TERM FOUR

Term 4 Week 5 2019

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DATE UPCOMING EVENTS

WEEK 5 14/11 Gymnastics 15/11 3-6 Assembly WEEK 6 19/11 Sports Ready 21/11 Gymnastics 21/11 Kindergarten Transition 9:15 to 10:30 am Preschool Transition: Keen Kangas 9:00 to 10:00am & Jump in Joeys 10:00 to 11:00 am 22/11 P-2 Gala Day WACKI Excursion (Years 5-6) 22/11 WEEK 7

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26/11	Sports Ready
28/11	Gymnastics
28/11	Kindergarten Transition 9:15 to 10:30 am
	Preschool Transition: Keen Kangas 9:00 to 10:00am & Jump in Joeys 10:00 to 11:00 am

29/11 3-6 Assembly

WEEK 8

SWIM SCHEME

3/12	Sports Ready
5/12	Gymnastics
5/12	Kindergarten Transition 9:15 to 10:30 am
	Preschool Transition: Keen Kangas 9:00 to 10:00am & Jump in Joeys 10:00 to 11:00 am
6/12	P-2 Assembly

WEEK 9

SWIM SCHEME

10/11 Sports Ready

12/11	Gymnastics
12/12	Kindergarten Transition 9:15 to 10:30 am
	Preschool Transition: Keen Kangas 9:00 to 10:00am & Jump in Joeys 10:00 to 11:00 am

WEEK 10

16/12 Kemblawarra Karols

3-6 ASSEMBLY

Our 3-6 Assembly is this Friday, 15 November commencing at 9.10am. All parents/carers are welcome to attend our assemblies. Please make sure awards are given to the teacher before Thursday so they can be organised for the assembly. Parents will be receiving letters to let them know their child is receiving an award.

P-2 GALA DAY

On Friday 22 November, Kemblawarra Public School will be hosting its 6th P-2 Gala Day for our CoS (Community of Schools). Port Kembla Public School, Lake Heights Public School and Warrawong Public School students will be visiting us for this

exciting Over 250 event. students from all four schools will partake in T-Ball games that use **Fundamental** after Movement Skills and all students will recess participate in novelty events. At



the conclusion of the day all students will make their way to the front playground for a sausage sizzle. Parents/Carers are welcome to attend the event to support their children. Sausages can be purchased on the day for \$2.

As the weather is warming up please ensure your child has adequate layers of clothing on, as well as hat and sunscreen for sun protection. Sunscreen will also be provided by the school on the day

Students will need to bring recess, crunch and sip, and lunch if they are not purchasing a sausage.

A reminder: There will not be a P-2 Awards Assembly on Friday 22 November due to the Gala Day taking place. The final Assembly for P-2 will be on Friday 6 December.

HEADLICE

We have had another occurrence of headlice. We ask that everyone in the school PLEASE check your children's hair for lice and eggs and be extra diligent with treatment. It is important that if ANY are found or if in doubt to treat anyway. To eradicate this problem at our school EVERYONE needs to be proactive with checking & treatment. Treatment needs to continue for at least 6 weeks. Remember ALL members of the family need to be treated. For helpful instructions to treat headlice, please visit the Health NSW at this link: https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/environment/headlice/Pages/treatment.aspx

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT KPS

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

The vision of the Kemblawarra Public School learning community is, to enable all students to achieve their personal goals and to develop their talents and capacities to their full potential socially, emotionally, physically, spiritually and academically. We envision that all students will develop a sense of self-worth, achieve social discipline and gain joy and satisfaction from belonging to and being a valued member of the school and wider community so that they can make their best contribution to the community in which they live.

Our school values support our core business of improving student growth. We strive to be the best we can be and our values 'Safe, Respect and Responsible', drive our school culture.

AWARDS ASSEMBLY

Gold Awards



Matthew, Alexis, Hailee & Lucas

Green Awards



Chase, Piper, Beau, Alexis, Brody, Amaliah, Yasmeen, Mikayla, Felicity, Jake & Tyler

Birthday Awards



Mrs Petsas & Felicity

Red Merit Awards



IN2UNI EXCURSION



5th November

The Kids
In2Uni
Program at the
University of
Wollongong



Exploring Geology



Being 8 Being





Getting a feel for what University is all about





MARKET DAY 2019







Thank you so much to all the parents/carers, students and staff who worked so hard to make our school's Market Day event such a huge success. This event was even more special due to the celebration of the school's 60th Anniversary with so many honourable guests attending our special Assembly including the Honourable Lord Mayor Mr Gordon Bradbery, Members of Parliament Mr Paul Scully, Mrs Sharon Bird and School Education Director (SED) Mr Bill Field.

The weather was fantastic, the

school was filled with fun and laughter and the Year 5/6 students rose to the occasion by providing quality and great service with their Market Day stalls. This event raised over \$1500 which is an amazing result for our Year 6 students and all those that helped make the day possible.

Matilda's Petting Farm brought furry little creatures for us to see and pat, Wave FM 96.5 cooked our BBQ, Wollongong Jumping Castles and Bunnings offered their services with the Face Painting stall. Even the Warrawong High School Drumming Band came and celebrated with us by providing some musical entertainment as did our very own School Choir who performed for us.

Students hung their self-portraits in our hall, photos from the school's very beginning up to the present day were mounted on the walls outside our classrooms and in our school library for visitors and students to view.







What a fabulous day. Happy 60th Kemblawarra!



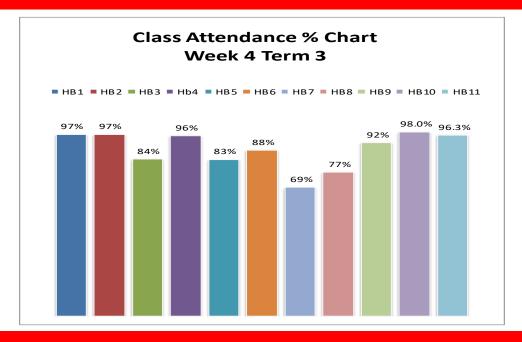








ATTENDANCE



COMMUNITY NEWS







- Would you like to see your child transition into school with confidence and readiness?
- Would you like to spend one on one time with your child doing meaningful activities together with free resources?

HIPPY - Support your child's transition to school

If you answered "yes" to any of these questions HIPPY could be for you!

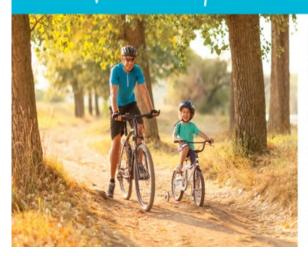
HIPPY (Home Interaction Program for Parents and Youngsters) is a two year home based school readiness program which allows you to be involved in building on your child's confidence and growth in the journey to commencing their primary school education. The program will commence **March 2020.** Parents are supported by tutors.

If you would like to find out more about HIPPY please call Rebecca on 42758575 or email rgeorges@barnardos.org.au

The Home Interaction Program for Parents and Youngsters is funded by the Australian Government through the Department of Social Services. The Brotherhood of St Laurence holds the licence to operate HIPPY in Australia



Time for Healthy Habits



Do you have a child between the ages of 2-6 years and live in NSW? Do you wonder if they are eating enough of the right foods, being active enough or getting enough sleep?

We are offering a **free** program to help parents give their young children the healthiest start to life.

For more information and to register please visit www.timeforhealthyhabitsnsw.com/ or contact time-healthyhabits@uow.edu.au

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