



Be Strong: Work As A Team

# KINGSLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## TERM 1 NEWSLETTER

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March

### Upcoming Event Reminders

#### Tuesday 31 March

Year 6 Day Camp  
*Bickley Outdoor Rec Camp*

#### Thursday 2 April

PBS Easter Hunt  
Easter Hat Parade



#### Friday 3 April

Public Holiday  
*Good Friday*

### Term 2

#### Monday 20 April

First Day Back  
Term 2

#### Tuesday 21 April

Edu Dance Begins  
*Weekly on Tuesdays*



#### Monday 27 April

ANZAC Day  
*Public Holiday*

### SCHOOL HOURS

8:45 - 10:45

RECESS

11:05 - 1:05

LUNCH

1:35 - 2:45

### *Kaya and Wanjoo,*

As we reach the end of another busy and rewarding school term, I would like to take a moment to reflect on all that our students have achieved and celebrate the many highlights from the past weeks.

The Suara Dance Company performed for our year 3-6 students as they learnt more about Indonesia through storytelling and dance.

Our year 6 leaders attended a Youth Leadership Conference, and we had our fabulous Kingsley welcome breakfast at Creyk Park. NAPLAN testing (yr. 3 & 5) and On-Entry testing (Pre-primary) were conducted, and this valuable information assists the school to track and improve student outcomes.

Last Friday we had our Harmony Day celebrations with staff and students wearing orange or their traditional clothing/cultural dress.

Next Thursday we have our Easter Hat parade. On the last day of school, as a thank you to our wonderful students who have "good standing", by following our positive behaviour expectations, we are having a clue-based hunt around the school, which will be loads of fun.

Our year 6 students will attend their first Bickley Outdoor Recreation Camp on 31 March and enjoy fabulous team building activities.

We are proud at Kingsley to be able to offer our students various learning opportunities both in and outside the classroom.

It is a pleasure and a privilege to be your school principal. I am incredibly proud of our students and extend my heartfelt thanks to our dedicated staff and supportive families. Education is a partnership, and the strength of our community lies in the way we work together to ensure every child feels valued, supported, and encouraged to reach their potential.

As we head into the break, we encourage students to take time to rest, recharge, and enjoy time with family and friends. Reading regularly and staying curious about the world around them will help keep their minds active for the term ahead.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday 20 April, refreshed and ready for more learning.

Thank you for your ongoing support of KPS

***Caroline Churchill***  
*Principal*

# AROUND OUR SCHOOL

## KINDY

Our Kindergarten students recently engaged in a rich and meaningful learning experience inspired by *The Listening Walk* by Paul Showers. Following our shared reading, students created their own "listening ears" to deepen their understanding of the importance of attentive listening. Students then participated in a class listening walk around the school grounds, where they immersed themselves in a range of environmental sounds. Upon returning to the classroom, students collaborated to brainstorm the sounds they heard and identify their sources, strengthening their oral language and observational skills. To consolidate their learning, students completed a portfolio task highlighting the environmental sounds they identified. This engaging experience supports early phonological awareness by encouraging students to tune into the sounds around them, laying strong foundations for future literacy development.

Mrs Strother  
Early Childhood Teacher



## SOCCER

The Girls Soccer Carnival is back for 2026, with our Kingsley teams once again competing in the Eastern Region competition, run by School Sport WA. After a strong showing last year, there has already been plenty of excitement and interest from students eager to get involved again. The carnival will take place in Term 2, Week 4 at Hossack Reserve. Trainings are currently underway and will continue on Wednesdays after school as players build their skills, teamwork, and confidence. We are looking forward to another fantastic day of effort, sportsmanship, and school pride.

Mr Nicholas  
Classroom Teacher



# NOTES & INFORMATION

## Lost Property



We are currently experiencing a high number of items being handed in to Lost Property. To help us return items quickly and efficiently, all student belongings must be clearly labelled with your child's name. This includes hats, jumpers, jackets, lunch boxes, drink bottles, and bags. Families are also reminded to regularly check the Lost Property box, which is located outside the Administration Building, next to the office door near the lower undercover area.

## School Council

Dear School Community,

We're looking for people to join the School Council. It's just one short meeting per term (around an hour), with no extra work outside of meetings. It's a simple way to make a positive contribution to the school community. To nominate or find out more, please email me on [shephs02@gmail.com](mailto:shephs02@gmail.com), give me a call on 0438486727 or talk to me in person, I will usually be picking my kids up over at room 7 and 8.

Kind regards,  
Sam Shepherd

## Compass

Compass is our school's primary communication platform and an important way for families to stay informed and connected with school life.

We strongly encourage all parents and carers to join Compass and check it regularly. Through Compass, you can:

- Receive important school notices and newsletters
- Stay up to date with events, excursions and reminders
- Submit attendance notes and update contact details
- Receive timely alerts and notifications from the school

Being engaged with Compass helps ensure you don't miss important information and allows us to communicate with families quickly and efficiently.

If you have not yet activated your Compass account or need assistance accessing the app or website, please contact the school office and we will be happy to help.

# CONGRATULATIONS

Term 1 Week 8 Kingsley Way Award Winners

Dana

Harlee

Janaki

Royden



Kavini

Zain

Tarini

Aarav

Zoe

# CONGRATULATIONS

Term 1 Week 5 & 8 Merit Award Winners

Kaylina

Zakiya

Naomi

Rory

Princeton

Elise

Chloe

Brielen

Ceejay

Everly

Royden

Salaar

Indie

Thomas

Jamie

Jayden

Eddie

Elsje

Hayley

Jasmine

Patrick

Kazen

Raven

Jessica

Evaria

Miley

# term 1

MONTH	WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
FEB	1	2	3	4	5	6
FEB	2	9	10	11	12	13
FEB	3	16	17	18	19	20
MAR	4	23	24	25	26	27
MAR	5	2	3	4	5	6
MAR	6	9	10	11	12	13
MAR	7	16	17	18	19	20
MAR	8	23	24	25	26	27
APR	9	30	31	1	2	3

PAT Testing Begins

Faction Captain Elections

Assembly (councillors)

SDD Newsletter

LABOR DAY

Suara Dance

Youth Leadership Conference

Welcome Breakfast Assembly (room 1)

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Harmony Day  
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School Council Mtg

Assembly (room 7)  
Newsletter

Year 6 Day Camp

PBS Easter Hunt  
Easter Hat Parade

GOOD FRIDAY

# term 2

MONTH	WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
APR	1	20	21 Edu-Dance	22	23	24
APR	2	27 ANZAC DAY PH	28 Edu-Dance	29	30	1
MAY	3	4	5 Edu-Dance	6	7	8 Assembly (room 9)
MAY	4	11	12 Edu-Dance	13	14	15 Girls Soccer Carnival
MAY	5	18	19 Edu-Dance	20	21	22 Assembly (room 12)
MAY	6	25 School Photos	26 Edu-Dance	27	28 Cross Country	29 School Photos Group 2 & LDC
JUN	7	1 WA DAY	2 BDD	3	4	5
JUN	8	8	9 Edu-Dance	10	11	12 Interschool Cross Country
JUN	9	15	16 Edu-Dance	17	18	19 Assembly (room 11)
JUN	10	22	23 Edu-Dance	24	25	26
JUN	11	29	30	1	2	3

Registration due date: 24 April 2026



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# SOCCER ACADEMY

The Lynwood Senior High School Soccer Program is an approved sports specialist program through the Department of Education.

 **Apply Now**



Applications via QR code  
Limited spots available

MORE INFORMATION  
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# ENVIRONMENT & LIFE SCIENCES PROGRAM

## ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

The Environment and Life Sciences Program at Lynwood Senior High School is an academic enrichment program that provides students with access to an accelerated curriculum in key learning areas.

Students in EaLS also participate in cross-curricular projects in school, incursions, community partnerships and excursions. The additional educational opportunities offered in EaLS focus on sustainability, environmental education, STEM skills and increasing the overall academic performance of students.



**REGISTER NOW**



Apply via QR code

**CLOSING DATE FOR SPECIALIST PROGRAMS YEAR 7, 2027 APPLICATIONS**

Friday 24 April 2026



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