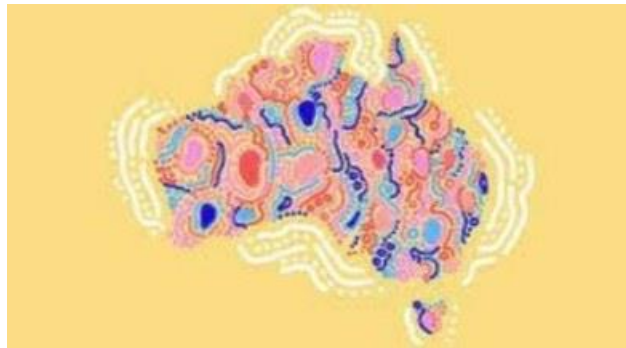




## Koroit and District Primary School 23rd May 2025



Here is the land.

Here is the sky.

Here are my friends and here am I

We thank the Peek Whurrong people for the land on which we learn and play.

Hands up, hands down – we're on Peek Whurrong ground.



## Principal Report

This week marks **Education Week**, a time to recognize the importance of public education. At Koroit and District Primary School, we take pride in celebrating this commitment every day. We believe in creating a learning environment where every child is empowered to thrive, grow, and achieve their full potential.

During Education Week children have participated in Kinder Visits to Honey Pot on Monday and Wednesday, small group with Dave in the Connect shed, Simultaneous Story time, Judo, Personal Development, Football clinic and Bio Cats

If you have any questions or would like more information about the educational programs offered at KDPS, please don't hesitate to reach out—stop by the office, give us a call, or send us a message. Your feedback is highly valued and plays a vital role in helping us grow, improve, and refine our practices.

## Enrolment for 2026

Are you or someone you know considering a 2026 Prep enrolment? We warmly invite you to join one of our school tours during Term 2. Tours are available at flexible times on various days to suit your schedule and provide an opportunity to experience our vibrant learning community firsthand.

To support our planning for next year, we encourage all 2026 enrolments to submit their application forms to the school office as soon as possible. Weekly tours will continue throughout the term, and bookings can be easily made by contacting our office team.

Enrolment forms are available at the school office and can be returned at your earliest convenience. We look forward to welcoming new families into our school community!

## Personal Development -Grade 3-6

Our Grade 4–6 students participated in engaging Personal Development lessons today. These sessions provided a safe, inclusive environment where every child was encouraged to ask questions, explore their curiosities, and seek meaningful answers with confidence and support.

## Road Safety

We have had a number of near misses when children are leaving the school grounds at the end of the day.

There isn't a specific age in Australia for children to walk to school independently. Factors like the child's maturity, road safety skills, and the neighborhood's safety are considered. However, road safety experts generally suggest that children should be around 10 years old before they can walk to school alone, as they are more likely to be distracted and have difficulty judging speed and distance.

Please continue to remind children of the importance of being safe when walking or riding to school.

## Dogs on the School Site

Whilst KDPS understands that many families in our school community keep dogs as pets, to ensure that our school remains a safe and inclusive place for everyone, we have in place a number of rules that we expect all families to follow if they wish to bring their pet dog onto school grounds:

- pet dogs must be leashed at all times and in the control of a responsible adult
- pet dogs must not be tied up on school grounds or left unaccompanied
- families that bring dogs to school that exhibit signs of aggressive behaviour, bark, or jump may be asked to leave

For the safety and comfort of all students, we kindly ask that all dogs remain at the front of the school. Please avoid walking dogs around the school grounds, as we cannot predict every child's response to animals. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

## School Uniforms

If your child is missing any items of clothing, please feel free to check the lost property, located in the junior building.

As colder weather approaches, please consider packing extra layers of clothing in your child's bag to help keep them warm and comfortable throughout the day.

We are currently seeking donations of jumpers or tracksuit pants (sizes 8–12) that are no longer needed, to support students in Grades 3–6. If you're able to help, please drop them off with Amie, Steph, or Tanya at the office.

## Noodle Week

In the first week of June, our School Leaders are organizing a special lunch event called Noodle Days! Students who wish to participate can bring a labelled cup of noodles, which will be heated at school.

Dates include:

Monday 2nd June- Grade 5/6

Tuesday 3rd June- Grade F/1

Wednesday 4th June- Grade 2/3

Thursday 5th June- Grade 3/4

## F-3 Swimming

[Register as a Swimming Volunteer Here!](#)

F-3 Swimming is approaching - Please make sure to approve the Xuno event, return the swimming capability form & complete payment.

## KDPS Uniform

The next Uniform order will be sent off on **Friday the 30th of May**.

1. Order using SSB - please email your order to: [koroit.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:koroit.ps@education.vic.gov.au)
2. If you have used your SSB - please order via [My School Connect - Uniform Orders](#)

We also have Beanies heading into the colder months.

Please note that the following items may be out of stock until the **END of June**:

**Polo Tops** - size 8, 10, 12 & 14

**1/2 Zip Polar Fleece Jumpers** - size 10 & 14.

## Essential Need to Know

- Please name all items of clothing
- **Lunch orders** can be ordered through [My School Lunch Online](#) on Wednesday and Friday's (Menu below)
- Sugar Free Zooper Doopers are our Birthday treat of choice for School Celebrations!
- **Student Medical Information:** It is vitally important for any medical changes/ updates for your child/ren to be passed onto KDPS as soon as possible for us to allow for any adjustments.
- **Uniform Ordering** via [My School Connect](#) unless you are using the School Savings Bonus then email the office
- **Uniform Delays** - The following items will not be in stock until **END of June** - **Polo Tops** - size 10 & 12, **1/2 zip polar fleece jumpers** - size 14.
- **State School Relief Resources - State Schools' Relief** - For more information - please contact the office. 55658 332 or [koroit.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:koroit.ps@education.vic.gov.au)
- **CSEF** - [Camps, Sports, Excursion Fund Website](#) **Applications DUE by 4th July.**
- **Lost Property** - is located in the F-2 building. If it is not labelled. Please take.

- Daily Supervision starts from 8.40am -3.40 pm

		<b>TERM 1 MENU 2024</b>			
		<b>Wednesday &amp; Friday Lunch Orders</b>		<i>I learn • We belong • Together we achieve</i>	
<b>Cold</b>				<b>Snacks</b>	
Fresh cut fruit salad	6.00	Carrot sticks	1.50		
Caesar salad/Greek salad #	7.50	Homemade biscuits	1.50		
Salad wrap with chicken or ham	5.50	Jelly and fruit cups	2.00		
Salad roll	6.50	Fruit yoghurt and muesli cups	5.50		
Salad roll with ham or chicken	7.50	Hedgehog slice	3.50		
Jam sandwich #	3.50	Lemon and coconut slice	3.50		
Cheese and vegemite sandwich #	3.50	Chocolate Muffin	3.50		
Egg and lettuce sandwich #	4.50	Berry Muffin	3.50		
Ham and cheese sandwich #	4.50				
Salad sandwich with egg #	6.00	<b>Drinks</b>			
Salad sandwich with ham or chicken #	6.50	Fresha water	3.00		
		Fresha 100% Orange juice 250ml	3.50		
<b>Hot</b>		Fresha 100% Apple and blackcurrant 250ml	3.50		
Pasta Bolognaise(GF) Friday only	6.00	Focus sports water 350ml	3.00		
Chilli Con Carne w Rice and Corn Chips (GF) Wednesday Only	6.00	Blackcurrant or Raspberry			
Homemade sausage roll	5.00	Nipples flavoured milk 250ml	3.00		
Gluten Free sausage roll	5.50	Chocolate or Strawberry			
Party pie	1.80				
Pie	6.50	<b>Ice poles</b>			
Sauce	0.20	Dixie Cup	2.00		
Beef lasagne	6.00				
Gluten Free beef lasagne	6.50	Any Questions or ideas please send me an email			
Ham and Cheese Toasty #	4.50	<a href="mailto:info@mcmahonfamilycatering.com">info@mcmahonfamilycatering.com</a>			
Hotdog with sauce	5.00	Please ensure your child's teacher and classroom has been updated, Thanks			
Beef and Cheese Burger	8.00	# can be made Gluten Free if ordered			
Vegie burger	8.00				
(lettuce, tomato, vegie Pattie, tomato relish and mayonnaise)					
Ham, Cheese and Pineapple Panini(toasted)	8.00				
Chicken, Cheese and Honey Mustard Panini	8.00				

Lunch orders need to be placed on [www.schoollunchonline.com.au](http://www.schoollunchonline.com.au) before 9.00am on the day of order. To make things easy you can order a whole term ahead. Please ensure that your child's room number is correct.



#### HOW PARENTS ORDER FROM BOOK CLUB

The parent ordering platform is called LOOP. Our website has many resources for parents to set up and order through LOOP.

Parents wishing to order products through Book Club can follow the following step-by-step instructions:

1. Log in, or create a new account at [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](http://scholastic.com.au/LOOP)
2. New parents can follow the Wizard to set up a child's profile
3. Click the ORDER tab, and select the child's school and Issue of Book Club
4. Select your child's name
5. Enter the product item number from the Book Club catalogue
6. Apply promotional codes that children may have earned from previous Issues
7. Make a payment via credit card
8. Feel great about the Scholastic Rewards that have been earned for the school



## School Photo Ordering

For those that have not ordered school photos - Your individual codes have been sent home with your child in the form of a bookmark. For Family orders- please reach out to the office for your family code.

55658332 or [koroit.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:koroit.ps@education.vic.gov.au)

Catch up Photos are on the 13th of June.



The advertisement features the 'LEADING IMAGE School Photos' logo at the top left. A large blue circle on the right contains a photo of two smiling boys. Overlaid on this circle is a smaller blue circle with the text 'It's not too late to order! Now is your Second Chance!'. Below the main image, the text 'Don't lose your precious memories!' is followed by a paragraph explaining the 'Second Chance' process. A list of five bullet points details the ordering process. To the right of the list is a graphic showing various photo products and a blue circle with the text 'Seamless online ordering and payment options!'. At the bottom, contact information and social media icons are provided.

**LEADING IMAGE** School Photos

It's not too late to order!  
**Now is your Second Chance!**

**Don't lose your precious memories!**

Second Chance is the unique post delivery process for parents who missed the first chance to order school photos. With new packages options and reduced prices, our photos are **more affordable than ever before.**

**Second Chance ordering is easy:**

- Your child receives a bookmark with photo sample and a unique access key
- Visit our website and click 'Order School Photos'
- Enter your unique access key
- Select from our huge range of standard and customisable packages
- Finalise your order with one of our payment options
- Your school photos will be posted directly to your home!

Seamless online ordering and payment options!

1800 750 586 | [leadingimage.com.au](http://leadingimage.com.au) |     

## PCF

The next PCF event is coming up! The KDPS Disco!!!

Please follow the below link to purchase your tickets!

[KDPS Disco Night Tickets Link](#)



# DISCO NIGHT



**FRIDAY JUNE 27, 2025**

6PM-7:30PM  
\$5 FOR ONE CHILD | \$10 PER FAMILY  
TICKETS VIA QR CODE



**FREE LOLLY BAG - BYO DRINK BOTTLE - ACTIVE SPORTZ WARRNAMBOOL**






MAY 2025

## WHAT'S ON NEXT WEEK

MON 26TH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sorry Day</li><li>• Grade 5 Kinder Visit (selected students)</li></ul>
TUE 27TH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reconciliation Week 27/05 to 03/06</li><li>• AFL Incursion – Grades 3/4, 4 &amp; 5/6</li></ul>
WED 28TH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Judo Incursion – Grade F/1 &amp; 2/3</li><li>• Grade 5 Kinder Visit (selected students)</li></ul>
THU 29TH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Leaders Congress Students to Gillin Park</li><li>• School Nurse visiting Foundation Students (selected students)</li></ul>
FRI 30TH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Awards Assembly – 3pm start</li></ul>

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PRIMARY SCHOOL  
A COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE IN LEARNING AND TEACHING

## Celebrations



Our photo celebrations include: AFL incursion, JUDO incursion, Simultaneous story time, Bio Cats and Connect!





















## Community News



*1 - We have a lonely Scooter & helmet in the office- possibly left from the Irish Festival parade - please reach out if this is yours.*



**VICTORIA'S CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME**

# **DONATE YOUR DRINK CONTAINERS TO Koroit & District Primary School**

**EVERY CONTAINER YOU RECYCLE  
CAN EARN 10c FOR OUR CAUSE**

**Do something good today by recycling your  
drink containers in the dedicated bins**

**Koroit & District Primary School**

Check for the 10c mark



*2 - From term 2 Bins will be available onsite to deposit your eligible containers into. This will be managed by the Connect team.  
Bring in your suitable containers - Monday, Wednesday or Friday.*



# WARRNAMBOOL & SURROUNDS

## ALL GIRLS 5 WEEK PROGRAMS

Geelong Cats AFLW Player Visits attending as part of the AFLW Community Camp



REGISTER  
NOW



**4 - 7 YEAR OLDS**

Warrnambool ALL Girls Auskick

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Starting 11<sup>th</sup> June - Wednesday -  
Jones Oval (10 Ward St)

**COST \$20 - USE DISCOUNT CODE: 41146D2C**

## Register & WIN

Signed Geelong Cats Jumper

1 of 4 opportunities in a Guard of Honour at Geelong Cats Home Game



REGISTER  
NOW



**7 - 12 YEAR OLDS**

Level up your skills with modified match play in weekly sessions. NAB AFL Superkick is tackle-free and great for Auskick grads and newbies.

Warrnambool & Surrounds ALL Girls SUPERKICK

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Starting 11<sup>th</sup> June - Wednesday -  
Jones Oval (10 Ward St)

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**PLAY.AFL**