

KPS Office Update – 24th October 2018

2019 LEAVERS & STARTERS

If your child will not be attending Kensington Primary School next year 2019 and going to another school (other than those currently in Year 6) could you please advise the office. This will assist with 2019 planning.

If you know anyone who is in our school zone who has not submitted an enrolment please encourage them to do so.

TRIAL OF NEW CANTEEN PROVIDER – CLASSROOM CUISINE

Every Wednesday until the end of Term 4. See website for details - <https://classroomcuisine.com.au>

Please have a look at the fantastic choices that are offered.(last page)

SECOND HAND UNIFORMS

If you have been cleaning out your cupboards over the holidays and have school uniforms that are no longer needed in your home; we would love them for our second hand uniform stalls. We will be having a stall later in the term.

Please hand your items into the school office. They need to be washed, pressed and in a plastic bag (zip lock are great) with the size written on it.

HATS, HATS, HATS

The school has a Sun Smart Policy, which encourages responsible attitudes towards protection from the sun's harmful UV rays. In accordance with this, all students are to wear sun smart hats (legionnaire, slouch or bucket hats - **not caps**) during Term 4. Those students without hats will be required to remain in the designated shade areas at all times when outside for lessons and/or recesses.

Sun Smart hats are part of our school uniform and can be purchased through DCS Clothing.

ASSEMBLIES

Please note that for Term 4 our assemblies will be held every second Friday, this is due to the building works being continued in our school hall.

Dates for the rest of the year;

Friday 2nd November

Friday 16th November

Friday 30th November

Friday 14th December

Friday 21st December (final assembly for 2018)

PARENTS / CARERS IN SCHOOL GROUNDS

Could all parents / carers ensure they have exited the school in the morning by 9:00am. If you are staying to help in the classroom or with the cooking and gardening program you must come to the office and sign in as a visitor. Also please remember to leave the school by 3:45pm, as this is causing confusion especially in the afternoon when Big Childcare are trying to account for the children in care.

GREENIES FARMERS' MARKET

Do you like fresh, healthy local food and real free-range eggs? If so, the Greenies' Farmers' Market is for you! Come and enjoy freshly harvested herbs, fruit and veggies from the garden, as well as eggs from hens that you can actually meet and say hello to.

All produce is sold by donation, except eggs, which are \$3 for half a dozen and \$5 for a dozen. All proceeds go towards the Greenies and buying new plants to keep our garden flourishing!

The Farmers' Market will take place on the following Thursdays:

1st November, 15th November, 29th November, 13th December

Hope to see you there!

HEAD LICE

Recently we have had a few cases of head lice reported across a couple of year levels. It is very important for parents to:

- Regularly check your child's hair,
- Treat your child's hair when necessary as soon as possible and
- Report any incidents of head lice to the Office.

Head lice can be managed with the cooperation of parents and the school. They are not a threat to health and they do not spread other infections. As there is no guaranteed method of prevention, early detection is the best way to avoid an outbreak. It is recommended that parents check their children's hair regularly.

It is important to note, that health regulations require that where a child has head lice, that child should not return to school until the day after appropriate treatment has started. Please note that this refers only to those children who have live head lice and does not refer to head lice eggs.

Head lice are found on hair itself and move to the scalp to feed. They have six legs which end in a claw and they rarely fall from the head. Louse eggs (also called nits) are laid within 1.5cm of the scalp and are firmly attached to the hair. They resemble dandruff but can't be brushed off.

If lice or eggs are found

Treat hair immediately with a commercial head lice product or by using a hair conditioner (outlined below). Head lice treatments are available from your pharmacy.

Treatment must be repeated 7 days later.

Step by step Head Lice Check

- Step 1 Comb any type of hair conditioner on dry, brushed (detangled) hair. This stuns the lice and makes it difficult for them to grip the hair or run around.
- Step 2 Now comb sections of the hair with a fine tooth head lice comb.
- Step 3 Wipe the conditioner from the comb onto a paper towel or tissue.
- Step 4 Look on the tissue and on the comb for lice and eggs.
- Step 5 Repeat the combing for every part of the head

For more information visit www2.health.vic.gov.au/public-health/infectious-diseases/head-lice

FUNDRAISING NEWS

Our next fundraising meeting will be Thursday November 8th at 5:00pm in the teacher's staffroom. We are looking forward to the election sausage sizzle in November and the Book Fair! All welcome to attend.



ART NEWS

**Great news,
Great results,
From a great arts program.**

This year Kensington Primary was randomly selected by the VCAA (Victorian Curriculum Assessment Authority) to gather information about health of the arts curriculum in the State of Victoria. Grade 6 and year 9 students across the state were selected. The data collected helps to form a general picture of a standard of Victorian Excellence. It is the aggregate results of all Victorian students participating in this assessment that allowed for the tracking of the excellence target.

Students were assessed by two assessors using a rubric that included five criteria. The criteria for **Visual Arts** focused on the following skills:

1. Use of materials, techniques, processes in final artwork
2. Expression and communication of ideas and personal views in the artwork
3. Realization of artistic intentions in artworks
4. Describing the artistic intentions in the artwork (via written accompaniment)
5. Referencing artistic influences in the artwork (via written accompaniment)

Linda selected one class to represent our students, and in turn act as a sample of Victorian students. (ie Linda did not hand select the highest performing art students, rather a full spectrum of students that is naturally in any one grade)

And the results.....

Sorry we are not allowed to publish the figures,

But you can take it from us that the numbers show that we are **a school of excellence in the arts!**

Linda and Amanda

KPS 2nd Hand Uniforms

Only \$5.00 per item (cash only please - proceeds to KPS)

The 2nd hand uniform shop has lots of good quality items. Lots of jumpers, tops, pants, skirts and dresses



Uniform will be sold from the meeting room just inside the front school doors:

Wednesday 7th November 2018

8.45 – 9.45 am

3.15-4.00 pm

For more information contact the KPS office

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

October	Fri 26 th		Year 3 Cricket Gala
	Wed 31 st	9:00 – 11:00am	Morning Tea Fundraiser 5M Cooking & Gardening
November	Thu 1 st	9:00 – 11:00am	34J Cooking & Gardening
	Fri 2 nd	3:00pm	School Assembly
	Mon 5th		Curriculum Day – Student Free Day
	Tue 6th		Melbourne Cup Day – Public Holiday
	Wed 7 th	9:00 – 11:00am	5D Cooking & Gardening
	Thu 8 th	9:00 – 11:00am	34R Cooking & Gardening
	Fri 9 th	11:30am – 3:30pm	Year 5 SEA Incursion
	Mon 12 th	9:00am – 12:00pm	FR Excursion - 100 Storey Building
	Tue 13 th	9:15 – 11:00am	2019 Foundation Transition
	Wed 14 th	9:00 – 11:00am	5C Cooking & Gardening
	Thu 15 th	9:00am – 12:00pm	FF Excursion - 100 Storey Building
	Fri 16 th	8:30 – 9:30am 11:30am – 3:30pm 3:00pm	FL Excursion - 100 Storey Building Year 5 SEA Incursion School Assembly
	Sun 18 th		MMT Music Concerts
	Mon 19 th	9:00am -12:00pm	FJ Excursion - 100 Storey Building
	Tue 20 th	9:15 – 11:00am	2019 Foundation Transition
	Wed 21 st	9:00 – 11:00am	Year 6 Baking
	Fri 23 rd	11:30am – 3:30pm	Year 1 Excursion – Scienceworks Year 5 SEA Incursion
	Sat 24 th		Election Day BBQ
	Mon 26 th		Book Fair – ALL WEEK
	Wed 28 th	9:00 – 11:00am	Year 6 Baking
December	Tue 11 th		Year 6 Orientation
	Wed 12 th	5:30 – 7:30pm	Whole School Picnic
	Fri 14 th	3:00pm	School Assembly
	Tue 18 th		Moving Up Day Year 6 Big Day Out
	Wed 19 th	5:30 – 7:30pm	Year 6 Farewell
	Fri 21 st	1:30pm	End of Term 4

Commencing a trial with KENSINGTON PRIMARY - T4 2018!

A Two Course Lunch is \$8.95 and a Three Course Lunch is \$10.35!

Lunch Orders are available on WEDNESDAY's!

LUNCH ITEM ONE

SALADS

- Greek Style Salad with Feta and Olives (GF)
- Brown Rice & Mixed Bean Salad (GF)
- Thai Style Noodle Salad (GF)
- Quinoa, Tabouli & Tuna Salad (GF)
- Pasta Salad (GF)
- Pic(k)nic Box – Vegetarian (GF)
- Pic(k)nic Box with Ham (GF)

SUSHI

- Sushi - Teriyaki Chicken Hand Rolls (2)
- Sushi - Cooked Tuna Hand Rolls (2)
- Sushi - Avocado Hand Rolls (2)
- Sushi - Cucumber Hand Rolls (2)
- Sushi – Vegetarian Hand Rolls (2)

BAKERY

- Cheese and Bacon Roll
- Cheese and Vegemite Scroll
- Supreme Pizza Roll
- Topped with Only Cheese Roll

PITA PIZZAS

- Margherita Pita Pizza
- Ham and Pineapple Pita Pizza
- Fresh Tomato and Italian Herb Pita Pizza
- Spinach & Feta Pita Pizza

SANDWICHES, ROLLS & WRAPS

- Ham, Cheese and Tomato Sandwich
- Turkey, Cranberry, Lettuce and Cheese Sandwich
- Ham and Cheese Roll
- Gluten Free Ham & Cheese Sandwich (GF)
- Simple Salad Roll
- Gluten Free Ham & Cucumber Sandwich (GF)
- Vegemite Sandwich
- Mild Salami and Salad Roll
- Beetroot and Salad Roll
- Roast Beef, Fruit Chutney, Cheese and Lettuce Roll
- Cheese and Salad Roll
- Wholegrain Cheese and Tomato Sandwich
- WRAP (GF) Ham and Salad
- Chicken and Salad Roll
- Wholegrain ROLL Tuna and Salad
- Salad with Ham (No Cheese) ROLL

LUNCH ITEM TWO/THREE

FRESH FRUIT & VEG

- Fresh Fruit Combo
- Freshly chopped Orange Segments
- Freshly chopped Strawberries with Green Grapes
- Apple with Lemon Juice, Brown Sugar & Cinnamon
- Freshly chopped Cantaloupe & Watermelon
- Freshly Chopped Watermelon pieces
- Chopped Carrot, Cucumber, Red & Yellow Capsicum
- Freshly chopped Pineapple with Orange Pieces
- Lightly Steamed Corn Wheels & Broccoli
- Sugar Snap Peas, Beans & Cherry Tomatoes
- Cherry Tomatoes with Tasty Cheese & Rice Crackers

BAKED GOODS

- Choc Chip Cookie
- Fruit Bun
- Hedgehog Slice
- Finger Bun with Sprinkles
- Banana Cup Cake (GF, DF)
- Iced Cup Cake
- Choc Cup Cake (GF,DF)
- Blueberry Muffin
- Apple & Cinnamon Cake

YOGHURT

- Chobani Yoghurt - Strawberry
- Chobani Yoghurt - Blueberry
- Chobani Yoghurt - Passionfruit
- Chobani Yoghurt – Plain
- Chia Bowl with Banana, Coconut and Strawberries

DIPS & CRACKERS

- Tzatziki dip with Rice Crackers
- Avocado dip with Rice Crackers
- Spring Onion dip with Rice Crackers

POPCORN/SNACKS

- Cobs Popcorn, Lightly Salted
- Cobs Popcorn Slightly Sweet, Lightly Salted
- Lightly salted Fav'va Beans
- Cranberry Freedom Foods Bar (GF)

DRINKS

- Apple Juice
- Orange Juice
- Nippy's Chocolate Milk

For more information check out our website

www.classroomcuisine.com.au



How it works

Lunches are ordered and paid for Online and Delivered directly to school labeled with the student's name, class and order details. Orders may be placed for one day or as many days as required.

Each lunch order consists of either a Two or Three course lunch. Orders are received until 8.30am on the morning the day the order is required.

A Menu for the whole term is posted online prior to the commencement of the term.

How to register

Register one or more children to confirm their school and class details. We require your contact telephone number and email address to send order and payment confirmations.

You will then receive a password so that all future visits to our site are quick and easy.

We will not share our 'Users' information with anyone. (Refer Privacy Policy attached). For additional payment security we do not store Users Bank Details on our site.

Payment

Payment is made at the time of placing an order through a secure banking gateway receiving both Visa and MasterCard. Our system confirms orders and generates a confirmation email to our users confirming order and payment.

(Orders placed in advance can be cancelled and a voucher issued if it comes the child is sick or has a school activity which means they won't need the lunch).

Our Food & Supplier Partners

At the Classroom Cuisine kitchen we receive a delivery of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables every day which are chopped each morning into various appealing and healthy combinations, as well as making great fresh sandwiches, rolls and salads.

Cost

A two course lunch costs \$8.95 and a three course lunch costs \$10.35 irrespective of the menu choices you make.

Cancellation Policy

Orders can be cancelled until 9.30am on the day of delivery.

Log in to our site and click on 'My account' to view the 'Order Summary' and edit the meal you wish to cancel.

You will be advised that you have cancelled the order and receive an email confirmation with a voucher number which will allow you to re-order a meal to the same value when you'd like.

Cancellations are only possible until 9.30am on the day, after this time the order will be delivered to school and available for collection.