

13th June 2019

Next Weeks Events

- Monday**– Hot Choc Monday
- Tuesday**—
- Wednesday**—
- Thursday**—JSC PJ Day
- Friday**— 5/6 Sport vs Kinglake PS

DATES TO REMEMBER

- June 2019**
 20th– PJ Day
 22/23– Library Ramp Building Weekend
 24-26th—Gr 3/4 Camp Weekaway
 27th– Student Led Conferences—No Classes this day.
 28th– Last day of Term 2

- July 2019**
 15th– First day of Term 3

- Grade 5/6 Winter Sport**
 June 14-Middle Kinglake Primary vs UPPS
 (Bye - Football and Netball A)
 June 21st– Catch Up Round with Kinglake PS (No Football)
 TBD Finals (Top 2 teams in each sport)

Library Ramp Building

Our library project is nearing completion. We have one more job outstanding – building a ramp at the entrance. After much consideration and with consultation from the Dept, we have decided to construct this ourselves as a 'parent project'. This will save us a great deal of money. So we would like to extend a request for help with this.

We are asking for any parents with building expertise, who are free over the weekend of **June 22, 23** – and would be willing to help, even for just a few hours, to contact the office to register their interest.

We do not run working bees at school so this is a great way that you can contribute to our school community if you would like to do so.



STICKER COLLECTING HAS STARTED

We have spare sticker sheets at the office if you need them and boxes for stickers to be dropped off. Thanks!

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What's New in this Issue

- ◆Library Ramp Building– Help Needed
- ◆JSC PJ Day
- ◆Sentral Parent Portal
- ◆Awards
- ◆Principal's Report
- ◆Hot Choc Monday

- ◆Wow Word
- ◆Silver Coin Fundraiser

Junior School Council

The Junior School Council has organised a PJ day on Thursday the 20th of June. You can wear your pyjamas and dressing gowns to snuggle up in the cold weather. Teddies are also welcome!

Wear your normal shoes though, as slippers won't do well in the muddy puddles outside. However, if you want to bring a pair of slippers for inside only, you can. Please bring a gold coin donation for the homeless to help them keep warm this winter.

Sentral Parent Portal

Over the next 2 terms we will be transitioning to using the Sentral Parent Portal to communicate with our families. The portal and its associated mobile app will be able to be used to record absences, communicate with staff, access school reports and receive news from the school.

Eventually this will replace the need for the Skoolbag app.

We will roll out more features over the last 2 terms of the year and gauge parent feedback.

In the next 2 weeks you will receive a letter on how to access the portal and the app, with an instruction sheet.

For those needing assistance with getting the system up and running Mel will be available on Thursday 27th June (Parent/Teacher Conference day) from 2-3pm in the Central Learning Space.

We will have another session on the first Wednesday of Term 3 between 9-10am.

This will be a learning curve for all of us, so we are going to use the final 2 terms of the year to iron out any issues and make sure everyone is comfortable using the system before we make any changes to our current methods.



Weekly Awards

Student of the Week Awards will be presented to:

Spike McIntosh for using punctuation when reading aloud. You show great expression Spike!

Ben Healey for working hard on your learning goals and always showing respect to students and teachers.

Annabelle Moffatt for using a range of reading strategies to support her to read. Well done, Annabelle.

Chelsea Miskas for using interesting adjectives in her narrative. Excellent work Chelsea!

Lily Stokes for always being so helpful around the classroom and offering to help others. Thanks Lily!

Charlie Grutteria for using his growth mindset this week when editing his writing piece.

Beau Fowler for being a responsible and dedicated learner. Well done on completing the final reading level and writing a narrative full of accurate punctuation and descriptive language.

Ruby Shinn-Mahony for her hard work all semester to tackle tasks with a positive attitude and be a wonderful role model in our class. Well done Ruby

Mason Reddish for showing great responsibility by looking after others in our classroom this week. Well done!

Values Awards will be presented to:

Samuel Gauci for showing respect by working independently and allowing other people to concentrate on their work

James Kelly for having a great work ethic in class, leading by example with your focus and always being willing to assist others.

Zaylia Georges for letting others concentrate during learning time. Great way to show respect and responsibility, Zaylia.

Thomas Gauci for always being kind and respectful to his classmates. Thanks Thomas!

Jacob Gibbs for being respectful in towards his peers and teachers during class time. Well done Jacob!

Calleigh Mouser for always showing respect and letting others around her concentrate throughout the day.

Isabelle Daniel for showing respect to her peers and teachers by always being focussed on her school work, therefore not distracting others. Thank you!

Nathaniel Hansa for always showing our school values in the classroom by letting other's concentrate on their learning tasks. Well done Nathaniel

Madison De Paoli for being super respectful to your classmates by letting others concentrate on their learning. Well done!

Special Principal's Awards will be presented to:

Ben Kolotelo for showing care and kindness towards others and maintaining respectful relationships with everyone in our school community. Thank you Ben!

Eva Falahay for showing pride and responsibility in our school by keeping it clean. Well done Eva!

Alex Kolotelo for showing pride and responsibility in our school by keeping it clean. Well done Alex!

Annabelle Moffatt for showing pride and responsibility in our school by keeping it clean. Well done Annabelle!

Rosie Coburn-Senna for showing pride and responsibility in our school by keeping it clean. Well done Rosie!

Benji De Clemente for showing pride and responsibility in our school by keeping it clean. Well done Benji!

Principal's Report

Hi Everyone,

Congratulations to Tyler Dennehy and Kayla Tanner who performed extremely well in their dance competitions last weekend.

This week for interschool sport we travel up the mountain again to take on Middle Kinglake Primary. We will be competing in netball and t-ball. Matches commence at 12.00 noon and parents and friends are welcome to join us.

As mentioned last week - our library project is nearing completion. We have one more job outstanding – building a ramp at the entrance. We have decided to construct this ourselves as a 'parent project' to save money. We are asking for any parents with building expertise, who are free over the weekend of June 22, 23 – and willing to help, even for just a few hours, to contact the office to register their interest. We do not run working bees at school so this is a great way that you can contribute to our school community if you would like to do so.

First Aid training was held at school yesterday with some staff completing their level 2 certificate while all others updated their CPR. Thank you to all staff for their efforts and commitment.

Have a great week –be kind to one another!

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Back by Popular Demand

\$1 Hot Choc Monday

Starting next week, Hot Chocolate will be sold for \$1 in the Central Learning Space from 8.40am until the music starts at 8.55am.

Students need to bring a clean, unbreakable mug for their Hot Chocolate.

Massive thank you to Kreston for running this again this year.

If you can help out on a Monday morning, please pop by the staffroom and see Kreston.





Word of the week

Week	Word	Meaning	Student
1	Panorama	An extensive view over a wide idea of land	Jemma F 5/6B
2	Primary colour	A group of colours from which all other colours can be obtained by mixing eg: red, blue, yellow	Ella Jordan 5/6D
3	Lexicography	The activity or occupation of compiling dictionaries	Jo and Chase 4/5 H
4	Circumference	The perimeter around a circle	Molly S 4/5 H
5	Extraordinary	Better than normal	Elise and Haylee 1/2 V
6	Posthumous	Happening or awarded after a person's death	Bailey and Jarvis 5/6 B
7	Claustrophobic	A person with an extreme fear of confined spaces	Lily McGuane 3/4 S

School Banking

School Bank books for both Commonwealth and Bendigo are due on **Wednesday**.

Any books handed in late Wednesday or later in the week will be held over til the next week.

Anyone wanting to open an account pop by the office and we will head you in the right direction



Thank you to Simon Yu Pharmacy in Wallan for donating to our Mother's Day High Tea

Simon Yu Pharmacies

Wallan pharmacy

1/65 High Street, Wallan VIC 3756

Tel: 03 5783 1403

Fax: 03 5783 3189

Monday - Friday: 9.00am - 7.00pm

Saturday: 9.00am - 1.00pm

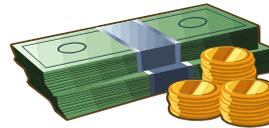
Sunday: 10.00am - 2.00pm



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Term 1	31st Jan	5 April
Term 2	23 April	28 June
Term 3	15 July	20 September
Term 4	7 October	20 December



Internet Banking

Just a reminder that any fees and excursion payments can be made via Internet Banking

Account Name: Upper Plenty Primary School

BSB: 633 000

Account Number: 1544 88 100

In the **reference** section please put in your name as this is how we know who the payment belongs to.

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Silver coin fundraiser!

Running 3rd June
until 21st June

We want any change that you can spare!

5c, 10c, 20c and 50c (or GOLD!!!)
You will be surprised how quickly the cents add up!

The class that collects the most money will be the winners!

Up for grabs is a special treat for the entire class and bragging rights!!
Start searching under the couch, the bottom of draws and the car floor for spare change!

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Get collecting!