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Nº 17

TERM FOUR

Thursday, 1st November, 2018



IMPORTANT REMINDERS for TERM 4

'NO HAT NO PLAY' SUNSMART POLICY between September 1st and April 30th

Monday 5th November PROFESSIONAL LEARNING/PUPIL FREE DAY
 Tuesday 6th November CUP DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY/NO STUDENTS AT SCHOOL
 Tuesday 13th to 14th November Year 3 CAMP @ Mt. Evelyn
 Monday 17th December Year 6 GRADUATION - more information to follow

Christmas Concert - Save the date (December 18th) !!!!!

This year the Christmas Concert will be on December 18th (with a backup date of December 20th in case of inclement weather). Please put this in your calendars now and let's make it a fantastic community event to celebrate the wonderful efforts of the Kent Park PS students.

Excursion/Incursion POSTED ON COMPASS - Please ensure deadline dates are met			
Year	Date of Event	Incursion/Excursion/Event	DUE DATE
Foundation	Monday, 26 th November	Melbourne Museum Excursion	19 th November
Year 1			
Year 2			
Year 3	T&W 13 th – 14 th November	Y3 Camp to Mt Evelyn Recreation Camp	DUE NOW
Year 5	Thursday, 15 th November	Y5 Scoresby Sec College Day of Learning	2 nd November
Year 6	Fri 2 nd , 16 th & 23 rd Nov Friday 14 th December	Health & Human Development Y6 Bike Ed & Ride to Dandenong National Park	OVERDUE 14 th November

From the Acting Principal

Grade 5 Camp

'Sit up straight, no slouching, eyes forward, boys sit to the left, girls on the right, pay attention, children should be seen and not heard'... sound familiar? Well, that's exactly the experience our awesome Grade 5 team have had this week on yet another great camp for KPPS. Gold panning, mine tours, candle-stick making, bowling, coach rides plus heaps more are all part of the fun for our team...when they are not in school in the 1870's! Special thanks to our staff that take time away from their families to give our students this wonderful opportunity.

Curriculum Day

Our staff will be working very closely with our DSSI partners and our team implementing our new School-Wide Positive Behaviours framework at our curriculum day this Monday, November 5th. Students are therefore not expected to attend school on this day.

Sport

We have had so many teams continuing to represent KPPS at the next level across a wide range of sports over the last two weeks. We look forward to acknowledging all of these dedicated and talented students at our next assembly on Monday, November 12th. We would like to thank all of our parents and helpers that have contributed to the success of our teams throughout the program this semester, we truly appreciate your help and support.

Landscaping Project

We are very close to finalising the last details and contracts for the landscaping project, targeting the area between the grade 5 and 6 classrooms. The process for getting this project approved has taken much longer than anticipated but we are finally ready to start work in the next few weeks. Once the construction begins, we will need to section off most of the area to allow the contractors to complete the project as quickly as possible with the least amount of disruption to the daily running of the school.

Kieran Denver
Acting Principal

1/2 Lunchtime Dance Concert Review

A Huge Congratulations to the 1/2 Students who performed in our Lunchtime Dance Concert on Tuesday.

Well done to: Dara, Chloe, Asher, Bianca, Lucy, William, Brylee, Briana, Harper and Ruby for their amazing performances.

*Thank you also to the **Grade 6** leaders who hosted and assisted with set up and pack up.*

Weekly Merit Awards for Week Ending 19th October, 2018

Class	Student's Name	Reason
FN	Aaliya Aggarwal	For an amazing effort with writing a beginning, middle and end. Well done Aaliya!
FW	Caitlyn Green	For writing a wonderful recount about her weekend and being a helpful student.
1/2B	Izabelle Bird	For making a great effort to work on her comprehension of inferred ideas.
1/2F	Ruby Hogan	For making a huge effort to use what she sees and what she knows to infer.
1/2H	Alex Ditz	For trying his best with writing – super job Alex!
1/2T	Adam Homewood	For his descriptive and entertaining writing.
3B	Grace Inthachot	For always participating in all tasks with a positive mindset.
3M	Scarlett Kumar	For a positive attitude and work habits. Well done.
4C	Grace Limanto	For working hard, being respectful and designing the most aerodynamic paper aeroplane.
4S	Logan Pettitt-Brown	For creating entertaining stories for the class to read and inspire us in Literacy learning.
5C	Billy Morrison	For an awesome effort in making his writing sound interesting.
5H	Connor White	For a great effort with his camp letter.
5M	Cooper Radnidge	For the consistent effort you have been putting into your work. Well done!
6C	Brodie Hunter	For being persistent in your learning and always trying your best.
6M	Krish Mittal	For his thoughtful presentation of his Inquiry book.
Visual Arts	Nathan Church	For always having such a positive attitude in the Art Room.
Physical Ed.	Millicent Anderson	For trying her best to improve her throwing.
Principal	Grade 4's & 4C Speech Entrants	For an amazing effort in preparing speeches for the Knox Council.

Weekly Merit Awards for Week Ending 27th October, 2018

Class	Student's Name	Reason
FN	Mariana Edwards	For amazing attempts to write new words. Well done Mariana!
FW	Elliette Robson	For writing a great beginning, middle and end for her story and for being a fantastic listener.
1/2B	Leni Farrell	For making a fabulous effort to read accurately and fluently.
1/2F	Lazar Ivanov	For always contributing valuable ideas and thoughts during class discussions.
3B	Brody Betts	For his determination and focus to complete his work to a wonderful standard.
4C	Noah Bortignon	For representing Kent Park Primary School at Knox Council and giving an amazing speech for Children's Week.
4S	Isabelle Antonopoulos	For representing our school so bravely, maturely and enthusiastically at Knox Council.
6C	Ella Batley	For having a fantastic week! Well done!
6M	Loudy Kieffer	For his excellent effort creating his passport for our inquiry unit.
Perf. Arts	Tahlia Bradey	For being such a great contributor in Performing Arts.
Visual Arts	Lucy Barfus	For always producing unique works of art!
Physical Ed.	Jet Rushton-Smith	For always being a helpful and respectful member of team 1/2F.
Japanese	Damon Davids	For commitment to a 14-fold origami finger puppet!!
Asst. Principal	Riley Hamilton	For his outstanding efforts to continue to make good choices at school. Keep it up!
Principal	Noah Bortignon Isabelle Antonopoulos	For doing an outstanding job representing our school. For doing an outstanding job representing our school.

House Points – Week ending – 26th October

Weekly Total			Progressive Total		
1 st	Daintree	52	1 st	Franklin	138
2 nd	Franklin	34	2 nd	Daintree	125
2 nd	Uluru	28	3 rd	Uluru	107
4 th	Eureka	14	4 th	Eureka	72

YEAR 4 CAMP RECOUNTS

Just after the relaxing school holidays, the cheerful Year 4 students went to Phillip Island Adventure Resort, because of the extremely exciting camp and to experience life without parents. At the wondrous camp, I visited the amazing Circotron, mind-bending Amaze ‘n’ Things and challenging low ropes course.

Joyfully, my group curiously walked down to the astonishing Circotron. Nervously, I slowly skittered into the queasy machine. Suddenly, I began to spin around frantically. Then, I began to flip and go quicker until I was lightning fast. As I began to slow down again, I froze, for my experience of the amazing Circotron was over.

After encountering the astonishing Circotron, we found ourselves at the mind-bending Amaze ‘n’ Things. First, we got stuck in a pretty terrible situation in Andy’s Anti-Gravity Room. Suddenly, we got lost in the mirror maze, bumping into the mirrors and later getting irritated in the difficult wooden maze. We scattered up to the terrifying Drop Slide but many people were too scared to go down it. At the end of our journey, we experienced playing at the wonderful mini golf course.

We finally discovered that it was time for the challenging low ropes course. It was definitely difficult, nerve-racking and time-consuming. Some people lost their balance and ended up lifeless on the ground before suddenly getting right up again. It felt like tonnes of decades before I finished it, but everyone had bumped a body part or two on the X. In total, we had a splendid time.

In closing, I would highly recommend this camp for energetic, excited and adventurous kids. It was definitely exhilarating and the source of tonnes of elation. I can infer that’s not how YOU started your day today!

By Kasra Zomorodi, 4S

After the holidays, nearly all the Grade 4’s went on Year 4 camp. From Monday the 8th to Wednesday the 10th of October, we had a tonne of fun at Phillip Island, discovering new illusions left and right, seeing the cutest, smallest penguins, and having great fun on activities. The meals were great, but we’re not here for the food, so let’s dive right in to the fun!

In the middle of the second day, I was face-to-face with myself. At Amaze ‘n’ Things, I was amazed before I even entered the building! On the roof of a fake building was a giant, floating tap, flooding the fake house! AS I got in, all I thought of was the mirror maze. When I got in the maze, I was staring myself in the face. Basically all I could see was me. When Vanyo came beside me, I thought he was in front of me! It was well and truly Amaz’n’!

It must have been the cutest thing ever. As I arrived at the Penguin Parade, I was filled with enthusiasm. As soon as I got to the seats, I saw...nothing. After a while of waiting, I finally saw some penguins. They were so cute! They were small, blue and very curious. After we left the seats, we went to look at them from the rails. Two of them came so close, I felt like I could touch them! It was the best night I had ever lived.

As you all may know, pelicans are big, scary, hungry and curious birds, but have you ever seen one? I didn’t think so. I got to see one up close! Now, you may be wondering, how do you find the difference between an adult and a baby? If they have a yellow spot on their necks, it means they’re an adult. But the scientific stories of Logan Pettitt-Brown haven’t found out how to find the difference between genders yet. Speaking of necks, the pelicans can hold their food in their neck and that food is leftover flathead – a head, a spine and a tail.

Sadly, it was time to leave, but this was truly the best camp ever! I highly recommend that it your child’s school has a camp to Phillip Island, I’m sure any adventurous kid would love it!

By Logan Pettitt-Brown, 4S

On Monday the 8th all of the year 4 went to Phillip Island Adventure Resort. In my cabin I had Mitch, Mitchell and Isaac. I slept on the top bunk, under me I had Mitch. Next to Mitch was Mitchell and Isaac was on the window sill.

When we got there we went beachcombing with a ranger. Meg and Tahlia found a baby shark that was a corpse. We walked on Smith’s Beach. We got to feel some fury penguin fur and seal fur. Penguins have two layers of fur on them.

On day two we had activities. First I had the circotron. I went last and my hands were sweating. It made me feel like I was sweating and I was in space. It was awesome even though it messed my hair up. Then we did low ropes which I hurt myself. In my low ropes group I had Kobi and Flynn. Then we got back and played Ed’s Alley. I stayed in for 4 games. Then we went to Amaze N’ Things. My favourite thing was Andy’s gravity room and puzzle island. In Andy’s gravity room there was a flying chair. My second favourite thing was the mirror maze. I banged into 13 mirrors. There was a flying tap with water coming out of it. When we got back we did the single flying fox. I went fourth last. When it was my turn I got hooked on 5m in the air. I jumped off and started doing Groove Jam. The fox goes for about 1 minute and 20 seconds. When I brought the rope back I went back to the cabins with Connor and Noah.

On Thursday night we went to the penguin parade. We saw hundreds of thousands of penguins. My favourite part was when the little penguins walked past the walkway. Then we went into the shop. I got a necklace with a shark tooth on it. We got back and had a cookie with fruit and went to bed.

I hope the year threes have a great time next year on camp. I had a great time and I know year 5 camp won’t be better than the year 4 camp.

By Josh Allen 4C.

YEAR 4 CAMP RECOUNTS Cont'd

On Monday the 8th of October all of the year fours left for school camp at the Phillip Island Adventure Resort.

On day one when we arrived we found out who was in our cabin. I was in room 26 with Cayla Tahlia, Natalia, Gol and Zoe. After a little bit of free time we went beachcombing. We all found lots of different things but Tahlia and I found a dead baby shark. It felt really weird to touch.

At the end of the day we watched Oddball and went to bed.

After a good nights sleep we all woke up to day two and went to our activities. My first activity was low ropes. It was so much fun. Zaine and Connor M were my spotters. After low ropes we had the initiative course. It was a little hard but fun. After a little while we went to Amaze n' Things. It was a lot of fun. I was in a small group in the maze with Tahlia and Zoe. We got lost about 10 times. After a while we played mini golf. When we got back to the camp site it was raining and so wet that we had to choose between the flying fox or giant swing. I went on the giant swing. I went a little higher than halfway. After that we went back to our cabins to get dry. Then we all met inside to play some games. We had an egg and spoon race, a three legged race and a game where you have to wear a belt with a pencil attached to it and you have to squat to get the pencil in a milk bottle container. After some more games we had free time in our cabins and under cover.

About 20 minutes later we all had dinner. We had to bring our warm clothes to dinner for the penguin parade. After desert we all met outside and got on the bus for the penguin parade. It was about a 10 minute drive but it felt like 1 minute. When we arrived it was already freezing cold but it was worth it. We saw hundreds of penguins coming out of the sea going to their homes. After a small walk we arrived at the gift shop. I got a necklace and a small snow globe.

Then we went back to the campsite and went to bed for a good nights sleep. The next day my group had the circatron. It was so much fun being spun around. I was scared to start off but once I got in it, it was fine. I used all three rings and I'm so glad I went on. Then we put our luggage on the bus and went home.

In conclusion year four camp was one of the best things I've done at school yet. I can't wait for next year's camp at Sovereign Hill. Thank you for reading /listening.

By Meg Phillips

On Monday the 8th of October all of 4C and 4S went on camp to Phillip Island.

On the first day, the first thing we did was have a greet and welcome with 2 girls named Taylor and Shahanna. They were our camp leaders. Then we got a camp booklet. In that camp booklet was everyone's cabins. I was in cabin 19 with Noah and Tyrese. At 1:15pm we departed to walk to Smith's Beach to do some beachcombing. Luckily it was beautiful weather. At the beach 2 girls found a shrivelled up dead baby shark on the shore. I found 2 rocks. One was pink and one was black. After that we had free time. There were 2 really fun games there. One was called ping pong and the other one was called Ed's alley.

On day 2 we did activities and went to Amaze N' Things. My favourite activity was the circatron. The circatron was a round object that had a cage in the centre of it. Surrounding that cage was 3 rings. One of the rings made you go forwards and backwards. The next ring made you go left and right. The last ring made you go all over the place. At Amaze N' Things my favourite thing was the gravity room. It was really hard to walk because the room was on a steep angle. The angle made it look like water was going uphill. That night we took a bus to the penguin parade. At the penguin parade it was really windy and cold but it was worth it to see hundreds of little penguins. At the gift shop I bought a drink bottle for \$15.00.

On the last day we packed up and brought our luggage out of our cabins. Then we took a bus to the Nobbies for a boardwalk. We weren't there for long because it was freezing cold. Despite the weather it was awesome! Then we went to San Remo for lunch and saw pelican feeding. I loved seeing the pelicans putting the fish in it's beak.

In conclusion I loved camp and hope the future year 4's have a great camp next year.

By William Heron 4C

On Monday the 8th of October all year 4 students left for camp at Phillip Island Adventure Resort.

Firstly, on day one we went beachcombing. Beachcombing is where you look around the beach and pick up rubbish so the sea animals don't eat the rubbish and die. We also looked around to find cool things like purple rocks from volcanoes, red rocks from a volcano and two girls found a baby shark. It was very small.

Secondly, on day two we went to the penguin parade and saw hundreds of penguins. The penguins were adorable and so cute. I just wanted to pick one up and take it home with me. We also did activities. What I had first was the circatron. The circatron is what astronauts use to train with. There's three big circular poles and you can do flips and lots of cool things. I was nervous at first but when you start going you have a tonne of fun. Next we did the giant swing which I do believe you do that on year three camp. The giant swing is where you need a helmet, glasses and a harness. So what you do is you will have someone at the end helping you get buckled up so you are safe. Your friends will pull a rope and you can go to the top. You don't have to but when you're up there at the top you can't get down. So when you're at where you want to be you pull this black string and you go flying.

Thirdly, on the last day before we went home, the teachers woke us up and we started packing straight away. It was sad leaving but we had to. We had breakfast which was toast and cereal. After that we went on the bus and we saw the pelicans at San Remo. They were so cool.

In conclusion, I think the year 3 students will love Phillip Island and have a great time next year.

By Ali Crane 4C



October is Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Month. One in 4 mothers experience miscarriage, stillborn or infant loss. The Cochrane family (Kyan 1/2H) have felt this heartache twice with a miscarriage late 2015 and again in May last year when their precious baby boy Zanda Charles was born still at 39 weeks gestation.

As a 'birthday' present to Zanda, Steve, Lee and Kyan are raising much needed funds for a 'cuddle cot' for a hospital which does not currently

have one. A cuddle cot is a cooling cot that allows the bereaved parents to have as much time with their baby as possible until they are ready to say goodbye.

Lee says 'we could not have been more grateful to have that cot and to let us spend 2 and a half precious days with our angel. We want to make sure anyone else going through this horrible experience also gets that help and support through this.'

The link below is the link to their cuddle cot fundraiser with some background story to.

Please feel free to donate as little or as much as you can if you can to support this amazing cause.

<https://cuddlecot.gofundraise.com.au/page/LeanneCochrane>

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