

Miniscope

Wednesday 15th July 2015

Kallista Primary School, 72 Monbulk Road, phone 9755 2633

Important Diary Dates

July

Fri 17th	9.15am Friends Of KP Mtg in the Kitchen Bendigo Bank Visit for School Banking
Mon 20th	7pm Education Committee 8pm School Council
Mon 27th	St Johns Student 1st Aid
Wed 29th	Gr 3/4 Chess 11.30—1.30

August

Tues 4th	Gr 3/4 Science Incursion
Wed 5th	Gr 3/4 Chess 11.30-1.30
Thurs 6th	Step Into Prep 9.15-10.00
10th-13th	Gr 5/6 Camp
Wed 12th	Gr 3/4 Chess 11.30-1.30
Wed 19th	Gr 3/4 Chess 11.30-1.30 7pm School Council Dinner
Fri 21st	Gr 1/2 Excursion
24th—27th	Book Week / Book Fair
Thurs 27th	Gr 3/4 Chess Tournament
Fri 28th	Music Day!

September

Fri 18th	Term 3 Ends
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Kallista Winter Soiree

A word from the Principal.....

Welcome Back to our Kallista Kids!

Hey Kids...welcome back!!

A very warm welcome back to school to all our Kallista students! I hope you have all had a wonderful holiday and that you are feeling refreshed and ready for some high-powered learning!

I enjoyed reading your personal reflections in your school reports and challenge you all to remember the goals that you have set for yourselves. **'Work hard and get smart!' ...that's my motto!** Perseverance and concentration makes a massive difference to your learning. If you stay 'on the job' and try very hard to learn, you will learn.

Let's make this term about achieving your learning goals! Your teachers are here to encourage and support you. They get so excited when they see you learning and growing and are ready to support you in any way they can to help you learn.

Here's some classroom tips for 'staying on the job'

- *Listen actively
- *Focus 'on the job'!
- *Have a plan- Do you know what's expected?
What do you need to do to get started?
What do you need to do to be successful?
- *Have a go! It's OK to make mistakes!
- *Practise! Practise! Practise!
- *Ask for help
- *Enjoy teamwork- but stay 'on the job'!

At Kallista Primary we all value:

Courage
Respect
Responsibility
Honesty



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Classes for 2016: It is that time of the year again and we are trying to finalise our student numbers for next year. Please let me know if your children will not be returning to us next year.

2016 Prep Enrolments: Have you enrolled your child yet for 2016? If your child is going to attend our school next year, please come and fill out an enrolment form as soon as possible, so that we can finalise our class structures. Thank you.

Caution—slippery pathways: *The short driveway beside our children's kitchen can become slippery due to wet leaves or with the occasional frost. We have had no falls this year thanks to the efforts of parent volunteers leaf blowing and water-blasting. A couple of years ago, the gate was closed to this driveway in third term, but this didn't work as the gate was continually re-opened. Although we have had no falls this year, please do take care if you use this driveway.*

In the meantime, we will do our best to keep the driveway clear, and if there are any parents who could come and water-blast it over the next fortnight, that would be fantastic!

Thank you for helping in the holidays! John Whitelaw- Thanks to John for water blasting the toilets in the holidays.

Swimming: Once again we will have our whole school swimming program in Term 4. The program will be approximately \$90. Look out for further details in the coming Miniscopes.

Year 5 /6 City Camp: The 5/6 Camp looks set to be a really terrific experience for our senior students this term. Held from Monday 10th to Thursday 13th August, the students will be off to a variety of places such as Old Melbourne Gaol, Scienceworks and the Eureka Skydeck.

They will be under the close supervision and guidance of our caring and capable teaching staff, as they explore the city and make the most of the educational opportunities around every corner!

GP Room: The drainage issues in the GP Room have been repaired, the carpet is laid and the painting is almost finished! We are aiming to be in next week and will keep you posted.

Until further notice, Out of School Hours Care will continue in the library.... but not for long!

Other works will continue around the school this term, weather permitting.

Looking forward to a great term!

Mrs Fin ☺

St John Ambulance In School Training



St John Ambulance will visit our school on Monday 27th July to deliver free First Aid in Schools training to our students. Through the First Aid in Schools program, trained St John presenters will lead students from prep to grade 6 through tailored sessions on the importance of First Aid and what to do in the event of an emergency. Our junior students will learn about how to identify when there is an emergency, keeping themselves safe, and how to call for an ambulance. Senior students will learn about delivering CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) and the things they can do to assist in an emergency.

Students will be given a special piece of homework for parents to complete. We encourage you to “do your homework” and go online with St John to see how much you know about First Aid. Are you First Aid READY?

More information about the St John First Aid in Schools program can be found at: www.stjohnvic.com.au/schools

After School Care Activities

July

Mon 20th	Foam Magnets
Tues 21st	Beaded Snowflakes
Wed 22nd	Hama Beads
Thurs 23rd	Bowling
Fri 24th	Poison Ball

Mon 27th	Cooking
Tues 28th	Bombardment
Wed 29th	Bingo / Hookey
Thurs 30th	Obstacle Course
Fri 31st	Painting



Notices Sent Home

- Bendigo Bank Visit for School Banking
- Fathers Day Workshop due 28/7
- Term 3 Lunchtime Kids Chess due 24/7
- Grade 3/4 Chess Workshops due 24/7
- Holiday Works
- Gateways / Thinking Outside the Box

Dry July

Supporting those living with cancer in Melbourne.

Help support Kerrie with a gold coin donation to stay Dry.

Please place your donation at the office.



Friends of Kallista Primary (FOKP)

NEWS ... What a fabulous night we had at the **Belgrave Lantern Parade** ! As darkness descended on Saturday June 20, our beautiful Koi Nobori Carp Lantern started her swim upstream near the Cameo theatre in Belgrave , followed by a long school of gorgeous Kallista Primary fish...Afterwards some parents, children and friends wrapped up the evening with warm spiced apple cider at the Belgrave Park, and then our beautiful girl, still fully lit , made her way slowly down Belgrave-Hallam Road back to Pauline's house for a well earned rest.. Thanks to all those who joined in the fun both at our Lantern Workshop and at the Parade, and who helped make these events so special.



COMING UP :

- **Pie Drive:** **Tim's Pies (Monbulk)** and **Boscastle Baked Goods**. Order forms will soon be going home in schoolbags, so you'll be able to stock the freezer with yummy pies, sausages rolls, pastries and other tasty treats at great prices, as well as help raise a few \$\$ to assist with all things Kallista Primary ! Thanks Sandy K for organizing.



- **Movie Night :** coming up on **Saturday 8th August**, all you hard-working mums are invited to enjoy a night off with champagne, a good chat and some laughs watching "Trainwreck" at the Cameo theatre in Belgrave. Cost is \$25 , so why not join us for a fun night out !
Enq: Naomi Trumino – 0412 927 565

• School Banking

- Don't forget to bring in your Bendigo Bank Books, deposit slip and money every **THURSDAY**
- **NEW STUDENT ACCOUNTS** can be opened at school this Friday (17 July), between 8.45am -10am and 2.40pm – 4pm
(see Banking advertisement in this Miniscope for full details)...
- You can also open your child's account at ANY Bendigo Bank branch



- **Earn and Learn (Woolworths).** From Wed 15th July to Tues 8th Sept 2015, when you shop at Woolworths you can collect Earn & Learn Stickers from the checkout and place them on a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet. There'll be one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every \$10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco, and gift cards). Once completed, drop the Sticker Sheet into the Box outside the KPS office or in our school box at Woolies. Our school will receive some great education resources with the points we earn, so please start collecting those stickers !



- **Our Next Meeting : this Friday 17 July , 9.15am in Kitchen.** Everyone is welcome. Come along and help plan more great events for Terms 3 and 4 including the Kids' Disco and Kallista on the Green , or just stay connected with what's happening at Kallista Primary...

Bye for now... FOKP 

(Enq .ph/text Kate Hannan – 0438 038 718 or Cath C - 0428 862 074



SCHOOL BANKING

Books Collected every Thursday !!



1. EXISTING ACCOUNTS

- All students who currently have a Piggy Account Bankbook can bring their book, money and bank slips to school every Thurs
- Thursday will be our regular school banking day, and books will be returned by Tues the following week
- Extra deposit slips can be picked up at the Office

2. NEW ACCOUNTS : SIGN - UP this Friday 17 July

- Jackie from Bendigo Bank (Belgrave) will visit Kallista Primary this **Friday 17 July** to assist parents to open a Bendigo Bank savings account for your child
- Jackie will be available in the Staffroom at the following times on **Friday , 17 July .**

Morning : 8.45am -10am

Afternoon : 2.30 - 4pm.

- Parents need to bring ALL of the following documents :
 1. Drivers' Licence and
 2. Medicare Card and
 3. Your Child's Birth Certificate
- you can also open your child's account directly at ANY Bendigo Bank branch.

NB. All new accounts opened earn **Club Rewards \$\$** from Bendigo Bank for our school, so our whole school community benefits !!



FATHER'S DAY WORKSHOP

THURSDAY 27TH AUGUST 2015

at 6.00pm

Yippee - A workshop for **YOU** & your **DAD** (or grandad, or male friend) to make something special together for Father's Day. We have arranged for Bunnings to visit our school to host & assist in creating the handyman in all of us.

All materials included at no charge!!

So who wants to come along?? To register for the night, please complete and return the form below by 28th July - spaces are limited, and will be allocated on a first-come basis.

And of course a Bunnings workshop wouldn't be the same without a Sausage Sizzle: available for purchase from 5.30pm

Please advise if you are keen for the sizzle too as this will help with planning...Thank you J

Friends of Kallista Primary - Contact Helen Whitelaw: 0405 124 893

Tear off slip.....



FATHERS' DAY WORKSHOP (Thurs 27 August) - Registration

Child Name: _____ Grade: _____ Sizzle: Yes/ No

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Child Name: _____ Grade: _____ Sizzle: Yes/ No

Dad's (or other male) Name: _____ Sizzle: Yes/No

Contact name / phone no. _____





Thank you for supporting
Kallista Primary School
Only 5 books remaining!

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Credit Card number: _____ / _____ / _____ / _____ Expiry date: _____ / _____ CVV*: _____

*CVV is the 3 digits on the back of your credit card

Cardholder's name: _____ Signature: _____

Inter School Sport

Soccer

This term we did Inter School Sport soccer.

Our highlights for the day were our first goal (everybody celebrated a lot after the goal was kicked) and having a good team that were eager to volunteer to help out Sassafras' team due to shortage of numbers.

We had a lot of people improve on their skills including Romeo, Tait, Brielle and Ruby S. they kept trying their best all day.

The weather was good. It started sunny and got cloudy but thankfully didn't rain.

Everybody was so positive and had so much fun throughout the whole day. We had a few bumps and falls but everybody got up and kept trying. Nobody minded if they had to sit out for a game. The team put in 110% on the day, everybody loved it and had fun.

By team captain Ollie G. and vice-captain Hamish

Bat Tennis

On the 3rd of June we went to Monbulk Primary School for inter school sports where we did a Round Robin. The soccer was on the soccer pitch over the road, the kickball was on the footy oval and the bat tennis was on the school basketball court. My team was playing bat tennis. We all played surprisingly well seeing that we had never played with normal tennis bats and hotshots nets and big courts. I think that we played well because we all could do short bursts of speed and we got out of the right side of bed. When the other teams were playing we were standing on the other side of the fence cheering on and pointing out ways to improve. The weather was nice too, it was a very calm day and the perfect temperature not too hot and not too cold. I didn't hear anything negative come out of it. It was the best sports day EVER!

By Taj from 5/6S

Kick Ball

All of the 5/6 students were excited as they had the opportunity to participate one of three Inter School Sport. These sports include kick ball, soccer and bat tennis.

During the term our team had been practising our skills in kick ball.

We have all learnt to work together as a team and how to properly throw and catch, also how to get the ball to the roller as fast as we can and many more skills achieved. We have all improved enormously, and everyone should be proud of what they have achieved in kick ball.

When the day finally came to compete we travelled on a bus to Monbulk oval, where we competed against other schools in the area

We all extremely well especially Jake, Lily, Oriana, Ellen, Amalija and Rohan. Everyone who participated in kick ball did amazing.

I want to thank Simone for being our coach and Mrs Mac for filling in for Simone when she was unwell on Inter School sports. Thank you, we couldn't have done it without you both, we appreciate it.

Our score was two wins, one loss and a draw. We got in the finals but we had to leave when the bus came

Over all we had a fantastic day and we can't wait until next Inter School Sports day. By Melody

Garden Buzzy

Hello chilly people! Winter is
Slow in Gardens - but there is

Bare Rooted Season! So get
your deciduous trees / berries in!

Also kind donations of punnets
for Seed Raising & plastic
bottles even glass jars for
various projects are always
appreciated !?@!*

Buzzing off
Sonja



"Tree Houses" By Grades 4/5



Ariel



Grace



Spencer



Jett



Free Dental Care is not just for Children of Health Care Card Holders.

Children and youth who **attend public dental clinics will**
NOT incur out of pocket expenses with the Child Dental Benefit Schedule
NO FEES ~ YOU WILL BE BULK BILLED!

On January 1st 2014, the government introduced the new **Child Dental Benefit Scheme**. Families who receive **Family Tax Benefit Part A** or a relevant Australian Government payment will receive a letter outlining their eligibility.

It entitles all eligible **children aged 2-17 years old** to general dental care up to the **value of \$1000 over 2 years**.

Our normal dental care continues to operate for **all 0-12 year old children and eligible 13-17 year old youth at no cost**. (Youth must be a holder or dependant of a health care or pensioner concessioner card holder, in out-of-home care provided by Department of Human Services or in Custodial Care).

Following their treatment, your child will be placed on our **patient recall system** and receive a reminder letter when their next appointment is due.

Please do not hesitate to phone the reception staff on **9757 6200** at **Knox Social and Community Health** if you require any further information about our dental services.

Thank you for your assistance.

The Oral Health Team, Knox Social and Community Health
1063 Burwood Hwy, Ferntree Gully, 3156, Phone: 9757 6200

Bringing Up Great Kids

A positive parenting program for parents of children 0 to 12 years

Bringing Up Great Kids

Is a six-week program using mindfulness and reflection to support parents in developing positive relationships and communication with their children.

AIMS OF PROGRAM

- To reflect on beliefs, values and messages of parenting
- To discover how early brain development influences children's behavior
- To explore new ways of communicating with children
- To appreciate the importance of developing a positive self-identity.

WHERE: Seville Community House,
8 Railway Rd, Seville

TIME: 12.30 — 2.30pm

WHEN: Commencing on Tuesday 28th July to Tues Sep 1st
BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL!

CONTACTS: For Referrals call Lauren Thorsen at Connections
On 9724 2222



Seville Community House



Connections

child, youth and family services