



Kindness – Respect - Responsibility

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TERM ONE

Thursday 27th February, 2020



IMPORTANT REMINDER for TERM 1

'NO HAT NO PLAY' SUNSMART POLICY between 28th January and 30th April

2020 DATES

Monday	2 nd	March	Swimming deposit due
Wednesday	11 th	March	Book Club Issue 2 due
Friday	27 th	March	End Term 1 - 2.30pm dismissal
Tuesday	14 th	April	First day Term 2
Tuesday	14 th	April	First day of Swimming Program (information to follow)
Friday	24 th	April	Swimming Program finishes
Tuesday	28 th	April	School Photos

From the Principal

Market Night

It was..... AWESOME!!!!!!!!!!

Congratulations to our **hard-working PA team** on yet another **incredibly successful event** for our community.

Swimming Team

Congratulations to all of our KPPS swimmers that represented our school last Friday at the district Swimming Competition. Best of luck to Sophie Ware as she goes on to represent KPPS at the next level of competition, the Division finals at Aquanation. Go Sophie!

Junior School Council

Our recently elected **JSC team met for the first time** this week with our leaders, Miss B and Mrs Witte as they begin the important job of **representing their grade**. We will be presenting all of our JSC team their **badges at our assembly on Friday March 6th at 9am**.

School Council 2020

The **nomination process for our 2020 school council** will open for two weeks beginning this Friday, February 28th until 5pm on Thursday March 12th. We currently have **4 vacant positions for parent members** of our school council for this year. It's definitely a great time to be a part of our council as we enter into our **full school review process** in term 3 which will result in the development of our **4-year strategic plan** for KPPS.

You can either **nominate yourself for a position** or have a member of our **parent community nominate you**, both forms will be available from our office or contact the school and we can email you a copy. If you are interested in finding out more about the role of a school council member before you nominate for a position, just get in contact with any current member of council, call the office for a handbook or jump on the DET website to find out everything you need to know.

School Safety

Every term we are scheduled to practise one of our four emergency procedures in the school including on-site evacuations, off-site evacuations, lock-down procedures and lock-in procedures. At our assembly tomorrow morning we will inform our staff and students that we will be practising our lockdown procedure during the day. Our lock-down procedure is quite simple and provides minimal disruption to our learning time.

Working Bee

Our first working bee for 2020 is scheduled for Sunday, March 22nd from 9am -12pm. With our new **Environment and Sustainability** program gathering momentum, we'd like to spend some time re-establishing the veggie garden area. More information at a later date.

The Rumour File!

There are quite a few **rumours circulating** around the school at the moment, I wonder if you've heard any of these.....
Is it true that the **Preps** nearly had their **first adventure to the 'Big-side'** of the playground on Tuesday at lunch time, only to be thwarted by the heavy rain?
Is it true that there will soon be a **giant 'tree'** appearing in the entrance to the assembly hall as part of our SWPB program?
Is it true that our chickens (the same chickens the Preps hatched last year) have **started laying eggs** and we got 7 over the weekend?
Is it true that we might be getting a **new four-legged 'enrolment'** as a trial at the school very soon?
Is it true that Mr Denver has already taken **lots of Prep tours** already for next year and is thinking that next year's grade 5's could end up with more than 1 prep buddy each?

Kieran Denver
Principal

Monthly Merit Award for week beginning 17th February

Class	Student	Reason
PA	Amber L	For always trying her best with her learning. What a star!!
1/2A	Archie H	For trying his best with all writing tasks and for being a great friend to everyone.
1/2B	Jashn S	For the excellent effort he puts into his learning.
3/4A	Ella C	For an impressive effort creating and describing 30 shapes.
3/4B	Kyle W	For showing kindness to others and for all your help to tidy the classroom.
3/4C	Addison C	For her kindness and thoughtfulness towards her classmates and teaching staff.
5/6A	Hudson T	For his effort in Maths when rounding numbers into the millions.
5/6B	Hudson H	For writing an open and funny series of formal and personal letters.
5/6C	Emily H	For always helping within our classroom and showing our value of kindness.
Auslan	Tyler B	For picking up Auslan so quickly and giving everything a go.
Art	Caiden M	For his fantastic self-portrait.
PE	Max M	For his stamina and persistence when running in the BEEP test.
STEAM	Mitchell S and Isaak G	For their focus and cooperation when building a diamond kite.
Principal	Archer M	For being a very responsible and kind friend to others.

Weekly Merit Awards for week beginning 24th February

Class	Student	Reason
PA	Emily R	For trying her best and listening carefully. Well done!
1/2A	Damon D	For always showing kindness and respect to others and for being a great listener.
1/2B	Ryan Q	For making a great effort with writing numbers and counting.
3/4A	Briana C	For her focus and determination when building 3D shapes.
3/4B	Chloe K	For writing a very interesting persuasive piece about why homework should be banned.
3/4C	Millicent A	For a great start to Year 3 and for her confidence with sharing her 'Me in a Bag' with her classmates.
5/6A	Grace B	For her outstanding mathematical brain when solving multiplication equations.
5/6B	Livinia H	For challenging herself so successfully with Maths equations this week.
5/6C	Dale J	For great explanations with his arguments for our debate topics.
Auslan	Brayden R	For taking the initiative to research Auslan signs at home and teach them to others.
Art	Harper B	For her beautiful painting of concentric circles.
PE	Tristan P	For being a responsible helper in PE and a kind friend.
STEAM	Josh a & Connor W	For a terrific effort in completing and flying your diamond kite.
Principal	Damon D	Always being a great role model and classmate.

These two weeks were great at OSHCLUB!

Every child treated everyone with respect and kindness. To further cement our goals we conducted some meetings, discussing what it means to be kind and respectful.

Children were really creative with new art and craft ideas and following more sustainable ways to protect our environment. Our

students were also engaged in role play, experimenting with actual life roles. Below are some moments captured at OSHCLUB.




ROWVILLE HAWKS

GIRLS & BOYS WE WANT YOU IN 2020

FOOTY SEASON IS BACK!

The Rowville Hawks Football Club fields teams in all age groups from U8 to U17 for boys and U10, U12, U14 & U16 for girls.

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