

*From the Year 3/4 Leader- Mr Simon Gliddon*

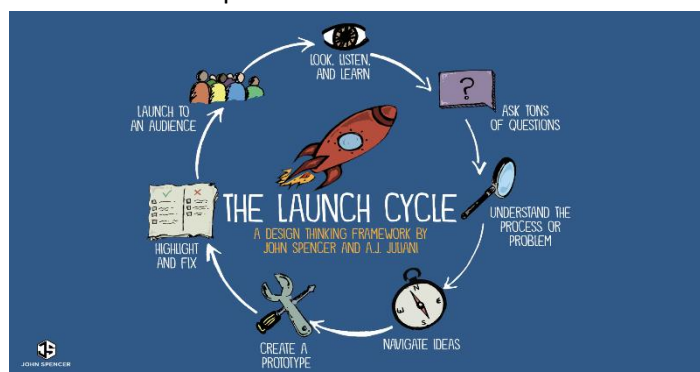


**Dear KGPS Families,**

We have had another busy week at Keysborough Gardens. We celebrated book week, said goodbye to our campers and also welcomed our dads/ special adults to our Father's Day breakfast. It is events like these that really show how amazing our community is at KGPS, with all members working together to create lasting memories. I for one am very thankful to be a part of our special community.

## 3/4 Community

This week, the 3/4 students have consolidated their knowledge of exploration and looked at different motivations of these. They then identified an area that they would like to explore further and have started to create a mini 'passion' project about the world around them. They will be following the 'LAUNCH Cycle' to guide their thinking throughout the project. It has been great to see our students delve further into the unknown, with space, deep oceans and new species on the agenda. Our unit will culminate in an EXPO, where different products will be displayed to showcase their exploration.



## Book Week

In week 7, we celebrated Book Week, focusing on the theme 'Dreaming with Eyes Open'. Each community celebrated by completing a range of activities, including designing a new book cover and hearing staff read their own favourite book! On Wednesday, we also had our character dress up day and it was fantastic to see the range of creative and unique costumes throughout our communities. Our celebrations finished with a whole school performance, with many of the students commenting on how fun and engaging it was.



## Father's Day/ Special Peron's Breakfast and Stall

On Tuesday, we held our first Father's Day/ Special Peron's Breakfast. We were able to celebrate this special day with all the dads/ adults who mean so much to us, with yummy food and coffees! Hearing some of our students talk about why their special adults meant so much was heart-warming and showed our school value of gratitude. Our choir also performed a special version of 'Memories' which was a particular highlight. Thank you Mrs Barrie, Mrs De Silva and Mrs Jenkins for organizing the event, and all the volunteers for making it such a success.



## Hats – Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September:

As we move into spring and the weather is starting to warm up, a reminder that hats are to be worn from September 1<sup>st</sup>.

As we are a SunSmart school, hats are mandatory from 1<sup>st</sup> September.

**HATS  
ARE  
BACK!**



From Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September hats are compulsory!!!



## 5/6 Camp Rumbug

We had a group of very excited Year 5/6 students depart for Camp Rumbug this week. They arrived at approximately 12:30pm. With 3 days of exciting events, we know we will have some very tired students on Friday.



## New and Improved areas of the school

We are very excited to have the works finished on our new playground and extension to our prep play area. Our students have had so much fun on the new playground, with competition being huge to go down the slide first.



## Save the date of P-4 & 5/6 production

We are very excited to announce the dates for our school productions, with times to be confirmed at a later date. Please find the dates below:

Prep – Year 4 production: Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October (Week 3).

Year 5/6 production: Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October (Week 4).

Keep an eye out in the coming weeks for tickets that will go on sale.

## Footy Dress Up Day

We are very excited to be hosting our KGPS Footy Day on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September, the last day of Term 3. It will be a great opportunity to showcase your favourite team! All gold coin donations will go toward the State School Relief. **GO HAWKS!**

## School Uniform Policy

It has been noticed that many students are attending school partially out of uniform. **Students should always be wearing black school shoes and school uniform as per below chart.**



Kind Regards,

*Simon*

Simon Gliddon | Year 3/4 Leader





CELEBRATE TERM 3 WITH....



## KGPS FOOTY DRESS UP DAY!

**16th September 2022**

Come dressed in your Footy team colours and bring a gold coin donation. All proceedings will go to State School's Relief.

Students will participate in Footy related activities and stations throughout the day.

**ASSEMBLY 9:10AM**

DIARY DATES 2022		
September 2022		
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 8	Father's/ Special Persons Day
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 9	SSS Dress Rehearsal Yr 2 Sleepover
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 9	Yr 2 Planks Incursion (sleepover students only) SSS Dress Rehearsal
Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 9	SSS Performance- Mantinee & Evening
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 10	Division Athletics (Ross reserve)
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 10	Yr 5/6 Circus Skills Incursion
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 10	Footy Dress up Day  <b>Last Day of Term 3</b> - Dismissal 3:30pm
OCTOBER 2022		
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wk 1	First Day of Term 4—students return
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 2	School Council – 5.30pm
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 3	Regional Athletics (Casey Fields)
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 3	Junior Production Interschool Division Finals
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 4	Senior Production
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup>	Wk 4	World Teachers Day 
Monday 31 <sup>st</sup>	Wk 5	<b>Curriculum Day – Student Free Day</b>
NOVEMBER 2022		
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup>	Wk 5	<b>MELB CUP DAY – Public Holiday</b>
• Assembly every <b>Friday at 9:10am</b>		

*We are grateful to you!*

- Thank you to our canteen volunteers Sometta & Adelene you are greatly appreciated.
- Thank you to the following volunteers who helped at the Father's Day Breakfast: Rochelle Bright, Jenni Markotsis, Sylvia Rodriguez, Tara Caruana & Liz Gibson.
- Thank you to the following volunteers who helped at the Father's Stall: Kaz Markarovski, Jenni Markotsis, Liz Gibson, Bronwyn Patchett, Ellie Durakovic, Jessica Rizos, Lisa Straw & Gulnaz Hayat.



**COOKING CLUB  
OFFICIALLY  
OPEN!**

Can you donate any of the following new items for our lunchtime cooking club?

- Rolling pins
- Jugs
- Pastry Brushes
- Juicer
- Baking trays
- Mixing Bowls

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**MONSTER  
RAFFLE**

**1<sup>st</sup>**  
Mitsubishi ASX ES  
Valued at \$26,114  
(incl. on-road costs)

**2<sup>nd</sup>**  
Family Holiday with accommodation for four nights, flight vouchers included.  
Valued at \$4,380

**3<sup>rd</sup>**  
Overland Track Hike with guide and private accommodation included.  
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**\$2**  
Per ticket

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Gardens  
Primary**

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