

28th April 2022

From the Principal- Mrs Sherri Jenkins



Dear KGPS Families,

For the first time in more than 30 years Ramadan, Passover, Easter and Vaisakhias overlapped during the school holiday break! I hope all families and staff had a good break and enjoyed their respective religious celebrations.

Sibling Enrolments - Preps 2023!

Do you have a child you intend to enrol in Foundation class 2023 here at Keysborough Gardens Primary School? If so, please return the enrolment form sent home last term or collect an enrolment form from the office and return it as soon as you are able. We are receiving an increasing number of enrolment enquiries within & beyond our zone and your cooperation will assist with our forward planning.

Kiss N Go Zone

A gentle reminder to all parents that this area on Homeleigh Rd is a "No Parking Zone". That is, you are able to stop there for several minutes to drop off or pick up, but are not able to leave your car. On behalf of all parents, thank you for your cooperation with this.

Working Bee

Our first 2022 Working Bee is planned for Saturday 14th May, 10am to 12 noon. With many jobs planned, we hope to get a good turnout of parents. Please refer to the notice sent home for further details including the RSVP slip.

2022 Parent Payments

Thank you to the parents who have paid their financial contribution for 2022. If you are yet to finalise your contribution you may do so via Compass or pop into the school office and make a payment via EFTPOS.

Building and grounds update

During the holidays I met with the VSBA and builders who will be overseeing the Prep passive play space and our second playground. This project is funded by the governments Inclusive School Fund and will start this term! Watch this space for further updates. Repairs to the office that was damaged in the car accident last term have started today.

Election Day BBQ

We will be holding an election day BBQ on the 21st May and are requiring some volunteers to help, more information will be sent out via Compass next week.

2022 NAPLAN

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is an annual assessment for students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. It has been an annual event for schools since 2008. This year NAPLAN is online (except for the writing

assessment in Year 3). At KGPS the NAPLAN assessment will be spread over 4 days from the 10th May until the 13th May. Additional catch-up days are planned between the 16th and 20th May.

Further information about NAPLAN will be sent home to Year 3 and 5 students this week. Mr Simon Gliddon, the School NAPLAN Coordinator, is also available for discussion as required.

Canteen - Looking for volunteers

Chum De Silva, our wonderful Canteen Manager, is on the lookout for volunteers to help run our school canteen. If you are able to help out, whether that be fortnightly, once a month or even just once a term, please let us know via this [Google Form](#).

Staffing

An official welcome to Miss Brit Smith who has joined the ES team for 2022.



Also, Congratulations to Ms Jaiden King and Matt on their arrival of their baby boy Xavier, we can't wait to meet him.

Kind Regards,

Sherri

Sherri Jenkins

Our annual Mother's Day Stall will be held next **Thursday 5th May**.

There will be some great gifts for our students to purchase. Please send money along with your child next Thursday so they can purchase a gift for their lovely Mums, Grandmas or special friends.



Mums and special friends we would love you to join us for our Mother's Day Breakfast on Friday 6th May in our school gymnasium between 7:45am and 9:00am.

All breakfast items will need to be pre-ordered via the Canteen link on Compass. Orders will close on Wednesday 4th May at 9:00am.

Your children are welcome to join you as well.



We are grateful

Thank You

- To Sanja Babic for organising our beautiful Easter baskets
- Thank you to all the parents that contributed to the raffle



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DIARY DATES 2022

May 2022

Thursday 5 th	Wk 2	5/6 Interschool Sport (Home) Mother's Day Stall
Friday 6 th	Wk 2	Mother's Day Breakfast School Cross Country (No Assembly)
Tuesday 10 th -20 th	Wk 3/4	Naplan- Yr 3 & 5
Thursday 12 th	Wk 3	Yr 2 Excursion- Cranbourne Botanical Garden
Saturday 14 th	Wk 3	Working Bee
Thursday 19 th	Wk 4	Yr 3/4 Excursion- Gould League Yr 5/6 Int School Sport (Home)
Saturday 21 st	Wk 4	Election Day BBQ
Monday 23 rd	Wk 5	Education Week
Thursday 26 th	Wk 5	District Cross Country (WatcherRes)
Monday 30 th	Wk 6	Prep- Traffic School excursion
Tuesday 31 st	Wk 6	Yr 2 Mad about Science incursion

June 2022

Thursday 2 nd	Wk 6	Yr 5/6 Interschool Sport -Mt Hira
Friday 3 rd	Wk 6	Curriculum Day (No school) Division Cross Country-Tatterson Pk
Monday 6 th -10 th	Wk 7	Yr 5/6 Swimming (all week)
Thursday 9 th	Wk 7	State School Spectacular Rehearsal
Monday 13 th	Wk 8	Public Holiday (Queens Birthday)
Wednesday 15 th	Wk 8	Regional Cross Country (Hastings)
Thursday 18 th	Wk 8	Yr 5/6 Interschool Sport-Ressurrection

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

SOCCER

AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS

CRICKET

Kids Parties

- Space jump
- Sports & jump
- Dodgem cars
- Nerf wars
- Bubble soccer
- Laser tag

FREE TRIAL SESSION

5:30pm-6:30pm
Mondays & Wednesdays
5-7 year olds | 8-11 year olds

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