

KEGWORTH POST

Courtesy, Care and Commitment

Acknowledgement of Country

We touch the ground to acknowledge the Cadigal and Wangal land, We touch our hearts to care for the Cadigal and Wangal land, We touch the sky that covers the Cadigal and Wangal land.

Kegworth Preschool

2023 TERM 3 – WEEKS 3 & 4					
Wednesday 2 August	8:30 – 10:30am	Education Week Open Morning			
Tuesday 8 August	2:30pm	Athletics Carnival Ribbon Presentation Ceremony			
Friday 11 August		Canteen Closed – no lunch orders			
Monday 14 August		Canteen Closed – no lunch orders			
Friday 1 September		FATHER'S AND CARER'S DAY BREAKFAST & STALL			
Friday 8 September		Canteen Closed – no lunch orders			
Monday 11 September		Canteen Closed – no lunch orders			
Wednesday 20		Colour Run			
September					

TERM DATES – 2023			
TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
Friday 27 January to	Monday 24 April to	Monday 17 July to	Monday 9 October to
Thursday 6 April	Friday 30 June	Friday 22 September	Tuesday 19 December
Staff Development Day - <u>Friday 27 & Monday 30</u> January – pupil free day	Staff Development Day - <u>Monday 24 April</u> – pupil free day Anzac Day – Public Holiday –	Staff Development Day - <u>Monday 17 July</u> – pupil free day Years P – 6 students start on	Staff Development Day - <u>Monday 18 &Tuesday 19</u> <u>December</u> – pupil free day
	Tuesday 25 April	Tuesday 18 July	Years P – 6 students start on
	Years P – 6 students start on Wednesday 26 April		Monday 9 October

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

EDUCATION WEEK: CELEBRATING 175 YEARS OF PUBLIC EDUCATION:

This coming <u>WEDNESDAY 2 AUGUST</u> will be our Education Week Open Morning. Starting at 8.30am we will have some performances in the assembly hall from:

- The Kookaburra Choir
- The School Choir
- The Recorder Group
- Strings Ensembles
- Our Bands

The children will then go to their classrooms at 9.15 and parents are welcome to join them through until 10.30am.

REPORTING & COMMUNICATION WITH PARENTS/CARERS:

At Kegworth, parents/carers receive a formal school report at the end of Semester 1 & at the end of Semester 2. We also have formal parent/teacher interviews at the end of Term 1. However, these are <u>DEFINITELY NOT</u> the only times parents/carers can interact with teachers. Outside of these times parents can contact their child's teacher via email, phone, class platforms like dojo or seesaw and can request face to face interviews about a specific issue or for a general update on their child's progress.

KEGWORTH ANTI-BULLYING PLAN:

As part of our PBL Framework and the DET Anti-Bullying Policy Kegworth follows an Anti-Bullying Plan. The plan aims to teach children about what bullying is and to provide them with strategies to manage and deal with it. The plan runs in fortnightly topics. Term 3 looks like this:

- WEEK 2: The Power of Positivity: Positivity can drown out bullying.
- WEEK 4: Follow your Heart not the Herd: Bystander to Upstander.
- WEEK 6: What is Bullying: Bullying has 3 key features.
- WEEK 8: What is NOT bullying?

SCHOOL CANTEEN:

Maria, our amazing canteen provider, has advised the school that term 3 will be her last at Kegworth. Maria has been a really important part of our Kegworth Community for years. Apart from providing our regular lunch ordering service she has filled many roles over the years from providing the sausage sizzle at athletics carnivals to quietly helping families out in times of need. She has been an absolute legend and we will miss her a lot. There are 4 dates this term where there will be <u>NO</u> canteen (see the calendar on page 1) I have added them to the parent calendar in AUDIRI as well. The P&C and I have started the challenging process of finding a new canteen provider for our children. Thanks Maria

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL RIBBON CEREMONY:

The Ribbon Ceremony for this year's athletics carnival will be on <u>TUESDAY 8 AUGUST (Week 4) at 2.30 pm</u> in the assembly hall for children in Y2-Y6. Parents are more than welcome to attend.

TRIVIA NIGHT FRIDAY 28 AUGUST

Our Music Committee are hosting the <u>"SCHOOL OF ROCK TRIVIA NIGHT</u> tonight in the school Assembly Hall at 7pm. Tickets are \$50 and are available on flexischools and at the door.

I'm heading off to Canberra for the weekend this afternoon (don't laugh), enjoy your weekend, see you next week.

Cheers

Phil



Dear Parents and Carers

Re: Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD)

Every year, all schools in Australia participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD). The NCCD process requires schools to identify information already available in the school about supports provided to students with disability. These relate to legislative requirements under the *Disability Discrimination Act 1992* and the Disability Standards for Education 2005, in line with the *NCCD guidelines* (2019).

Information provided about students to the Australian Government for the NCCD includes:

- year of schooling
- category of disability: physical, cognitive, sensory or social/emotional
- level of adjustment provided: support provided within quality differentiated teaching practice, supplementary, substantial or extensive.

This information assists schools to:

- formally recognise the supports and adjustments provided to students with disability in schools
- consider how they can strengthen the support of students with disability in schools
- develop shared practices so that they can review their learning programs in order to improve educational outcomes for students with disability.

The NCCD provides state and federal governments with the information they need to plan more broadly for the support of students with disability.

The NCCD will have no direct impact on your child and your child will not be involved in any testing process. The school will provide data to the Australian Government in such a way that no individual student will be able to be identified – the privacy and confidentiality of all students is ensured. All information is protected by privacy laws that regulate the collection, storage and disclosure of personal information. To find out more about these matters, please refer to the <u>Australian Government's Privacy Policy</u> (<u>https://www.education.gov.au/privacy-policy</u>).

Further information about the NCCD can be found on the <u>NCCD Portal</u> (<u>https://www.nccd.edu.au</u>). If you have any questions about the NCCD, please contact the school.

Kind regards

Phil Toovey

Principal (Rel.)

Happy Birthday!

The following students have celebrated a birthday during Julyl:

Kegworth birthday candles and best wishes are sent to:

- Preschool: Valentina KY: Freya & Zizi 1Y: Franklin & Mae 2W: Sebastian, Louise & Rochelle 3V: Oliver, Mary, Evie, Monette & Celeste 4W: Jemma 5-6R: Joseph
- KG: Edward & Gustav 1L: Lillian 2S: Hamish & Nina 3K: Elijah, Cleo & Antonella 4R: Sienna 5-6L: William 5-6S: Nakita

We hope you have all enjoyed a wonderful day!

Book Club 2023

All orders for Issue 2 must be entered by Friday 4 August 2023.

As our school has signed up for LOOP, which is an online ordering facility for parents, we do not accept cheque or cash orders. Therefore, you do not need to fill in or return the paper order forms. Please follow the link on the back of the order form.

Happy ordering,

Natasha Vogelmann

UNIFORM SHOP

Parents & carers who would like to purchase **new uniforms** are requested to order via the <u>flexischools.com.au</u> website.

Please send all enquiries to: kegworth-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

The Uniform Shop will be open for face-to-face purchases as well as online ordering on the following dates.

<u>Term 3 dates</u>: *** Friday 11 August** <u>Time</u>: 2:15pm – 3:30pm Thank you Helen Johnson Uniform Shop Coordinator * Friday 25 August

*Friday 8 September





ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DRIVE

Thank you to all who have supported us for our annual fundraising appeal. Together we raised \$3994 for the school which will help to support building projects and learning support!

COMMUNITY CALL OUT

JAR COLLECTION IS HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Please bring in jars to help us reuse and reduce our waste at future fundraisers. Ideally 1L, 120ml and 300ml jars are needed. Please ensure they are clean and unbranded/unlabelled. Collection tubs will be outside the office. Thanks!

UPCOMING EVENTS

TRIVIA NIGHT - FRIDAY JULY 28TH

Join us for the annual Kegworth Music Committee fundraiser – 7pm, \$50/pp - tickets available on the door.

FATHER'S AND CARER'S DAY BREAKFAST & STALL – FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 1st

Join us on Friday 1st September as we celebrate all of the Fathers and Carers in the Kegworth community with an appreciation breakfast. It's also your chance to shop for quality gifts.

COLOUR RUN – WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 20TH

Kegworth kids will literally run through rainbows of colour with Australia's most popular Colour Explosion School Fun!

HALLOWEEN DISCO - FRIDAY OCTOBER 27TH

Trick or Treat? Kids get to celebrate all things spooky at the Kegworth Halloween disco.

CHRISTMAS FAIR – SATURDAY DECEMBER 2nd

The 2nd annual Kegworth Christmas Markets returns – featuring high-quality market stalls, carnival games, music, Christmas craft activities, performances from students and delicious food. Make sure you mark it in your diary!

LEARNING & PLAY

SENIOR PLAYGROUND UPDATE

The school has been assigned a Project Manager from the Department of Assets and construction of the new playground is in planning for the last term of this year, aiming for completion by the end of the school year. Keep an eye out of a Press Gang report on the anticipated works.

SUSTAINABILITY

Bread bags collection has been extended until Friday 4th August! Please bring clean bread bags and place them into collection boxes in school. Many thanks for your efforts so far.

Also we encourage you to pack a waste free lunch and munch every day as we are trying to reduce waste as much as possible.

MONTANO BANNER & SPONSORSHIP

Big thanks to James Montano from Montano Real Estate for sponsoring the school through a \$5000 donation to the P&C. The Montano banner will be outside the school for the next year as a thank you for James's contribution. Thank you! Helen Johnson P&C President

Music Program

HERE'S HOW YOUR CHILD CAN JOIN KEGWORTH'S MUSIC PROGRAM

Children in Years 2 to 6 are invited to join JUNIOR BAND.



Band program instruments are clarinet, flute, oboe, saxophone, trombone, trumpet, baritone, French horn, bass guitar, drum/percussion and keyboard. Children in any year are invited to join **JUNIOR STRINGS**. String ensemble instruments are violin, viola, cello, and double bass. String students first complete one term (10 x weeks) of private lessons on



their chosen instrument, after which they may join the String Ensemble.

More information...

For information about instruments, rehearsals, tutors and costs of the program view the Music Handbooks, available from the school office or on the P&C website:

www.kegworthpublicschool.com/subcommittees/music-committee/kegworth-music-program

SIGN UP FOR THIS YEAR'S MUSIC PROGRAM...

A Skoolbag e-form, **2023** <u>MUSIC PROGRAM - EXPRESSION OF INTEREST</u> is available for interested parents/carers and carers to submit.

2023 MUSIC TIMETABLE

 Arrival time for all Band & String Ensemble morning rehearsals is <u>7:50am, in preparation for</u> <u>8:00am start.</u>

JUNIOR BAND	Wednesday mornings	8:00 – 9:00am	Assembly Hall
SENIOR BAND	Friday mornings	8:00 – 9:00am	Assembly Hall
STRING TRIAL TUITION – Year 1	Wednesday lunch x 2 gps NB: starting in Term 2 - TBA	11:50 – 12:50pm	Music Hall
JUNIOR STRINGS	Thursday mornings	8:00 – 9:00am	Music Hall
SENIOR STRINGS	Monday mornings	8:00 – 9:00am	Music Hall
RECORDER GROUP – Years 3 - 6	Thursday lunchtime	12:05 – 12:45pm	Music Hall
UKULELE GROUP	Year 3	12:05 – 12:45pm	Music Hall
PRIMARY CHOIR – Years 3 - 6	Friday lunchtime	12:05 – 12:45pm	Music Hall
KOOKABURRA CHOIR – Years	Tuesday lunchtime	12:05 – 12:45pm	Rainbow Room
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MUSIC COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Music Committee Meetings will be held online for the following dates (unless advised otherwise). All meetings begin at 6:30pm to 8:00pm via Zoom – all parents & carers are welcome!

https://nsweducation.zoom.us/j/66777963656?pwd=NjQyUng2SkNhb0xQdDJBT2dBZDFUdz09

Meeting ID: 667 7796 3656 / Passcode: 502338

Music Committee Meeting Dates:

Please note - additional meetings may be required, particularly if close to an event – the committee will advise.

Term 1 Meetings:	Term 2 Meetings:	Term 3 Meetings:	Term 4 Meetings:
Monday 3 April	Monday 1 May	Monday 7 August	Monday 9 October
	Monday 5 June	Monday 4 September	Monday 6 November
			Monday 4 December



Sydney Secondary College Balmain, Leichhardt, Blackwattle Bay

SYDNEY SECONDARY COLLEGE INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC PROGRAM (IMP)

It is with great excitement to announce that Sydney Secondary College is once again hosting the Primarily Fun Band and String Orchestra workshops

for Year 5 and 6 music students in 2023. This free initiative is a great opportunity for young musicians to be mentored by our Year 7 and 8 students in a fun environment where they will learn new repertoire and make new friends.



Sydney Secondary College is proud to be adding a new event to the calendar - **The IMP 2023 Showcase**which will be held at The Sydney Conservatorium of Music's Verbrugghen Hall

SAVE THE DATES

Rehearsal: **String Orchestra Workshop** hosted at Leichhardt Campus on Tuesday 5 September (9am-2:30 pm) Rehearsal: **Band Workshop** hosted at Leichhardt Campus on Friday 8 September (9am-2:30 pm) Showcase: **Primarily Fun & IMP Ensembles** - The Sydney Conservatorium of Music's Verbrugghen Hall on Saturday 9 September (11am-2pm)

https://www.sydneysecondarycollege.com.au/ssc-imp

sscimp@det.nsw.edu.au



GreenWay links construction to begin in August ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT LOCATION AND ACCESS

A general construction notice for the GreenWay links has been provided to residents. This note includes additional information about location of the work and construction access areas.

Where will the work be undertaken?

The work will be undertaken mostly inside the light rail corridor, near the areas below:

- Constitution Road area to Dulwich Grove light rail station, from August 2023
- Lewisham West light rail area, from August 2023
- Cadigal Reserve, from September 2023
- Davis Street area, from January 2024
- Hercules Street Parkland, from January 2024
- Johnson Park upgrades, from July 2024

A map of works can be found on council's website: innerwest.nsw.gov.au/greenway

Construction sites will be accessed via the following areas, which have been carefully selected to minimise disruption.

- Marion Street ramp into Hawthorne Canal, Leichhardt
- Haig Avenue, Lewisham (minimal usage)
- Cadigal Reserve car park, Grosvenor Crescent, Summer Hill
- Smith Street, Summer Hill
- End of Mungo Scott Place, Flour Mills area, Lewisham
- Hudson Street, Lewisham (minimal usage)
- Davis Street, Dulwich Hill
- Johnson Park, council vehicle access gate on Constitution Road, Dulwich Hill
- Constitution Road, Dulwich Hill
- Hercules Street, existing light rail gate, Dulwich Hill

Keep up to date and make enquiries

Keep up to date with future project developments on the GreenWay webpage innerwest.nsw.gov.au/greenway.

Inner West Council innerwest.nsw.gov.au 02 9392 5000

council@innerwest.nsw.gov.au PO Box 14, Petersham NSW 2049



FIND AND FOLLOW US ON

Did you know that Kegworth has official Twitter and Instagram accounts operating?

Become a follower and keep up to date with the variety of posts about student learning, displays and events that are taking place at our school on a regular basis.

We hope that this will provide our community with an insight into the teaching, learning and extracurricular activities that make Kegworth the fantastic learning environment that it is!



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