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Kennington Primary School is committed to the Child Safe Standards

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Travis Eddy



Dear Parents/Carers,

As we enter our third week of term 4, it's important to reiterate our commitment to fostering a respectful and inclusive environment for all. Respectful behaviours are the foundation of a positive school culture and the key to successful relationships. Here are some important reminders:

1. **Respect for Others:** Treat all students, teachers, and staff with kindness, empathy, and consideration. Listen actively and value diverse perspectives and backgrounds.
2. **Respect for Property:** Take care of school facilities, equipment, and personal belongings. A clean and well-maintained environment benefits everyone.
3. **Respect for Learning:** Participate in class discussions, complete assignments on time, and actively engage in the learning process. Respect the right of others to learn and the teacher's authority.
4. **Respect for Differences:** Embrace diversity and be inclusive. Bullying, discrimination, and harassment will not be tolerated.
5. **Respect for Rules:** Adhere to school rules and guidelines. They are in place to ensure a safe and productive learning environment.

6. **Respect for Self:** Take care of your physical and mental well-being. Seek help when needed and make choices that reflect self-respect.

Remember, respectful behaviour is a shared responsibility. It creates a positive and supportive school community, where everyone can learn and thrive. Let's work together to make this term a successful and respectful one.

Thank you for your commitment to a respectful school environment.

ENROLMENTS & CLASS PLACEMENTS 2024

If your child will not be attending Kennington PS in 2024, we would appreciate you letting the office know as soon as possible.

If there are any considerations for the placement of your child for 2024, that you would like to discuss, please send an email with all relevant information to either Hamish, Luke, or me by Thursday October 19, 2023.

Please note that it is not possible for parents to request specific teachers as all our teachers at Kennington Primary School do a wonderful job.

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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.*



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you'll notice from the start.

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The way we are with others,
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REPEAT CHORUS

We care about each other,
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Reminder that our assembly is
currently held over our internal
speaker system.

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SCHOOL FAIR 2023

We are really excited for our School Fair
this afternoon. A reminder that the Fair
runs from 3:15pm – 6:00pm.

Like always we are planning that each
classroom will run an activity and there
will be plenty of food options as well.
Please keep an eye out for information
in the coming weeks, both from the
school and your classroom teacher.

PHYS ED NEWS

Regional athletics

On Tuesday October 9th, Kennington
Primary School sent 6 students to
compete in 8 events at the Regional
Athletics Competition at LaTrobe
Athletics, Flora Hill.

Well done to all the students that
participated. You should be extremely
proud of your efforts as you all
competed extremely well, showing the
Kennington Value of Personal Best.

First and second place in each event
progress to the next level and as such,
Kennington have three students who
will now progress to the State final to
be held at Albert Park on Wednesday
1st November. Those Students are
Hannah M – Long Jump, Toby E – High
Jump and Fraser M – Triple Jump.

Kennington Regional athletes:

Amelia Cobb	200m
4th	
Hannah Maddren	100m
5th	
	Long Jump
2nd	
Toby Eddy	High Jump
2nd	
Fraser Maddren	Triple Jump
2nd	
Cooper Bulhakow	Discus
3rd	
	Shot Put
4th	
Daniel Williams	800m
5th	
	High Jump
120cm	
Duke Thurgood	Triple Jump
4th	

Fitness Challenge Results

On Thursday 5th October, the Grade
5 and 6 Students competed in the
annual Fitness Challenge. The day
was run by the SEDA College students.
A fantastic day was had by all, with
results recorded and listed below. We
are appreciative of the professional
manner in which the SEDA students ran
the event and look forward to the event
in 2024.

Grade 5 Winners

Girls:

1st 145 points	Sophie Th	5B
2nd 137 points	Mia N	5C
3rd 128 points	Lacie W	5B

Boys:

1st 180 points	Fraser M	5D
2nd 146 points	Lachie M	5D
3rd 142 points	Jackson B	5D

Grade 6 Winners

Girls:

1st 165 points	Hannah M	6D
2nd 141 points	Amelia C	6D
3rd 139 points	Mac H	6A

Boys:

1st 154 points	Jed M	6B
2nd 141 points	Billy E	6C
3rd 140 points	Opese N	6B

House Winners

1st Kennedy	2459
2nd Sandhurst	2158
3rd Fortuna	2102
4th Lansell	1655

Fittest Class

1st 6B	1267 points
2nd 5D	1245 points
3rd 6A	1223 points
4th 5C	1209 points
5th 5B	912 points
6th 6D	900 points
7th 5A	837 points
8th 6C	815 points

CONFERENCE NOTES – CHANGES TO ACCESS

During the holidays Sentral merged
both of its web-based parent portal
into one. Our apologies for the sudden
change, if we had of know that this
was going to happen, we would have
alerted families to it.

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Moving forward we will update families
soon as to how they will be able to
access the conference notes.

RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS

TOPIC 7 – GENDER & 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.

FITNESS CHALLENGE PHOTOS



Have a wonderful weekend!

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FITNESS CHALLENGE RESULTS

Sit ups (maximum sit ups in 1 minute)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Aiden M
Second – Trae G
Third – Logan H

Grade 3 Girls

Frist – Jayda R
Second – Lilah H
Third – Amiya A

Grade 4 Boys

First – Jason P
Second – Daniel W
Third – Archie C

Grade 4 Girls

Frist – Gemma E
Second – Ebony R
Third – Yazmin W

Chair squats (maximum squats in 1 minute)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Damian C
Second – Eamon W
Third – Poulo K

Grade 3 Girls

Frist – Amiya A
Second – Ellia F
Third – Elsa N, Melody C

Grade 4 Boys

First – Archer J
Second – Cade A
Third – Alex M

Grade 4 Girls

Frist – Lydia N
Second – Macie P
Third – Emma D

Step ups (maximum step ups in 1 minute)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Aiden M
Second – Logan H
Third – Henry P

Grade 3 Girls

Frist – Scarlett H
Second – Amelia O
Third – Alyssa C

Grade 4 Boys

First – Archie C
Second – Eason X
Third – Will S

Grade 4 Girls

Frist – Gemma E
Second – Amber W
Third – Milla F

Ball to wall (maximum throw / catch in 1 minute)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Reigan R
Second – Thomas D
Third – Aiden M

Grade 3 Girls

Frist – Elsa N
Second – Zara M
Third – Maddi W, Maddi B

Grade 4 Boys

First – Archie C
Second – Cameron S
Third – Cade A

Grade 4 Girls

Frist – Peyton F
Second – Milla F
Third – Lydia N

Target kick (3 kicks towards target numbers – max score 15)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Poulo K
Second – Joseph R
Third – Logan H, Aiden M, Leo T, Cooper F, Jimmy V, Thomas D

Grade 3 Girls

Frist – Milla P
Second – Elsa N, Ariana C

Grade 4 Boys

First – Hunter P, Riley C, Edward B

Grade 4 Girls

Frist – P'saw Paw P, Emma T, Sophie P, Hei Nay H

Agility weave (approx. 10m)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Poulo K
Second – Jax R
Third – Archer F
Frist – Lisa U
Second – Maddi B, HoneyBelle F

Grade 4 Boys

First – Eason X
Second – Daniel W
Third – Koby H

Grade 4 Girls

Frist – Gemma E
Second – Tahlia S
Third – Milla F

Soccer throw (maximum distance)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Heath R
Second – Reigan R
Third – Cohen R

Grade 3 Girls

Frist – Jayda R
Second – Amelia O
Third – Maddi B

Grade 4 Boys

First – Jack B
Second – Koby H
Third – Riley C

Grade 4 Girls

Frist – Sophie P
Second – Peyton F
Third – Gemma E

Sprint (approx. 20m)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Jax R, Percy W
Third – Archer F

Grade 3 Girls

Frist – Elsa N
Second – Lilah H
Third – Ella F

Grade 4 Boys

First – Eason X
Second – Duke T
Third – Koby H

Grade 4 Girls

Frist – Gemma E
Second – Amber W
Third – Milla F

Weight retrieval (running with medicine balls)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Jax R
Second – Percy W
Third – Thomas D, Aiden M

Grade 3 Girls

Frist – Elsa N
Second – Ella F
Third – Kaitlyn A

Grade 4 Boys

First – Duke T
Second – Eason X
Third – Archie C

Grade 4 Girls

Frist – Milla F
Second – Yazmin W, Niki R

Standing long jump (maximum distance)

Grade 3 Boys

First – Cohen G
Second – Archer F
Third – Jethro G

Grade 3 Girls

Frist – Elsa N
Second – Lacey K, Jayda R

Grade 4 Boys

First – Sahib S
Second – Teddy E, Duke T













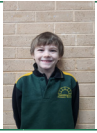

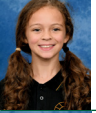












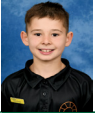
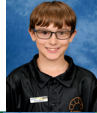



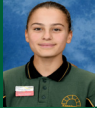



Grade 4 Girls

Frist – Katrina T
Second – Nyasha B
Third – Safiyah M, Mia L, Indy B

KPS STUDENT AWARDS

October 9 - October 12



GRADE PREP		PA Ella M		PB Charlotte A		PC Alyrah W		PD Scott M		
GRADE 1		1A Zarlee T		1B Noah H		1C Eva D		1D Will F		
GRADE 2		2A Evie H		2B Jarvan M		2C Mitchell A		2D Clayton F		2E Sam Q
GRADE 3		3A Zara M		3B Honeybelle FD		3C Maddi B		3D Noah M		
GRADE 4		4A Edward B		4B Quinn W		4C Alex M		4D Aramis T		
GRADE 5		5A Lachlan W		5B Cohen R		5C Miller G		5D Lachlan M		
GRADE 6		6A Bailey B		6B Sienna PK		6C Doltan P		6D Archie M		
AUSLAN		4A Sahar N	VISUAL ARTS				3B Eamon W			
PERFORMING ARTS		PA Ashton K	PHYSICAL EDUCATION				6D Hannah M			
HANDWRITING		2C Steevi F								
WRITING		1C Scarlett C								
MATHS		4C Talia P								

DATES TO REMEMBER 2023

TERM 4

Thursday 19 October	9:30am - 12:45am	PREP TRANSITION 2024 Activity sessions for children in the classrooms in E Block.
Wednesday 1 November	All Day	BENDIGO CUP - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Thursday 2 November	9:30am - 12:45am	PREP TRANSITION 2024 Activity sessions for children in the classrooms in E Block.
Tuesday 7 November	9:00am - 1:00pm	PREP TO GRADE 2 ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
Thursday 9 November	5:00pm - 6:00pm	INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC CONCERT
Monday 13 November	All Day	GRADE 4 CAMP- PGL
Tuesday 14 November	All Day	GRADE 4 CAMP- PGL
Wednesday 15 November	All Day	GRADE 4 CAMP - PGL
Wednesday 29 November	All Day	CURRICULUM DAY - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Friday 1 December	All Day	KPS CRAZY COLOUR FUN RUN

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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Benefitting the health and wellbeing of our Bendigo school children

School visits coming in TERM 4

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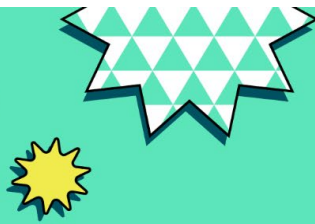


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Outside School Hours Care Newsletter

Term 4 Week 2

Kennington Primary School



Your
OSHC.



Hi families,

New Start Time for Before School Care

Exciting news parents and families! As of Tuesday the 30th of October 2023, we will have a new start time for Before School Care of **6.30am**. This is due to numerous parents asking for an earlier start and the result of a survey we conducted. This is a trial period and if the service is used enough will be continued. We hope this helps those with an early work start.

Lego World Play Day- Come along for Lego Fun!

This Thursday the 12th is Lego World Play Day. We have received a whole new batch of Lego blocks and will be running some fun activities that will put the children's imagination to the test. Then each Wednesday for the rest of the term we will be having dedicated Lego activities leading up to the summer Rocketeers program where children will have the opportunity to take part in a Lego Stop-motion Workshop.

Our Star of the Week for the first week of term four was Isabella K for displaying the quality of respect for others and always being willing to volunteer her services to help, excellent job Izzy!

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 are unsure if it is updated, please come, and see us. If you have any questions, please come in and see Michael or Sharon in the OSHC room!

Activities coming up.

Lego World Play Day
Thursday October 12th

October 16th-20th
Let's Get Creative. A week of creating cool craft.

This week's menu:

Monday- Sakatas and Salsa

Tuesday- Toasties

Wednesday- Vegetarian Bolognese

Thursday- Fruit + vegetable platter

Friday- Rice cakes

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.campaustralia.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.





SUPER SPRING

SPORTS!

LEARN NEW SPORTS IN TERM 4

Have heaps of fun with your friends while playing a range of dynamic and active sports throughout term 4.



BOOK ONLINE NOW AT

 **KELLYSPORTS.COM.AU**



JOIN THE FUN!

NAB AFL AUSKICK IN TERM 4!

Epsom Huntly Recreation Reserve

Tuesday's 4:15pm - 5:15pm for 4 weeks

Commencing 17th October

The perfect introduction to Auskick!

**REGISTER
NOW**





HAVE A BLAST



Get into Woolworths Cricket Blast

It's a fun and active program for kids of all abilities, whether it's your first time with a bat or you're a backyard Cricket star!

JOIN YOUR NEAREST CLUB

Strathdale-Maristians Cricket Club

20 October 2023 - 4.30pm - 5.30pm

Ben DeAraugo - 0418 376 208 - smccsuns@gmail.com

Friday nights: 4-8yo's - Skills, 7-10yo's - Games



JOIN YOUR NEAREST CLUB

 [Play Cricket](#)

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PLAY FOR KICKS

Superkick is next level fun for 8 to 12 year olds who are new to footy, or want to continue to grow their skill levels.

EPSOM HUNTLY REC RESERVE

TUESDAYS 4:15PM FOR 5 WEEKS

COMMENCING 17TH OCTOBER



PLAY

Superkick

