Kennington Primary School Values Awards

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<th>Inclusion</th>
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<td>Is showing concern for others and being thoughtful, and understanding of their feelings. It means your thoughts; words and actions show consideration for others.</td>
<td>Is working together for the common good. It means being able to work together and act positively with others.</td>
<td>Is respecting and valuing differences. It means we include others in work and play.</td>
<td>Is always aiming high and being the best I can. It means being optimistic: that I will be successful in the end.</td>
<td>Is treating everybody and everything with consideration and courtesy. It means looking after myself, others and the environment.</td>
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Preps
- PA: Molly M
- PB: Cooper M
- PC: Angus D

Grade 1-2
- 1A: Declan T
- 1B: Nicolas D
- 1C: Flynn M
- 1/2D: Elandra P
- 2A: Po Kwa Chi
- 2B: Ruben C
- 2C: Josh M

Grade 3-4
- 3A: Seliena L
- 3B: Aden T
- 3C: Marinda S
- 3D: Lucy P
- 4A: Samuel B
- 4B: Ava B
- 4C: Fraser L

Grade 5-6
- 5A: Luke D
- 5B: Mia M
- 5C: Jye B
- 5D: Anna W
- 6A: All of 6A
- 6B: All of 6B
- 6C: All of 6C

Specialist
- Music: Samuel T (2C)
- Visual Arts: Esther D (5A)
- Phys Ed: Issy G (6C)
- Auslan Lote: Dominic G (PC)
- English as an Additional Language: Shaine P (4C)
- Handwriting: Kirra C (PB) & Jacob M (3C)

Dates to Remember

**Term 1**

**March**
- Thu 17th: Out of Uniform Day Gold coin donation
- Thu 17th: 9:00am – 3:00pm Division Volleyball Tournament – Bendigo Stadium
- Thu 17th: 3:30pm – 6:00pm KPS Fair

**Fri 18th**
- Grade 3 Derby Hill Excursion notes & $40.00 due
- Sun 20th: 6:00pm Team China Dinner Bendigo Stadium
- Mon 21st: 8:00am Grade 6 Urban Camp departs
- Mon 21st: Regional Tennis – Swan Hill
**Principal’s Report**

**Dear Parents/Carers,**

**Community Night/Twilight Fair**
Our Twilight Fair is on tomorrow night, from 3:30pm to 6:00pm.

**School Fair – Student Supervision**
This is to inform families that students must be supervised by an adult while at the School Fair.

School finishes at 3.15pm for students and it is an expectation that students will be supervised after this time including those attending OSHC.

**Parking – School Fair**
After school tomorrow we will have people directing traffic for the Fair. If you are simply collecting your child/children you will be able to access the school grounds as per normal. If you are coming to attend the Fair, you will be asked to park on the area below the school oval. As mentioned, we will be having people assist with directing traffic. I thank you in advance for your cooperation in making these parking arrangements work for the safety of all.

**Casual Dress Day on Fair Day**
Tomorrow students will be allowed to wear casual dress. A gold coin ‘fine’ will apply. Casual dress for the day must still comply with our Sun Smart and safety guidelines, i.e. broad brim hats, no sleeveless tops and shoes with covered toes and covered heels.

**Fair Competitions**
The prizes in our Fair Competitions will be chocolate hampers. These have been very popular in the past. Tickets will be sold on the night of the fair for $1.00 and the winners will be drawn at approximately 5:45pm.

**Rides/Fair Activities**
At the Twilight Fair this year all activities and rides will be prepaid. Students and visitors can purchase a Mega Pass for $20.00 ($22.00 value - see draft sample) which will be hole-punched at each activity. If students and/or visitors want less or more value; $10.00 or $5.00 passes will also be available. The passes will be handed out to students tomorrow afternoon before the bell.

**To avoid lengthy queues for buying Mega Passes at the fair, it would be advisable to pre-purchase your passes.**

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| Mon 21st | 6:45pm | Annual Reporting Meeting  
|         | 7:15pm | Annual General Meeting  
|         | 7:30pm | School Council  
| Tue 22nd | 9:00am – 9:30am | Community Auslan Classes  
| Tue 22nd | 9:00am – 10:00am | Preps  
| Wed 23rd | 4:15pm | Grade 6 Urban Camp returns  
| Thu 24th | 9:00am – 1:30pm | SEDA Clinics  
| Thu 24th | 2:30pm | Term 1 concludes  

**Term 2**

**April**

| Mon 11th | 8:35am | School commences  
| Tue 12th | 9:00am – 9:30am | Community Auslan Classes  
| Wed 13th | | State Swimming  
| Thu 14th | 9:00am – 1:30pm | SEDA Clinics  
| Mon 18th | | No School Curriculum Day  
| Tue 19th | 9:00am – 9:30am | Community Auslan Classes  
| Thu 21st | 9:00am – 1:30pm | SEDA Clinics  
| Fri 22nd | | School Cross Country  
| Fri 22nd | 1:00pm – 1:30pm | ANZAC Day Ceremony All invited  
| Mon 25th | | No School ANZAC Day  
| Tue 26th | 7:45am | Arrival  
| | 3:30pm | Return  
| Tue 26th | 9:00am – 9:30am | Community Auslan Classes  
| Wed 27th | 8:45am | P & F meeting in the staffroom  
| Thu 28th | 9:00am – 1:30pm | SEDA Clinics  

**May**

| Mon 2nd | | Grade 6 Badminton Clinics  
| Tue 3rd | 9:00am – 9:30am | Community Auslan Classes  
| Wed 4th | 9:00am – 1:00pm | OSLE Pre-departure Day  
| Thu 5th | 9:00am – 1:30pm | SEDA Clinics  
| Fri 6th | | Grade 3 – 6 Shamrock Athletics  

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Demolition of the Old F Block
The double storey cream brick building known as the old F Block will be demolished, commencing in the next holidays. The school site will not be available to any one during this time; including Camp Australia.

Change to Camp Australia Holiday Program for Term 1 Holidays
Due to the commencement of the demolition of the old F Block building during the Term 1 holidays, Kennington Primary School will not be hosting the Holiday Program for Camp Australia. Attached to today’s LINK (page 10) is a flyer that outlines the activities provided at Golden Square Primary School. Parents are advised that arrangements for students to attend the holiday program are to be organised through Camp Australia.

Grandparents and Special Friends’ Day
Last Friday our Prep students were very excited to welcome their grandparents and special friends into their classrooms for the morning. It was terrific to see the students’ enjoyment as they shared a learning activity with their special visitors.

Energy Breakthrough
Last week we successfully entered two vehicles into the Annual Energy Breakthrough event in Maryborough for 2016. Grade 6 students will have the opportunity to try out for the teams early next Term.

Ukulele Family Night
On Tuesday night we held our Family Fun Ukulele Night. Many families attended. It was great to see parents taking the opportunity to play the ukuleles and learn some simple tunes. It was a great success.

Thank you to Mrs Collishaw for all her organisation of this event.

Grade 6 Camp
The Grade 6 Camp is on next Monday 21st March. Students are to arrive at school by 8:00am. Good luck campers.

Severe Allergies / Anaphylactic Reactions
Anaphylaxis is a sudden, severe and potentially life-threatening allergic reaction that can be caused by a number of different foods, perfumes, medications and insect stings. It must be treated as a medical emergency, requiring immediate treatment and urgent medical attention.

Sharing of snack and lunch food is discouraged throughout the school. Class teachers have discussed this with their class and reminded students that food is not to be shared. Students have been reminded about the need to wash their hands after contact with any nuts or nut products (i.e. peanut butter, Nutella).

I therefore ask for your assistance in monitoring what your child brings to school to eat so as to lessen the chance of children with allergies having contact with nuts. It would be appreciated if your child did not bring peanut butter or other nut products to school. I understand that this may not be possible at all times so please ask your child to alert their teacher to the fact that they have a peanut or nut products to eat. The teacher will then handle this appropriately and sensitively.
Eliza’s Hereos – This Saturday
Come to the basketball! Watch a game of the Bendigo Braves organised for our very own Eliza.

Eliza is in Grade 4 at KPS. In November 2014, nine year old Eliza was diagnosed with Type-1 Diabetes. Righteous Pups have launched a new type of Service Dog program for diabetics. To help raise funds for Eliza, and many other children living with Type-1 Diabetes a charity basketball match has been organised.

Righteous Pups and the Bendigo Braves have organised a charity basketball match to fundraise money to start up the program to assist children like Eliza with Type 1 diabetes. The dogs will be trained to alert children or their parents before their blood sugar reaches dangerous levels.

The game is on Saturday 19 March 2016 at 2:00pm at the Bendigo Stadium. Everyone is invited to attend. If you can’t attend, but would like to donate, please text the word ELIZA to Joanne Baker at Righteous Pups on 0429 010 070 or visit her Facebook page named “Eliza’s Heroes”.

End of Term
A reminder that Term 1 concludes on Thursday 24th March at 2:30pm. The Camp Australia Outside School Hours Care Program will commence at 2:30pm.

The Link
The Link is the main form of communication with you so please ensure that your child brings it home. The Link will be sent home with the youngest child in each family or look on www.kenningtonps.vic.edu.au. The Link will be published on Thursdays. Sometimes, where we need to ensure that a piece of information gets to all of our school community, a notice will be repeated in a number of newsletters.

Regards
Jo Menzel
Acting Principal

Casseroles
At times we have members of our school community who are suffering a hardship.

One way to support these families is to supply several weeks of casseroles for the family.

If you are able to make a casserole please complete the attached slip and bring to the school office by Wednesday 23rd March with your casserole. Casseroles will be immediately refrigerated and then given to the family.

If you know of someone going through a difficult time who may benefit from some casseroles please contact Sonia in the office.

Casserole

Is this item gluten free? Yes / No

Name: ____________________________
Contact number: __________________

Names and phone numbers will be removed before the casserole is delivered to the family. This information is for our records only.

Konnective
In order to improve communications between school and home we have recently purchased a school phone app that works on iPhones and android devices. The school will send out regular notifications via this app including reminders of upcoming events as well as links to newsletters. The app is called Konnective and can be downloaded free of charge from the App store or Google Play on your phone. Once you have downloaded the app you will need to register via the app. In the My Connections tab you can then select Kennington Primary School from the list of schools available and ‘join this school.’
Multicultural Sports Day

On Tuesday 15th March the EAL Grade 4-6 students went to a Multicultural Sports Day at Bendigo North Football Club Grounds. There were also students from Lightning Reef Primary School and St Peters Primary School. The students were taught ball handling skills in netball and football and then played games of both sports. It was a lot of fun and Foxy from Vixons netball came and played with the students.

School Banking

School banking day is Tuesday.

Parents and Friends’ News

Next Meeting

Wednesday 27th April at 8:45am in the staffroom.

Everyone welcome!

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A BIG thank you to the following parents that helped organise and wrap the raffle prizes.

Kim Salvador, Lou Bray, Barb Frewin, Susan Boniwell, Emma McKenzie & Lulu.

We have over 30 raffle prized to raffle off.

Thanks
Tiffany Jenkyn

Mother and Special Friends’ Day Stall
Thursday 5th May

We gratefully accept all donations to help make this a special day.
Chocolates are always a great donation!
(Please make sure they do not contain nuts.)

All donations can be dropped off at the school office.
Team China News

Dinner Fundraiser

Yes, Team China are at it again! We are full steam ahead with our fundraising. We’d like to invite you to join us at our fundraising dinner. We will be running a raffle on the night and also 50% of all adult meal money will be donated to the KPS team.

Date: Sunday 20th March
Time: 6:30pm
Where: The Bendigo Basketball Stadium

Invite your family and friends along for a fun filled night. Book a table by emailing Leah Daley.

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Fresh Fruit in Classrooms

Fresh fruit has commenced again in our classrooms.

Thank you to the sponsors of this program;
- McKern Foundation
- J.L King & Co
- Porter Davis
- Adroit Insurance Group
- Bluescope Distribution

Community News

ASTHMA FOUNDATION – for your information

www.asthmafrienfleyschools.org.au

FREECALL 1800 645 130

ELIZA’S HEROES

Raising money for Bendigo’s first Diabetes Alert Dog Program with Righteous Pups Australia

You’re invited

MASQUERADE BALL
Band - Eliza & Co

When: Friday 1st April
Where: Ulumbarra Theatre
Contact: Nicole Wallace 0419 584 455
Cost: $120.00
Welcome drink on arrival
2 course dinner

On each table there will be one bottle of red / white wine donated by Bendigo Winegrowers, other drinks available at bar prices.
Prior to the start of the 2016 Soccer Season Spring Gully United Soccer Club Fun Day for Junior Players

Cost: Gold coin donation
Registration: 9:30am
Games Start: 10:00am to 12:00pm
Venue: Spring Gully Soccer Ground
        Stanley Street
        Spring Gully

The day will include games from 10:00am to 12:00pm.

There will also be club merchandise available for sale including playing socks and shorts, as well as a second hand swap table for people to swap or pick up second hand soccer attire.


If you are intending to play and haven’t registered yet please do so as soon as possible.

Information on how to register can be found on the Strathdale Soccer Club website and online registration can be accessed the following ways:

· http://www.foxsportspulse.com/club_info.cgi?c=1-8744-124621-0-0


· Via Facebook.

Thanks,
Andrew Davies
Treasurer – SSC (0400 878 639)
Grandparents and Special Friends’ Day
## Activities @ the Kennington Twilight Fair 2016
### Thursday 17th March 3:30pm – 6:00pm

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<td>Slushie Machine</td>
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<td>Badge Machine</td>
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<td>12D</td>
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<td>Tennis Hot Shots</td>
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<td>Decorated biscuits</td>
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<td>Guess – How many balloons in the car?</td>
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<td>3D</td>
<td>Pop a balloon towards the end of the night for whatever prize is in the balloon.</td>
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<td>4A</td>
<td>Lob the chocolate</td>
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<td>Dunny roll toss</td>
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<td>Guess – How many lollies in the jar?</td>
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<td>Trailer extravaganza</td>
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Golden Square Primary School
19-31 Maple Street Golden Square VIC 3555
0450 264 918 (08:00-18:00)

Monday 28 March 2016
Spots & Stripes Spectacular
$53.88
I spy with my little eye... Let's look at all the amazing colours and patterns in the jungle! Speak to the onsite Coordinator to find out what exciting fun awaits.

Tuesday 29 March 2016
Jewel of the Nile
$53.88
There are so may special treasures hidden in the jungle. Speak to the onsite Coordinator to find out what exciting fun awaits, in a specially designed program.

Wednesday 30 March 2016
Rocky Art
$70.88
Make a Tie Dye T shirt - inspired by RockStars of the Jungle, like our good friend George!

Thursday 31 March 2016
Puzzling Animals
$58.88
3D Animal Puzzles - Today we'll be the ones getting puzzled, building and decorating our own iconic animal puzzles.

Friday 1 April 2016
Toya the Explorer
$53.88
Toya has her safari hat on and looks like she's ready for an adventure. Speak to the onsite Coordinator to find out what exciting fun awaits, in a specially designed program.

Monday 4 April 2016
Spots & Stripes Spectacular
$53.88
Urban Jungle
$81.88
At the Movies - Zootopia: Join Judy Wobble to the mammal metropolis! Please arrive by 3:45am

Tuesday 5 April 2016
Lost Treasure
$71.38
Make a Mandala - Create a hidden treasure inspired by the beautiful (wild) world around us.

Wednesday 6 April 2016
Urban Jungle
$81.88
At the Movies - Zootopia: Join Judy Wobble to the mammal metropolis!

Thursday 7 April 2016
Jungle Rumble
$72.38
Make an erupting Volcano - Today we're making the rumble to put in the jungle!

Friday 8 April 2016
Sahara Sands
$53.88
Today we're venturing out of the busy, bustling, green jungle, and heading to the biggest desert in the world! Can you think of what animals we'll encounter?


Daily requirements: Children must bring their own lunch and refreshments (no nut products please), wet weather gear, art smock, and suitable clothing for active and sunsmart day. An afternoon snack will be provided.