



RESPECT - RESPONSIBILITY - KINDNESS

N^o 5.

TERM ONE

Thursday 4th April, 2019



The NO HAT, NO PLAY policy applies in all government schools until 30th April.

Friday 5th April
Friday 5th April

SPECIAL PERSON'S DAY and EASTER HAT PARADE
Last Day of Term 1 - 2.30pm dismissal.



Tuesday 23rd April
Tuesday 23rd April
Wednesday 24th April
Thursday 25th April
Friday 26th April

Term 2
First Day of Term 2
SCHOOL CANTEEN re-opens (Tuesdays & Fridays)
Y3&4 School Cross Country
ANZAC DAY (Public Holiday – no students at school)
Y5&6 School Cross Country

Monday 29th April
Tuesday 14th-24th May
Monday 27th May - 7th June

Whole School Photos (Order forms have been sent home)
Y3 & Y5 NAPLAN
Whole School Swimming Program (\$20 Deposit due 23rd April on COMPASS)



From the Acting Principal

District Athletics

Congratulations to all of our athletes that represented Kent Park at the District Athletics Carnival on Wednesday at the Knox Athletics track. I managed to pop down during the day to cheer on our team and it was fantastic to see all of them trying their best for our school. Despite being the smallest school out of the 8 competing, we still managed to finish in 3rd position overall. I'm certain our fantastic brand new sports uniforms helped our team to achieve such a great result. Special thanks to all of our family members that were able to come along and support our team.

Special Person's For Hire!

If you are finding it difficult during this busy time to find someone to come along **tomorrow** for our Special Person's Day, you may be interested in hiring a special person to come and visit you in your classroom. We will have several wonderful staff members for hire on Friday if you would like to hire a special visitor.

And how much is it going to cost you to hire one of these wonderful people I hear you ask????

The going rate for hiring a special person is currently at:

- 1x high five for 10 minutes
- 2x high fives for 15 minutes

Conditions for hire:

1. You must have fun.
2. You must have your photo taken with the special person you have hired.
3. All hired special persons must be returned with a smile on their face.

All special persons for hire will be clearly recognisable as they will be wearing a blue sash (blue because it represents kindness in our new school values)

Friday

Just a few reminders for this Friday, the last day of Term 1....

- 9.00 -9.15 Children go to their classroom
- 9.25-9.30 Parade and concert begins
- 11.00 – 11.40 Special People Morning Tea (Children will be playing outside)
- 11.40- 12.45 Special People to visit classrooms
- 12.45 – 1.15 Special People and Children Picnic Time.
- 2.00 – 2.30 End of Term Assembly
- 2.30 Dismissal

For sale: the last of our handballs will be on sale at the final assembly if you would like to grab one before the holidays, \$3 each.

9 different entries for our new school Vision Statement will also be on display in the hall on Friday for all of our families and community members to vote on their favourite. Make sure you take some time to read them all and cast your vote.

Trivia Night

Book the babysitter, start watching trivia shows on TV, practice your coin tossing skills and get your 'A team' together as the date has been set for the much-anticipated and highly entertaining 2019 Kent Park Primary School TRIVIA NIGHT!

- *Saturday June 22nd.*

This year we have to move to a bigger venue (our school assembly hall) to fit in all of the fun! More details soon.

End of Term

On Friday we will celebrate and acknowledge the retirement from teaching of one of our longest serving staff members at Kent Park. Mrs Lesley Hemley has worked at Kent Park for 19 years and previously at Park Ridge, Knoxfield and Moe. We would like to wish Lesley and her family all the very best in the future and for the next exciting chapter of their lives.

We have achieved so much as a school in the first term of 2019 and I'm sure everyone is looking forward to a well-deserved holiday. At one end of our school, our Prep students continue to make huge improvements as they have moved past the settling-in stage of school. At the other end of the school, I look at our amazing grade 6 cohort and can already see how they are preparing for secondary college. I know how proud we will all be when they graduate. I popped into the grade 4/5 classroom during the week and watched a few students presenting their talks to the class and could already see the next generation of leaders in our school. Exciting times ahead at KPPS!

Have a great holiday everyone!

Kieran Denver
Acting Principal

SPECIAL PERSON'S DAY and EASTER HAT PARADE



TOMORROW (Fri 5th April)



Tomorrow there will be an opportunity for the children to invite family members and friends to visit them at school. This annual extra curricula activity is a very special event for all members of the school community.

- *At **9.25am** the children will be participating in the annual Hat Parade and some additional groups will be performing. Everyone is welcome to join us for this wonderful event*
- *A morning tea will be served to the visitors between **11.00am-11.40am** in the hall. (Children will be playing outside).*
- *The visitors will then be invited to join the students in their classrooms between **11.40am and 12.45pm.***
- *The children can enjoy their picnic lunch with their special visitor between **12.45pm and 1.15pm.***
- *There will be an assembly at **2.10pm** and **DISMISSAL AT 2.30PM** on **FRIDAY 5th APRIL, 2019.***

We would greatly appreciate it if families could provide a small plate of food for the morning tea for our special visitors. The food can be dropped off to the Canteen between 8.45am and 9.00am on the day.

KNOX COMMUNITY CARE SERVICES

by Hudson Hilton 4C

Today 2 ladies came to talk to the year 4s. Bridgette and Leonie told us what their jobs are at Knox Council. Leonie's job is an assessor and Bridgette's job is being an occupational therapist. They help elderly people.

Old people can't do as much as we can do.

If people can't do something they can get help from the Knox Council.

Knox Council workers provide tools to help elderly people. eg can opener, grabbing stick, shoe hook and a button hook.

There's something called 'walking basketball', when old people dribble a ball and they put in the net and of course you have to walk.

There's something called 'meals on wheels' where some people have their food delivered 7 days a week. It's basically uber eats but it's healthy and you only have to pay a small fee!

You can put car rails in your car so when old people get out of cars they have something to hold on to. Old people can get in a car with other old people and go shopping together for 2 hours, it's a good way to get out of the house and socialise.

WE ARE NOW TAKING PREP ENROLMENTS FOR 2020

If you have a Prep student starting at Kent Park Primary School in **2020**, enrolment forms are available at the office for submission by **June 30th, 2019**. The Prep Transition Program commences early Term 3 along with the distribution of parent information newsletters and updates.

Monthly Merit Awards for MARCH, 2019

Class	Student	Reason
PW	Maya L.	For putting in a great effort with all learning tasks and for being a kind friend.
P/1H	Damon D.	For always listening carefully and trying his best. What a super star!!
1/2H	Declan D.	For the enthusiastic approach he takes during all tasks.
2B	Lucy B.	For an amazing effort with her reading strategies.
3K	Zac C.	For being an excellent Kent Park role model by showing the values of respect, responsibility and kindness.
3M	Ruby H.	For her enthusiasm when participating in all tasks. Well done.
4C	Matilda C.	For enthusiastically asking and answering questions at the Knox Council excursion.
4/5C	Dale J.	For awesome listening and great recall of the interesting information we learnt at Knox Council.
5B	Connor Mc	For being an amazing role model and leader with our Prep Buddies!
6K	Georgia W.	For always setting a good example and completing work to a high standard.
6M	John M.	For the level of effort he puts into all activities.
6S	Nate S.	For confidently participating and working productively with determination.
Phys. Ed.	Leni F.	For always participating with enthusiasm and a positive manner.
Steam	Dale J. Jackson B. Jacob D. Ryda Mc.	} For outstanding teamwork throughout the term in STEAM.
Asst. Prin.	Mrs. Bennett	For the amazing patience and energy you display when supporting Kent Park students.
PRINCIPAL	Mrs. Mayne	For always being a friendly, caring and helpful staff member of K.P.P.S.

Lunar Drive In

115 SOUTH GIPPSLAND HWY, DANDENONG. 9706 9988

MARCH 21 THE LEGO MOVIE	MARCH 28 DUMBO
APRIL 3 WONDER PARK	APRIL 4 SHAZAM!
APRIL 24 AVENGERS: ENDGAME	MAY 16 PIKACHU
MAY 23 Aladdin	451027

ALL CARLOADS MON-WED \$25* THUR-SUN \$30*

SESSIONS AT WWW.LUNARDRIVEIN.COM.AU

Information correct at time of printing. All dates and films are subject to change.

RUCCIS

Circus Experiences for Everyone!
ruccis.com.au

Weekly circus classes for kids, teens and adults
Birthday parties and holiday programs and
Event entertainment

Book a Come & Try class for only **\$10!**

Open Day and Night

Scoresby Secondary College
Inspiring brilliance

Tuesday 30 April 2019
Recognised for highest VCE growth in Victoria
Tour Details 9765 4100.

HEATHMONT COLLEGE

OPEN NIGHT

Tuesday 30 April 2019 - 7:00pm

Distinguished by our DNA:

- Wellbeing
- Pathway Choice
- Internationalisation
- Rigour
- Innovation

COLLEGE TOURS: Thursdays 9:15am-10:00am
Saturday 23 March 9:30am

To register for a tour, please go to www.heathmont.vic.edu.au

Waters Grove, Heathmont VIC 3135
P (03) 9871 4988
www.heathmont.vic.edu.au

HEATHMONT COLLEGE

GROWING THROUGH KNOWLEDGE

THE LITTLE BIG KICK

2019 REGISTRATIONS OPEN NOW

REGISTER

BREAKING NEWS

SCORESBY MAGPIES AUSKICK
First 30 registered will get a 50% refund
Secure Your Child's Place!

WHERE: Carrington Park Reserve, Knoxfield (next to Bunnings)
WHEN: Saturday mornings 10am-11.30am
START DATE: Sat 27th April - Sat 17th August
COST: \$93 (Lowest price in the local area)
Every Child Receives - Auskick Participant Pack!
Dedicated and Experience Coaching Staff, Junior Football Mentors, BBQ's, Special Event Days, Awards, Grid Games at Senior Football Games, and LOTS OF FUN!

<https://play.af1/auskick/2019-registration> - Postcode: 3180
For further information, please phone 0402 274 224 or email: scoresbyauskick@gmail.com

BRENTWOOD SECONDARY COLLEGE

OPEN NIGHT 2019

Tuesday 30 April, 7-8 pm

Brentwood College Hall
66-71 Watsons Rd, Glen Waverley
www.brentwood.vic.edu.au