

Kingswood Public School NEWSLETTER

Quality Teaching in a Caring Environment

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Term 3 Week 10 26 September 2018

Dates to Remember

Term 3 Week 10

24/09/18 Newsletter Week 25/09/18 Student Banking

Starting School Group

26/09/18 Early Stage 1/Stage 1 Sports Fun Day (Postponed till Term 4)

28/09/18 Last Day of the Term

Scripture/Ethics Classes

Stage Assemblies Peer Support

Term 4 Week 1

15/10/18 Welcome Back Students & Staff

Swimming Scheme (Week 1)

16/10/18 Student Banking

Starting School Group

18/10/18 Uni Sport

19/10/18 Scripture/Ethics Classes

Stage Assemblies

Term 4 Week 2

29/10/18 Newsletter Week

Swimming Scheme (Week 2)

Stage 3 Camp

Stage 1 Excursion to Penrith Lakes (S1S, S1H & S1J)

30/10/18 Stage 1 Excursion to Penrith Lakes (S1C & S1T)

Student Banking Starting School Group P&C Crochet Lessons

P&C Meeting

24/10/18 Early Stage 1/Stage 1 Mathematics Workshop

25/10/18 Uni Sport

26/10/18 Ethics/Scripture Classes

Stage Assemblies

Last week we held our School Discos. Thank you to Ms Jansen and her team for organising this event. The students enjoyed dancing and socialising with their peers and even some of our teachers displayed their dance moves!

Unfortunately due to the wet weather the Early Stage 1/Stage 1 Sports Fun Day and Parent Café had to be postponed today. This day has been rescheduled for Thursday 1 November with a backup date of Wednesday 7 November.

The school Executive team has already begun planning for 2019. If your child/children will not be returning in 2019 (except for Year 6 students) please notify us in writing as soon as possible as this affects our numbers and class structures next year.

Thank you to the students and the staff for all their hard work this term. I hope you all enjoy the holiday break and that the students return refreshed in Term 4. The first day back for both students and staff is Monday 15 October.

Our Starting School Group has commenced for Early Stage 1 (Kindergarten) students who will be starting school in 2019. This group meets every Tuesday in Terms 3 and 4 from 9:15am to 11:00am in the Old Hall. It is free and parents attend with their child. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

Early Stage 1 (Kindergarten) Enrolment 2019

We are currently taking enrolments for Early Stage 1 (Kindergarten) enrolments for 2019. Enrolment forms are available at the office. You will need to provide an original birth certificate which we will photocopy, proof of residential address and an up to date immunisation certificate.

Skoolbag Update Announcement

Skoolbag is excited to announce the upcoming launch of the new SkoolBag Mobile App.

After months of development and testing, the completely re-designed SkoolBag Mobile App will shortly be available for all app users via an in-app update.

When available, app users will be able to update to the new SkoolBag App via the Apple App Store or Google Play for Android App. After the update, the user will be required to log in again using their SkoolBag username and password, however they will then remain logged in.

All the features of the previous app remain, we've just moved a few things around for a better experience.

Norma Petrocco Principal

Payments Reminder

All payments and notes must be placed into the money slot **before 9:30am** each day. We are concerned with the numbers of students who continually misplace their notes and require replacements. Please encourage your child to give you notes from their bags on a daily basis so that Department of Education deadlines can be met with regards to processing student payments. POP payments need the receipt number recorded in the relevant section of the note and that note should also be placed into the money slot for processing before 9:30am daily.

Library News

Library Borrowing

To help protect the borrowed books all students must use a library bag. Bags may be the cloth drawstring type, a PVC library bag available from stores or simply a clean, plastic shopping bag.

Students in Early Stage 1, Stage 1 and Stage 2 may borrow 2 books at any one time for a period of two weeks. Students in Stage 3 may borrow 4 books, 2 Fiction and 2 Non-fiction, at any one time for a period of two weeks.

Borrowing time will be made available during class lessons in the Library. In addition, students may borrow at lunchtime on Monday to Thursday. The library will also be open for borrowing and returning books from 8:35am to 8:55am every Monday and Tuesday and 3:05pm to 3:15pm on Monday and Thursday afternoons.

Scholastic Book Club

Scholastic Book Club operates 8 times a year and offers a convenient way for you and your child to select and purchase worthwhile and appealing books, software, craft and games. Brochure items have been expertly chosen to span a wide range of interests, age groups and reading levels.

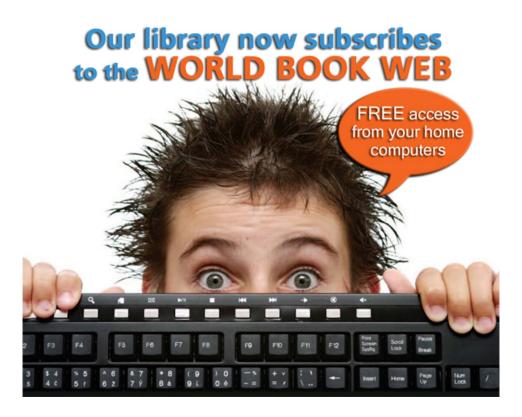
Our school library benefits from all purchases made through the Book Club.

To order from Book Club simply fill in the order form on the back page of the brochure. Place the order form and correct money in an envelope clearly marked with your child's name and class. Orders are to be placed in the money slot at the front office.

Book Clubs LOOP is the new Scholastic Book Clubs Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform for parents. Please refer to the Book Clubs Loop flyer for more information.

Please note that your child's order will return to school approximately four to five weeks after the issue of the month's Book Club brochures.

Mrs Young Teacher Librarian



Good news! Our library subscribes to the World Book Web.

Our World Book subscription allows us to give you and your family access to this valuable reference source at your home computers 365 days a year, 24 hours a day.

To access the World Book Web, follow these simple steps:

- 1. Go to www.worldbookonline.com
- 2. Enter Username kingswood11
- 3. Enter Password student
- 4. Save your user name and password for faster login simply tick the box labelled "Remember my ID and password". The next time you visit World Book the login prompt will already contain your username and password.
- 5. Once you arrive at the World Book home page, you should bookmark the page or add to favourites for easy access to World Book in the future.

Mrs Young Teacher Librarian

Introducing

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Book Clubs LOOP





LOOP is the NEW Scholastic Book Clubs Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform for Parents.

If you want to pay by credit card for your online Book Club order, our new platform makes it easy! It eliminates the need for paper order forms plus your online order is submitted to the school safe and sound.

 ${\bf Log-in\ to\ www.scholastic.com.au/\ LOOP\ or\ download\ our\ NEW\ iPhone\ and\ iPad\ app\ from\ the\ App\ Store!}$

- For a quick start, just click on ORDER in the top menu or REGISTER first to save your details for next time
- Select your school and your child's class
- Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for)
- Enter the item number from the Book Club brochure
- You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school
- All orders are linked directly to the school for submission to Scholastic. Books will still be delivered to your child's classroom if you order by the close date
- There's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to your school!

For a quick how-to-order video, log-in to ${\bf www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP}$ and click on HELP in the top menu.



Voluntary Contributions 2018

Child's Name/Names:	
Class/es: POP (Parent Online	Payment) Receipt Number:
Enclosed (please tick):	
☐ \$42 per child (one child in family)	
\$80 per family (2 or more children)	
Signed:	Date:

Canteen News

Hi everyone,

Just a few things we need to update you about in the canteen:

Hotdogs will be unavailable until further notice from our supplier but you could try our Kebab roll Meatball sub with cheese

Meal deals now available

meatball sub kebab roll beef or chicken pie

small popcorn small popcorn small popcorn

popper popper popper

\$5.00 \$5.00 \$5.50

New menu items

Beef Pie \$4.50 Chicken Pie \$4.50

Chicken & cheese kransky \$4.00

Hash browns 50c each (breakfast only)

Don't forget our home mades available everyday

Butter chicken & rice Curried chicken & rice Beef or chicken spag bol Beef or chicken lasagne Fried rice (vegetarian available)





Order a 1kg or 2kg tray to take home Payment made when you place your orders. Place orders Thursday pick up Monday

Mac & cheese Fried rice Beef or chicken spag bol Beef or chicken Lasagne Butter chicken Curried chicken Potato bake

Thanks Yvonne & Julie

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Breakfast		Snack Attack		Wraps or rolls		Home mades	~
V H* 1/2 english Muffin	\$0.50	VH*Yoghurt fruits	\$0.50	VH*Salad	\$4.00	On site	
*cheese & bacon bites	\$0.50	V*Fruit cups (2)	\$0.50	*BLT	\$4.50	GVH vege fried rice	\$3.5
*Mini quiches	\$0.50	VH*Honey bubble log	\$0.50	H*Egg & salad	\$5.00	G Fried rice	\$3.5
VH*Pikelet	\$0.60	V*Shelly biscuit	\$0.50	*Chicken caesar Wrap	\$5.00	V*Mac & Cheese	\$3.5
VH*butter/vegemite toast (2)	\$0.60	VH*Fresh popcorn sml 50c		H*roast chick, lett,mayo	\$5.00	H*chick or beef spag bol	\$3.5
VH*Bake bean+cheese bowl	\$1.00	V*Fruity bix	\$1.00	*Ham & salad	\$5.00	H*Beef Lasagne	\$3.5
VH*Spaghetti + cheese bowl	\$1.00	VH*Mamee snacks	\$1.00	H*Chicken & salad	\$5.00	H*Chicken Lasagne	\$3.5
* CB roll	\$3.00	VH*Vege chips	\$1.50			VH*Vege Lasagne	\$3.5
VH* Fruit salad	\$3.00	* Assorted 28g chips	\$1.50	Summer/ spring		H*Curried chick + rice	\$4.0
				*Sushi (tuna& corn)	\$3.00	H*Curried vege + rice	\$4.0
Crunch & sip yum bags				H*Chicken Pasta salad	\$4.00	H*Butter chicken& rice	\$4.0
VH*Melon piece	\$0.50	Tiger sanwiches		VH*Salad boat	\$5.00		
VH*Piece fruit	\$1.00	VH*Veg/Jam/Che Spread	\$1.50	*Tuna salad box	\$5.50	Hot rolls/ wraps	
VH*Fruit kebab	\$1.00	VH*Tasty cheese	\$2.50	H*chicken caesar box	\$5.00	*Cheese burger	\$3.5
VH*Melon wedge	\$1.00	H*Egg/Curried egg	\$2.50	H*Egg and salad box	\$5.50	*Hamburger	\$4.5
VH*cheese & tomato	\$1.00	VH*Cheese & tomato	\$3.00	*Ham or chick salad	\$5.50	H*Roast chicken	\$4.0
VH*Carrot & celery	\$1.00	*Tuna	\$3.00			H*Sweet chilli tender	\$4.0
VH*Carrot & cheese	\$1.00	*Leg Ham	\$3.50	1		*Meatball sub	\$3.0
VH*Carrot 📆 T	\$1.00	H*Roasted chicken	\$3.50	Drinks 💞		VH* Hot cheese	\$3.0
VH*Tasty (tom,car,cuc,che)	\$1.00	VH*Salad	\$3.50	VH*Water	\$2.00	H Chicken hot dog	\$3.0
H*egg	\$1.00	*Ham, cheese & tomato	\$4.50	VH*Focus water	\$2.50	H Chicken burger	\$3.5
Ice blocks		H*Chicken, lett, Mayo	\$4.50	VH*100% Popper	\$1.50		
VH*Quelch stick	\$0.70			VH*Berri pop top	\$2.00	Hot food	
VH*100% Juice cup	\$1.00	Menu Changes Daily	(44)	VH*Plain milk	\$1.50	H*Chicken kebab stick	\$3.0
VH*Icy twist	\$1.50			H*Flavoured milk	\$2.50	VH*Potato wedges	\$2.5
V*Calippo	\$1.50	All foods made on Premises		H*Up & Go (choc)	\$3.00	VH*Corn cob	\$1.0
V*Frozen yoghurt	\$2.50			H*Warm milo	\$2.00	*6 x Meatballs	\$3.0
Jelly stick 30c each (2)	\$0.50	3.5 stars 4 sta	irs 4	.5 stars 5 stars	S	H Chicken nugget	\$0.7
H = HALAL				1 -		H Sausage roll	\$3.5
V = VEGETARIAN						VH garlic bread	\$3.0
		C				*Party pie	\$1.0
						VH* (4) spring rolls	\$2.0







What's On at Penrith Observatory in October

Date: Saturday 5 October 2018

Event name: Hands On Workshop: Rockets

Event details:

Speaker – Ms Raelene Sommer A workshop designed for children ages 4 - 12 but lots of fun for all ages. Build and launch paper rockets using compressed air and watch a demonstration of a model rocket launch. Includes presentation, short 3D movie and safe viewing of the Sun through a telescope (weather permitting). PLEASE NOTE: Parents/carers to remain with children at all times. All attendees (parents/carers) require a workshop attendee ticket (\$12). There is plenty to enjoy as part of the workshop, a presentation, 3D movie, and a chance to look at the Sun safely through a telescope. We encourage any adults that wish to participate in building and launching a rocket to purchase additional rocket kits (\$5) to join in the fun. All children must have a child ticket which includes the rocket kit (\$17). All children are expected to participate in building and launching a paper rocket.

BOOKINGS VIA OUR WEBSITE ESSENTIAL

Time: 10am – 12pm

Venue Address: Penrith Observatory (Building AO), Western Sydney University, Werrington North campus, Great Western Highway, Werrington 2747

Contact phone or website for public enquiries and bookings:

https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/observatorypenrith/penrith_observatory/whats_on

Facebook Event: https://www.facebook.com/events/286133485325986/

Date: Saturday 6 October 2018

Event name: Public Astronomy Night: Stars, Supernova, & the Size of the Universe

Event details:

Speaker – Dr Luke Bozzetto Come and explore the lifecycle of stars, from their birth all the way to their deaths - in some cases the cataclysmic explosion known as a supernova. Followed by a journey through the Universe - starting from our position on Earth we will explore our surroundings by travelling outward to gain some perspective of the vast space that we live in. Includes presentation, short 3D movie, tour of the dome, and viewing of the night sky through a range of telescopes (weather permitting).

\$18.00 Adult

\$12.00 Child/Concession

\$50.00 Family (2 adults + 2 children)

Children under 3 years of age free.

BOOKINGS VIA OUR WEBSITE ESSENTIAL

Time: 7pm - 9pm

Venue Address: Penrith Observatory (Building AO), Western Sydney University, Werrington North campus, Great

Western Highway, Werrington 2747

Contact phone or website for public enquiries and bookings:

https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/observatorypenrith/penrith_observatory/whats_on

Facebook Event: https://www.facebook.com/events/278779926067165/

Date: Saturday 20 October 2018

Event name: Astronomy Night: New Worlds

Event details:

Speaker - Dr Nicholas Tothill

We have now known about the existence of planets around other stars for almost a quarter-century. We've found planets with two suns, planets a bit like the ones we know, and planets very different to anything we've seen in our own Solar System. Dr Nick Tothill will talk about some of the planets out there, and how we get to find out about them. Includes presentation, short 3D movie, tour of the dome, and viewing of the night sky through a range of telescopes (weather permitting).

\$18.00 Adult

\$12.00 Child/Concession

\$50.00 Family (2 adults + 2 children)

Children under 3 years of age free.

BOOKINGS VIA OUR WEBSITE ESSENTIAL

Time: 8pm – 10pm

Venue Address: Penrith Observatory (Building AO), Western Sydney University, Werrington North campus, Great

Western Highway, Werrington

Contact phone or website for public enquiries and bookings:

https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/observatorypenrith/penrith_observatory/whats_on

Facebook Event: https://www.facebook.com/events/236051160406927/





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Calling for volunteers – we need your help!



Our students really enjoy participating in the Commonwealth Bank School Banking program and to keep this program running we need your help.

The program requires a minimum of 2 volunteer School Banking Co-ordinators to facilitate the banking and distribution of School Banking rewards. This only takes a small amount of your time one day a week and the Commonwealth Bank will provide support in how to run the program. Your help with the program will greatly benefit students as they develop vital saving skills and also help our school with fundraising.

Currently, School Banking day is Tuesday

If you are interested in volunteering for this great program, please fill in the tear off section below and return it to the office.

Yes, I would like to help with School Banking!						
Name:						
Phone:						
Email:						
Availability:						

Kingswood Public School "Starting School Group"

Tuesdays Terms 3 and 4 9.15 am- 11.00am Starts July 31st

A relaxed playgroup that gradually introduces the family to school life.



- Qualified educator to facilitate
- FREE no cost
- Creates friendships
- Educational and fun
- Builds confidence
- Helps familiarise children and their family with the environment

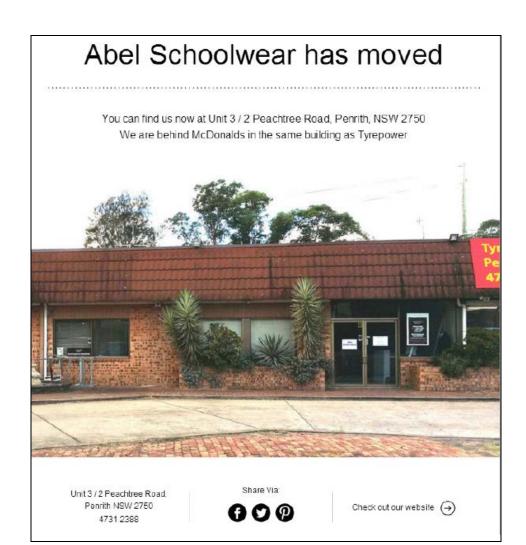
More info phone school on 47 364 028 or Tamara on 0423 720 492

> Bring a healthy snack, water and a hat for your child











BY RK FITNESS & YOGA

MONDAY

 $6:3\ 0\ P\ M$ - $7:3\ 0\ P\ M$

WEDNESDAY

6:30PM - 7:30PM

FOR MORE INFO ON HOW TO ENROL: VISIT WWW.RITAKARAVIAS.COM



School travel 2018

Information for parents, guardians and students

Our school has partnered with Transport for NSW to use the new online process for you to submit school travel applications.

This means we will be able to process your applications online, making it easier and faster for parents, guardians and students to apply for school travel.

Applications for school travel in 2018 are now open, including for travel to Mascot and Green Square station and for private ferries. Parents, guardians and students are encouraged to apply as soon as they are able via:

Applications for 2018 school travel are now open via www.transportnsw.info/school-students

A new application is required when:

- applying for a School Opal card or travel pass for the first time,
- enrolling in Kindergarten, or
- requesting an additional entitlement as a result of a shared parental responsibility situation.

You will need to do an update application if the student has a current school travel pass and:

- is progressing from Year 2 to Year 3,
- is progressing from Year 6 to Year 7, or
- changes address, or
- · changes school or campus.

Already have a School Opal card or travel pass?

- When you've updated, and you are eligible for free school travel next year, Transport for NSW will send you an email confirmation once your application has been processed. For travel in rural or regional NSW, we'll also inform your nominated transport operator(s).
- If you already have a School Opal card that does not need updating, or you've successfully reapplied, the Opal card will automatically be updated for travel next year. Do not throw it out as you'll be able to use it when the school year starts in 2018.



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Our Services

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- Domestic Assistance
- Transportation
- Socialising and Companionship
- Respite Care
- · Hourly/Daily Care/24-hour & Live In Care

We are committed in delivering the best possible services as:

- · We provide consistency of care with carefully matched Carers
- Cognitive Therapeutics MethodTM to boost brain health
- Our Balanced Care Method incorporates nutrition, physical and mental stimulation
- No Basic Daily Fee and No Long-term contracts
- Zero exit fees so more care hours for you

Call us today for a Free - No obligation assessment to determine how we can best service your family!

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