# PARENTS & FRIENDS

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No: 4 Friday 21st February, 2025 **Principal: Marcia Waters** 

### **FEBRUARY**

Wed 26th — NO Foundation students

### **MARCH**

Mon 10th — Labour Day Holiday Wed 12th to Mon 24th — NAPLAN Fri 14th — Athletic Sports Day

### **APRIL**

Thurs 3rd — School Photos Fri 4th — Last Day of Term 1



### **CRICKET CLUB TEAS**

Thursday 27th February:

Cook: Laura Lawn

Helpers: Cleary Family, Hill Family &

Griffiths Family. Chips: Brooke Lawn Dessert: Cleary Family

Thursday 6th March: Cook: Bron Howells

Helpers: McLean Family, Bec Campbell & Muggleton Family.

Chips: Phil Osmond Dessert: McLean Family



## **SCHOOL SAVING BONUS (SSB)**

Families wanting to utilise part or all of their SSB for School Activities, (such as camps and excursions) are required to follow the steps outlined below:

- Log on SSB parent portal and allocate the amount you wish to use for the Camp to School Activities
- 2. Call the office (58283350) and advise the amount you wish to utilise towards camp. Once your transaction from the parent SSB portal has imported into the school's accounting system (this may take 2 – 3 days) we will process your SSB amount against the camp and adjust the cost for your child.
- Parents / Carers are then required to consent and pay any balance if required.



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### PARENT PAYMENT

Paying the Parent Payment ensures that we can continue to provide quality resources to support a rich educational program. The 2025 Parent Payment includes all of your child's books and stationery. These items have been supplied to all students and include exercise books for each curriculum area, pencil



case, pencils, textas, glue sticks, scissors, ruler, eraser, post it notes and more. A separate notice with details of the 2025 Parent Payment has been previously sent home and is available on our website. You also have the option of making a voluntary payment with the Parent Payment to assist the school in maintaining our expansive school grounds, \$50 per family is a suggestion. The Parent Payment can be paid using direct deposit, cash or EFTPOS. It can also be paid via installments throughout the year, contact the office to discuss this.

### ATHLECTICS SPORTS DAY

The Athletics Sports Day is approaching. It is scheduled for **Friday 14th March** at **McEwen Reserve**, **Shepparton**. This is located next to the basketball stadium on the corner of Numurkah Road and Brauman Street, Shepparton. School does not provide bus travel for the day, so parents are asked to transport their children to the Athletics Day. Our students are currently practicing the events they will participate as part of our teaching and learning program. Today I took some photos as they practiced hurdles and high jump.





















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### **STUDENT PROFILE:**

NAME: Chloe

GRADE: Foundation TEACHER: Mrs Astley

FAVOURITE FOOD: Apples FAVOURITE GAME: Tag

FRIENDS AT SCHOOL: Kirrilly & Iylah

WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN LEARNING: Writing WHAT IS YOU FAVOURITE COLOUR: Pink FAVOURITE TOY / THING: Barbie Dream House

BEST THING ABOUT SCHOL: Playing with my

friends

WHEN I GROW UP: Farmer

FAVOURITE HOLIDAY DESTINATION: Queensland WHAT IS THE BEST THING ABOUT YOU? I am cute



### STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Foundation/1: lylah

2/3: Karlee 3/4: Ollie W 5/6: Meila





**STEM STAR** 



**HOMEWORK HEROES** 

### SCHOOL COUNCIL ELECTIONS

It is that time of the year again where we ask for nominations for School Council. If you are interested in becoming a member of the School Council, please collect a nomination form from the office. We have vacant positions to fill, everyone is welcome!

Nominations close on **Tuesday 11th March**. The AGM of School Council will be held on Monday 24th March, 2024.



## **Katandra West Primary School**

Photo Day 2025
Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

### To Order Photos:

Go to <a href="www.msp.com.au">www.msp.com.au</a> and click "Order Photos". Enter your child's personalised shootkey and follow the prompts.

### Order your School Photos before midnight Thursday 10th April

Late Orders can be accepted after  $11^{th}$  April by contacting **03 5482 3190**. All late orders incur an extra \$20 for postage and handling.

Family Photos – Please order online prior to photo day with the unique shootkey on the Family form. Extra Family Envelopes are available at the School Office.

1 Family Shoot Key per Family.





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## **FOURTHS** FOOTY TRAINING IS BACK

COMMENCES WEDNESDAY 26TH FEBRUARY @ 5:30PM







WE ARE STILL ON THE HUNT FOR MORE PLAYERS SO FEEL FREE TO BRING A FRIEND DOWN, FOR **MORE INFO-RING PADDY 0427 942 335** 









