



Monday 15th June 2020

Principal's Message

Thank you to all our parents and carers for continuing to support the school community with our 'entry and exit to the school' protocols, following Department guidelines. Staff will continue to manage the 2:45 pm-3:00 pm pick up at Norfolk and Waterloo Rd gates. David St will continue to be unsupervised. Please pick up your child promptly.

Students and staff continue to do a fabulous job adhering to hygiene practices and our increased cleaning hours remain the same.

School Attendance and lateness

All students should be at school unless:

- They have a medical certificate which states that they are unable to return to school due to an ongoing medical condition and the expected timeframe for them to return.
- They are currently unwell.

As we return to our usual structures and routines please remember the following:

- Students must be at school by 8:55 am, ready to begin learning time at 9:00 am.
- Students arriving at school after 9:00 am are considered late, therefore require a late note, detailing the reason.

Year 5 opportunity class 2021

Opportunity classes located in government primary schools cater for academically gifted Year 5 and Year 6 students with high potential. These classes help students to learn by grouping them with students of similar ability, using specialised teaching methods and educational materials at the appropriate level.

Application for entry to the opportunity class 2021 must be done online. The form can be found via the link below:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-5>

Breakfast club

Breakfast club has resumed and is open every day from 8:30-8:50 am each morning in Block A. It is accessible to all students from Kindergarten through to year 6.

According to research eating breakfast has been linked with improved English and Mathematics skills in school children because it provides energy, increased concentration, improves mood, mental and memory performance.

School based activities remaining on hold

- Koorana Playgroups will continue to be on hold until further notice.
- School assemblies will not resume this term

Kindergarten Enrolments 2021

We are now taking enrolments for Kindergarten 2021. Pick up an enrolment form from our administration office. Please inform your family and friends should they have a child ready to begin school next year.

Birthday Celebrations

Birthdays are special, and we understand that parents would like their child to celebrate with their peers, however we ask parents not to send cakes or sugary foods with their child to be shared with other students.

Wear your PJs to School Day!

The Year 6 Fundraising committee has planned a 'Pyjama MUFTI Day', which will be held on Friday 26th June. All students are asked to wear their favourite pyjamas or sleep wear to school, with a GOLD COIN DONATION. All money raised will go towards Year 6 Farewell celebrations.

P&C News

School Uniform and Uniform Shop Update

Our new school uniform is now available to buy from the P&C operated Uniform Shop. This is the only place where parents can purchase the school uniform for their child. Appointments are necessary for entering the uniform shop and can be made on the P&C Facebook page, or by leaving your contact details with the school office.

Please be aware that changes have been made to the school uniform. Students must wear their school uniform every day. Sports uniform must only be worn on your child's allocated sports day only.

Canteen: Mamas Kitchen Update

Our canteen has reopened and will be trading every Thursday & Friday from 8.30am-2:00pm for the remainder of this term.

We now have Online Ordering!

Parents can now place lunch orders online by 9.15 am, or they can continue to send money with their child to place an order before 9:00 am. 'How to' information for Online ordering can be found on our Facebook page.

Menu price increase

Selected menu items have slightly increased in price due to stock shortages and price increases during COVID-19.

Can you help by volunteering?

We urgently need more parents to volunteer in the canteen, either once a week or fortnightly. If you can help please contact the P&C or leave your details with administration office. If we secure more volunteers, we will have the option of increasing our operating days in Term 3 and 4.

Calendar	
Friday 26 th June	Online applications for the OC closes
Friday 3 rd July	Last day of term 3
Monday 6 th – Friday 17 th July	Winter school holidays
Monday 20 th July	School Development Day- NO STUDENTS
Tuesday 21 st July	First day back to school for students
Monday 3 rd Aug	School reports sent home

Our School Canteen uses Online Ordering

- ✓ Replaces paper bag orders
- ✓ Prepaid online. No cash required
- ✓ Faster and more accurate
- ✓ Order in the morning or in advance
- ✓ Order for multiple days at a time

Online Canteen Ordering

My Kids Lunch Box has developed an online ordering system that's free for school canteens. It provides Students and Parents the facility to purchase their child's school lunch online in a more efficient and convenient way.

Registrations is Easy & Free!
Using any PC, go to www.mykidslunchbox.com.au

- Click signup
- Provide your email address and password (These will be your login details)
- Load credit to your account
- Enter the details of your child
- Login into www.mykidslunchbox.com.au anytime you want to place an order

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