoaxuan is a respectful member of the class and is a willing helper.
1/2B	Kaedyn	Kaedyn has shown great improvement in Maths this term. He is having a go at working independently and should be proud of the progress he is making. Keep up the great effort, Kaedyn.
3/4A	Joey	Joey works co-operatively with everyone and always shows initiative. He is always ready to start learning, persists with tasks and attempts all work given to him. Joey enjoys challenges and takes part in extracurricular activities such as completing JSC work and taking part in Interschool sports activities. Well done!
3/4B	Daniella	Daniella shows great effort in completing all her set work this term. She enjoys playing with her friends and always looks out for them. Good teamwork Daniella!
5/6A	Mia	Mia has proven that she relates well to others, is reliable and leads by example. She displays the confidence required to work independently, but also in a team, where she challenged and supported her peers. Well done Mia.
5/6B	Noah	This certificate is awarded to Noah for being a kind and wonderful role model to his fellow peers. Noah consistently makes good choices during his learning and has been a key member in Literature Circles. He is always polite and considerate which encourages others to follow his lead.

KINGSBURY OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE

LATELY AT OSHC...

Did you know that next to plastic bags, plastic bottle tops are one of the top polluters of the oceans and environment? They create micro beads which pollute our beaches and harm precious marine life.

Well here at Before and After Care we are doing our part to help! Over the past few weeks, we have been collecting plastic bottle tops (like those from a bottle of milk or juice). Once we've built up a big collection these will be donated to Envision Hands, a project which recycles these bottle tops and turns them into prosthetic hands for children in need. Pretty cool, right? We think this is a very creative way to help both the environment and people in need, and so we are inviting you to join in! Start collecting your bottle tops (with the recycling codes 2 or 4) today and drop them off to us in the Multi-Purpose Room to help be a part of this great project.

Our Junior Leader this week is Eva! She has been a fantastic help lately, especially with looking after the younger children. Her ever-present kindness at the program is greatly appreciated. Keep it up, Eva!



It was nice to see some teamwork during Tuesday's outdoor painting experience!

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
BREAKFAST	Toast and cereal	Ham and cheese omelettes	Toast and cereal	Raisin toast	Toast and cereal
AFTERNOON TEA	Breadstick toasties	Pasta Bolognese	Vegie stir fry	Yogurt and fruit	Spring rolls
ACTIVITY 1	Cooking: Baked cinnamon donuts	Outdoor painting	Cooking: Berry bliss balls	Cardboard castle construction	Blind illustration
ACTIVITY 2	Bocce	Sandcastle competition	Indoor soccer	Water play	Minute to win it
FREE PLAY IDEAS	Do the domino chain challenge, play memory, write a movie script, play Connect Four.				

YEAR 5/6 MARKET DAY

Thank you to everyone who attended the 5/6 Market Day. All of the 5/6 students' hard work paid off with over \$570 raised for The Royal Flying Doctors Service. Although all students did a fantastic job, some outstanding efforts need to be mentioned.

- Most Professional Stall:** Macey, Jasmin & Kara
- Most money raised:** Aditya, James & Elyas
- Best Effort and Executed:** Lovelin, Serenity & Dana
- Loudest:** Jack and Maddison



**Well
done
to all!**



Year 5 Yarning Conference Excursion

We were buzzing with excitement, as we were going to the Aboriginal Advances League. Excitement was buzzing everywhere when we entered the building. And then the event started. At the start we heard a new Aboriginal story called *Wilam*, which means house in Aboriginal. It talked about how the Murray River flows, how the animals thrive, and so on!

Next, we were assigned to our workshops. Our workshop was Edible and medical plants. Our workshop teacher was called Uncle Trevor. We had a lot of fun, like planting our own beans, to smelling plants like lemon Myrtle, which do smell nice, and it's used for tea.

While eating lunch, we met students from other schools. Near the end of lunch, we were given flags showing the Aboriginal and Torres Strait flags.

Next, it was time for our Little Big Walk; it was representing an Aboriginal person walk from Victoria to Canberra. Ours was just around the oval though.

We were not expecting a smoke tribute for Indigenous Australians. But I could tell you, there is a lot of smoke. So, put it simple, each school has 6 representatives, which were 5 students and one teacher. Each student and teacher will get a leaf, and drop it in the fire. This created smoke, thus this was our tribute for the first people, which were Indigenous Australians.

Lastly, we headed back to the Aboriginal Advances League's main building. And then we showed the rest of the schools what we did in our workshop.

All too soon we headed to school. And that was our excursion.

Written By Ryder Vo

