



# Kilmore Primary School

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Kind Proud Safe

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## Excursion Payments Due

Please note any payment received after the due date will not be accepted.

## Dates to Remember



### JUNE

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| 8     | Queens Birthday Holiday                     |
| 15    | Whole School Assembly                       |
| 17    | 3 Way Conferences<br>Bookings close 9:00 am |
| 22—24 | 3 Way Conferences                           |
| 26    | Hot Dog Day                                 |
|       | Last day Term 2, 2.30pm finish              |

### JULY

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| 13 | First Day Term 3 |
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### AUGUST

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| 24 - 26 | Grade 5/6 Camp |
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### OCTOBER

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| 14 - 16 | Grade 3/4 Camp |
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## From the Assistant Principal's Desk

### Welcome to Week 8 Term 2

#### 3 Way Conferences

In the last week of Term 2 we will be conducting 3 Way Conferences. These conferences are an opportunity for you and your child to meet together with your child's teacher to discuss their learning. This year in order to cater for as many families as possible we are holding the conferences over more than one day. They will be held between Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June and Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June. When you go online to book your conference you will be able to see the availability, dates and times, of your child's teacher. Further information regarding bookings can be found in this newsletter.

#### Nationally Consistent Collection of Data for Students with a Disability

In this newsletter you will find information regarding the *Nationally Consistent Collection of Data for Students with a Disability*. This information is collected by schools throughout Australia during Term 2 to help governments inform future policy and program planning in relation to students with a disability.

#### Cross Country

Congratulations to all the students who participated in last Friday's cross country competition at the Broadford Motor Cycle track. Mrs James & Miss Boyack were thrilled with results and the behaviour of the students who displayed our school values of Kind, Proud and Safe. We have ten students who qualified for the next level of competition. We wish you all the best.

## Notices Handed Out This Week

- Hot Dog Order Form

## Our kids matter.

KidsMatter helps our school nurture happy, balanced kids.



[kidsmatterprimary.edu.au](http://kidsmatterprimary.edu.au)

## Grade 2 Visit

Last week on a visit to the grade 2 classrooms I was lucky to see one of our school values in action. All grade 2 classes were practicing our Manners Matter focus for the week of *I Can Be Kind*. The students had a kindness boomerang which was passed around when someone was kind helping to illustrate how one act of kindness can come back to you at a later stage. Well done Grade 2's and keep that boomerang moving!

Julie McCarthy  
Assistant Principal



### ***Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability - Collection Notice***

Dear Parents & Guardians,

All schools in Australia, including Independent and Catholic schools, will participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability this year.

The Data Collection is an annual count of the number of students with disability receiving educational adjustments to support their participation in education on the same basis as students without disability.

All education agencies are now required under the Australian Education Regulation 2013 to provide information on a student's level of education, disability and level of adjustment to the Australian Government Department of Education and Training.\* Data will continue to be de-identified prior to its transfer to the Australian Government Department of Education and Training. No student's identity will be provided to the Australian Government Department of Education and Training.

The collection of this information from states and territories will inform future policy and program planning in relation to students with disability.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Julie McCarthy on 57821268 or the Victorian Department of Education and Training Data Collection Hotline on (03) 9651 3621. For questions after 7 August 2015, please call the Australian Government Department of Education and Training on 1300 566 046.

\* For more information on Schedule 3—Amendments for the collection of data on students who are persons with a disability Australian Education Regulation 2013 see: [http://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01723/Html/Text#\\_Toc404934419](http://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01723/Html/Text#_Toc404934419)

Regards,  
Julie McCarthy



# Parent Pipeline



## CAFÉ Strategy: Flip the Sound

Have you ever taught your child a rule from the English language to then have them point out an example where it doesn't work? Many words in the English language don't follow basic phonics rules. For example, children learn that *ch* makes the /ch/ sound we hear in *chip*. However, this rule does not apply when decoding the word *school*. Children need to be given tools to use when reading so they are not stumped when common rules don't apply. **Flip the sound** is a strategy good readers use when they come to a word that doesn't sound right or make sense. Knowing the multiple sounds a letter or letter combination can make and being able to flip the sounds around is an essential skill.

### How can you help your child with this strategy at home?

1. When your child reads a word incorrectly, wait until he/she gets to the end of the sentence. Then, stop your child and ask, "Did the word you just read sound right?" Put your hand palm-down and flip your hand over while saying, "Try flipping the sound."
2. Remind your child that when good readers use the strategy of flip the sound, they listen for a word they recognize. They then check to make sure that word makes sense in the sentence.
3. When sounding out words, review the different sounds letters make. Ask your child, "What other sound could that letter make?" Encourage your child to use the strategy of flip the sound to try different words until he/she is successful.
4. If your child is still struggling with this strategy, give your child the kinesthetic prompt of flipping over your hand as a quiet reminder to try the strategy.
5. This strategy can be compared to the strategy of cross checking. Remind your child to look at the word and ask, "Does it look right, does it sound right, does it make sense?" If it doesn't sound right, they will then know to flip the sound and try again.

**Thank you for your continued support at home!**

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- Ideas and strategies are taken from: The CAFÉ Book, written by Gail Boushey & Joan Moser



# Book School Interviews Online

Dear Parents/Guardians

You can now book interviews at times that suit **YOUR FAMILY BEST**.  
Go to [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) and follow these simple instructions.

**BOOKINGS OPEN Wednesday, 3 June at 4.00pm**

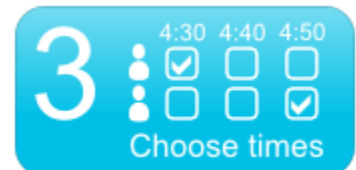
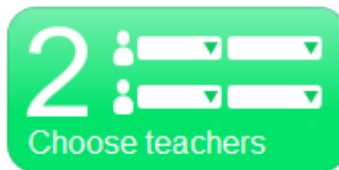
**BOOKINGS CLOSE Tuesday, 17 June at 9.00am**



Go to

[www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au)

Enter THIS school event code.  
Then follow the 3 simple steps.



When you click **finish**, your interview timetable will be emailed to you automatically - **check your junk mail folder** if you do not receive your email immediately.  
You can return to [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) at any time, and change your interviews - until bookings close.

For parents/guardians that don't have access to the internet at home, at work, or at a friend's house or on their phones, they can contact the office school on 5782 1268 and an interview time will be made on your behalf.

Interviews are strictly 10mins and spaces are limited. If you require more time, please contact your teacher directly to make alternative arrangements.

Parents can change their interview bookings, any time prior to the closing date, by re-visiting the [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) website, and using the event code. Remember to use the same name and email address you used when you made your original booking. Parents wishing to change their interview times after the closing date should contact the school directly on 5782 1268.



# Student News



## Literacy/ Numeracy Awards – Semester 1 Term 2 Week 8

Congratulations to the following students who have been selected for a Literacy or Numeracy Recognition & Encouragement Award.

### Literacy

**Foundation:** Cooper C FB, Zak I FI

**Grade 1:** Aleesha W 1J, Beau D 1A

**Grade 2:** Tom R 2V, Alia I 2V

**Grade 3/4:** Jake M 3/4H, Brodie M 3/4P,  
Jack J 3/4N

**Grade 5/6:** Brydon C 5/6B, Josh H 5/6C

### Numeracy

**Foundation:** William W FA, Cooper L FA

**Grade 1:** Dwayne L 1L, Makayla B 1L

**Grade 2:** Joshua B 2B, Chloe S 2T

**Grade 3/4:** Coen H 3/4F, Emmett C 3/4S,  
Tahlia A 3/4T

**Grade 5/6:** Jazmin D 5/6B, Luke J 5/6C



*Well done!*

*Congratulations to all the students who received  
Literacy & Numeracy Awards at Assembly this week.*





# CROSS COUNTRY

On Friday the 29th of May, 49 Grade 3-6 students attended Cross Country at Broadford Motorcycle Complex. Ten students made it through to the next round by placing within the top 10 of their age group.



It was a great day for the event. The track was clear and dry. There was a little bit of mud, but the team worked together and warned each other where the mud was.

There were 6 other schools attending, and Kilmore Primary School achieved second place based on the scores from each race.



Well done to everyone who ran on the day. The course was pretty tough.



By Jess Vilinskis and Tarkyn Lennox.





## SCHOOL-WIDE POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT (SWPBS)



**KPS – Be Kind, Be Proud, Be Safe**

### Welcome to the 100 Club

Congratulations to our newest members of the 100 club:

These awesome students have received 100 bee tickets this year for displaying our school values. Well done on a great achievement.





STEVE CARELL

JENNIFER GARNER

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can change  
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SCREENPLAY BY ROB LIEBER DIRECTED BY MIGUEL ARTETA  
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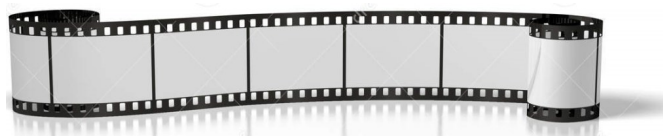
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# MOVIE NIGHT

## FAMILY EVENT



# ALEXANDER

## and the Terrible, Horrible, NO GOOD, VERY BAD DAY

Friday, 19th June - 7.00pm  
in the stadium

Family Tickets (Admit 4) \$15.00  
Individual Ticket \$5.00

All children must be accompanied by an adult

Food packages available, snacks, ice creams and drinks  
(Cash Only)

Order forms will go home Wednesday.

Tickets are on sale from the picnic tables on Monday mornings  
or Friday afternoons or order forms and money can be left at the office

Free Glow Sticks upon entry for pre purchased tickets prior to 3.00 pm, 17th June



## National Family Reading Month of May.

A reminder that if your child/children participated in the National Family Reading Month Reading Log then you have until June 15<sup>th</sup> to go on-line and enter the competition.

Between June 1-15<sup>th</sup> students, parents and teachers can enter the competition on-line at

[www.scholastic.com.au/nfm](http://www.scholastic.com.au/nfm)

Remember to record the total number of minutes you read for in May. All winners will be announced in

Please note: Anyone who placed an order for Books from the Fair, as yet they have not arrived, but as soon as they do we will hand them out to your child/children. Thank-you for your patience!

### Kilmore Primary School Book Fair

Thank-you to all the families, parents, staff and students who supported the school's Book Fair held during Education Week. Many people were involved to make this our most successful Book Fair ever! Our target of Books sold surpassed our target of \$6000.00; in fact we sold **\$8,056.00** worth of books and posters. The school's commission on this amount is **\$2,819.60** to spend on books and resources for each year level. Thank-you also to those students and families who also kindly made donations to classroom libraries, much appreciated!

Congratulations everyone!

### Infectious Diseases

During the past week we have had notifications from parents that their child/ren have been diagnosed with Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease. This infection is spread by direct contact with fluid from the skin blisters, nose and throat discharges (including saliva, sputum or nasal mucus), droplets (sneezing, coughing) and faeces (stools). Good personal hygiene is important to prevent spread of the infection to others.

We would urge you to please keep an eye out for signs and symptoms. If you are unsure, please seek advice from your local GP.

Chicken Pox has also been reported to the office during this week.

Please visit: [www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au](http://www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au) for more



# Student and Parent News

## Manners Matter!

**This weeks focus**

***I know how to disagree politely***



***Kind, Proud and Safe  
at all times***

## Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to the following students who are celebrating their birthday in the coming week. We hope you have a lovely day.

### June

5	Montana FI
7	Ethan 34T
8	Scout 34T
9	Ethan 34H
10	Mitch 2V



## Student Banking



School Banking Day is Tuesday so bring your deposit books to the office.

## Student Absences – Term 2

Starting from Term 2, a new system will begin regarding notification of absences.

Every Monday, an email will be sent requesting explanation for unexplained absences from the previous week. If we do not have an email address, we will be sending you a text message on your phone. For those who do not have either of the above a letter will be posted.

*Please note: We are still encouraging phone calls or notes to the teacher when your child is going to be absent.*

When you receive an email, simply send a reply email, or for text message phone the school office on 5782 1268

*Thanks for your help with making "Every Day Count"*



## SICK BAY LINEN ROSTER TERM 2

### June

5	Jenni Peggie
12	Kristy Brookes
19	Tina Leslie
26	Shanelle Scarlett

*Thank You*



## Uniform Shop Open Times

**The Uniform Shop is open every Friday  
at the school from 2:15pm - 3:15pm**

**You can also purchase directly from our  
uniform supplier at:**

**All Things Uniform  
Shop 1 / 70 High Street  
Broadford Ph 5784 2276**



## How does your garden grow?



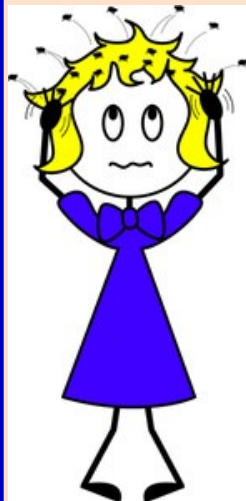
We are looking for donations of plants and small shrubs especially succulents, geraniums and other hardy plants to continue our work on improving our school grounds.

If you have some plants to donate please leave them at the office or see Julie McCarthy or Tracey Crane.



3 helpers are required to assist on Friday, 26 June for the Hot Dog Day from 11.30am - 12.30pm. Please leave your name and contact details at the office if you are available to help.

## Head Lice



This is just a friendly reminder for parents/guardians to continue to check their child's hair on a regular basis.

## OSHC

Just a reminder that the bookings for the Holiday Program are open. You can access the information and links on the new websites [www.kilmoreoshc.com.au](http://www.kilmoreoshc.com.au) or [www.wandongoshc.com.au](http://www.wandongoshc.com.au)

At the moment we have staff moving between the services to get to know the children ready for the Holiday Programs. We hope you have met Hanna who joined us a few weeks ago.

We would also like to introduce our new staff member Christie who is working at Kilmore.

Thank you  
Karyn Homewood

## Kilmore Speech Therapy

Offers help with your child's language, reading, comprehension and articulation. For details check out:

[www.kilmorespeechtherapy.com.au](http://www.kilmorespeechtherapy.com.au)

or call Penny on 0467060552

## PIANO KEYBOARD LESSONS

ACK Music Student studying Piano  
offering 30 min lessons \$15  
Saturday mornings  
Suit Beginners 7 yrs +  
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### Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund (CSEF)

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund will ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities.

School **camps** provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors, **excursions** encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and **sports** teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF will be provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. The allowance will be paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions, or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student will be:

- \$125 for primary school students
- \$225 for secondary school students.

#### How to Apply

Contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

#### Closing Date

You should lodge a CSEF application form at the school by 26 June 2015.

For more information about the CSEF visit [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

