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Kennington Primary School is committed to the Child Safe Standards

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Travis Eddy



Dear Parents/Carers,

Open communication between schools and parents is crucial for student success. It allows parents to stay informed about their child's progress, upcoming events, and any concerns. Parental involvement helps create a strong partnership between the school and home, fostering a supportive learning environment for all students.

As a school we work really hard at providing everyone with the information that they need to be informed and successful within our school. The LINK always provides a calendar of events for the upcoming weeks as well as other information, including our award winners, so that families can attend to celebrate their child's award.

Reminders are also provided through email and via the Sentral App as push notifications that will directly pop up on your smart device if you allow this to occur.

Help is always available from our fantastic team in the office, just give us a call.

PUPIL FREE DAYS TERM – 2 PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE DAY, CURRICULUM DAY & KING'S BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Coming up over the next few weeks will be Three Pupil Free Days. The first being a Teacher Professional Practice Day (PPD). The PPD will be held on Friday June 2, on this day teachers across the school will work to complete tasks individually and in teams.

Wednesday June 7 is a curriculum day that has been booked since the beginning of 2022. On this day all staff will participate in Day 3 of 4, of the Berry Street Training.

Camp Australia have confirmed that they will be providing care options for our families on both days. Information and bookings can be found via that Camp Australia website at <https://campaaustralia.com.au/schools/3464>

Monday June 12 is the King's Birthday public holiday. None of the schools' facilities will be open on this day including Out of Hours School Care Camp Australia.

CAMP AUSTRALIA & KENNINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Lately I have had a few conversations with families about the connection between Camp Australia and Kennington Primary School. Camp Australia is an Out of School Hours Care service that is a separate entity to Kennington Primary School.

That is, the school does not run it, nor does the school have any say in the way that Camp Australia operate. If you would like to make an inquiry with Camp Australia, please do so by calling 1300 105 343 or visit their website at <https://campaaustralia.com.au/>.

Principals Report
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KPS VALUES



*Personal
Best*

**Always aiming high and
being the best I can. It means
being optimistic that I will
be successful in the end.**



Respect

**Treating everybody and
everything with consideration
and courtesy. It means
looking after myself, others
and the environment.**



Resilience

**The ability to manage my
emotions and bounce back
from an experience that
may not have turned out
the way I expected.**

KPS SONG

Here we stand together,
in the school we like the best,

And together we create a school
that's bigger than the rest.

With gardens, playgrounds,
stairs and rooms and
an orphanage next door.

Our grounds and our facilities,
they offer so much more.

But the buildings and the sandpits
and the ovals and the grounds,

Don't tell you the whole story of
the place where we have found,

A safe and fun environment,
where everyone's your friend.

Where the music and the laughter
and the learning never ends.

CHORUS

*Our school is like no other,
a very special place,*

*With space to learn and room to
grow, there's a smile on every face.*

*We are a team of individuals,
our community is strong.*

*Everyone is welcome,
and everyone belongs.*



When you come to Kennington,
you'll notice from the start.

The kind of place we have here,
we speak with hands and heart.

The way we are with others,
that's how we'd like them to be.

Respect is shown to everyone,
then it comes back to me.

REPEAT CHORUS

We care about each other,
in all we say and do.

Our teachers understand us,
they care for me and you.

REPEAT CHORUS

Reminder that our assembly is
currently held over our internal
speaker system.

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DROPPING OFF YOUR CHILD AT THE SCHOOL ROUNDABOUT

Thank you to our families who have supported our expectations about the way in which we use the drop off roundabout in the mornings. It is great to see that we have so many independent students at Kennington who can be dropped off in the mornings. A reminder for kids to be ready to hop out of their car as soon as it is stopped it is one of the three green bays.

I have again included a map in this week's LINK to remind families about the safest way to drop your children off in the mornings. Children should only exit the vehicle when it is in one of the three green bays unless a staff member indicates for them to exit. This may occur in special circumstances (inclement weather etc.).

STUDENT, PARENT, TEACHER LEARNING CONVERSATIONS – BOOKINGS OPEN

Student, Parent, Teacher Learning Conference are a major part of Kennington Primary School's assessment and reporting processes.

The aims of the conference are;

- To speak with you about your child's learning achievements particularly in Literacy and Numeracy
- To show your child's work samples and assessment data
- To speak with you about your child's learning goals for Term 3.

The Student, Parent, Teacher Learning Conferences (15 minutes) will be held from 3:00pm until 6:30pm on Tuesday June 13, Wednesday June 14 and Monday June 19.

Some classroom teachers will also offer times before school, please check individual schedules for details.

Conferences will take place in your child's classroom, and we ask that students wear school uniform to their conference.

Please book meeting times via the Sentral Parent Portal or Sentral Parent App. How to book information can be found in the 'Resources' tab under 'How to use Sentral'.

If booking two or more appointments, please give yourself time to move from classroom to classroom.

RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS - TOPIC 7 GENDER AND IDENTITY

Learning activities within this topic assist students to challenge stereotypes and critique the influence of gender stereotypes on attitudes and behaviour. They learn about key issues relating to human rights, gender, identity and focus on the importance of respect within relationships. The activities promote respect for diversity and difference.

2023 STUDENT ATTITUDES TO SCHOOL SURVEY

We value student voice as a means to improving student engagement, wellbeing and quality instruction and are conducting a survey to find out what your child thinks of their school. The AtoSS is an annual student survey offered by the Department of Education to assist schools to gain an understanding of students' perceptions and experience of school. Students will be asked about their thoughts and feelings in relation to their school, their learning, peer relationships, resilience, bullying, health and wellbeing, physical activity, and life in general.

What are the benefits?

Young people enjoy having a say! This survey has been running for nearly 20 years and is invaluable in helping schools understand student views to plan programs and activities to improve your child's schooling experience. The survey responses also help the Department of Education understand how student's learning experiences can be improved.

PERFORMING ARTS NEWS

All families are welcome to attend our Dance Performance Assembly on Friday 9th of June at 2pm. Students have been working hard in Performing Arts this term to practise and perfect their dances.

They are so excited to perform these for our Kennington Primary School Community. Can't wait to see you there!
Ange Rothacker and Sarah Harvey
Performing Arts Teachers





































Have a wonderful weekend

Trav

KPS STUDENT AWARDS

May 29 - June 01



GRADE PREP		PA Laya A		PB Amelia H		PC Mal M		PD Korra H		
GRADE 1		1A Callum E		1B Skylette Y		1C Hunter J		1D Quintin T		
GRADE 2		2A Alice F		2B Ivy F		2C Charlie P		2D Sajad N		2E Aleesha S
GRADE 3		3A Aidan M		3B Ben H		3C Archer F		3D Lilah H		
GRADE 4		4A Edward B		4B Katrina T		4C Hei Nay K		4D Jason P		
GRADE 5		5A Jordan P		5B Lacie W		5C Annelise T		5D Lara C		
GRADE 6		6A Haylee H		6B Jed M		6C Cohan L		6D Dev S		
AUSLAN		3A Murray F	VISUAL ARTS				2D Sajad N			
PERFORMING ARTS		2D Marley R	PHYSICAL EDUCATION				PA River F			
HANDWRITING		PD Sunny N								
WRITING		1B Bassel D								
MATHS		6C Isabelle J-H								

DATES TO REMEMBER 2023

TERM 2

Saturday 27 May to Saturday 3 June	All Week	NATIONAL RECONCILIATION WEEK
Friday 2 June	All Day	STAFF PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE DAY NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Tuesday 6 June	All Day	REGIONAL CROSS COUNTRY EVENT Selected Students
Wednesday 7 June	All Day	CURRICULUM DAY - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Monday 12 June	All Day	KING'S BIRTHDAY - PUBLIC HOLIDAY NO SCHOOL
Monday 12 June	All Day	SPECIAL FOOD DAY- ORDERS DUE AT 11:59pm No late orders accepted
Tuesday 13 June	All Day	PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS Bookings on the Parent Portal
Wednesday 14 June	All Day	PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS Bookings on the Parent Portal
Monday 19 June	All Day	PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS Bookings on the Parent Portal
Friday 16 June	Lunch Times	SPECIAL FOOD DAY All Students
Friday 23 June	2:00pm	LAST DAY OF TERM 2, 2:00PM FINISH

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES 2023

MONDAY

8:15am to 8:45am	MORNING CLUB Stadium with Mrs Maddren
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TUESDAY

8:15am to 8:45am	BREAKFAST CLUB Amphitheatre with Mrs Peters and Ms Rothacker
8:15am to 8:45am	MORNING CLUB Stadium with Mrs Maddren

WEDNESDAY

8:15am to 8:45am	BREAKFAST CLUB Amphitheatre with Mrs Peters and Ms Rothacker
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THURSDAY

8:15am to 8:45am	MORNING CLUB Stadium with Mrs Bentley
8:15am to 8:45am	BREAKFAST CLUB Amphitheatre with Mrs Peters and Ms Rothacker

FRIDAY

8:15am to 8:45am	MORNING CLUB Stadium with Mrs Bentley
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Would you like to learn Auslan?

Join Kerry to learn everyday Auslan

Thursday afternoon 2.30pm-3.00pm. Meet in Staff Room. **No Cost.**

Starting Thursday 8th of June.

For further information please contact Brooke.

Email: brooke.howman@education.vic.gov.au



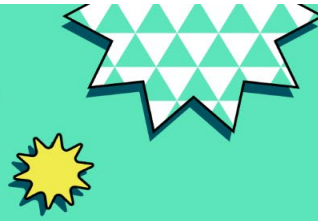
Kerry Hicks

Kerry is Deaf Facility staff member and Deaf community member. Her first language is Auslan. Kerry has been a Kennington staff member for 18 years.

Outside School Hours Care Newsletter

Term 2 Week 6

Kennington Primary School



Your
OSHC.

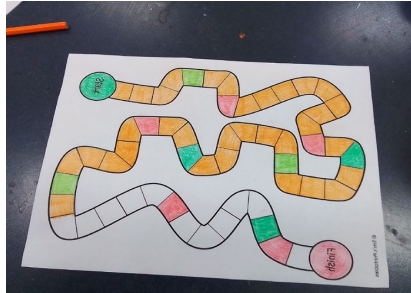
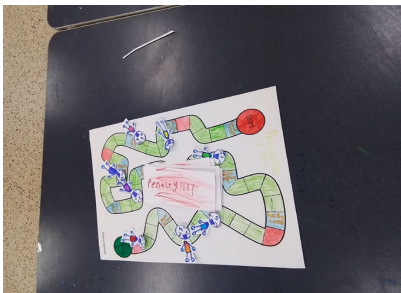


A message from your Coordinator - Sharon

Hi families,

Taylah will be on work placement from the 8th of May until the 2nd of June in the meantime Sharon will be stepping up and coordinating the service.

Children were making their board game from last week's theme these are the photos.



This week being reconciliation we are incorporating this into our service being our weekly theme, some of the activities the children will be doing is rainbow serpent snake, rain sticks and many more we will have photos next week to show.

Just a reminder that 2nd June is a pupil free day you will need to book your child in for this day.

A reminder to all families to check your child's enrolment information, including medical information, to ensure it is all up to date and correct.

If you have any questions. Please don't hesitate to come in and see Sharon in the OSHC room!

Activities

Incursions- The connected circus (7th June)

Cooking experience: cookies (2nd June)

Big Art Weeks (12th-23rd of June)

This week's menu:

Monday: Sakata's, Cheese, Sultanas & Salsa

Tuesday: Veggie Hotpot

Wednesday: Toast & spreads

Thursday: Vanilla & choc-banana muffins

Friday: Popcorn & Cookies

Make a booking!

Join in the fun of Outside School Hours Care activities and experiences with Your OSHC and Rocketeers.

Book now

Register free and book in 24/7 via our app

To attend our program, you must register your child. You can register an account with us at pp.campastralia.com.au or by downloading our Camp Australia smartphone app from the Apple App Store or on Google Play. Once registered, it's easy to make bookings and manage your account.



**Your
OSHC.**

Tailored before and after school
experiences that children love.

Newsletter

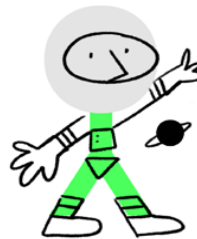
Upcoming incursion:

The Connected Circus – Circus Activities

Wednesday June 7th

Come along and join us for a fun, engaging, and educational incursion in After School Care at Kennington Primary School. Joining us on Wednesday the 7th of June will be The Connected Circus, for all children to enjoy!

To enrol your child into the incursion at no extra charge than their regular session fee, make sure you book the After School Care program on Wednesday the 7th of June.



No extra
cost!



Book now from your Parent Portal

Register for Your OSHC

Once registered, you'll be able to easily make and manage your bookings online via our Parent Portal.

Register now

Child Care Subsidy (CCS)

The Child Care Subsidy can provide up to 85% off your fees. Your eligibility is determined by your family's annual adjusted taxable income, the type of childcare you use, and your activity level. To find out if you're eligible, contact Centrelink on 13 61 50.

Register free and book now at www.campaustralia.com.au

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**BENDIGO
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JUNIOR SQUASH SAMPLER

**AGES
6-17**
Years Old



4 WEEK SAMPLER

Session 1

Thursday 1st June
5:00-6:00PM

Session 2

Thursday 8th June
5:00-6:00PM

Session 3

Thursday 15th June
5:00-6:00PM

Session 4

Thursday 22nd June
5:00-6:00PM

4 WEEKS of Junior Coaching for just \$40

Develop movement and coordination skills whilst having fun and learning the basics of Squash.

NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

Have a try of Squash ahead of our Junior Juggernauts program re-commencing Term 3, 2023

FOR MORE INFO

About any of our Junior Programs, please contact our Centre Manager on 0435 654 953



Registration Link

[www.bendigosquash.com/
new-blog/juniors2023](http://www.bendigosquash.com/new-blog/juniors2023)

BENDIGO SQUASH CENTRE
242 Barnard St, Bendigo



KELLY SPORTS

Futsal

FRENZY

Holiday Program

PROGRAM INFORMATION

Learn new skills in the Futsal Frenzy skill clinic, play with friends & score goals in our match play round robin. Our Futsal Holiday Clinic is designed to increase each child's confidence, focus on teamwork & team building aspects of sport, as well as give each child the skills & knowledge to continue playing Futsal well into the future.

FUTSAL HOLIDAY PROGRAM DETAILS

COST: \$35

DAY: THURSDAY

TIME: 10AM - 1PM

PROGRAM DATES:
29TH JUNE, 2023

VENUE: VICTORY
CHRISTIAN
COLLEGE

AGE GROUPS: 6 - 12
YEARS

- **ROUND ROBIN
MATCH PLAY**
- **FUN GAMES &
SKILL
ACTIVITIES**
- **MAKE NEW
FRIENDS**

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KELLY SPORTS





Who can attend:
Boys & Girls aged 4-12 years old.

General Information:

We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid and activity planning/delivery.

What do you need to bring: Appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food for morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

Food:

Please bring plenty of packed food and drink for morning tea/lunch/afternoon tea. Lunch will be from approximately 12.30pm to 1.30pm each day.

Programme activities:

Programme activities are adapted to suit children of all ages and children may be grouped by age depending on numbers. Programme activities may vary without notice dependent on weather conditions and programme numbers.

Payment details:

Payment is required upfront within 2 hours of your booking. A receipt will be issued when a completed booking is received. All details will be included on the receipt.

Please note:

Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Sports accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any loss or damage to his/her property whilst on the programme.



PLEASE NOTE: THE THEME LISTED IS THE MAIN ACTIVITY FOR THE DAY. EACH DAY WILL ALSO INCLUDE OTHER SPORTS & GAMES THE KIDS WILL LOVE. OUR FULL DAILY SCHEDULE & ADDITIONAL PROGRAM INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND ON THE BOOKING WEBSITE

Website: www.kellysports.com.au/bendigo

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Phone: 0428326924

Facebook: Kelly Sports Bendigo

Address: 9 Barnbougle Place, Eaglehawk, 3556

WINTER 2023 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

ST LIBORIUS PS - 379 EAGLEHAWK RD, 3556

WEEK 1

Mon 26th June



KIDS VS COACHES

Bagging rights are on offer today! The kids & coaches will go head-to-head in a variety of team battles. Who will come out on top in this clash for the ages? You can smell the anticipation in the air already!

Tues 27th June



FUTSAL FRENZY

Come prepared to show off your fast feet & scoring prowess at today's Futsal Frenzy! The kids will get a taste of what our local indoor soccer/Futsal competition entails, with Kelly Sports & Futsal Australia running a morning Futsal competition.

Wed 28th June



BASKETBALL BONANZA

Kick start your day with our Basketball Bonanza! Jump, shoot and dribble your way through the day and show off your skills in our basketball challenge activities & tournament!

Thur 29th June



MINI OLYMPICS

Our little superheroes will show off their skills in the Kelly Sports Olympics today. The kids will be split into teams and work together to try & top the medal tally in many running, jumping, throwing & team-based events.

Fri 30th June



AMAZING RACE

Come along today and show off your team work & problem solving skills. How quickly can we weave your way through our challenges? Hidden prizes will also be included in today's Amazing Race!

WEEK 2

Mon 3rd July



MINI GOLF MADNESS

Can you conquer the dimly lit challenge that the Kelly Sports Mini Golf Madness challenge presents? Get yourself ready for 18 holes of crazy, mini golf fun & entertainment with prizes & challenge games also included in today's activities!

Tues 4th July



NINJA WARRIOR

Come along today and channel your inner ninja in our giant obstacle courses. Show off your flexibility, speed & agility in what is sure to be an action packed day. Who will be the ultimate ninja?

Wed 5th July



FOOTY COLOURS DAY

Come along & show off your favourite team colours with pride! With prizes on offer, the kids will have the chance to test out their skills in our longest kick and goal kicking challenges, as well as our AFL X competition.

Thurs 6th July



INFLATABLE SPORTS

A truck load of fun is awaiting each of our little legends today! With super sized inflatable games such as Giant Volleyball, inflatable challenge games and more, this is one you won't want to miss!

Fri 7th July



DYNAMIC DODGEBALL

Dodge, duck, dip, dive and... DODGE! Our Dodgeball Tournament is back. Our friendly competition will help improve your throwing and catching skills!

FULL DAY: \$50

Mon - Fri, 8:30am - 5:00pm

KS SESSION: \$60

8:00am - 5:30pm

*early/late pick up option

HALF DAY: \$35

8:30am - 12:30pm OR 1pm - 5pm

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