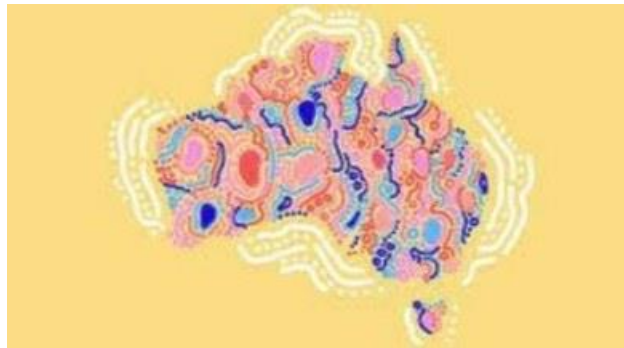




Koroit and District Primary School - 28th August 2026



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

What a spectacular show! Too many words to describe it.

To our KDPS children. You were brilliant. But as mentioned last night shows like this do not happen with significant support from all teachers. We are incredibly lucky, in this current climate of education, to have teachers that know that these events matter. Time away from their own families always comes at a cost and I thank KDPS staff for prioritising the students.

Mrs Rivett, Mrs Vesey and Mrs Purcell there are no words for the amount of effort that was put into last night's show. The incredible number of hours that Mrs Rivett has put into filming, documenting, choreographing and waiting for phone calls back has been significant. Thank you to Briarley for all the work done in this space. The concert is a credit to you!

Thanks to the many families that joined us last night. We value your support.

Well done KDPS it was a fabulous highlight for 2026. Here are some wonderful photos from our concert rehearsal on Thursday. If you would like to purchase a USB with the full concert they are just \$20.00 via the Xuno event or complete the order form in the office and we will advise you when they are ready for collection.















Grade structures for 2027

In the next few weeks, we will be working on our grades for 2027. If you have a wellbeing concern for your child, regarding friendships please complete the form in the office so that this can be addressed when looking at grades for 2027.

While we take all parent concerns into consideration, please understand that not every request can be accommodated due to class sizes, cohorts, teacher and the options available to us.

Deepest Condolence to Lucy and her family

This week we received the sad news that Lucy's mum has passed away. Our thoughts go out to Lucy, Gavin, Lori and Bailey as they

navigate their loss. We wish you strength and comfort during this difficult time.

We say Goodbye to Amie Timewell

Amie has informed us of her decision to stay in the Northern Territory for another 12 months. This decision has not been an easy one. Amie's time at KDPS has been incredible and she is

deeply grateful for the opportunities, support, and experiences she has received throughout her employment. We wish Amie the very best in the NT and she will be sadly missed at KDPS.

Xuno Approvals

We are continually following up on Xuno approvals on the morning of excursions. Please ensure that you are on top of school events and ensure that approval is completed **48 hours prior to the event**.

All events that occur outside of the school ground will have a Xuno notification and approval. This is a part of our child safety requirements.

Mrs Mac on LSL

I will be taking leave at the end of for the next two weeks. During my absence Mrs Cooper and Mrs Hoy will take the lead along with my school improvement team.

Student Leaders Congress

Students and Families are invited to the **Student Leaders Congress Celebration Night at the Lighthouse Theatre 3rd September 6:00pm**.

Each school will have 20 tickets to cover students, staff and families. Schools can book up to 20 tickets and then it's up to you to communicate to your families how many people can attend. You do not need physical tickets on the night.

Format of the night: Students wear school uniform. Students and staff are asked to sit at the front of the theatre in their school groups and parents sit behind.

School groups will be called up in groups of 3. Each school will stand on stage during the showcase of their movie. Movie's will be grouped into approximately 3 schools at a time. Each school's video will be played and then students will be asked a few questions by the MC after each movie is played.

High Street Road Works

Please note that the following road works will occur between the 20.08.2026 to 28.08.2026

1. Kerb Construction King St Intersection south side.

2. Footpath Construction works King St Intersection north side.
3. Kerb Construction High St East side between Mills St and Kindergarten.

This may impact pick up for those families collecting from the back gate.

Recent illness' at KDPS

As the depths of Winter kick in please be willing to reduce the spread of illness by allowing your child/ren to rest at home.

We have **many** reported case of hand, foot and mouth at school, along with a reported case of Covid. I have included the following information for parents. **Please be vigilant.**

[Hand, foot and mouth disease | health.vic.gov.au](https://www.health.vic.gov.au/infectious-diseases/covid-19-coronavirus-disease-2019#incubation-period)

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Parent and Carer Survey

Please take the time to complete the parent and carer survey that was sent via Xuno in the past week. We currently have 35% of families complete the survey. I would love for this to be at least 50% of our school community.

Link has been shared via email and is not allowed to be shared on this platform.

Important Dates - please pop them in your calendar.

4th September - Father's Day Breakfast

18th September - Footy Day

- Last day of term - 2:30pm finish

PUPIL FREE DAYS FOR 2026

20th November- Assessment and Reporting Day - Theircare Available

Ordering - Lunch Orders and Uniforms

As we approach spring it is time to start thinking about what uniform your children may require for next term. Please place your orders via My School Connect. Any out of stock items will be ordered on Friday 11th of September. If you have any questions regarding uniform items or sizing please contact the office.

Please be advised the next ordering opportunity will not be until December.

UNIFORM ORDERS

For polo tops, sports tops, jumpers, bags, hats and beanies please order via My School Connect.

[My School Connect Uniform Shop](#)

LUNCH ORDERS

Lunch order days are Wednesday and Friday each week. Orders are to be in by 9am on these days. [Smart Schools - Lunch Orders](#)

Koroi and District Primary School

Lunch Menu - McMahon Family Catering

Order online through SmartSchools. Menu prices are current as 16/06/2026.

HOT FOOD

Beef and Cheese Burger	\$8.50
Chicken Schnitzel Burger	\$8.50
Chicken, Cheese and Honey Mustard Panini	\$8.50
Chilli Chicken Tender Wrap	\$8.50
Gluten Free Toasted Ham and Cheese sandwich	\$5.50
Ham, Pineapple and Cheese Panini	\$8.50
Home Made Sausage Roll w Sauce	\$5.50
Hot Dog w NO SAUCE	\$6.00
Hot Dog w Sauce	\$6.00
McMahon's Home Made Meat Pie	\$6.50
Toasted Cheese Sandwich	\$4.50
Toasted Ham and Cheese Sandwich	\$5.00
Veggie Burger	\$8.50
Patty Pie	\$2.50
Cheese Toastie	\$4.50
Ham and Cheese Toastie	\$5.00
Gluten Free - Ham and Cheese Toastie	\$5.50

WEEKLY SPECIALS

Beef Nachos (GF)	\$6.00
Chicken Free Pasta Bolognese	\$6.00
Pasta Bolognese	\$6.00
Veggie Frittata Roll (gf)	\$6.00

SALADS

Cesar Salad	\$8.50
Greek Salad	\$8.50

SOMETHING SNACKY

Caramel Slice	\$4.00
Fresh Baked Muffin- Berry	\$4.00
Fresh Baked Muffin- Chocolate	\$4.00
GF Caramel Slice	\$5.00
Home made slice- Hedgehog	\$4.00
Lemon Slice	\$4.00
Mint Slice	\$4.00
Fresh cut fruit salad	\$6.50
Fruit, Yogurt and Muesli Cup	\$6.50
Carrot Sticks	\$1.50
Jelly and fruit cup	\$2.00
Hedgehog Slice	\$4.00

WRAPS AND ROLLS

Chicken and Salad Roll	\$8.50
Chicken and Salad Wrap	\$6.50
Ham and Salad Roll	\$5.50
Ham and Salad Wrap	\$6.50
Salad Roll	\$6.50

SANDWICHES

Chicken and Salad Sandwich	\$7.50
Egg and Lettuce Sandwich	\$5.50
Ham and Cheese Sandwich	\$5.50
Ham and Salad Sandwich	\$7.50
Jam Sandwich	\$4.00
Cheese and Vegemite Sandwich	\$4.00
Salad Sandwiches with Egg	\$6.50

COLD FOOD

Fresh Fruit Salad	\$6.50
Gluten free Caesar Salad	\$7.50
Greek Salad Gluten Free	\$6.50
Salad Sandwich	\$6.50

DRINKS

Fresha 100% Apple and Blackcurrent juice 250ml	\$4.00
Fresha 100% Apple Juice 250ml	\$4.00
Fresha 100% Orange Juice 250ml	\$4.00
Fresha 500ml Apple and Blackcurrent	\$5.00
Fresha Orange and Mango Juice 500ml	\$5.00
Fresha Orange Juice 500ml	\$5.00
Fresha Spring Water 600ml	\$3.00
Sugalded FM 500ml Chocolate	\$5.00
Sugalded FM 500ml Honeycomb	\$5.00
Sugalded FM 500ml Strawberry	\$5.00
Nippy's Chutney Mix 250ml	\$2.50
Nippy's Strawberry Milk 250ml	\$3.50

FROZEN ITEMS

Dicce Icecream Cup	\$2.00
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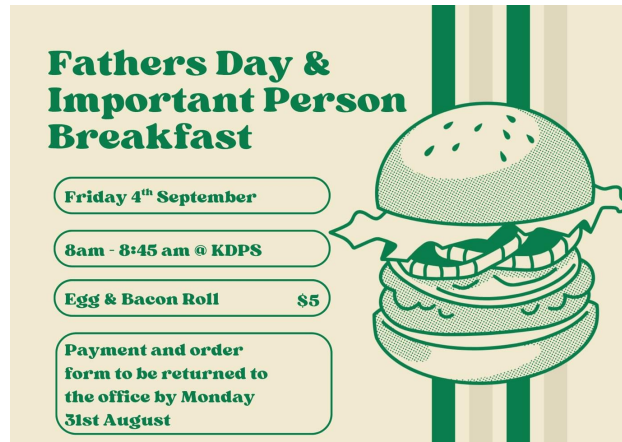
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Scan to get started

Father's Day Breakfast

Our next event will be our Father's Day breakfast on **Friday 4th of September** beginning at 8am onwards. We encourage all families to order via the forms sent home with students. If you require another form, please see the office.

Please order the required amount for the people attending. We encourage all families to take up this opportunity to share some time together.



Winter Lights and Delights Survey

If you have the opportunity to provide feedback on the Winter Lights and Delight event please do so on the following link:

To make this event even better next year, please take 5mins to complete the survey bellow.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/D8CW8NM>

Victoria's Container Deposit Scheme

Did you know that you can donate your 10 cent container refunds directly to our school?

All you have to do is deposit your eligible 10 cent containers into any of the container deposit refund points, scan our unique barcode and you have helped fundraise for our school. It is that simple!

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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 



Important Dates at KDPS

[KDPS School Calendar](#)

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2026

WHAT'S ON AT KDPS

MON
31ST

Week 8
Grade 3/4 Cooking

TUE
1ST

AFL Super Kick – 3:45pm KDPS Oval
Willow & Wren Visting KDPS

WED
2ND

Lunch Order Day

THU
3RD

Student Leaders Congress – 6pm at the
Lighthouse Theatre

FRI
4TH

Lunch Order Day
Father's Day Breakfast – 8am to 8:45am
Grade 5/6 Basketball – select students



Koroit TheirCare Newsletter

TERM 3 - AUGUST 2026



Important Dates

- 18th of September last day of Term 3
- 19th September - 4th October Spring School Holidays - All Star Arena
- 5th October first day of Term 4!

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Highlights

Over the past three weeks, we've had lots of fun exploring our Australian Animals, Mini Olympics and Book Week themes! For Australian Animals, the children enjoyed making cup animal crafts, creating dog paintings, and playing Wildlife Bingo, which was a huge hit! We also had lots of laughs with Animal Freeze Dance and Animal Charades. Our Mini Olympics was filled with exciting games, challenges and friendly competition, giving the children plenty of opportunities to be active, work as a team and have fun! During Book Week, we made fruit skewers inspired by The Very Hungry Caterpillar, created our own stories and designed bookmarks. The children also enjoyed taking part in a fun Where's Wally? hunt. We look forward to continuing this weeks theme.

Service Updates

We have received some exciting new resources for the children, including Go Bunn, a fun game similar to Go Fish that features different funny bunnies. The children have loved playing it and having a laugh together. We also received new play dough and tools, which the children have been using creatively to make pretend desserts and set up their own shops. Over the next few weeks, we will continue looking for new resources to enhance our quiet corner and make it a safe, comfortable space for the children.

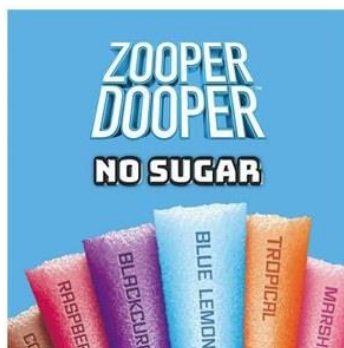
Upcoming

Over the next couple of weeks, we have some exciting themes coming up! We'll be celebrating Spring Has Sprung with lots of fun arts and crafts and hopefully enjoying some beautiful warmer weather. We'll also have our highly requested MasterChef Junior, where we'll be cooking and baking some yummy treats each day! Finally, we'll finish off the term with Fiesta Week, enjoying lots of the children's favourite games, activities and plenty of fun!



Birthdays at KDPS

Due to food allergies and intolerances the preferred treats at KDPS for birthday celebrations are NO SUGAR Zooper Doopers.



Community News & Events



Build with dad, grab a snag

Father's Day Family Event

Thursday 3rd September

Food offering may differ store to store,
check your local store booking page for more details.

Activities and fun for the whole family

6:00pm – 8:00pm

BBQ
MUSIC
CRAFT
POPCORN
FACE PAINTING
PHOTO BOOTH & MORE

Don't miss out,
register now!


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DRAMAFEST
South West

SCHOOL HOLIDAY DRAMA CAMP

20-23 September | 10am-3pm
Port Fairy Lecture Hall. For Grade 3+

CREATE. COLLABORATE. PERFORM

Over four days, young performers will work together as an ensemble to create their own original theatrical performance from the ground up. Through drama, improvisation, character development, storytelling, writing, movement and theatre-making, participants will contribute ideas and help shape the show they ultimately perform.

Led by award-winning performing artist Jennifer Monk, the camp is designed to give young people a genuine experience of creating theatre as an ensemble. And on the final day...THEY PERFORM IT LIVE!

For four days, they won't just learn about theatre. They'll MAKE it.

PRICE
FULL: \$300
CONC: \$260
scholarship available



BOOK NOW!
Max. 16 participants

In one fun-filled day, kids will learn and play footy in a safe, inclusive environment. They'll pick up new skills, play mini-games and get creative with designing footy goods



4-7 YEAR OLDS*

Our youngest players learn footy through fun, age-appropriate games that build skills, confidence and teamwork, led by NAB AFL Auskick coaches.



7-12 YEAR OLDS

Older kids level up their footy skills through modified game play and challenging activities that build teamwork, leadership and lasting memories in a fun, energetic day.

*Kids can join NAB AFL Auskick if they are turning 5 in the calendar year (before 30th June in NA)

WARRNAMBOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 22ND

9:00AM - 3:00PM

Reid Oval, Warrnambool

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WARRNAMBOOL ALL GIRLS SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM!

OCTOBER 1ST | 9AM-3PM

Reid Oval, Warrnambool

4-7 YEAR OLDS



7-12 YEAR OLDS



DISCOUNTED PROGRAM!