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We are all in this together!

Wednesday 29th April, 2020

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to a somewhat different Term 2.

I appreciate all your hard work, support and persistence. You are remarkable!

At this stage we have been handing out our work packs. In our packs we also had a note stating what days students are to return. Feel free to call in to collect your child's work pack at any time. Please if you have any issues give us a call.

We will keep you updated as we are updated through Facebook and the SkoolBag app.

Starting this week we are holding a raffle ! The prize will be "goodies" box. Remember you don't even have to buy a ticket. All our students will go into the draw and one lucky student will win the "goodies" box. Stay tuned.

Mother's Day is coming quickly and given it is not a normal term, and a very important day, we will be delivering some goodies to our Mum's.

Happy Mother's Day to our Mums, we hope you have a great day and know just how appreciated you are!

Cat Boorer (Principal)

"Vision with action can change the world"

KPS Important Dates

Monday 27 April: Staff Development Day #1 (no students)

Tuesday 28 April: Staff Development Day #2 (no students)

Wednesday 29 April: Students of essential workers return

Monday 11 May: Students will return to school 1 day a week (*days will increase progressively throughout the term*)

Anzac Day
driveway tribute

Anzac Day

2020



• *Lest We Forget* •

Anzac Day 2020 was very different to any other we have seen over the years but this did not stop our students and the country showing our respect, gratitude and pride to Diggers both past and present. Here are a few images of our students showing respect and celebrating family members contributions to serving our country in conflict.



GREAT JOB KPS!



The logo for Scholastic Book Club. It features a red rectangular box containing a white book icon on the left, the word "SCHOLASTIC" in white capital letters on a red background in the center, and the words "Book Club" in a large, blue, sans-serif font below it.

For Term 2 Scholastic have a new method of ordering your book club– there will be no catalogues distributed.

Parents can access a link to view the virtual catalogue and still order through the LOOP.

Books will be delivered and collected by parents on an allocated pickup day.

Please order from this issue by Friday 15 May.

The link is as follows, copy and paste into your web browser:

<https://scholastic.com.au/book-club/virtual-catalogue-1/>

Happy Browsing!!!

A horizontal banner with a green background and a central white circle. The text "VOLUNTARY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTION" is written in black, bold, capital letters inside the white circle. The banner is framed by a blue border.

Our voluntary school contributions are now due, these payments cover our school resources & the opportunities that school provides on top our regular school experiences. The fee structure this year will be \$40 for your first child & \$20 per child thereafter.

Again this is a voluntary contribution but it allows us to bring in outside agencies to provide specialised opportunities. Your support of this contribution is greatly appreciated.

The logo for "The Lost & Found Bin". It features the text "THE LOST & FOUND BIN" in a stylized font, with a star in the "O" of "LOST". Below it, the tagline "Your stuff misses YOU too." is written in a smaller font. The logo is set against a yellow background with a red border.

Please label all student belongings, we have a number of items in our lost property basket that is not labelled. Our lost property basket is located in the office.

A red rectangular sign with a white crown icon at the top. Below the crown, the text "KEEP CALM AND CHECK LOST PROPERTY" is written in white, bold, capital letters. The sign has a yellow border.

The plan for term 2

27-28 April 2020 Pupil-free days

Teachers will be planning for the term ahead

First day of term for students is Wednesday 29 April 2020

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From 29 April to 8 May 2020 Learning from home

- Term begins with students learning from home
- Visit the Learning from home hub for more information

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From 11 May 2020 return to school

- Students will attend school one day a week
- Specific days vary from school to school and your school will let you know
- Days will increase progressively throughout the term

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At all times

- Schools will remain open for students who need them and no child will be turned away.

These arrangements will be assessed and reviewed, taking into account the latest health advice.

For more information
education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/advice-for-families



Good for kids good for life



NEWSLETTER SNIPPETS TERM 2 2020

Please see below a large selection of snippets you may like to use in your Term 2 Newsletters or post on your schools Facebook page. Please choose the ones that suit your school the most at this particular time.

The below newsletter snippets are easy to copy and paste, and provide information to families on healthy eating and physical activity.

TERM 2 NEWSLETTER TOPICS
Keep Crunching
Easy healthy lunch ideas
Managing Screen Time
Get Active with Skipping
Snack Time
Traditional Indigenous Games
Two Minute Noodles
Staying Active at Home
Learn to Make a Healthy Lunch
Dice Fitness
Get Active + Map a Treasure Hunt
Breakfast is the Best Routine



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