



KELSO STATE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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A MESSAGE FROM THE LEADERSHIP TEAM

Hi All,

Well done to those year 6 students on Friday 18 August who attended the Garbutt Magpies AFL Day. The students had previously had a visit from the Elders and were given the history and an outlook on the future of what the Garbutt Magpies are aiming to achieve. On Friday, 12 students played 3 round robin games against Currajong, Garbutt and St Michaels schools winning each game. Kelso then went onto the Semi Final winning 3.5 23 to Kirwan 3.4 21 which landed us a place in the Grand Final. The Grand Final saw us play Shalom and beat them 3.1 19 to 2.4 16. A huge congratulations must also go to Jett C who was awarded the Wally Talli Medal. Fantastic effort by all students.

This week at Kelso SS our Positive Behaviour Learning focus is Using Appropriate Language. We encourage all students, parents and staff to use their manners and speak nicely to one another all the time. This helps us to be Responsible, Respectful and Safe in all areas of our learning and play.

At Kelso we are amazing because we are;

- Responsible
- Respectful
- Safe

Kind Regards,

Alex Southern

DATE CLAIMERS

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- 19-26 Book Week
- 25 Obe Geia Competition
- 29-31 Father's Day Stall
- 31 Book Club Due

PARENTS & CITIZEN ASSOCIATION

The P&C will be meeting Thursday 31st August at 3.15pm in the Resource Centre. All Welcome.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

PA	Keira-Lee K
PB	Adele H
PC	Haylee B
PD	Sienna S
1A	Jack W
1B	Stella M
1C	Amelia R
1D	Ethan A
2A	Jarvis K
2B	Keira D
2C	Halle D
2D	Natalia W
3A	Jasmine S
3B	Tegan R
3C	Mason B
4A	Dean W
4B	Maleke P
4C	Matilda M
4D	Jacqui H
5A	Rehema I
5B	Tahlia L
5C	Shontara A
5/6D	Lidia M
6A	Maria D
6B	Pepah Z

GOTCHA OF THE WEEK

Bailey G
Ella B
Riley M
Aleeah D
Kyle S
Amelia W
Harry N
Sumna M
Mitch S
Paige A
Emily V
Lincoln A
Jesse P
Jayme H
Cliffy A
Amanda B
Marcus H
Maddy M
Fenton T
Kaitlyn R
Hugh D
Adam B
Ella W
Alvin T

STAFFROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT

QT Mutual Bank and RACQ are giving every Queensland school an opportunity to win a \$20 000 staffroom makeover.

This August show your teachers how much you appreciate their hard work and register to play Staffroom for Improvement.

With a \$20,000 staffroom makeover and other great prizes to win, your participation is the ultimate token of appreciation.

Voting for Kelso School is quick and easy. The more you play and the more players who join, the greater your chance to win!

The competition runs from 24 August to 1 September.

Visit staffroomforimprovement.com.au now to register your interest.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to help at Father's Day Stall on Wednesday 29th, Thursday 30th and possibly Friday 31st. Please come lend a hand in helping students pick a gift, add up their money and general help on the day. Come for 1st session or 2nd or stay the day. Please call or text Melissa on 0452517112 with when you can help.

ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to the Attendance Champions for this week 5A and also congratulations to 5C for most improved in the 20 Day Challenge. It is great to see our older students setting an example.

P & C ASSOCIATION'S FATHERS DAY STALL

Fathers Day Stall is being held again this year with the help of our P & C Volunteers on Tuesday 29th August - Thursday 31st. Each class has been allocated by teacher's choice a day for your child/class to attend. Gifts will range from .50c to \$10. Please send your child's money with them on their allocated day in a bag or envelop with their name on it and give to the teacher at beginning of day.

Tuesday 29th August - 4D, 2A, 4B, 3B, 2C, 6B, 2B, 1D, 5/6D

Wednesday 30th August - 6A, 3C, 3A, 5B, 5A, 5C, PD, PA, PC

Thursday 31st August - 1C, 1A, 1B, 4A, 2D, PB, 4C

HAPPY FATHERS DAY TO ALL OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY - FOR THE FATHERS, THE STEP FATHERS, THE GRANDFATHERS AND CARERS

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN

Kelso State School is participating in the Woolworths Earn and Learn. Simply collect 1 sticker for every \$10 spent at Woolworths and bring them into the office. The more stickers collected the more resources we can earn for our school. **Starts 26 July**, so get collecting!



SCHOOL OPINION SURVEY

The School Opinion Survey is undertaken each year by the department's State Schools Division to obtain the opinions of parents/caregivers, students and school staff about the important aspects of schooling. The survey is designed to help schools identify what they do well and what they can improve. Each family should of received a blue online access letter which will enable them to complete the survey.

Survey closes Friday 25 August.

Please get involved and have your say!

BOOK WEEK

19 – 26 Aug

To celebrate, every child who borrows from the Library next week will get a ticket in a free draw for one of two Library Readers packs.

For those looking for some fun activities try the CBCA website

<http://cbca.org.au/book-week-activities>

A cartoon illustration of a young boy with a green shirt and shorts, scratching his head with both hands, looking frustrated.

Head Lice scratching for answers

What treatment kills 100% of head lice or eggs?

There is no single treatment that kills 100% of head lice or eggs. Whichever treatment you choose it can take time and persistence to get rid of head lice. Use a method that will not risk the health of your child.

SAFETY TIPS FOR WALKING TO SCHOOL

There are many benefits of walking to school. It keeps your child healthy, improves their mood and reduces traffic and air pollution. Primary school children should walk with an adult until they feel confident and safe. Then they might like to find a friend they can walk with.

Teach your child:

- The safest route to school and what to be cautious of on their journey
- Always use pedestrian crossings or supervised crossings where possible
- Walk on the footpath on the side facing oncoming traffic
- Look for vehicles when crossing the street (Look right then left then right again)
- Not to play with toys or sports equipment (in case they roll onto the road)
- What to do in an emergency (it's a good idea to carry a mobile phone with emergence numbers on speed dial)

A poster for C&K Kindergarten Open Week. It features a photo of three young children in yellow shirts and hats, smiling and looking at something off-camera. The text 'ENROL NOW FOR 2018' is written in large, stylized letters across the photo. The C&K logo is in the top right corner.

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**C&K Kelso
Community Kindergarten
Open Week**

4th – 8th September - 9-11am daily

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