



## Principal's Message

### Michael Mclean

#### NAPLAN Success

Congratulations to all our students for their success in NAPLAN this year. Although the NAPLAN tests are conducted in years 3 and 5 it is the whole school effort that goes into ensuring that the teaching and learning at Kerrimuir is of a high quality that produces these results. As principal of the school, I would like to congratulate and thank all the staff for their dedication to the students at our school.

#### Academic Competitions

Our season of academic competitions have begun with the Australian Maths and ICAS starting soon. It's great to see how many of our students are competing this year. These tests are very difficult and usually aimed many years in advance of the student's actual year level. I wish all our students every success in this year's competitions.

#### STEM takes a leap forward at KPS

I would like to congratulate Mrs Peterson for her effort in applying for and winning the Whitehorse Councils major community grant. Mrs Peterson heads the sustainability team at KPS and demonstrates a passion for sustainability and caring for the environment in everything she does. The grant of \$10,000.00 will put towards the purchase of a plastic recycling machine that will be used by students to further their understanding of the recycling process.

## Term 3 Diary Dates 2024

FRI 02/08

BINGO NIGHT

FRI 16/08-TUE 20/08

BOOK FAIR

TUE 20/08-WED 21/08

PREP AND GRADE 1 TEDDY  
BEAR HOSPITAL INCURSION

TUE 03/09

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEW



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Term 3 Diary Dates  
2024



Yesterday Mrs Peterson and I went to view the machine we will be purchasing with the grant funds and viewed the items that can be produced from a used bottle cap.

#### Koonung Secondary Performance

This week I had the pleasure of attending the Koonung Secondary School's performance of Shrek. I would encourage all the community to see the show. Congratulations to the Kerrimuir alumni for their performance in the show. It was great to see the students that performed in our own school productions taking the skills they learnt at primary school and further enhancing them at secondary school.



**c**



Caring for people and the environment

**a**



Achieve our Best

**r**



Respect ourselves and others

**e**



Educating our children for the future





# CELEBRATING OUR PRINCIPAL'S DAY







## Child Safety and Wellbeing at Kerrimuir Primary School

### Information for families and the school community

Kerrimuir Primary School is committed to providing an environment where students are safe and feel safe.

Our child safety framework includes policies, codes and procedures that explain how we support and maintain the safety and wellbeing of our students and protect them from harm. These documents are available on our website: <https://www.kerrimuirps.vic.edu.au/>

We are also committed to continuous improvement of our child safety framework. We are currently reviewing our child safety policies and practices to ensure they are up-to-date and effective.

Our students and families are important partners in this process. We welcome your feedback or ideas on ways we can improve our approach to child safety and wellbeing.

If you have any suggestions or comments, please contact Claudia Rushton 98981494 or at

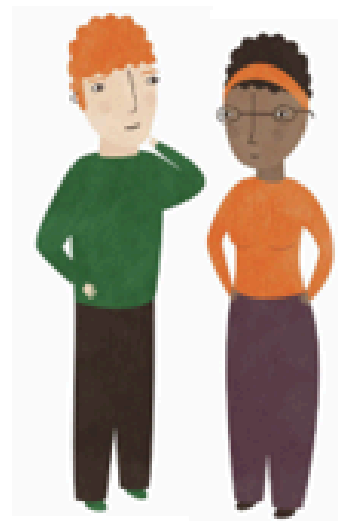
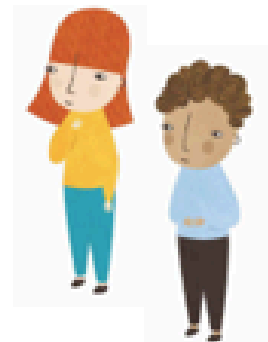
[claudia.rushton@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:claudia.rushton@education.vic.gov.au)

## PROTECT

Everyone has the right to be safe and be protected from abuse.

No one should behave in a way that makes you feel unsafe or afraid, including anyone in your family, anyone at school or anywhere else in the community.

Tell a teacher or any adult at your school if you feel unsafe.



It's everyone's responsibility.

Adults at school must listen and respond to concerns about child abuse.

If you suspect abuse of any child or young person, you have a responsibility to report it, even if you are not sure.

Further information & resources  
[www.education.vic.gov.au/protect](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/protect)



TWILIGHT MARKET AND

# GLOW IN THE DARK

*Art Show*

FEATURING:

**STUDENT ART  
MARKET STALLS**

**FOOD TRUCKS - COME FOR DINNER!**

**16TH OF AUGUST**

**TIME: 5:30PM - 7:30PM**

**LAST ENTRY AT 7:00PM**



**CHN PROUDLY  
PRESENTS**

# DRAG QUEEN BINGO

• A Fundraiser for Kerrimuir PS •

## AT THE BOX HILL TOWN HALL



**Scan the QR for tickets**

FRIDAY	TIME	PRICE
<b>2 AUGUST</b>	<b>7PM</b>	<b>\$30</b>

**BRING YOUR OWN FOOD AND DRINKS FOR A  
FUN AND FABULOUS EVENING!  
INDIVIDUAL TICKETS \$30 TABLE OF TEN \$270**

We are pleased to announce that we will be running our 2nd Drag Bingo Night on Friday 2nd August 2024. Last year was so much fun, a wickedly funny night!

Tickets are \$30 each or a table of 10 for \$270

It will be held at the Box Hill Town Hall, you are welcome to bring your own food and drinks.

It's a wonderful opportunity to let your hair down, meet new people from the community or spend time with existing friends. Please feel free to extend to people outside of the school network as well.

Book tickets at:

<https://www.trybooking.com/CTDSS>



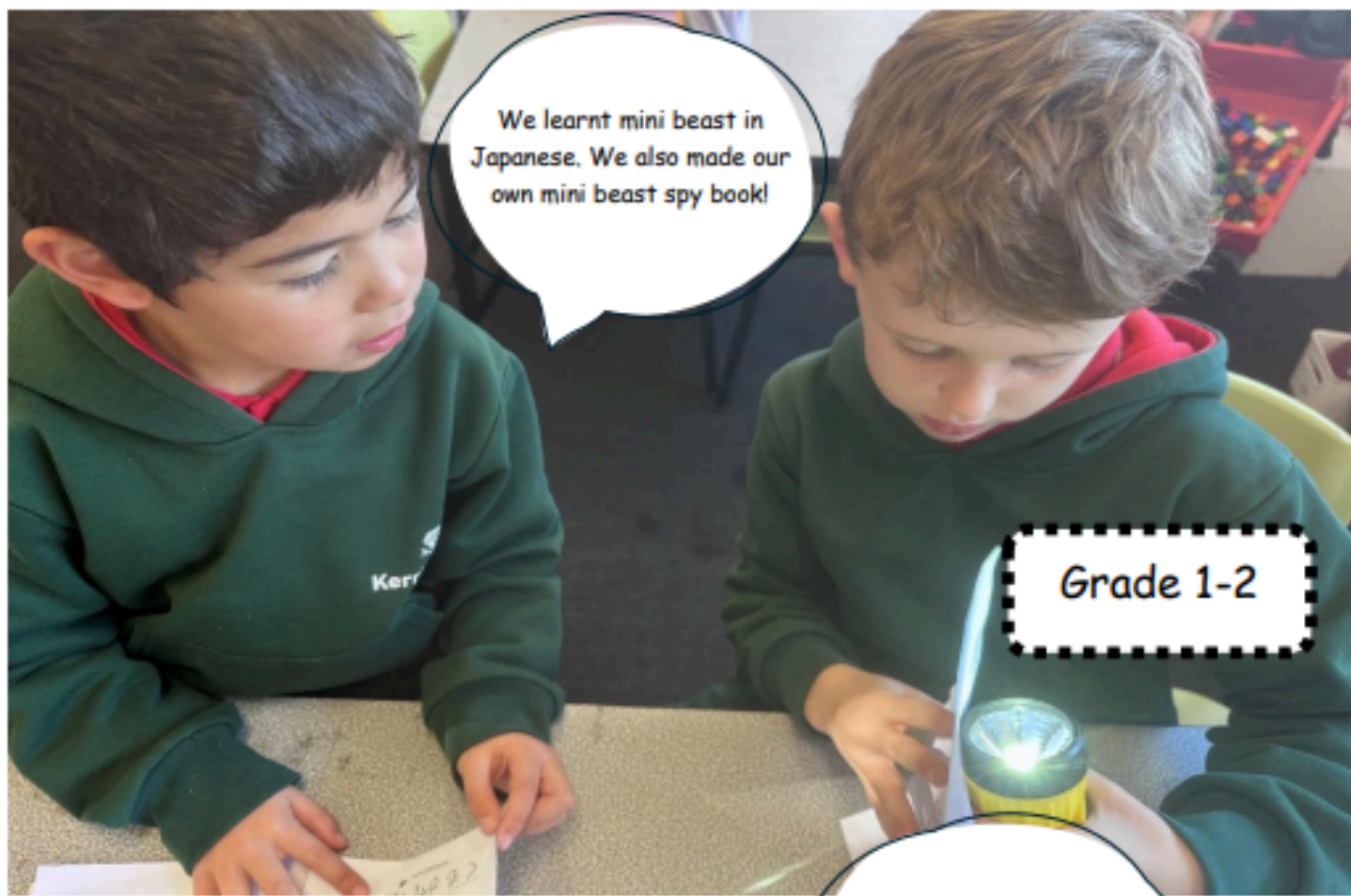
# TERM 2 JAPANESE



Grade 3-4







We learnt mini beast in Japanese. We also made our own mini beast spy book!

Grade 1-2



Prep

We enjoyed making origami animals and tangram puzzles!

July 2024

# The Leaflet

## SUSTAINABILITY AT KERRIMUIR



### RESOURCE SMART SCHOOLS STAR

We are pleased to announce that Kerrimuir Primary School has received our new sign that shows that we are a one-star resource smart school! This has been the result of lots of hard work by our staff and students in the past year. Our sign will be displayed at the front of the school. We look forward to continuing to work on our goal to achieve all five stars.

### ART SHOW MARKET STALL

Our student Green Team will be running a market stall at the Art Show Market Night on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> August from 5pm. We will be selling bottles of our Kerrimuir Olive Oil as well as Indigenous plants we have propagated and other produce from our veggie garden.



*The Sustainability Team*



# Book Week Parade-Save the Date

Hi KPS families,

We will once again be hosting our annual book week parade on **Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August**, straight after assembly. Students are invited to come dressed as their favourite book character (no movies please). More information to come closer to the date.



## The Preps celebrate 100 DAYS OF SCHOOL!



### **WELL DONE TO OUR PREPS**

In Week 2, the preps enjoyed their 100th Day of School. They spent the day engaging in many activities which celebrated all of their hard work so far this year.

Their teachers are so proud of how far they have come, and were thrilled to provide them with an exciting day of fun-filled tasks. This year, the preps have unlocked their abilities to read, write, spell, and engage in maths. They have also learned to be kind, caring, and joyful members of the Kerrimuir PS community.

Here's to the next 100 days!

The Prep Team



# KERRIMUIR PS CANTEEN MENU



MAMEE  
CHICKEN  
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ICY POLE

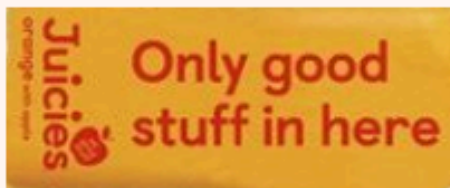


CHIPS:  
SEA SALT,  
HONEY SOY CHICKEN

ALL  
**\$1.50!**



RASPBERRY SPLIT



JUICIES:  
TROPICAL, LEMONADE,  
BLACK CURRANT, APPLE



MOOSIES:  
BLUE MOON,  
STRAWBERRY,  
CHOCOLATE,  
LIME

Dear families,

We remind our school community of our expectations regarding taking photographs or videos.

From our Photographing, Filming and Recording Students policy (available on our website):

School performances, sporting events and other school approved activities:

Kerrimuir Primary School requests that parents/carers, students, and invited guests who photograph, film or record school activities only do so for their own personal use and do not publish the images in any form, including on social media, without the prior consent of persons whose children also appear in the images. Neither the school nor the Department own or control any images of students taken by parents/carers, students, or their invited guests at school activities. In addition, personal photography/filming must not:

- occur outside of these school events
- be done by people not attending an event with our school
- be done during recess/lunchtime from outside the school grounds

These measures are in place to promote the privacy and safety of our students and their families. Please share this important information with other family members, such as grandparents.

亲爱的家长，

我们希望提醒每一位关于本校拍摄照片或视频的规定，根据我校对学校表演、体育赛事和其他学校活动摄影、摄像和录音的政策（可在学校网站上找到）：

KERRIMUIR 小学要求家长/照顾者、学生和被邀请嘉宾拍摄或录制学校活动，这仅供个人使用，未经他人事先同意，不得以任何形式发布，包括不能在社交媒体上发布他人孩子也出现的照片。学校和教育部均不拥有和控制家长/照顾者、学生或其受邀嘉宾在学校活动中拍摄的任何学生照片。

此外，个人摄影/拍摄不得：

- 发生在学校活动之外
- 由未参加本校活动的人员进行
- 课间休息/午餐时间在校园外进行

这些措施旨在促进学生及其家人的隐私和安全。请与其他家庭成员（例如祖父母）分享此重要信息。





**OLYMPICS CLUB**  
NEW THIS TERM  
WEEK 1-4

29<sup>TH</sup> JUL  
*Crazy Hair*  
- DAY -

HAPPY EDUCATORS DAY  
OSHC  
31<sup>ST</sup> JUL

.. DONT MISS OUT! ..  
**EPIC TERM 3**  
*Activities*  
Team Kids  
.. TEAMKIDS.COM.AU ..

26<sup>TH</sup> AUG  
DOG APPRECIATION DAY

SCIENCE WEEK  
12-16<sup>TH</sup> AUG

Book Week  
19-23<sup>RD</sup> AUG

Spring PARTY FUN  
2<sup>ND</sup> SEPT

## CATECHETICS ENROLMENTS FOR RECONCILIATION/1ST EUCHARIST

For all state school children enrolments are now open at St Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church Blackburn. Classes start in Term 3 on Saturday mornings from 9am to 10am. (subject to change). Please contact the Parish Office via email [blackburn@cam.org.au](mailto:blackburn@cam.org.au) or by phone 9878 0818.

Do you have a daughter in Grade 5?  
**Year 7 2026 enrolment applications close**  
**Friday, 16 August 2024.**

Apply today via our website  
[clc.vic.edu.au/enrol](http://clc.vic.edu.au/enrol)

Limited tour spots available, register at  
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Hear from our Principal  
 Stephanie Evans



We are excited to announce the launch of our Siena in Siena Year 9 Program, commencing in 2026. The program will provide all Year 9 students at Siena College with an enriching educational experience in Tuscany, Italy.

During a three-week journey, students will fully engage with the local community in the heart of Tuscany, in a small town called Tavarnelle, experiencing Italian culture and traditions. They will continue their academic studies, connect with peers from a local high school, and explore the language, history, cuisine and regional produce. Each group will also contribute to a community project, fostering a sense of belonging, service and connection.

Students will also travel to Rome, Siena, Florence, Bologna, Pisa and Assisi, deepening their understanding of our Dominican values and charism, and following in the footsteps of St Catherine of Siena to grasp her relevance in today's world.

In 2023, our first pilot group of Year 9 students experienced a three-week immersion program in Tavarnelle. This year, we have a second pilot group embarking on a similar journey. In 2025, Year 9 students will have the opportunity to be part of an expanded, final pilot program.

*"The trip was one of the greatest experiences I've had in my life. The best things about the trip were the food, meeting the local community and immersing myself in the Italian culture, and being there with my friends."*

Carla, Year 9 2023

This exciting program will allow students to embrace every opportunity – to **do more** – ensuring that they are empowered to explore, learn and grow; to ultimately be equipped with knowledge, confidence and compassion to **be more** in their future.

Further details about our Siena in Siena Year 9 Program will be made available on the College website later this year.



SIENA COLLEGE  
 CAMBERWELL



# Creative Wellness Fair

*Inspiring Health Through Arts & Culture*

FREE ENTRY

Sunday 4 August 2024 10am to 3pm  
 Nunawading Community Hub  
 96-106 Springvale Rd, Nunawading

Explore how our diverse arts and cultural experiences enrich every age, nurturing body, mind, and soul for a happier, healthier family! Mark your calendar and be part of this one-day extravaganza!



MARKETPLACE

Stalls: Zentangle, Calligraphy, Nutrition, Traditional Chinese Medicine, Philosophy, Yoga, Sounds of Harmony, Interactive Lion Dance, Soap Making, Scrumptious Food, and More!



LEARNING JOURNEYS

Explore the stalls for authentic experiences that inspire positive change and foster personal growth, uncovering inherent virtues within each individual.



GLOBAL HARMONY

As individuals cultivate their inner virtues, they become catalysts for a harmonious world, where empathy and understanding flourish.

Sign up at  
<https://www.trybooking.com/CROTJ>



Organised by Vegetarian & Cultural Association Incorporated (VCAI)



## DISCOVER WHY WE ARE LEADERS IN BOYS' EDUCATION



## YEAR 7 2026 PARENT INFORMATION EVENING



Tuesday, 6 August 2024 at 7pm  
 Marcellin College Functions Room  
**BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL**

Year 7 2026 Enrolments  
**APPLICATIONS CLOSE 16 AUGUST 2024**  
 Secure your place today [marcellin.vic.edu.au](http://marcellin.vic.edu.au)

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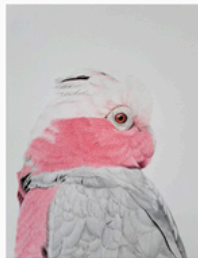
## Nature Illustration Course with tutor Peta McDonald

Learn to draw the intricate details of plants and natural objects using graphite, pen and coloured pencil.

For beginners and intermediates alike, this course will walk you through the skills of sketching, creating form and adding colour to create beautiful drawings.



Mondays: 10am -12pm  
Dates: 15th Jul - 16th Sep  
Cost: \$250/Term (10 Weeks)  
(2 split payments per Term acceptable)  
Material list will be provided



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KERRIMUIR  
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Kids Creative Art Classes  
Wed 4pm - 5.30pm

Term 3  
(24th Jul - 18th Sep)  
9 Weeks



Kerrimuir Neighbourhood House, 57 Linda Ave, Box Hill North, 9899 7660



**Sporty Stars**  
DEVELOPING POSITIVE FUTURES

**TERM 3 2024**

**Kerrimuir PS**

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Day: Monday Time: 3.30-4.30pm Start Date: 22nd July Finish Date: 16th Sept Who: Prep-Grade 4 Cost: \$162 (9 sessions)	Day: Monday Time: 3.30-4.30pm Start Date: 22nd July Finish Date: 16th Sept Who: Prep-Grade 4 Cost: \$162 (9 sessions)	Day: Thursday Time: Lunch Time Start Date: 8th Aug Finish Date: 19th Sept Who: Prep-Grade 4 Cost: \$112 (7 sessions)

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## KDA

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FOR ALL AGES

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*We've been here for a few years and couldn't be happier!*  
- Current parent



## ABOUT KDA

Our aim at KDA is not only to teach dance, but to create a **friendly and positive environment** to enable an individuals co-ordination, confidence, self esteem and social skills to develop and grow.

We have been teaching dance classes for **over 25 years** in the local area and offer a variety of styles across a range of age and skill levels.

Our classes include Jazz, Tap, R.A.D. Ballet, Contemporary, VCE VET Dance, Hip-Hop, and Acrobatic Dance.

## OUR STUDIOS

We have two fully equipped air conditioned studios with professional sprung dance floors.



## LOCATION

15 Indra Rd, Blackburn South

[www.kallistadance.au](http://www.kallistadance.au)

**FREE TRIAL CLASS!**



## Whitehorse Girl Guides

Units for girls aged:

5-7 years

7-10 years

10-15 years

14-18 years

### At Guides you are able to:

- Experience exciting challenges with friends
- Have lots of fun
- Join a Guide Unit of similar aged girls
- Meet for 1-2 hours in a local hall during term time
- Enjoy a different experience every week



For more information:  
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Sarah: 0420 975 068  
[whitehorse@guidesvic.org.au](mailto:whitehorse@guidesvic.org.au)  
[www.guidesvic.org.au](http://www.guidesvic.org.au)

Giving girls and young women a sense of adventure, new pathways and experiences to develop leadership skills for the future.

We provide a range of opportunities, indoors and Outdoors to let girls and young women find their own pathways

All the activities the girls do, from weekly meetings, camps, expeditions and hikes, are driven by the girls themselves with input and assistance from their Leaders, and planned to match the girls abilities.

Guiding provides opportunities for you to:

- Be challenged by new experiences
- Think for yourself and make decisions
- Undertake teamwork and acquire leadership skills
- Develop resilience, self-awareness, self-respect and self-confidence
- Develop personal values
- Do your best
- Contribute to society

Our dedicated Leaders and Volunteers make Guiding happen and inspire girls and young women to be their best in a non-competitive environment.

Learning, encouraging, and challenging each and every girl to individually do their best.







## Community Fun Day

SAT 27 JULY 2024, 10 AM TO 4 PM

TEMPLESTOWE BAPTIST CHURCH  
103-105 ANDERSONS CREEK RD, DONCASTER EAST VIC 3109

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<b>WHERE</b> KERRIMUIR PS	<b>WHEN</b> TUESDAY LUNCHTIMES - 8 WEEKS 23RD JULY - 17TH SEPT	<b>TIME</b> 1:40 - 2:20	<b>WHO</b> PREP - YEAR 6
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[MagicAcademy.com.au](http://MagicAcademy.com.au)

# TAP FREE TRIAL CLASSES



**When?**  
Wednesday - 31st July - 6:00-7:00 pm  
Wednesday - 7th August - 6:00-7:00 pm

**Where?**  
Box Hill (location provided upon registration)

**What?**  
Free beginner tap class for Grade 2-5 children - no tap shoes required!




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