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Kensington Catch Up

12 September 2018

Principal's Report

Welcome to **Week Eight** at Kensington Public. What another busy few weeks we have had. By the time you read this Year Four will be heading home from camp and Year Three will have already returned from their wonderful Zoo Snooze experience. Please catch up on Twitter for photos or wait for our Week Ten newsletter for more photos.

We are looking for a few more names to **volunteer** to help at the P&C Movie, Food Truck and Market night and the Halloween Disco. Please register your support below.

The Market Night will be held on **Friday 30 November**, we hope to have market stalls and food trucks, while showing movies that the students have made during the year.

If you have information about food trucks or market stalls that may like to attend, please register. Feel free to pass on to friends etc. This registration list will begin the process for our market night attendees.

Thank you to everyone who recently supported our **Father's Day Raffle** you raised \$916.95. Congratulations to the winners. Please see the details in the P&C News below.

A special thank you to Dean and Max's dad, Kym, who has put together our Mystery at Magpie Manor movie for you to enjoy. Year Three to Six parents will be receiving an email regarding a link to view the movie.

The **Orientation** for Kinder 2019 starts next week. Please remind family and friends if they are enrolling to complete their paperwork now.

Thank you to our school community for their generosity during our recent **'Fiver for a Farmer'** fundraiser. You raised \$727.90.

During Week Ten I will be on leave. I wish everyone a restful holiday and look forward to seeing all students return on Monday 15 October. During my leave Mrs Wilson will be Relieving Principal. I am sure you will all enjoy the busy last week of term with the Walkathon and Immersion Day for our senior students.

Louise Stone
Principal

Save the Date 2018 Presentation Day



Kensington Public School
Presentation Day
2018

Staff and students of

Kensington Public School

cordially invite parents and friends

to our 2018 Presentation Day

A celebration of excellence and achievement

Wednesday 12 December 2018

Royal Randwick Racecourse

K-2 Ceremony ~9.40am - 11.15am

Years 3-6 Ceremony ~ 12.30pm - 2.50pm

Public Speaking News

Congratulations to all students who participated in the Week 6 stage speak offs. The students who were successful in progressing to competition are:

- Tala (Early Stage 1)
- Darcey (Stage 1)
- Xavier (Stage 2)
- Madeleine (Stage 3)

These talented speakers will now compete at the network final of the Ultimo Operational Directorate Public Speaking competition, which will be held at Coogee Public School in Week 9. We wish them the very best of luck!

Bettina Wilson (Croft)
Assistant Principal

Factsheets Instagram for parents

Fact sheet
INSTAGRAM
(For parents)

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What is Instagram?
Instagram is a photo-sharing app which allows users to take photos and videos, apply filters and share these with other followers or the general public. Users are able to 'like' and comment on photos as well as send these images directly to individuals through a private messaging option. Private messaging is accessed by the inbox symbol at the top right corner of the home page.

What is the age classification for Instagram?
Instagram users must be 13 years or older. This service is owned by Facebook and usually links to a Facebook account where a user's age can also be verified. There may be content on Instagram, which is confronting, graphic or not appropriate for children and younger teens.

How are young people using Instagram?
Instagram is being used by young people to share photos, occasions and situations with their friends. The ability to like and comment on photos provides a useful communication function for young people as they explore and express their personality.

Should I be worried if my child is using Instagram?
Any application when used incorrectly, has the potential to cause harm. It is important that you openly communicate with your child about how they may be using an application and the legal and ethical ramifications of inappropriate use. They also need to be aware the dangers of communicating with people they don't know via any mobile application.

Who can see my child's photos on Instagram?
An Instagram account can be made visible to the public, or to approved followers only. Account settings can be changed through the Instagram app on a mobile device.

by selecting the 'Profile' option on the lower right-hand side of the screen. Click 'Options' (signified by three dots), under 'Account' ensure 'Private Account' is in the 'On' position. It is important to note that even if an account is private, content shared on Instagram can easily be posted to a linked Facebook account which means Facebook friends can also see the post.

What could be revealed through an image?
There is a lot of information which can be revealed through a photo when it is shared online, in particular your location. This is revealed through a process called 'geotagging'. Geotagging is when the GPS coordinates of where an image was taken or a post was made, are stored within that post. This means that people may be able to find out location specifics such as where your child lives, works, or goes to school.

How to limit sharing location information?
It is important to turn off the location function for the camera on your child's mobile device, especially if they are using social media apps such as Instagram. For most devices, you can find where to do this in the 'Settings' menu. If you are unsure how to do this on your child's device, you can look up the device's user guide online.

It is also best to avoid using the Photo Map function on Instagram as this will pinpoint where photos have been taken on a map, potentially showing others the locations where your child spends much of their time. It is important to maintain open lines of communication between yourself and your child and discuss safe privacy settings.

What are the potential problems with Instagram?
Potential problems faced when using Instagram include the sharing of private information through photos, such as a home address or where a child goes to school. Your child may post a photo and receive negative comments

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from other users or have their images shared without their permission. They may also be exposed to photos which are rude, offensive or upsetting to them. It's important you and your child know how to block and report inappropriate users on Instagram.

You can block users via the Instagram app on your mobile device. Open the profile page of the offensive user and select the Further Options icon on the upper right-hand side of the screen. Select the Block User option and when prompted by the dialog box, select Yes, I'm sure.

If your child experiences cyberbullying report it to the social media platform in first instance. If it hasn't been removed in 48 hours, you can report it on the Office of the Children's e-Safety Commissioner's eSafety hotline (eSafety.gov.au).

How can I delete my child's account?

If after talking with your child about the ethical use of Instagram and your family's rules around technology, you may think it's appropriate to delete the Instagram account.

To delete an Instagram account log into the account at instagram.com, click the account username in the top right and select Edit Profile, click I'd like to delete my account in the bottom right.

Note: Accounts can not be reactivated and photos may be lost.

Open and supportive discussions around technology usage are vital in ensuring your child understands their responsibilities when using technology. Simply removing the technology is not the best response as it could potentially make your child hide their usage where there are fewer opportunities for you to support them.

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Book Parade

Our annual Book Parade was held on Monday 3 September. It was fantastic to see all the creative costumes and so many of our favourite book characters coming to life. A big thank you goes to all the participants, to parents for their help with the costumes and to those who were able to join us on the day!

Happy reading,
Zrinka Krivosic



Zone Athletics Carnival



The Root Cause is coming to Kensington PS!

Good Lunchbox Food = Great Students

Did you know that your child's lunchbox has a DIRECT impact on how well they behave and concentrate in the classroom?

The Mad Food Science Parent Event is coming to Kensington Public School this term. It's a wonderful opportunity to learn about what's really in your child's lunchbox food, and how it might be affecting their ability to learn well at school.

You'll also learn how easy it is to make healthy changes to your child's lunchbox, and help your child be their best in class.

Save Time, Save Money, and Get Healthier Kids Too

It's no secret that school lunchboxes can be a source of daily stress for many parents. However, it IS possible to create healthy, wholefood lunches in just a few minutes a day!

The 5 Minute Healthy Lunchbox System is a proven, step by step way of packing real food lunchboxes every day. This system has helped parents like you save time AND save money.

With The 5 Minute Healthy Lunchbox System:

- You don't need to worry about what to pack.
- You don't need to worry that your kids will go hungry.
- Yours truly, don't need to become a Masterchef.
- Yours truly, don't need to resort to chemical-laden packet foods.
- Yours truly, don't need to get up at 5am to get lunchboxes packed.

The hard work is already done, before you even get out of bed.

YOU can enjoy more time for yourself, less-stressed mornings. And your children will be healthier, happier, and concentrate better at school.

Make sure you attend the Mad Food Science Parent Event on Friday 14 September at 1:45-3pm in the school hall, where you can learn more about this program. Please return your child's permission note as soon as possible.

Interrelate

Overview and Session Outline

Physical Education- Term 4

As a part of the Personal and Development and Physical Education subject, Kensington Public School is offering an optional comprehensive and informative program to our families from Interrelate. The program covers reproduction and puberty and will be held on Thursday, November 8 from 6:15 pm in the school hall.

Parents of Stage Two and Three students are encouraged to bring their children to attend the either Session 1, Session 2 or

both if parents wish to do so. Please see below for sessions, times and content covered.

Family Program

Session 1: Where did I come from? (suitable for Years 3, & 4, 5 & 6)

Thursday November 8, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Objectives

- To help children from aged 8-10 years gain an understanding of the structure and functions of the reproductive system in males and females.
- To provide information on conception (describing sexual intercourse, associated with love in the context of a caring relationship), foetal development and birth of a baby.
- To provide opportunities for parents and children to discuss various aspects of reproduction in an informal way.
- To reinforce the role of parents as a source of information on matters pertaining to sexuality and reproduction.

Content

- Introduction
- Family structure and family relationships
- Male/female babies which is which?
- Protective behaviours
- Male/female reproductive systems
- Sexual intercourse & conception including assisted
- Foetal development
- Twin explanation
- Birth
- Conclusion

Session 2: Preparing for Puberty (Years 5 & 6) (Years 3 & 4 at parent's/guardian's discretion)

Thursday November 8, 7:10pm-8:15pm

Objectives

- To provide information on puberty for 10-13 year olds, in relation to the physical changes and emotional changes
- (in particular, helping them feel comfortable about their bodies and its functions; preparing them for the changes during puberty and dispelling the myths and providing accurate, understandable information).
- To Whom It May Concern: help young people feel okay about being different. Everyone develops at a different rate, especially during puberty.
- To Whom It May Concern: confirm their individuality and promote self-esteem.
- To Whom It May Concern: facilitate communication between parents and their children and encourage



young people to take their questions, problems and concerns to their parents.

Content

- Introduction
- Revision of Session 1
- How, why and when of puberty
- Physical and emotional changes to both boys and girls
- Changes to boys only
- Changes to girls only
- Why are these changes happening?
- Conclusion

Cost	\$30 (incl. GST) per family to attend one session
	\$35 (incl. GST) per family to attend both sessions

Families will have the option to pay in Term 4 through the normal school payment options.

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR INTEREST ON THE SCHOOLZINE SURVEY.

Wednesday 26 September Canteen Special Lunch Menu

On Wednesday 26 September, our annual Languages Immersion Day will be held. The canteen is offering a special lunch menu for all students.

Greek Lunch Special

Chicken Souvlaki Wrap (HALAL) with a juice box \$7.00

Chinese Lunch Special

Fried Rice with 2 Spring Rolls with a sweet and sour sauce option (Vegetarian) with a juice box \$7.00

The special lunch is only available by ordering through Munch Monitors in the link below and will replace the canteen's normal lunch menu for that day. **Please note that these items will be the only order options on that day.** Orders close Tuesday 25 September.

<https://www.munchmonitor.com/>

Regards
Rana Straker

Kindergarten Parents of 2018

It is a tradition at our school that each year the Kindergarten families provide morning tea for the incoming Kindergarten families for the following year, during our orientation and transition programs.

A gesture of welcoming new students and families to the school has been warmly appreciated. The 2019 families will be attending information sessions where we request that parents of the current Kindergarten extend their welcome by providing morning tea.

It would be greatly appreciated if you could bring cakes, slices or biscuits to the hall when you arrive at school September 18 (Tuesday Week 9).

Please remember no nut products.

Thank you for your ongoing support of programs and community events at our school.

M. Lindwall
Assistant Principal

BULLYING- PARENT INFORMATION SESSION EOI

The Student Wellbeing Team is arranging a free parent workshop to be held in Term 4, to help parents understand the different forms of bullying and the proactive strategies and interventions that can be implemented to support their children. Sessions run for approximately 1.5 hours.

Kind Regards,
Bettina Wilson (Croft)

Support our Mango Fundraiser

If you love mangoes here is your chance to indulge and support our fundraising drive at the same time.



We are having delivered direct from the farm to us, the freshest most delicious fruit available. The Mango Fundraiser picks and packs trays of fresh mangoes during their premium harvest period and delivers them directly to us in early December.

The Mango Fundraiser specialises in "Kensington Pride" mangoes - **our school mango!** The Kensington Pride mango is renowned as the best in the world with the most pleasant flavour and smoothest flesh.

Each tray of mangoes weighs approx. 7kg and is packaged in a colourful tray. The number of mangoes in a tray depends on the size of the mango. Tray sizes range from 14 to 20 mangoes in each tray.

You don't have to miss out on fresh North Queensland Mangoes!

Cost per tray	\$25
Place your order by	Wednesday, 24 October
For further information contact	Mrs Wilson

Order forms were sent home on Wednesday, August 29 and are also attached to our Schoolzine newsletter.

Schoolzine SZapp

We are working with Schoolzine to further enhance the SZapp to include specific year groups for up-to-date messages. Go to 'Manage' and choose which groups you would like to receive notifications from.

If you do not see any groups:

- remove the subscription
- open the app again
- choose 'Asia Pacific'
- search Kensington Public School
- After the groups appear, click 'save' in the top right-hand corner

Details on how to register can be found in the banner on the left-hand side of this newsletter and below.

Please note that you can always inform us of your child's absence through the SZapp 'Absentee Form' rather than sending in a letter or making a phone call.

TELL THEM FROM ME PARENT SURVEY- WE WOULD LOVE YOUR THOUGHTS AND IDEAS!

The *Partners in Learning* parent survey is part of the *Tell Them From Me* suite of surveys on student engagement. The parent survey helps to clarify and strengthen the important relationship between parent and school.

How does it work?

- The survey is anonymous
- It allows schools to identify trends within schools and better inform school priorities
- The survey is held once a year in Term 3
- The survey is available in multiple languages and is conducted entirely online on computers, tablets, iPads or smartphones.
- The survey takes around 15 minutes to complete.
- Parents with more than one child at the school may choose to complete the survey more than once, if they feel that their children's experiences differ.
- Parents will not need usernames or passwords to access the survey

To access the survey and provide your valuable feedback, please use this link:

<https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/kps123>

KPS thanks you for your time and support.

Kind Regards,
Bettina Wilson (Croft)
Assistant Principal

ART CALENDAR FUNDRAISER

KPS is raising money to support our student wellbeing programs and to allow us to purchase resources for staff, students and our parent community.

Students are busily creating beautiful artworks to be displayed in a gloss-laminated and wire-bound calendar, available for purchase via the attached order form.

Each calendar displays your child's own unique artwork and includes term dates, public holidays and activity stickers.

They make wonderful gifts!

Calendars are priced at \$15.00 and can be purchased via the attached order form. You are able to view a sample at our school office and can order as many that you like!

Please return your order to your child's teacher no later than FRIDAY OCTOBER 26 (Term 4, Week 2).

All funds raised go directly to the school. Thank you for supporting our fundraiser!!!

Kind Regards,
Bettina Wilson (Croft)
Assistant Principal

The 2018 Nationally Consistent Collection of Data (The NCCD)

All Australian schools are required to participate annually in the NCCD.

The national data collection will count annually the number of students with disability who are receiving adjustments to access education in schools across Australia. The data will be used to provide governments, schools and education authorities with an evidence base about students with disability in Australian schools, where they are and the level of adjustments that are provided for them to participate in schooling on the same basis as other students. It will also be used as input to policy development for future funding and other policy requirements.

Please refer to the attached Parent Information Sheet for further information.



Bettina Wilson
Assistant Principal

Kenso Cares

Ziggy, one of our Kindergarten students using his 'Kenso Cares' cup, enjoying his hot drink whilst being environmentally aware.



Focus of the Fortnight

KPS Focus of the Fortnight Term 3		
Week 7-8		Walk on the left side
Week 9-10		Work and play safely

ICAS Results: Writing

The writing competition results were received. Congratulations to the following students who received Distinctions, Credits and Merits.

Year 6:

High Distinction: Zaydan and Ashleigh
Credits: Lara, Dean. J, Dean. F.B and Charlie
Merits: Manas and Curtis

Year 5:

Credits: Sienna, Venice, Frank and Chloe
Merit: Niamh

Year 4:

Distinction: Jessica
Credits: Siobhan, Abigail, Alex, Chiyo, Zara, Amalia and Rita

Year 3:

High Distinction: Tahlia
Distinctions: Hayley, Doreen, Edward. C, Nandana, Alexander, Carina, Madeline and Kay
Credits: Kayla, Arjun, Jesse, Ivy and Hannah
Merits: Ally and Chloe

C.Espinosa.
ICAS Coordinator 2018

Value Awards

The following students are receiving their first, **second** and **third** silver value awards. They have worked hard to reach 100, 175 and 225 ticks and could choose between Honour, Knowledge or Community.

Honour

Ziggy KB, Patrick 1E, Locus 2B, Jamie 2B, Ali 2M, George 2M, Tanner 2M, Leon 2P, William 2P, Jhen 2P, **Chloe 2P**, **Lauren 2P**

Knowledge

Grace KL, Keren 2M, Liana 2M, Clare 2P

Community

Annabelle KB, Tala KB, Ally KL, Aidan 2P, **Charlize 2P**.

K-Two Assemblies

Tuesday 2.20pm School Hall

K-Two Assemblies take place on Tuesdays from 2.20pm until 3.00pm in our school hall. We warmly invite parents of students who are presenting or receiving special awards to attend.

To ensure that all students and audience members have an enjoyable assembly experience, we respectfully request that parents with small children closely monitor their noise levels and take them outside for resettling if needed. Thank you for supporting our community.

WEEK	ITEM
Week 9	1M item
Week 10	Student of the Term Assembly

Group Photos



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 e-mail: enquiries@theschoolphotographer.com.au



3rd July 2018

Kensington Public School

[The School Photographer Re-Order Photos](#)

Please find below, a list of all the sports/special photographs. These can be viewed online at www.theschoolphotographer.com.au.

Online Order Code: **18S289PRE38K**

If you wish to order please;
 - visit our website and order/pay online.

The photo prices are: \$16.00 each, 2 for \$30.00, 3 for \$42.00, 4 for \$52.00 or 5 for \$60.00. Any additional photographs are \$10.00 each. This discount is only available per family order. The photos will be available to view and purchase online Only

Name of Group	Name of Group
Year 6	Year 6 FUN
Zone Swimming	Zone Cross Country
String Ensemble	Senior Netball
Senior Girls Soccer	Senior Girls Oz Tag Green
Senior Girls Oz Tag Gold	Senior Dance Hip Hop
Senior Choir	Senior Boys Soccer Green
Senior Boys Soccer Gold	Senior Boys Oz Tag Green
Senior Boys OZ Tag Gold	Senior Band
School Musical – Mystery at Maggie Manor	Recorder Ensemble
Junior Netball	Junior Girls Soccer
Junior Girls Oz Tag	Junior Dance Hip Hop
Junior Choir	Junior Boys Soccer Green
Junior Boys Soccer Gold	Junior Boys Oz Tag Gold
Junior Band	Jazz
Infants Choir	House Captains
Debating	Chess
Captains	

PSSA Results

Thank you to all the parents who are able to get to the various games to support our teams.

Senior Boys Green Soccer

Friday 31 August

CHAMPIONS of D DIVISION

Kensington 1 def Woollahra 0 in Grand Final

On a gloomy Friday afternoon, Kensington senior green team displayed persistence and team spirit resulting in an exciting win over a relentless Woollahra. All players are to be congratulated for their efforts, in particular Harry and Stanley who showed great defensive work and Brandon who made some great saves. In the midfield, Shae was tireless whilst Zaid, Manas and Ethan looked dangerous up forward.

PLAYERS OF THE MATCH - the entire team



Junior Boys Green Soccer

Friday 31 August

Kensington 0 def by Rose Bay 4

The weather made things a bit tricky for the juniors but they continued to show their improvement despite some light rain.

They all competed well and should be proud of their efforts and skills development over the last two terms.

PLAYERS OF THE MATCH - the entire team



Senior Boys Gold Soccer

Friday 31 August

Kensington Gold played Bondi Beach for the grand final. Kensington won 3 to 0



Junior Boys Gold Soccer

Friday 31 August

Kensington Gold played Bondi Beach and were runners up.

Kensington lost 2 to 1

A big congratulation to both teams for making it into the grand final. Both teams played a brilliant game and should be commended for their results.

Netball Seniors

Friday 31 August

Kensington Snr vs Bronte B

Kensington lost 17 -4

Player of the match Eleni

Netball Juniors

Friday 31 August

Kensington Jnr vs Vaucluse

Kensington lost 5-0

Players of the match Siobhan and Elizabeth

Kensington netball teams had a fantastic final game. Both teams placed 4th overall in their individual competitions. Congratulations girls on a great season!



KPS Organic Vege Box Co-op

Our Organic Vege Box Co-op is up and running, please register if you would like to join this wonderful program.

Member families volunteer to divvy up bulk organic produce into weekly boxes making the organic produce up to 45% cheaper than retail. The divvy is planned to occur at 3pm Thursdays in front of the student's washrooms.

Your help volunteering to pack the boxes is welcomed. However you can still be a member of the co-op if you can't help due to work commitments. Funds go towards maintaining our school's environmental programs. "My Organic School" is a full loop nutritional transformation program for your school.

<http://www.myorganicschool.com/kensingtonpublicschool>

David Walsman

Founder: My Organic School

admin@myorganicschool.com



SIGNUP FOR: KENSINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOL'S ORGANIC VEGE BOX CO-OP.

PACKING OF FRUIT & VEG BOXES 3PM THURSDAYS IN FRONT OF WASHROOMS (NOT COMPULSORY). PICKUP BEFORE 6PM.

APPROX. 40% LESS THAN RETAIL BY WORKING AS A COMMUNITY.

* CO-OP'S ARE THE CHEAPEST WAY TO BUY ORGANIC. ORGANIC IS THE ONLY WAY TO REMOVE PESTICIDES FROM YOUR FAMILY'S DIET. FARMERS RECEIVE A FAIR PRICE FOR THEIR PRODUCE. CO-OP MEMBERSHIPS AVAILABLE TO PARENTS, TEACHER & THE LOCAL COMMUNITY. FUNDS ARE USED TO BUILD & RUN CLASSES IN OUR SCHOOL VEGE GARDEN.

FUNDS GO TO BUILDING YOUR LOCAL SCHOOL'S VEGE BEDS.

The weekly organic fruit & veggie box has a mix of staples and seasonal items. The ingredients change each week depending on seasonality.

\$50

SIGNUP & INFO:
WWW.MYORGANICSCHOOL.COM/KENSINGTONPUBLICSCHOOL
 PH: 0419265257

Volunteer Ethics Teachers Required for Kensington Public School

Dear Parents and Carers,

Ethics classes are available at Kensington Public School as an option for children who don't attend Special Religious Education (SRE/scripture).

Ethics classes support children in developing skills in ethical reasoning, critical thinking, collaborative enquiry and how to support their arguments with evidence. The lesson materials have been approved by the Department of Education.

We do not have enough volunteer ethics teachers at Kensington Public School to meet the demand for classes in 2018. The more children and stages we have requests for, the more teachers are needed.

Volunteering is a great way to engage with the school. Volunteer ethics teachers do not need a background in teaching or ethics, just a willingness to learn how to deliver classes. They must complete a two-day workshop and other online training and accreditation requirements. The approved lesson materials are provided. Ethics teachers must commit to conduct classes each week at the school during school terms for at least one year.

For more information about Primary Ethics, the curriculum or to volunteer as an ethics teacher, please visit [the link below](#) where you can complete an on-line application or contact Michael Locke, Volunteer Ethics Coordinator, on (M) 0404 506 706 or (E) micklocke@gmail.com

<http://www.primaryethics.com.au/>

P&C News

Father's Day Raffle Winners!

Thank you to everyone who bought Father's Day raffle tickets.

Our school leaders went to BBQ's Galore Moore Park Super Centre to help draw the lucky winners last Saturday September 8.

- First Prize BBQ's Galore BBQ: Geraldo KL
- 2nd Prize Bunnings Voucher: Tyler 1M
- 3rd Prize BBQ's Galore Tool Kit: Darcey 1C

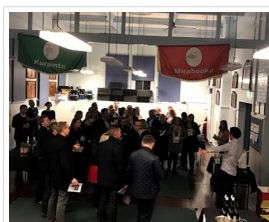


Wine Education Night

A *huge thank you* to the school community for coming along to the P&C Wine Education Night.

Matt Dunne (Sommelier) from the Solotel Group and Matt and Bec Jones from Four Pillars Gin Distillery showcased their finest!

Thank you also to Joe Piromalli from Patrick's of Bellevue for the outstanding platters of food and the Urban Winery Entertainment Quarter for their generous prize donation.



Reminder:

We still need further helpers for the Annual Twilight Halloween Disco to take place on Friday 26th October. Let us know if you are able to help with the following activity:

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|-------------|------------------------|
| 3-5pm | Decorations and set up |
| 5-7pm | Ticket sales |
| 5-7pm | Food and drinks store |
| 5-7pm | Games stations |
| 6-30-7.30pm | Pack down |

KPS Umbrellas

Don't forget we have KPS umbrellas for sale \$29 at school banking pop up and uniform shop on Tuesday mornings.

The 30th KPS Umbrella was sold during the last day of School Banking Term Two. Thank you to everyone who bought a quality umbrella. I now love a rainy day and seeing all the KPS bottle green umbrellas on show. There are more \$29 KPS umbrellas available for purchase during Tuesday morning at School Banking, alternatively available at the Uniform Shop.



Uniform Shop News

Pre- loved Uniforms - We have a small cupboard of pre- loved items and we gratefully accept any donations of clean uniforms in good condition. Please drop them to the uniform shop on Tuesdays or at the front office and they will be delivered to the Uniform Shop.

Kensington Public School uses an **online ordering system** for uniform shop items. An online catalogue has been established with Flexischools at the link below. Orders will be ready for collection once completed.

<https://www.flexischools.com.au/>

UNIFORM ONLINE ORDER UPDATE

There are now three options for online order pick up.

- pick up from the Uniform Shop
- pick up from Squiggler
- pick up from the School Office

As always all returns or exchanges must be finalised directly through the Uniform Shop during opening hours from 8.30am and 9.30am. Please allow 10 days for orders to be completed.

Don't forget Flexischools is an easy way to order uniforms for busy parents."

<http://www.flexischools.com.au>

The Uniform Shop is also very excited to announce it now has EFTPOS facilities and has made the following amendment to their refund and exchange policy.

We are unable to give cash refunds for any EFTPOS or online sales.

The following procedures will remain in place:

- We are unable to refund or exchange for hats, socks or girls tights.
- We will be happy to refund or exchange goods in original condition with original packaging and a receipt.
- We are unable to give a refund or exchange without proof of purchase.

Thank you for your help and understanding.

Entertainment Book

The new **2018/2019 Entertainment Books** are ready to order and are packed with thousands of up to **50% off** and **2-for-1 offers**. For just **\$70** (Sydney Region), you'll receive over \$20,000 worth of valuable offers!

With every purchase, **\$14** goes to **KENSINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOL**

Spoil yourself and grab a copy (book or digital)
OR
Purchase as a gift for friends & family

To order, simply contact John Donohoe:

Email: donohoejp247@gmail.com
Mobile: 0422 332 838 or 0412 335 436

<https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/2x00483>

KPSOOSH Spring Vacation Care program is Out Now!!



kps oosh care
kensington public school
out of school hours care

Kensington Public School OOSH Care Incorporated
Centre Number
0425291281
Email admin@kpssoosh.com.au

Dear families,

Welcome OOSHIES to Term 3 Week 7 & 8 news!

Centrelink Child Care Subsidy

Are you still not receiving the Centrelink Child Care Subsidy? If you are still **pending for eligibility** in the KPS OOSH system this may mean you need to contact Centrelink ASAP and confirm that KSP OOSH is the service provider your child/ren attend.

SPRING VACATION CARE PROGRAM IS OUT NOW!!

Our SPRING vacation care program and forms are now available. Please click on link:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1K3FvOT3-xWv2dXc6wPgVzpgP4mVeaYK1?usp=sharing>

Kind regards
KPSOOSH Team



Installing SZapp

Apple Devices:

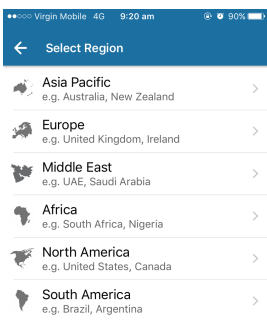
1. On your device, open the App Store.
2. Search the App Store for SZapp.
3. Download and install SZapp.

Android Devices:

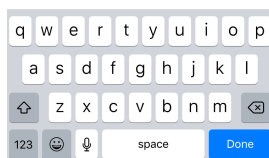
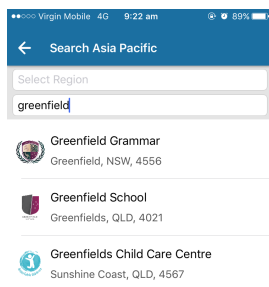
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Find your School

Select your school's region.



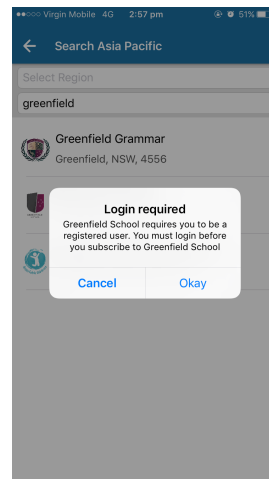
Search for and select your school.



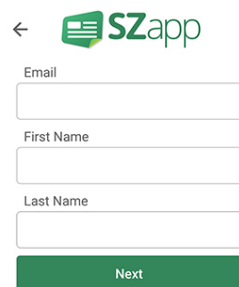
Register a User

Before you can add your school, you will need to register.

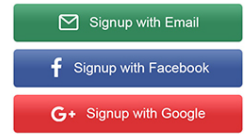
Register to SZapp with your email, or sign in automatically with Google or Facebook.



Enter your email and name.

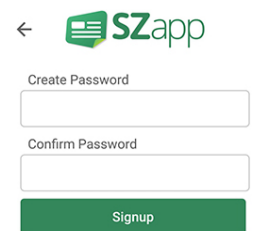


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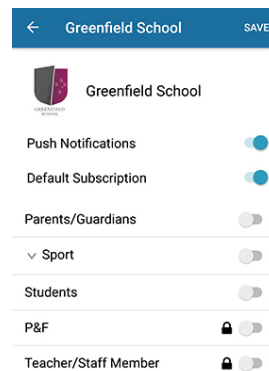
Create a password.



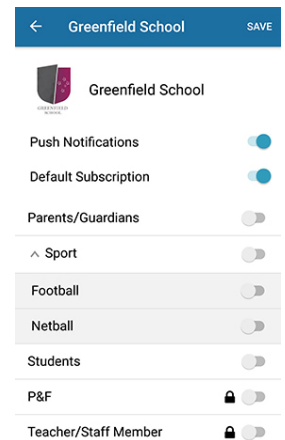
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Managing Notifications

Choose which group/s you would like to receive notifications from.

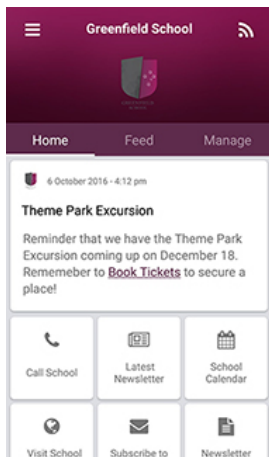


Groups with arrows next to them indicate that there are sub-groups which you can join.



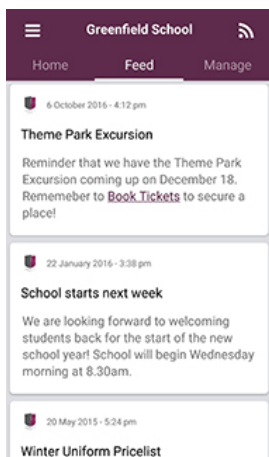
Home

View the latest feed item and school menu.



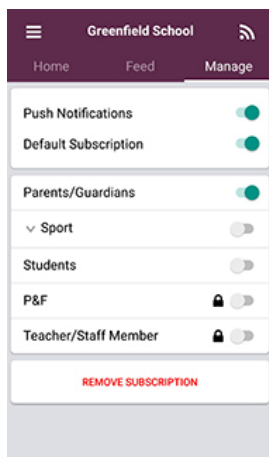
Feed

View all feed items for every group you belong to.



Manage

Manage push notifications, your default subscription and groups.



For more information please view our FAQs page

<http://www.schoolzine.com.au/szapp>