

# Katandra Weekly

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## NOVEMBER

Wed 13th to Fri 15th — Year 3 / 4 Anglesea Camp

Thurs 14th — Year 5 / 6 Yachting

Mon 18th — Responsible Pet Ownership F-6

Fri 22nd — F2025 Transition session

Mon 25th — School Council Meeting

@ 7.00 pm

— T20 Blast cricket

Wed 27th — STEM Excursion to

Shepparton Year 3-6

Thurs 28th & Fri 29th - Extended Day & Sleepover F-2

## DECEMBER

Tues 3rd — School Concert

DATES TO REMEMBER

## CRICKET CLUB TEAS

This week's helpers for

### **Thursday 14th November**

Cook / Team Leader: Laura Lawn

Helpers: Cleary Family, Poyner Family, Muggleton Family.

Chip cooker: Brooke Lawn

Desserts: Laura Lawn

### **Thursday 21st November**

Cook / Team Leader: Amy Lougoon

Helpers: Clurey Family, Boyd Family, Tyrrell Family

Chip cooker: Rob Campbell

Desserts: Kimberley Boyd

### **Thursday 28th November**

Cook / Team Leader: Bron Howells

Helpers: Carroll Family, Hill Family, Emma Klug

Chip cooker: Grant McLarty

Desserts: Debbie Hill

P&F COMMITTEE

## PARENT PAYMENT

We know that some families who have not yet contributed to the Parent Payment for their child in 2024 will be looking to do so before the end of the year. Term 4 is certainly travelling fast so this is just a friendly reminder that it is not too late to contribute to the Parent Payment and you might like to contribute earlier this term rather than later when Christmas is on your doorstep. Payments can now be made by EFTPOS at the office, as well as direct deposit or cash. Our direct deposit details are:

BSB 063 527

ACC 1014 5342



## PLAYGROUP

The next playgroup session is scheduled for **Friday 15th November from 9.00 am.**

Please spread the word in the wider community.



# Be Safe - Be Respectful - Be Strong - Be Your Best

## T20 BLAST CRICKET

Last Friday we had students in Years 4,5,6 compete in the T20 Blast Cricket competition. Mr Mulcahy coached a boys team and Bri coached a girls team. When the teams arrived back at school, they were buzzing with excitement. The boys team won their first match and then played in some close matches without luck. Our girls team were undefeated in the pool stage and progressed to the final, they finished runners up. Despite the loss in the final, they will progress to the next level of competition on **Monday 25th November in Mooroopna**. We are proud of the efforts all students who participated.



## YACHTING

It was perfect weather for yachting today on the lake in Shepparton. Our Year 5/6 students managed to keep their yachts upright throughout the session as they learnt to manoeuvre the yachts on the water. They all managed to stay dry, although a couple chose to get wet when given the option!



## SCHOOLS POULTRY COLOURING COMPETITION

The Schools Poultry Competition looked different at the Melbourne Royal Show in 2024. Our students all had the opportunity to submit a colouring in for the Schools Poultry Colouring Competition. I received some exciting news earlier this week... Grace D won the overall competition and Harry won in his age group! Congratulations to Grace and Harry, we'll present their certificates at a future assembly when we receive them from the Melbourne Royal Show.

## ACHIEVEMENT OF PAST STUDENT

We are very proud to share some good news regarding a past Katandra West student. Alana Owen has been elected to the 2025 position of Murray House Captain, in the Biyala neighbourhood, at Greater Shepparton Secondary College. We take great pride in this achievement and the foundation of leadership skills laid during Alana's time here at Katandra West Primary School.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL—Marcia Waters



**STUDENT PROFILE:**

NAME: Ebony

GRADE: 6

TEACHER: Mr Mulcahy

FAVOURITE FOOD: Kit Kats

FAVOURITE GAME: Resident Evil / Minecraft

FRIENDS AT SCHOOL: Vaya, Amelia, Grace &amp; Chelsea

WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN LEARNING: 3 D shapes

WHAT IS YOUR FAVOURITE COLOUR: Red

FAVOURITE TOY / THING: Nintendo Switch

BEST THING ABOUT SCHOOL: Seeing my friends

WHEN I GROW UP: Psychologist / Barista / Actor

WHICH SCHOOL VALUE IS YOUR STRENGTH?: Be Safe

WHY: because I always think before I do something.

**STUDENT AWARDS****STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

F/1: Emily Mc

2: Olivia

3/4: Grace C

**ESMART****HOME READING****GROWTH ACHIEVEMENT****KATANDRA KEYS****Be Safe - Be Respectful - Be Strong - Be Your Best**

## NEVER FEAR, THE SOLVE IT SQUAD IS HERE!

Assemble your **Solve it Squad** and see if you can solve the problem below. Record your working out and your answer on a piece of paper. All correct solutions will be put into a draw that will be drawn out at Monday afternoon's assembly. The correct solution that is drawn out at the assembly will be published in the newsletter along with the next Maths problem for the **Solve it Squads**.



## Chocolate Bar Puzzle

Milk Treats are sold in packs of 3.

Fruit Fudge are sold in packs of 5.

At a party, a mix of 62 bars are needed for prizes. How many packs of Milk Treats and how many packs of Fruit Fudge have to be bought?

Find as many different ways as you can.



## DOOKIE SHOW AWARDS



## CHRISTMAS RAFFLE DONATIONS:

We need your help to make our annual Christmas Raffle a success. The Raffle will be drawn on the night of the Concert, Tuesday 3rd December. Additional raffle tickets are available from the office. The P&F Committee want to make this year's Christmas Raffle the **biggest ever!**

Each child is asked to donate an item, each year level has been assigned what to bring to ensure we have a variety of items. If all donations can be back to the school by no later than **29th November** so that we can organise prizes.

**Foundation/1:** Chocolates and Lollies

**2:** Christmas Decorations

**3/4:** Christmas Merchandise (tea towels, platters, placemats etc)

**5/6:** Christmas related Hamper Food (Christmas shortbread, festive pretzels etc)

Please do not supply any fresh, perishable items with quick use by dates, or items that require refrigeration. Thank you for your support.

Raffle ticket books have been sent home with students today. More raffle ticket books are available from the office if you would like more.

