

From the Assistant Principal- Mr Gammon



Dear Families,

It is go, go, go here at Keysborough Gardens Primary School! Alongside all of the teaching and learning that's taking place throughout the school, we've had a variety of politicians come to visit us (apparently there's an election coming up soon!), we've been getting ready for Performance Fortnight and have welcomed the opening of our Book Fair.

The Day the Crayons Quit

By the time you read this newsletter, our Prep to Year 4 students will have made history by taking part in the first ever Keysborough Gardens PS musical! Staff from across the school have been furiously rehearsing with students and getting everything ready for the big day. Yesterday we held our dress rehearsal which was a great experience for the students to get a taste of what performing on stage in front of an audience would be like. I'd like to say a huge thank you to all of the KGPS staff who have helped prepare the students, especially to Ms Adele Crawford who has worked tirelessly with students from across the school throughout this term. Thank you, Adele!



Working Bee

Last Saturday a Working Bee was held to, among other things, complete the extension of the sandpit. We would like to publicly acknowledge and thank the parents and staff who volunteered their time at the weekend. Thank you to our school maintenance superstar, Russell McLeod, who oversaw the Working Bee, alongside future-Building & Grounds Sub-Committee Convenor, Parker Matlock (aged 2).



Book Fair

This week and next week, we are hosting the annual KGPS Book Fair! What perfect timing as it coincides with our Prep-4 Musical and Year 5/6 Production. All purchases made will earn the school rewards and books for our own school library!

The students will visit the Book Fair with their class to browse and create a 'Wish List' of items that they would like to buy. When your child brings home their wish list, if you would like to purchase a book(s) you can do using the link below:

<https://payments.lamontauthors.com.au/>

Location: Inside the school library (ground floor)

Opening times: In addition to the time that students will go to the Book Fair with their class, we will be opening it up before school, during lunchtime and after school for parents/carers to come in with their child(ren). Please note that if you are attending during lunchtime, you will be required to sign in at the office. The additional opening times for Week 4 are:

Monday 24/10 – 8:30am - 9:00am & 3:40pm - 4:10pm

Tuesday 25/10 – 8:30am - 9:00am

Wednesday 26/10 – 8:30am - 9:00am

Thursday 27/10– 8:30am - 9:00pm, 5:30pm-6:00pm
(Before Yr5/6 Performance)



Crazy Colour Day

We're three weeks out from our *School Fun Run's Crazy Colour Day!* We hope students are working hard towards their fundraising goals!

Currently, we are over halfway towards our goal of \$15,000, so we hope you'll keep supporting us.

Remember, the money raised will be going towards our new STEM lab and equipment.

Did you know that you can WIN a \$20,000 Ultimate Family Package by setting up your student profile online and raising \$1 online? Just head over to schoolfunrun.com.au.

Once you've created your page there are some great things you can do. You can sign up for online fundraising, pick your target prize and even become a fundraising superstar! If you're having any trouble setting up your student profile or fundraising online, please get in touch with the Fun Run team on 1800 FUN RUN or the SRC Coordinators.

***Free dress day**- students recommended to wear white or light colours old clothes.

Thanks for supporting us with your fundraising efforts, and we look forward to celebrating an amazing day!

Grant

Mrs Deanne Barrie has done it again! For those of you who are unaware, Mrs Barrie, our Education Admin Manager is quite the whizz at securing grants for our school and has had a great deal of success over the past few years. This month, she secured a grant for an incredible \$19800 which will be used to fund shade sails to go over our lovely new sandpit area. Great work, Deanne!

Respectful Relationships Survey

A message from our Respectful Relationships leaders, Mr Sandler and Miss Grandy:

The Respectful Relationships (RR) team is looking for as many community members as possible to complete this anonymous survey for our RR program. The survey will provide an opportunity for the school to hear the voices and opinions of parents and carers and assist the community and teachers at Keysborough Gardens Primary in the ongoing implementation of the whole school approach to the Respectful Relationships initiative.

You can access the survey by following this link:

<https://forms.gle/tfbbQ8hMwRNqpmz96>

Kind Regards,

Steve


Steve Gammon | Assistant Principal



**Tickets
Still
Available!**

DIARY DATES 2022

OCTOBER 2022

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|---------------------------|------|--|
| Thursday 27 th | Wk 4 | Senior Production- Evening Division Summer Sports Final |
| Friday 28 th | Wk 4 | World Teachers Day  |
| Monday 31 st | Wk 5 | Curriculum Day- Student Free Day |

NOVEMBER 2022

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| Tuesday 1 st | Wk 5 | MELB CUP DAY- Public Holiday |
| Friday 11 th | Wk 6 | Remembrance Day Whole School Colour Run/ Free dress Special Food Day |
| Tuesday 15 th | Wk 7 | 2023 Prep Transition Session 1 2023 Prep Parent Info Night |
| Tuesday 22 nd | Wk 8 | 2023 Prep Transition Session 2 |
| Saturday 26 th | Wk 8 | Election Day BBQ and Cake Stall |
| Tuesday 29 th | Wk 9 | 2023 Prep Transition Session 3 Teddy Bears Picnic |

December 2022

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| Tuesday 6 th | Wk10 | Whole School Up Day |
| Monday 12 th | Wk11 | Year 6 Graduation |
| Tuesday 13 th | Wk11 | Year 6/7 Transition |
| Thursday 15 th | Wk11 | Year 6 Big Day Out |
| Friday 16 th | Wk11 | Up Day- students into new classes Final Assembly- 2:30pm |
| Monday 19 th | Wk11 | Last Day of Term 4 (Clean up day) Dismissal 3:30pm |

- **Assembly every Friday at 9:10am**



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE STUDENTS OF THE WEEK!

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| • Clara Jansen | • Calvin Nguyen |
| • Zoe Straw | • Tiffany Makarovski |
| • Axel Toussaint | • Tameem Sarwari |
| • Anton Boric | • Ayan Mousawi |
| • Jermaine Rajesh | • Harley Tek |
| • Tasneem Ramzan | • Isla Franklin |
| • Wilmien Louw | • Saad Hussain |
| • Dariyus Elisara | • Cooper Craig |





AN INVITATION TO OUR BOOK FAIR!

Where: Keysborough Gardens PS

In the school library

Date: 18th - 28th October

Time: See Above



Don't miss out!

Every purchase
supports our school!



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