**PARENTS & FRIENDS** 

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No: 10 Wed 31st March, 2021

**Principal: Marcia Waters** 

#### **APRIL**

Thurs 1st — End of Term 1, early dismissal, 2.30 pm

Mon 19th — Term 2 commences

26th to 29th — Student Learning Conferences

Sunday 25th — Bunnings BBQ

Fri 30th — Cross Country — Shepparton

#### MAY

Mon 3rd — School Council @ 7.00 p.m. Mon 3rd — Bike Education commences Thurs 6th — School Photos

Fri 7th - Mother's Day Stall

Tues 11th — NAPLAN commences Thurs 20th — BIKE HIKE, Shepparton

# DATES TO REMEMBER

#### **Easter Raffle:**

Thanks for your generous Easter Raffle donations

The winners of the Raffle are: Audrey Marks, Chelsea Harry. Phil De Lai, Marcia Waters, Samantha Ford, Luke Felmingham. Harvey Lawn, Isabella Howells, Sarah Candy, Adam Ford, Liam Teague, Parker van Popering, Julian Smith, Zoe Campbell, Carter Lawn, Cooper Malcolm and Chelsea Harry.



#### **IPAD LEASE PAYMENT**

The iPad lease payment for families in the iPad program, is due by Friday 23rd April, the first Friday of Term 2.



#### **END OF TERM 1**

What a fantastic feeling it has been to have a solid term of learning onsite! Thursday is the last day of Term 1, we will have an end of term assembly in the BER building at 2.15 pm. Students will be dismissed at the conclusion of the assembly at 2.30 pm. The school bus will run as normal at 2.30 pm, so please adjust your pick up time accordingly.

Have a Happy Easter and a safe holiday break, I look forward to seeing you all back in Term 2.

Marcia Waters



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#### STUDENT LEARNING CONFERENCES

Unfortunately the Meet and Greet that was scheduled for earlier this week was postponed. The purpose of the Meet and Greet was to provide families with an opportunity to connect with their child's teacher in an informal way. This is in line with our Reporting to Parents Policy.

Upon reflection on the timing and purpose of the first "official" meeting between parents/carers and teachers in 2021, we have decided to schedule Student Learning Conferences in Week 2 of Term 2 instead of the Meet and Greet. A second Student Learning Conference will occur at the usual time (early Term 3).

During Week 2 in Term 2, teachers will be available for Student Learning Conferences from **3.40 pm to 4.30 pm Monday 26th April to Thursday 29th April**. The Student Learning Conference will be optional for parents/carers and their child to attend. However, it is strongly encouraged for students with an Individual Learning Plan (ILP) to attend a Student Learning Conference with their parents/carers and their teacher. Teachers will notify families during the

first two days of Term 2 if their child will have an ILP for Term 2. A notice will be sent out to families with the first newsletter in Term 2 to indicate the afternoons they are available, a timetable will be then sent out.

If you have any questions regarding the Student Learning Conferences, please contact me at school.

#### ATHLETIC SPORTS

Last Friday was a perfect day for the athletics sports. It was great to see our students demonstrate our school value of "Be your Best". They had been practicing in the weeks leading up to the event and this helped them compete with confidence and enthusiasm. A big thank you to the Katandra West and District Men's Shed that catered for the event. The help from parents spectating on the day was also appreciated, thank you. Check out the photos further in this newsletter.

The following students have been invited to the division athletics championships to be held in October in Shepparton:

Addison

Carter

Thomas

Dayne

Cooper

Jack P, Dayne, Thomas, Tyler (11 yo Boys Relay)



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NAME: Dylan

GRADE: Foundation

TEACHER: Miss Loveridge FAVOURITE FOOD: Crumbles

FAVOURITE GAME: Guess Who — animal game

FRIENDS at SCHOOL: Matthew and Adam

WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN LEARNING? How to write words

FAVOURITE COLOUR: Red & Blue

FAVOURITE TOY/THING: Rabbit soft toy BEST THING ABOUT SCHOOL: Drawing

WHEN I GROW UP: Policeman

FAVOURITE HOLIDAY DESTINATION: Camping outside WHAT IS THE BEST THING ABOUT YOU? I can do karate



#### STUDENTS OF THE WEEK:

F/1: Maisie

4/5/6: Sarah and Dayne

2-6: Esther



#### **HOME READING AWARDS AND READING EGGS AWARDS**



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#### **ATHLETICS DAY PHOTOS**





























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#### KATANDRA FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB

#### **AUSKICK**

Auskick sessions will be held within school hours at KWPS this year, at lunchtime on **Tuesdays from 20 April to 8 June 2021** (see the attached flyer).

Paul Harry has agreed to run the sessions with the assistance of the school's 2 SEDA students (Blake Damon & Jaymes Crees – both Katandra U/17 players). Laura Lawn will co-ordinate the program and help run the sessions.

The sessions will be held for both Auskick registered participants and general students but they must notify the office or Laura if they would like to participate and they must commit to participating for the whole 40 minute session.

Registration is not compulsory however there are some benefits of registering. If you register through Auskick, your child will receive a pack, be eligible to possibly participate in a grid game at half time of an AFL game in Melbourne and be involved with a grid game at half time of a local game at Katandra West Football Netball Club.

The plan is to trial this for 12 months and reassess at the end of the season.

#### **NET SET GO**

Please see the attached flyer with information regarding the Net Set Go program at Katandra Football Netball Club. Net Set Go sessions will be held on **Thursdays at 4 pm** at the Katandra West Recreation Reserve netball courts, starting on Thursday 22nd April.



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#### Come along to NetSetGo at Katandra Football Netball Club!

#### What is Net Set Go:

The Net Set Go program is for boys and girls aged 5—9 years old. It provides children with a positive introduction to netball, incorporating skill activities, minor games, music, dance, and modified matches.

Over the term your child will learn:

- How to throw, pass and catch a netball.
- How to take off and land safely.
- How to pivot and change direction.
- The mysterious art of goal shooting.
- Some basic movement skills and techniques.
- Why teamwork is so important.
- How to play fair, respect your umpire and have fun.

#### When will it start:

The program will run throughout Term 2 with the first 1-hour session commencing on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> of April at 4pm. The final session will be on Thursday 24th of June 2021. These sessions will be held at the Katandra West Recreation Reserve Netball courts.

#### What is the cost:

The cost of registration is \$68. All registered NetSetGO participants will receive a netball and a Suncorp NetSetGO T-shirt. You can pay an additional fee to have your T-Shirt personalised with your child's name on it.

#### Register for NetSetGo by:

https://play.netball.com.au/kids/suncorp-netsetgo

Contacting the Net Set Go Coordinator Tamara McLarty on 0488 619 412.





### IGNITE A PASSION FOR THE GAME!

#### Katandra Auskick

Katandra West Primary School

Tuesday 20 April - 8 June from 12:30pm - 1:10pm Laura Lawn 0437 788 099 katandrafnc@gmail.com

play.afl/auskick



Due do it being ANZAC Bunnings doesn't open until 1pm. So we don't need as many helpers for earlier shifts.

Please remember covered shoes must be worn.

No children under 16 are permitted in the BBQ area.

If you are unavailable on the day please contact Amy van Popering 0428 198 305,

If you are an emergency you aren't required on the day unless someone calls in sick.

# Bunnings BBQ Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April.

	Helper 2	Helper 3	Helper 4	Emergency 1   Emergency 2	Emergency 2
10-12 Amy van Georg	George Cleary (set up)			Raelene Wilson	
(set up)					
12-2 Phil DeLai Fiona	Fiona DeLai	O'Callaghan	Trish Dunne	Trudi Smith	Leanne Stewart
2-4 Lawn Family Allisor McDo	Allison McDonald	Wood Family		Marree Couzner	