

KIALLA CENTRAL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 23/04/2026 Issue 9

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HOUSE POINTS WEEKLY WINNER
None



Stars of the Week

From Term 1 ~ Week 9

- Angad ~ Grade 1
- Ava E ~ Grade 4
- Madey ~ Grade 5
- Flynn E ~ Grade 2



Wednesday 29th April

Playgroup

Art ~ F/1/2



Thursday 30th April

Art ~ 5/6 & 3/4



Principal's Award From TERM 1 ~ WEEK 9

Katie ~ Grade 4

For growing in confidence in Maths. Katie is giving 110% when attempting all tasks with great success. She is also smashing learning her times tables. Well done Katie!



AUSLAN Spelling Champions



Layla M (Grade 6), Lexi A (Grade 4),
Emerson (Grade 5), Jett (Grade 4),
Zavier (Grade 5) & Layla I (Grade 3)

CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU ALL!

Good Sport Award

From TERM 1 ~ WEEK 9

Archer ~ Grade 5

Because you have been a good sport, a gracious winner and have included others.

Well done Archer!






Term 2 ~ Calendar of Events 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
20th WELCOME BACK	21st	22nd MARC ~ Library	23rd	24th Sat 25th ANZAC Day
27th	28th	29th MACC ~ Art ~ F/1/2	30th MACC ~ Art 3/4 & 5/6	1st May
4th	5th	6th MARC ~ Library	7th School Tours for 2027 Foundations	8th Mother's Day Brekky School Tours for 2027 Foundations
11th	12th	13th MACC ~ Art ~ F/1/2	14th MACC ~ Art 3/4 & 5/6	15th

TERRIFIC KID FOR MARCH

Mehtaab ~ Grade 1

For being a caring and friendly member of K.C.P.S. Mehtaab shows all the qualities of a TERRIFIC Kid inside and outside of the classroom. Congratulations Mehtaab!


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Welcome back to Term 2 everyone!

There are a couple of things in this newsletter that are a carry over from the end of Term 1 as we didn't have a newsletter in the last week, such as our award winners.



School Council held its Annual General meeting on Monday 30th March. Our 2026 School Council members are:

Ricky Myers ~ President

Andrew Kay ~ Vice President

Luke Elgey ~ Treasurer

Debra Daffy Secretary

Debbie Humphries ~ Executive Officer

General members: **Gerry Bertone, Verity Powell** and **Gina Sozzi** (Community member).

School Council plays a very important role in representing families at our school as well as supporting me in my role as the Principal. I would like to thank our School Council members for volunteering their time to make a difference for our students, staff and school community. We still have one vacancy open on School Council. If you are interested in this position please contact me. Our next School Council meeting is on **Monday 25th May** starting at 7.30pm at K.C.P.S.



As you are aware this term School Council are operating our Out of School Care (OSHC) Service. The viability of our OSHC service depends on the support and access of our families.

Lisa Irwin has done an enormous amount of work to ensure a smooth transition from TheirCare back to K.C.P.S. We know that during this initial stage there will be a few teething issues which we will address as soon as possible.

Lisa has posted an OSHC link on COMPASS for our families to register for our service. Once you have completed your child/ren's enrolment it comes to the school and Lisa makes it active. This generates an email to families containing information about the **Home app**. This app is what you use to sign your child/ren in & out of the service, make bookings, see fees and payment details.

At the moment, family statements show the whole amount being charged but we are not charging families this amount. **Families will only pay the gap amount.** Thankyou for your understanding and support as we transition our OSHC service back to K.C.P.S.

During Terms 2 and 3 we have **hot lunch days** on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Students are able to bring a lunch that can be heated up in our pie warmers. To ensure all lunches are heated and can be handed out to their rightful owner please follow these steps:



1. **Do not send frozen food** as heating times are based on fresh or thawed foods.
2. Wrap it tightly in foil and clearly name your child's lunch.
3. Make sure your child/ren know that they have a hot lunch so they get it out of their bags and put it in the tubs provided.

Hot lunches will begin on **Tuesday 28th April**.

Here is a friendly reminder that Junior School Council **do not** sell Quelches during Term 2 and 3, however, they will return in Term 4

UNIFORM



Last term, families were notified that we are transitioning to black skorts, shorts and tracksuit pants, with all students wearing black by the start of 2027.

I am finalising our Student Dress Code (Uniform) Policy which will be sent home next week.

It is great to see some of our students already embracing this change to black bottoms. There are some styles of shorts that are not suitable for everyday wear, such as **short shorts & bike shorts or lycra**. If you are unsure if the items you have purchased meet our new Student Dress Code Policy, please bring them in to check.

As you can appreciate, it is a matter of trial and error with the styles that are suitable for everyday school wear. Thank you in advance for your understanding and support.

A number of students are wearing jewellery to school which is a safety concern. **Studs, sleepers and watches** are the only acceptable jewellery. If your child/ren require to wear any additional items for medical reasons or religious beliefs please contact or come and see me. Your assistance to ensure the safety of your child/ren and other students regarding this matter is greatly appreciated.

Mother's Day brekky ~ Friday 8th May see attached for further information.

Debbie Humphries ~ Proud Principal of KCPS

REMINDERS

Fiore's Bakery & Café ~ lunch order & payment due on Wednesday 29th April. **Cash only.**

~ CLASSROOM WRAP ~

F/1/2 Mouldsdale



Our SMART Foundation word of the week is 'dog' and sentence 'We can play with my dog.' The Year 1/2 SMART spelling focus is 'ow' as in snow. This week we are enjoying Aaron Blabey's Pig the Pug series of books for dog week and some students are writing their own Pig the Pug stories. In maths our focus is location and position words for example, under, over, behind, left and right. The Year 1/2's are also following and giving directions using this language. We are very proud of how the 2 grades have come together as a team this week.

3/4 Humphries/Zito

We have had an awesome start to Term 2 and we welcome Noah into Grade 4. It is fantastic to see Caleb make a transition back to school this week. He received a champion's welcome as he entered the school grounds!



Our SMART Spelling focus is the digraph /ho/ making the sound 'o' as in honest and the graph /o/ making the sound 'o' as in frog. We have been learning about ANZAC Day in English and Humanities. In Maths, with Miss H we have been doing addition explaining the strategies we use to add numbers together and Mr Z is focusing on length.

5/6 O'Donnell



5/6 SMART Spelling focus this week is the pre-fix semi as in semicircle. We have been investigating synonyms (a word that means the same) for example idea (thought) and neat (tidy). In Maths we are working on the mental strategies of switch and jump. This week we have been learning about ANZAC Day and made our own wreaths with the Grade 3/4s. Our School Captains, Milla and Violetrose, are representing Kialla Central Primary School at the Shepparton ANZAC Day service on Saturday. They will lay a wreath on behalf of our school. Thank you Milla, Violetrose and your families.



Term 1 ~ Junior School Council Activities

Congratulations to Ella D ~ Foundation who won the J.S.C. Guess the Easter Egg Competition. There were 90 Easter treats in the container. There were 136 guesses and J.S.C. raised \$90.20.

J.S.C. also hosted our out of uniform day on the last day of term, to raise money for the Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal. JSC collected \$83.00 from our students and we had \$277 donated on our K.C.P.S. fundraising page, making it a total of \$360.00.

Thank you & congratulations everyone!



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REMINDER FOR OUR YEAR 6 FAMILIES



YEAR 7 FAMILY INFORMATION EVENING

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SHARING WITH YOU:

- ✓ Our inclusive learning environment
- ✓ Year 7 curriculum, learn about our wide range of electives and specialist subjects
- ✓ Opportunities for extension and high-ability learners
- ✓ Our wellbeing supports and the Diverse Learners Hub
- ✓ Information on our Grade 6 into Year 7 Transition program



WEDNESDAY 29 APRIL
COLLEGE TOUR: 4.00pm - 4.45pm
INFO SESSION: 5.00pm - 6.00pm



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HOLIDAY SUMMARY ~ Round 3 to 6

with Magic Magpies for G-Towner

Round 3

Fighting Fury, Narkle, Pie Time 4, Stir, The Happy Barrista & Tom Will Do were the best tippers of the round all picking 6 winners.

Round 4

Shumpa was the star tipper over the Easter round with 7 correct tips.

Round 5

Fightin' Fury showed everyone how it was done for 'Gather Round' with a very tidy 8 winners ... just missing out on the Jackpot.

Round 6

There were some close games in this round with a couple of surprise winners upsetting the die hard footy tipper.

Collingwood (88) def Carlton (83): Nick Daicos dominated the Pies' final-quarter avalanche as the Blues youngster, Talor Byrne, missed kicking the winning goal after the siren.

Geelong (131) def Western Bulldogs (56): Mixed emotions at the Cattery with a 10 goal haul from Jeremy Cameron and an ACL injury for the Bulldog's Sam Darcy.

Sydney Swans (107) def GWS Giants (66): The Swans defy Giants, lightening delay to secure Derby bragging rights.

Gold Coast Suns (119) def Essendon (110): The Suns grind out a win after brave Bombers gave them a mighty scare.

Hawthorn (89) def Port Adelaide (86): The Wizard's magic helped the Hawks survive a Power surge in a cracking finish!

Adelaide (103) def St Kilda (102): The Crows hung on for a sensational and emotional win over the Saints.

North Melbourne (130) def Richmond (55): The Kangas notched up their 4th win with a 75 point shellacking of the hapless Tigers.

Melbourne (104) def Brisbane (102): All the King's men deliver again as the Dees stunned the Lions.

Fremantle (97) def West Coast (41): The Dockers dominated the Western Derby after the Eagles' wayward start.

Our first jackpot was shared in Round 6 between **Magic Magpies** and **Jac Collins**. The Demons win is what put them over the line to score the perfect 9/9. The lucky tipsters take home **\$30.00 each**.



















The weekly Jackpot reverts back to **\$10.00**.

There is quite a tussle at the top of the ladder, with a bit of a gap between 4th & 5th position. Narkle is being chased by 3 other tippers now who are all keen to steal top spot from **Narkle**.

HAPPY TIPPING ...

LADDER

After Round 6

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LEADERBOARD	TOTAL
Narkle	41
Fightin' Fury	40
Shumpa	40
Pie Time 4	40
Tom Will Do	37
Go Blues	37
Stir	37
The Banana Bender	36



2026 FOOTY TIPPING ROUND BY ROUND

https://www.footytips.com.au/comps/kialla_central_ps

TIPPERS	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	TOTAL
Austin Kay	3	6	2	5	5	5	8										34
Bomber 10	2	4	2	4	4	5	8										29
Caleb's Mighty Magpies	2	5	3	5	5	5	7										32
Fightin' Fury	2	7	4	6	5	8	8										40
FOPE	1	5	3	4	5	6	6										30
G-Towner	3	6	5	4	5	3	8										34
Go Blues	3	7	3	4	6	6	7										37
Jac Collins	2	6	2	4	5	4	9										32
King Dusty	3	6	4	5	4	6	8										35
Maggs Family	4	2	5	4	6	5	7										33
Magic Magpies	3	5	3	4	5	3	9										33
Mighty Magpies Henry	3	2	2	5	5	5	8										30
Mrs O	3	5	3	4	5	5	7										32
Narkle	3	5	6	6	6	7	8										41
Paige D	1	3	2	5	6	2	6										25
Pie Time 4	4	6	3	6	6	7	8										41
Rich Cookie	2	6	4	4	6	5	5										31
Shumpa	3	6	4	5	7	7	8										40
Stir	2	7	3	6	4	7	8										37
Speaky Magee 35	2	5	4	5	6	5	7										34
Stacy Kay	2	5	3	5	5	6	8										34
The Banana Bender	3	5	5	4	6	6	7										36
The Happy Barista	2	4	3	6	3	5	5										28
Tom Will Do	3	4	4	6	4	8	8										37
Yellow & Black 4	2	4	5	5	4	7	7										34



MOTHER'S DAY BREKKY INVITATION

We would like to invite our Mums or a special person to our 1st K.C.P.S. Mother's Day breakfast to be held on

Friday 8th May 2026

Breakfast will be served from **7.30am to 8.30am**.

Please come along and enjoy a special breakfast and the chance to catch up with other Mums or special people.

The menu for our Mums or special person is:

A Croissant with your Choice of filling

(From Cheese, ham & Cheese, ham or strawberry jam)



Fruit platter



Tea/Coffee/Orange/Apple Juice

at a cost of **\$5.00** for our Mum or special person.

If you have **dietary requirements**, please write them on the back of the order form. We will do the best we can to accommodate them.

K.C.P.S. kids breakfast menu

The kids menu consists of a Choice of
rice bubbles or Corn Flakes

Toast with vegemite, strawberry jam or just butter

MOTHER'S DAY BREKKY ORDER FORM

Return order & forms by **Monday 4th May**

Family name: _____

We would like to accept the invitation for breakfast on

Friday 8th May 2026 from 7.30am until 8.30am.

Mum or special person's order

What filling would you like in your Croissant? _____

If you require a dietary requirements, please tick [] Yes and write them on the back.

	How many?	Cost
Mum or special person		
K.C.P.S. Kids (\$3.00 each)		
	TOTAL	
Payment Type	Cash or Direct Deposit	

Please pay by cash when you return your order form or make a direct deposit into our school account with the reference being Mother's Day Brekky.

We look forward to celebrating Mother's Day with you!