

Newsletter- 12/02/20



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Dates for Your Diary

Wednesday 5 February	Registration for audition for stage performance for KJS Fair
Friday 14 February	CPD
Friday 21 February	Bingo Night
Saturday 22 February	ESF Cross Country Festival
2 - 5 March	Y6 Local Camps - <u>postponed</u>
3 - 6 March	Y6 Overseas Camp - <u>cancelled</u> , now included in local camp
Wednesday 18 March	Y1 Immunisation - <u>new date</u> (if classes resume)
9 - 13 March	Book Week
25 & 26 March	School Musical: Dr Dolittle Jr - <u>postponed</u>
Wednesday 1 April	Y1 & 2 Sports Day and Student Led Conference (evening)
Thursday 2 April	Student Led Conference (all day)- <u>No classes</u>
Friday 3 April	Last day of term - <u>FULL Day Classes</u>
Monday 20 April	First day of Term 3

Dear Parents,

My video below covers all the main points, but to reiterate;

Chrome-books and ipads are still available, just go here to sign up.

We are still taking feedback about distance learning- 469 families have responded to date!

Teachers and EA's are doing an amazing job of responding to feedback from children and parents and planning meaningful learning experiences for children and connecting via Zoom or Google Meet.

Please remember that individual learning for your child can be very intense and tiring. It is not likely that they will be able to, nor should they, sit for 4-5 hours a day working. On a normal school day they move, collaborate, have hands on learning, have mindfulness breaks, undertake daily fitness, move around the school to specialists and have play and lunch breaks.

Please adjust what we provide to meet the needs of your child, together we can achieve success!

Take care, stay safe.

Kind regards

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Neill O'Reilly

Principal

PTA Update]

From last week's newsletter you have learned that our PTA Events, namely Bingo Night and the School Fair, will be postponed to Term 3 for now.

The school raffle draw will still take place on **Saturday 14 March 2020**. We run a government licensed raffle and the rules of conducting the raffle must apply. The date of the raffle draw will remain the same. As such, we will need all raffle stubs and unsold raffle tickets submitted back to school by Monday, 9 March 2020.



More details about the raffle draw will be released soon.

School lunch menus will go out prior to the reopening of schools.

We thank you for your help with the raffle during this challenging time and hope you and your families stay safe and well.

Kind regards,

Saloni Melwani

Chair, PTA

Student Success]

The celebration of student success will channel to our Facebook page. You can find the school's Facebook here. Please keep the photos and stories coming of our children shooting the AAROW's of Success!

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