



The Week Ahead

Monday 5th:

Human Development - Gr 5 & 6

Tuesday 6th:

Melbourne Cup Day - No school

Wednesday 7th:

Thursday 8th:

Friday 9th:

Future Diary Dates

12th November

Human Development - Gr 5 & 6

12th November

Human Development Family Evening

Gr 1 & 2 - 6pm-6.45pm

Gr 3 & 4 - 7pm-7.45pm

13th November

KPS Fair ideas meeting 7.30pm

14th November

Springtime Spectacular -Prep-Gr 2

17th November

Working Bee - 9am - 4pm

22nd November

Chesterfield Park Excursion -Prep



Grade 2 Sleepover

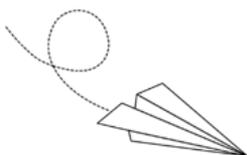
Acting Principal's

Message:

Michael McLean

Last Friday I had the pleasure of attending the grade 2 sleep over at school. I was impressed with how well the students coped with staying away from home and the level of maturity they demonstrated in being able to look after themselves. The grade 2 sleepover is integral first part of the Kerrimuir Camping Program.

Thank you to all the school staff and parents that volunteered to make this event happen. Your contribution to this and other school events is greatly appreciated by our community.



Code Read Dyslexia

Yesterdays Code Read - Fly Like a Dyslexic paper plane extravaganza was huge success for our school. The students of the school manufactured some amazing paper planes with the winners plane travelling nearly 25 metres. Congratulations to all the students that had success with their plane of choice.

Regards,

Michael McLean

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Caring for people and the environment



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Achieve our Best



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Respect ourselves and others



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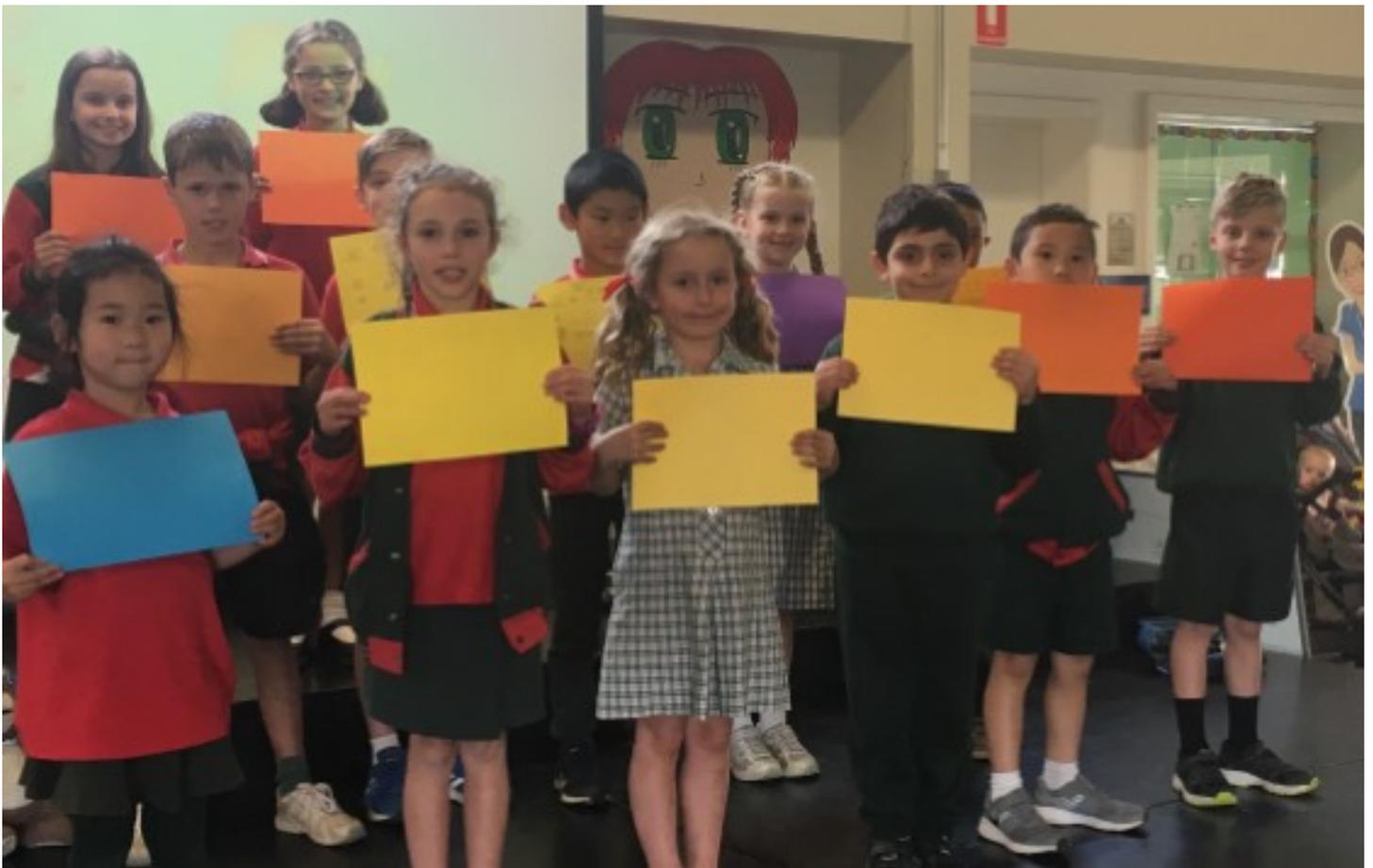
Educating our children for the future





Congratulations to last week's winners of the Kerrimuir CARE Awards!

These students have all been recognised by their teachers last week for an achievement related to one of our four school CARE values.



Prep enrolments for 2019 Kerrimuir school families

We are currently taking enrolments for current 4 year old Kindergarten students who turn 5 by April 30th, 2019 for the 2019 school year.

School Council Meetings Term 4

26th November 2018

Commencing 7pm in the staff room.

Visitors welcome!





Kerrimuir Primary School Word of the Week

This weeks wordsmith is: **Inara L**

Discombobulate



Discombobulate: disconcert or confuse (someone)

Example: After a sharp blow to the face, the boxer was discombobulated.



Kerrimuir Colour Run - 30th November



We are super excited to introduce a colour run to our school calendar this year.. it promises to be a day of fun, fitness and surprises.

It also gives us the opportunity to fundraise for a robotics and coding program we are keen to introduce to the school. Every child who fundraises over \$10 receives a prize for their efforts and helps us get closer to our goal - you do not need to fundraise to participate on the day - But to do so please log onto www.schoolfundraising.com.au - many families have already done this and are doing an amazing job – Thank you.

Next week's Fruit Duty Roster



Monday 5th - Mary Cao

Tuesday 6th - No School

Wednesday 7th - Kate Stevens

Thursday 8th – Kaye McTaggart

Friday 9th - Anna Longley

First Aid Roster



Friday 9th Nov - Rachel Allsop

Friday 16th Nov - Visalakshmi Devulapalli

Friday 23rd Nov - Amie Moffatt

Friday 30th Nov - Rachel Allsop





Do you want a KPS Fair in 2019?

If the answer is **YES** come along and get the ball rolling at our

Wine, Cheese and Ideas Night

**Tuesday 13th November, 7.30pm,
in the Staff room**

Note: Change of Date!

This event has been moved from Wednesday 14th to Tuesday 13th November to avoid a clash with the Junior School Spectacular.

The KPS Fair has been a wonderful school event held every second year for many years at Kerrimuir. The kids have a fantastic time and it is also a great event for raising money to contribute to school improvements.

But Fairs take a lot of time, effort and good will to organise, and can only happen if we have the support of the school community.

So please come along on **Tuesday 13th November** to share your ideas (and some wine and cheese!) and show your support for a 2019 KPS Fair.

From this night we hope to:

- Find out if there is enough demonstrated interest and support from school families to commit to having a Fair in 2019
- Get some fresh ideas for what a 2019 might look like
- Understand the skills, interests and availability of potential contributors (this might be as simple as sharing some useful contacts or an interest in helping with an activity on the day)
- Recruit a committee of management to share in the fun of organising a Fair in 2019.

We look forward to seeing you there!

KPS School Council



Working Bee - Saturday 17th November 9am - 4pm

We will be running another Working Bee in November to give the grounds a tidy up.

If you are free for an hour, two or more we would love to see you.

Please advise of your availability on 0434327166.

Duncan White

Buildings & Grounds Committee





Dear parents and guardians,



I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is Ophelia, a Master of Counselling student from Monash University, who is currently taking my supervised professional counselling placement at this school. It is my pleasure to be here and be a part of such a wonderful school.

KPS is a great school, but that does not mean that our students would not face challenges while they are here. Thus, as a school counsellor, my primary responsibility is to promote the academic, personal and social well-being of all students. I will be working with students individually whom would benefit from a (weekly or bi-weekly) one-hour counselling session as well as in small groups. Each group is usually focused on one topic such as social skills, or resilience. I will also be meeting with parents and collaborating with teachers/stuff to benefit and meet the needs of all Kerrimuir students. In addition, from this week onward, I will be sharing a wide range of psychology information (e.g. children's psychosocial development and parenting tips) which you might find helpful. Please feel free to let us know if you have a particular topic that you would like me to cover.

A permission slip for all counselling services would need to be signed by the student's parent(s) or guardian(s) and returned to the school before your child could begin being seen in counselling. Please note that all information discussed is confidentiality between me and your child, unless they are planning on hurting themselves, hurting someone else, or someone is hurting them.

I look forward to getting to know you and your children, and to offering support to students, staff and families.

Sincerely,

Ophelia Chan





Feelings in children

5 – 6 years

Your child can express his/her feelings, although she might need help and time to identify and talk about tricky emotions, like jealousy. Although your child might love to be independent, he/she still needs lots of your love and attention. Connecting with the family is the most important thing in his/her life. He/she wants your approval and you to be proud of his/her achievements (and probably doesn't take well to criticism or discipline).

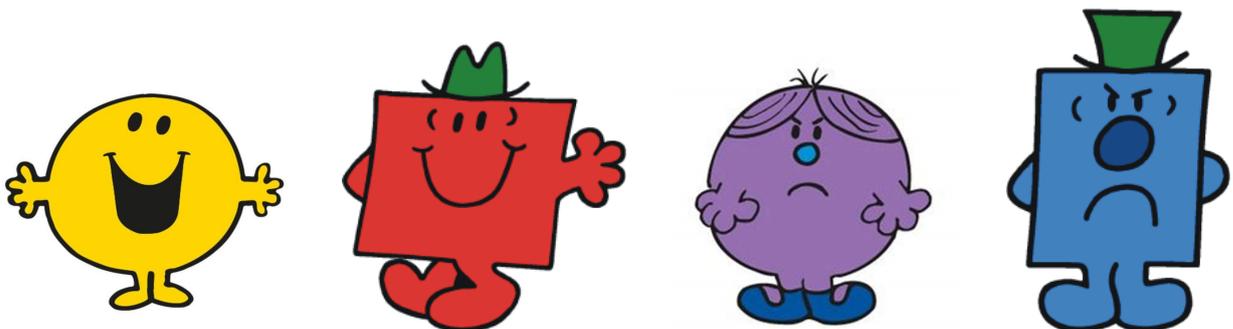
6 – 8 years

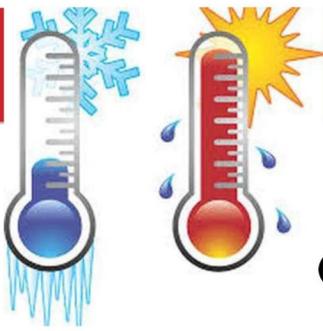
Your child wants to please the important others (e.g. parents and teachers) in his/her life. So, doing "the right things" becomes very important to him/her (but some children might seem over-confident). He/she might be sensitive to people's views and be easily embarrassed. You might notice that your child is more aware of events he/she has seen or heard on news. This growing awareness of the world could cause some fear and anxiety. So, talking about tough topics (e.g. natural disasters, illness, death or divorce) could help your child make sense of the world. It would be helpful to use a past event to help he/she understand a more recent one.

9 – 11 years

Your child might show strong feelings and intense emotions at different times. His/her moods might seem unpredictable, and these emotional ups and downs could lead to increased conflict. This is partly because your child's brain is still learning how to control and express emotions in a grown-up way. Meanwhile, your child is more sensitive to your emotions, although he/she might sometimes misread facial expressions or body language.

(Source: raisingchildren.net.au)

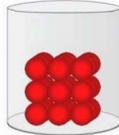




We're learning about what makes substances change state!



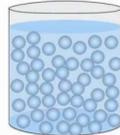
solid



- rigid
- fixed shape
- fixed volume

cannot be squashed

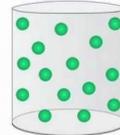
liquid



- not rigid
- no fixed shape
- fixed volume

cannot be squashed

gas



- not rigid
- no fixed shape
- no fixed volume

can be squashed



The Science Behind Solids, Liquids and Gases:

When a material changes state, the atoms or molecules do not change. It is the way the atoms or molecules are spaced and held together that changes.

Melting Experiment: 'Making S'mores'

Ingredients



- Biscuits
- Choc buttons
- Marshmallows



Method



1. Melt everything (carefully) in the Microwave
2. Place melted marshmallow on biscuit
3. Put another biscuit on top to make sandwich
4. Dip in melted chocolate



Final Step: ENJOY!





Building, Constructing and Design lunch time club

The BCD Club will be held in Miss Bilski's room every Wednesday at lunch time from 2:00 pm-2:30 pm. This club gives students an opportunity to use materials in order to build, construct and design. All designs will be kept in Miss Bilski's room and students are encouraged to add to their designs each week or create new ones. This club is for Grade 2's only and allows students to put to use their problem solving skills, mathematics, social skills and scientific knowledge.

Hope to see you there!





MAGNIFICENT MINIBEASTS

Last week the Grade 1's and 2's enjoyed a wonderful incursion with Sam from Labcoat. One member of the grade dressed up as a minibeast, highlighting the features of minibeasts. All students enjoyed using magnifying glass to explore aquatic minibeasts, feeding butterflies, making a minibeast from playdough and drawing a warning wrist band. It was wonderful to observe live and preserved minibeasts. All grades are loving this unit. Have you learnt something new from your child?

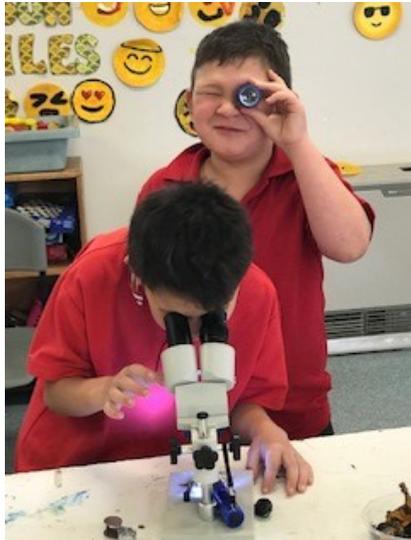


Kind Regards,
Claudia





Minibeasts continued...





KERRIMUIR PRIMARY SCHOOL PRESENTS

**2018
ART
SHOW**

**OPEN NIGHT
TUESDAY, 20TH NOVEMBER
6PM TO 7:30PM
IN THE MULTI PURPOSE ROOM**

**ADDITIONAL OPEN TIMES
MONDAY, 19TH NOVEMBER 3:30PM TO 4PM
TUESDAY, 20TH NOVEMBER 3:30PM TO 4PM**





Cakes needed
for Term 4!



Cake Raffle

Every Friday at assembly we have a Cake Raffle to raise funds for the school. We're always looking for people to help bake cakes for the raffle prizes, so if you can help please contact Sue Jones, or follow the link below to Sign Up Genius.

Raffle tickets are 20c each and can be bought from the Canteen before school on Friday from **8.40am** or before assembly from **2.20pm**.

To sign up please contact Sue Jones on:

- Email smdavies@ihug.com.au OR phone 0477 443 121 or
- Put your name on the sign up sheets at the Canteen or office, or
- Sign up at:
www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0E4DAAA92AA3F58-kerrimuir

Last week's winners: Tehmi, Angelina x 2, Sienna x 2, Jacob, Ben,
Archie, Maria

Funds raised: \$107.20

Next week's Chefs 09/11/2018: Karlene Elkin x 2

REBEL SPORT FUNDRAISING

Register for Rebel's loyalty program at www.seasonpass.com.au and nominate Kerrimuir Primary School, and 5% of the value of your purchase goes back to the school.





St Francis Xavier TWILIGHT FAIR

SATURDAY 10TH NOVEMBER, 2018 - 1PM TO 7PM

1087 Whitehorse Road, Box Hill

Delicious food stalls AND outdoor bar area
Market AND craft stalls
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SCHOOL FAIR

SATURDAY 10 NOVEMBER

WE INVITE YOU TO **join us**

FIREWORKS, SIDESHOW GAMES, RIDES, STALLS, FOOD AND LIVE MUSIC

1pm - 8.30pm

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Box Hill North Primary School
Elizabeth Street Box Hill North Ph 9890 5023

K WOOLWORTHS CRICKET BLAST

KERRIMUIR UNITED CC

Junior Blasters

Kerrimuir United Cricket Club is located on the corner of Springfield and Dorking Roads, Box Hill North.

We offer a safe and friendly environment, expert coaching, great facilities and place a high importance on junior development.

Kerrimuir United Cricket Club are seeking new Woolworths Cricket Junior Blast participants for the upcoming 2018/19 season.

WHEN: Friday nights 6-7pm, commencing Friday 26th October

As one of the biggest Milo Cricket providers in the state, we are very excited to re launch as Woolworths Cricket Blast. Players of all abilities are welcome. You can now register online for Woolworths Cricket Blast via <https://www.playcricket.com.au/club-finder/club-details?id=2484>

We have fantastic facilities and a booming junior program with dedicated coaches to help all players.

Further information contact:
Paul Beven (0409 840 044)
E: kuccjuniors@gmail.com

EASTERN ULTIMATE

Come & play Ultimate Frisbee!

Term 4, 2018 on alternate Thursdays:

6.30 - 7.30pm "VicFlick"
(Junior Ultimate Frisbee Program for ages 8-15)
Coaching, learn skills, play a game

Also 6.30-7.30 - Adults social game
Perfect for parents or anyone new to Ultimate.

Elgar Park
Elgar Rd, Box Hill North

Sessions are provided at **NO COST** to participants thanks to fees being subsidised by Ultimate Victoria

Dates for Term 4: Oct 11, Oct 25, Nov 8, Nov 22, Dec 6, Dec 20.

More info:
Jacqui Allen 0403 490 459 www.easternultimate.com.au