

# MKPS NEWS



Middle Kinglake Primary School  
Thursday 29th Jan 2026  
Issue 1 Week 1



## Welcome back!



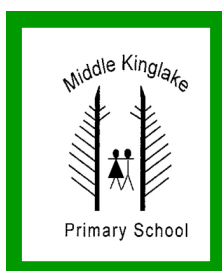
## DATES TO REMEMBER:

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| Thursday 29th Jan        | Icy poles today!   |
| Monday 2nd Feb           | Sporting Schools starts 3.30-4.30pm  |
| Thursday 5th Feb         | World Read Aloud Day 9-9.30am<br>P/1 Phonics workshop 9.30-10am- All welcome |
| Wed 11th & Thursday 12th | Parent Teacher meetings see attached note                                    |
| Monday 16th Feb          | 9am Student Leadership Assembly  |
| Monday 23rd Feb          | Swimming starts  |
| Tuesday 3rd March        | School Council AGM 6.30pm  |
| Friday 6th March         | House Swimming Sports 12.30pm  |
| Monday 9th March         | Labour Day Public Holiday  |
| Wednesday 11th March     | Preps first Wednesday<br>NAPLAN starts Grades 3 & 5                          |
| Thursday 19th March      | Grade 6 Year 7 Reunion 6-8pm   |
| Thursday 26th March      | Last Sporting Schools for term 1   |
| Wednesday 1st April      | EOT Hot Lunch  |
| Thursday 2nd April       | End of term, 2pm dismissal<br>No After School Care                           |

### ICY POLE THURSDAYS

\$1 each week or \$10 for the term.

Cash or Direct Deposit



**BE SAFE,  
BE RESPONSIBLE,  
BE RESPECTFUL**

Birthdays-  
Xavier- today!  
Harry M- 6th  
Miles- 8th  
Mrs Clark- 12th

## **Welcome back!**

It is terrific to see everyone relaxed and happy after their holiday. I hope everyone enjoyed their Christmas and New Year and are ready for a busy and productive 2026. Staff have spent a lot of time over their holidays planning for the year ahead and we are excited for what it holds. We work hard to provide a relevant, challenging and engaging learning environment for all students at MKPS. Please trust us as we pour our heart and souls into catering for all students.

Our 3 school rules of Be Safe, Be Responsible and Be Respectful remain a strong focus in dealing with all school incidents. Our Middle Mates focus will also provide a particular social skill to be demonstrated each week. We also need parents to model these school values, as well as acceptance, kindness and resilience.

Children learn best when significant adults in their lives– parents, teachers and other family members– work together to encourage and support them. We encourage you to communicate with us and we will do the same. If something is happening at home that will impact on your child, please let us know. It is easier to deal with things if we are aware. Often you will hear stories that come from school that only provide one side of the story. Contact us so we can all be informed, there are always two sides to a story! Our doors are always open or we are just a phone call or email away and we encourage all parents to feel free to contact us with any concerns you may have or just to share some fantastic news with us!

We continue to be efficient about the learning time we have with all students. With this in mind we will continue to focus on punctuality and attendance. We ask that all students are at school by 8.50am, ready to learn. We thank you in advance for respecting our teaching and learning space and time. Looking forward to a great 2026 school year!

*Meagan*

## **STAFFING:**

This year our staff profile is as follows-

Di Wilkinson-Hill– 5/6 teacher, Art specialist

Karen Burgess– 3/4 teacher, Health & PE specialist

Emily Aldous– 1/2 teacher, Sustainability & SAKGP support

Natasha Lang – P/1 teacher, Sustainability specialist, SAKGP

Catherine James– Library– Thursday term 1, Wednesdays terms 2, 3 & 4

Olivia Mitchell– Literacy Intervention– Mondays & Social & Emotional Learning Specialist– Thursdays term 1 and Wednesdays term 2, 3 & 4

Heather Hawke– Maths Intervention– Tuesdays & Thursdays

Jess Platt– Disability Inclusion & Mental Health in PS– Tuesdays & Thursdays

Jayden Wilson– Music & Drama specialist– Fridays. Private Music tuition– Wednesdays

Chan Ruwandeniya– STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths) –Mondays

Michael Harper– Education Support, Before & After School Care Co-ordinator, Sporting Schools

Remi Pitman– Education Support & Before & After School Care assistant, Sporting Schools

Steph Wilkinson-Hill– Education Support & OSHC

Felicity Maniszewski– Business Manager Monday to Friday

Sajid- IT technician– Tuesday mornings

Meagan Callander– Principal & Auslan teacher

\*Our timetable has been altered for the first term to accommodate the preps absence on Wednesdays– for example Library will be Thursday– flexibility is the key!

**WELCOME:** We welcome our new preps and their families to MKPS. Please make them feel welcome when you see them at school. Preps don't attend school on Wednesdays for the first 6 weeks. Their first Wednesday is the 11th March, after the long weekend.

**THANK YOU:** A huge thank you to the families who completed work at school, including looking after the chooks over the holidays.

**ASSEMBLY:** Our school Assemblies are held on Monday afternoons– 3.15-3.30pm in the Multi-Purpose Room. Parents are welcome to attend. Assembly times will change during swimming. Families of Student of the Week recipients will be emailed the week prior so parents can hopefully make it to assembly to see their child receive these awards.

**SCHOOL FEES:** Just a reminder that the 2026 requisite fee is \$180 per student. This covers all school supplies including books, pencils, glue, art and printing supplies. Please see the office to arrange payment. We ask that all school fees be paid by the end of term 1 please. Please contact the office if you would like to set up a payment plan.

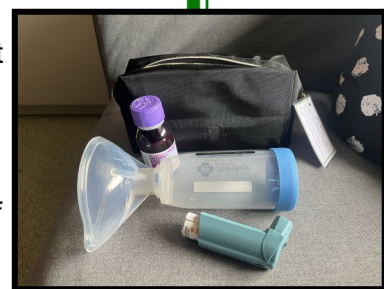
**STUDENT LEADERS:** The senior students are currently writing speeches for School Captain and House Captains. Each grade also has two Junior School Council Representatives, two Sustainability Leaders and two GEM Leaders. At the assembly on Monday 16th Feb at 9am, leadership badges and certificates will be presented to the successful candidates. All welcome.

**OFFICE HOURS:** Felicity is our amazing Business Manager! She is the first 'point of contact' of the school and is most helpful with all inquiries and questions. Felicity works full time– every day, and is available by phone or email if you have any questions. Her email is- [Felicity.Maniszewski@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:Felicity.Maniszewski@education.vic.gov.au)

**NEWSLETTER:** The newsletter is distributed electronically each week on a Thursday. Please set aside time to read it, as it contains important information. Please contact the office if you'd prefer a hard copy of the newsletter.

**PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS:** Parents will have the opportunity to meet with their child/ren's teacher/s on Wednesday 11th & Thursday 12th Feb in a 10 minute interview to discuss students' interests, learning styles and progress so far. Time allocation notes are attached to this newsletter, please complete and returned the form, or email Meagan by Friday 6th to secure a time. If these days/times don't suit please arrange another with the appropriate staff. Phone interviews can be arranged, please indicate that on your form.

**MEDICATION:** We need your help to ensure the sick bay and medications cupboard have up to date information and medications. All students that require medication will have a small bag (as pictured) that contains all their medication. This makes it easy to grab the individual bags as needed and for excursions/swimming etc. If your child has asthma or allergies we require a plan from your GP and any prescribed medication. All students with asthma need their own puffer and spacer. If your child attends OSHC you need to provide two sets of medication. Please just ask if you have any questions.



**DRINK BOTTLES:** Everyone requires a re-fillable drink bottle at school each day, to keep hydrated. Drink bottles are kept in classrooms and are easily accessible during class time to prevent time wasting by heading outside to the drinking taps. Drink bottles can be re-filled at school.



**CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSION FUND:** Eligible families (Veterans Affairs Gold card or Centrelink Health Care card holders) can apply for this payment of \$400 per child to be used for camps, sports and excursions. Please contact the office for an application form.

**SWIMMING:** A swimming permission note will be sent home early next week. Please ensure that you have read the note. The note and money needs to be returned to the office by Friday 20th Feb. Please contact us if you have any questions. It is expected that all students will participate in the swimming program. A great idea to start practise things for swimming– getting dressed and undressed, putting goggles on, getting dried etc. Parents aren't required to attend swimming lessons.

**ARRIVAL AT SCHOOL:** Just a reminder that students are not permitted to arrive at school before 8.40am. The Before School Care service operates from 7am if parents require assistance with supervision of their children in the mornings.

**ATTENDANCE:** In line with the Department's continued focus on Student Attendance we ask that parents notify us, by phoning the office or sending an email, if their child is going to be absent. An automated text message will be sent to parents if we haven't heard from you, this is a reminder to give us a call. Absence data is collected at 9am each morning, and forwarded on to the Department each week. Thanks in advance for your assistance with this.

**SCHOOL COUNCIL:** We have three vacancies on School Council. Information about the nomination process is attached. Please contact me if this is something that interests you.

**ICY POLES:** PFA sell icy poles on Thursdays during term 1, \$1 each. Students can bring in \$1 each week to give to their teacher or you can pay for the term in full- \$10. This can be paid into the school bank or given to the classroom teacher.

**CAR PARK SPEED LIMIT:** Please remember to drive slowly and safely through the school carpark. Also the road adjacent is 40km/hr. Please ensure you are observing that to keep everyone safe. Please don't park in the handicapped spaces or blocking the front gate.

**OSHC:** Our Outside School Hours Care continues to be very popular! Michael, Remi and Steph run a very engaging and popular program– we're excited to see that continue in 2026. We use the OWNA system to ensure ease of bookings, cancellations and accounting. Please see Michael or Felicity if you have any questions in regards to OSHC. It always takes a little time to get enrolments, attendances, permanent bookings etc sorted at the start of the year– please be patient! Friday afternoon sessions of OSHC will be capped at 15 due to staff shortages. Sorry for any inconvenience.

**NAPLAN:** Grades 3 and 5 students will be involved in NAPLAN testing from 11th March. Please contact me if you have any questions.



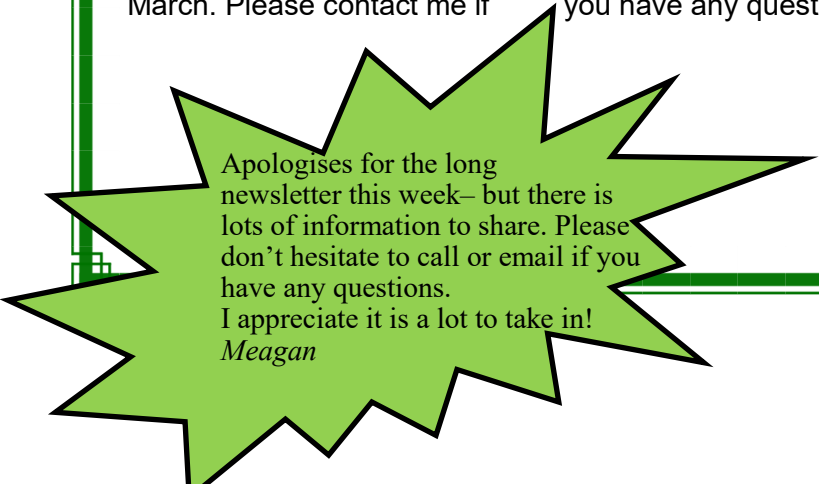
**SLOW  
DOWN  
WATCH  
FOR  
CHILDREN**

### **SCHOOL BANKING DETAILS**

**Middle Kinglake PS Acc  
BSB: 063 855  
Acc # 1002 8919**

Please use your family name and reason for payment as a reference

For example: Jones Swimming



Apologises for the long newsletter this week– but there is lots of information to share. Please don't hesitate to call or email if you have any questions.  
I appreciate it is a lot to take in!  
*Meagan*

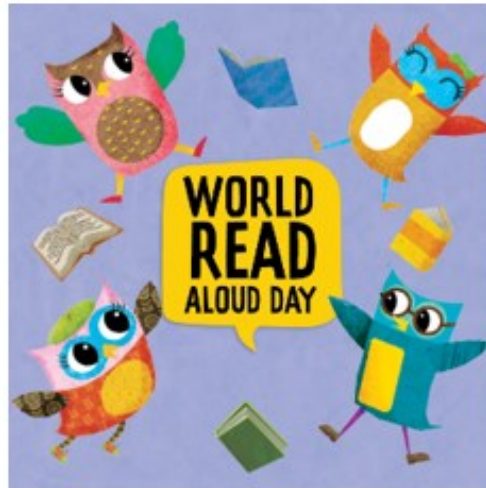
All students are in a coloured Sports House– see below. We use these Houses for school athletics, cross country and swimming. It is a great idea to go to Best & Less, Target or Kmart and buy a polo shirt in your child’s House colour– then they can get into the spirit on sports days.

The senior students are preparing speeches for House Captain responsibilities.



| <b>SPORTS HOUSES 2026</b>                    |  |   |
|--|--|---|
| <b>Wedgetails (Yellow)</b><br><b>Bundjil</b> | <b>Wallabies (Red)</b><br><b>Wimbi</b> | <b>Kookaburras (Blue)</b><br><b>Grrang Grrang</b> |
| Carmen Barwick                               | Ben Bailey                             | Olivia Dinatale                                   |
| Araliya Tobin                                | Will Alford                            | Liam O’Halloran                                   |
| Chloe Roberts                                | Chet Alford                            | Elliott Roney                                     |
| Eliza Katsi                                  | Ashton Ragona                          | Sebastian Dinatale                                |
| Maddisyn Marsh                               | Darcy Ragona                           | Aaliyah Rowson                                    |
| Rose Smith                                   | Emad Adra                              | Gracie Capocchi                                   |
| Jett Flook                                   | Miles Alford                           | Evelyn O’Neill                                    |
| Abigail Ingle                                | Xavier Lostia                          | Jaxson Roney                                      |
| Darcy Marsh                                  | Carter Ryland                          | Skye Westworth                                    |
| Harry Liberts                                | Liia Adra                              | Kayden Kiss                                       |
| Noah Tobin                                   | Amir Hazim                             | Isaac Cornish                                     |
| Amelia Holman                                | Toby Lostia                            | Madison Pollard                                   |
| Harry Ferguson                               | Chase Williams                         | Edith Barter                                      |
| Hunter Liberts                               | Matilda Mooney                         | Audrey Barter                                     |
| Piper Roberts                                | Harry Monagle                          | Angus Dodson                                      |
| Natalia Katsi                                | Freya Laukart                          | Travis Mesilane                                   |
| Oakley Marsh                                 | Harper Cusworth                        | Jackson Wilson                                    |
| Ryder Denson                                 | Harrison Wheeler                       | Quinnton Dunya Laurie                             |
| George Noble                                 | Laith Hazim                            | Maiah Lagelle-Smith                               |
| Amelia Broderick                             | Evie Monagle                           | Tommy DePietro                                    |
| Bridie Freeman                               | Hudson Mooney                          | Bowie Gilbert                                     |
| Holly Marsh                                  | Asha Ryland                            | Mackenzie McAllister                              |
|  | Winter Dyamond                         | Charlie Wilson                                    |
|  | Isabella Miller                        |   |
|  | Ruby Strickland                        |   |
|  | Charlie Wheeler                        |   |

We invite families and friends to come and join us for Read Aloud Day, from 9-9.30am on Thursday 5th February. A great opportunity to start the 2026 school year and join your children for reading fun!



Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> Feb 2026, 9-9.30am

A great opportunity to welcome families into the school to read with the students.



Afterwards, 9.30-10am, Mrs Lang and the P/1 students will demonstrate a Phonics workshop. P/1 parents are welcome to stay and see MKPS's daily phonics program in action.



# FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

## INFORMATION FOR FAMILIES

**Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities. It is part of making Victoria the Education State and the Government's commitment to breaking the link between a student's financial circumstances and their outcomes.**

## CAMPS, SPORTS and EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors. Excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works while sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are a part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF is provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school excursions, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or support an out of home care student you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid directly to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is \$400 for all school students.

### HOW TO APPLY

New applicants should contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from the website below.

If you applied for CSEF at your child's school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

You only need to complete an application form if any of the following changes have occurred:

- **new student enrolments:** your child has started or changed schools this year.
- **changed family circumstances:** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing this year.

Check with the school office if you are unsure.

### MORE INFORMATION

For more information about CSEF visit:

<https://www.vic.gov.au/camps-sports-and-excursions-fund>



# Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund

## APPLICATION FORM

School Name

School Ref ID

### Applicant details

|                    |  |
|--------------------|--|
| Surname            |  |
| First Name         |  |
| Address            |  |
| Town/Suburb        |  |
| State and Postcode |  |
| Contact Number     |  |

Centrelink pensioner concession **OR** Health care card number (CRN)

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**OR**  Veterans affairs pensioner (Gold Card)\* **OR**  Special Consideration\*\*

\*Applicants must provide a copy of the Veteran Affairs Gold card.

\*\*Out of Home Care applications must include a letter of support from the institution facilitating the arrangement (for example, Mackillop Family Services or the Department of Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH)) as evidence of the arrangement and must be no more than 18 months old).

### Student details

| Child's surname | Child's first name | Student ID | Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy) | Year level |
|-----------------|--------------------|------------|----------------------------|------------|
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### Declaration

I authorise the Victorian Department of Education (DE) to use Centrelink Confirmation eServices to perform an enquiry about my Centrelink customer details and concession card status to enable the business to determine if I qualify for a concession, rebate or service. I also authorise the Victorian Department of Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH) to provide the results of any enquiry to DE regarding temporary care orders. I understand that:

- DFFH or Centrelink will use information I have provided to DE to confirm my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund and will disclose to DE personal information including my name, address, payment and concession card type and status.
- This consent, once signed, remains valid while my child is enrolled at a registered Victorian school unless I withdraw it by contacting the school.
- I can obtain proof of my circumstances/details from DFFH and provide it to my child's school so that my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund can be determined.
- If I withdraw my consent or do not alternatively provide proof of my circumstances/details, I may not be eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund provided by DE.
- Information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to DFFH and/or State Schools Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance.

You can request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child's school.

Signature of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/202\_\_

## Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund eligibility

Applications must be submitted to the school as soon as possible and no later than the end of Term 2.

Where a school or family is unsure if the concession card is eligible, they are encouraged to submit the application into the CSEF system for validation.

CSEF payments cannot be claimed retrospectively for prior years.

Queries relating to CSEF eligibility and payments should be directed to the school.

Those who are eligible to apply for the CSEF **must meet both** of the following two criteria or be eligible for special consideration.

### Eligible means-tested cards

Only financially means-tested cards are eligible.

### Eligibility date

Eligibility will be subject to the parent/carer's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink (refer to the department's policy, [Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund \(CSEF\)](#)), on either the first student day of Term 1 or Term 2.

### Criterion 1 – General eligibility

The applicant must be one of the following:

- a parent or carer who is the beneficiary of a financially means-tested card
- a student over 16 years who is considered a mature minor and holds a valid concession card (such as a Youth Allowance Health Care Card). Applicant to use the 16 and over application form. For guidance on assessing whether a student is a mature minor, refer to the department's policy on [Mature Minors and Decision Making](#)
- a parent or carer whose child is 16 or over and the beneficiary of a financially means-tested card but are not considered a mature minor. Applicant to use the 16 and over parent consent form.

For students over 16 years of age and where the eligible card is in the name of the student, the fund is only granted to that student, not their siblings.

### Criterion 2 – Be of school age and attend a Victorian school

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a registered Victorian school.

CSEF is not payable to a student attending pre-school, kindergarten, TAFE or who are home schooled.

### Special Consideration

A special consideration eligibility category exists to assist families and students in certain circumstances. Applications should be made through this application form. For more information, refer to: [Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund \(CSEF\): Eligibility](#).

### Payment amounts

The CSEF is an annual payment paid directly to the school and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child. Please refer to the department's policy for the current rates and more information, [Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund \(CSEF\): Payment amounts](#).

### How to complete the application form

**Note: all sections must be completed by the applicant.**

1. Complete the APPLICANT DETAILS section.  
Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your concession card. You will also need to provide your concession card to the school.
2. Complete the STUDENT DETAILS section for students at this school.
3. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office as soon as possible and no later than the end of Term 2.

### Privacy Statement

The Department of Education is committed to protecting your privacy. All information collected will be handled in accordance with the Privacy Data and Protection Act 2014 (Vic) and the Health Records Act 2001 (Vic). This personal information is collected to assess your eligibility to receive a CSEF payment. Your data is securely managed and only shared with Centrelink and DFFH when necessary for business operations or legal compliance. By submitting this form, you consent to our data practices. For more information regarding correction to your personal information or the handling of personal information please email [csef@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:csef@education.vic.gov.au). For more information about the departments privacy policy, please visit: [Schools' privacy policy | vic.gov.au](#)



# **Sporting Schools is back for 2026!**

**AND IT IS FREE!**

Monday & Thursday afternoons  
3.30-4.30pm

*Starts Monday 2nd Feb and concludes  
Thursday 26th March*

Come along and join in the fun with  
Michael & Remi!

-fun based game play & skill development:  
including bike riding, Auskick, basketball,  
badminton, cricket and much more.  
Contact Meagan or Michael for more details.



**Parent Teacher 'Get to Know You' Meetings  
Wednesday 11th & Thursday 12th February 2026**

Dear Parents

Welcome back! We have had a terrific start and it is great to see everyone settled and ready for a productive term 1. Staff have spent many hours over January preparing for their students. We will conduct Parent Teacher meetings on Wednesday 11th from 3.30– 5.30pm and Thursday 12th February from 1.30-6.30pm. This is a great opportunity for parents and teachers to get together and share information about your child, which will assist their learning. Please indicate which teachers you need to see and the time bracket that suits. Please returned completed forms or email Meagan by Thursday 6th February to secure a time. Meetings can be held remotely via phone if you would prefer– just indicate on your form. Please don't hesitate to contact the school if you have any questions.

**Student/ family name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Teachers (please tick)**

Dianne Wilkinson-Hill

Karen Burgess

Emily Aldous

Natasha Lang

**My preferred time is during the following timeslots:**

**Wednesday 11th February**

..... 3.30-4.00pm

..... 4.00-4.30pm

..... 4.30-5.00pm

.....5.00-5.30pm

**Thursday 12th February**

..... 1.30-2.00pm

..... 2.00-2.30pm

..... 2.30-3.00pm

..... 3.00-3.30pm

..... 3.30-4.00pm

..... 4.00-5.00pm

.....5.00-5.30pm

.....6.00-6.30pm

## MIDDLE KINGLAKE PRIMARY SCHOOL COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2025

Dear Parents

Nominations are now being called for Middle Kinglake PS School Council. There are three parent member positions vacant on council for the 2026-2028 term.

Nominations forms are available from the office and must be lodged before 4pm on Monday 19th February 2026.

Some vacancies arise each year on School Council as councillors complete their two year term. Of course 'retiring' councillors are always able to be renominated for another two year term if they are eligible. In the case of there being more nominations than positions available, we will hold an election as per DET process. We thank all of the School Councillors for the wonderful work they have done for the school over their past 2 year term. All have been very active and supportive School Councillors.

Please call the school if you need further details about the role of a School Councillors.

### WHAT DO YOU NEED TO DO TO STAND FOR ELECTION?

The principal will issue a notice of the election and call for nominations.

Nomination forms are available from the school office.

You are able to nominate yourself and a seconder is no longer required.

Once the nomination form is completed, return it to the school office by 4pm Monday 9th February.

If there are more nominations received than there are vacancies on council, a ballot will be conducted in the two weeks after the call for nominations has closed.

Please ask at the school office for help if you would like to stand for election and are not sure what to do.

### SCHOOL COUNCIL ELECTION TIMELINE

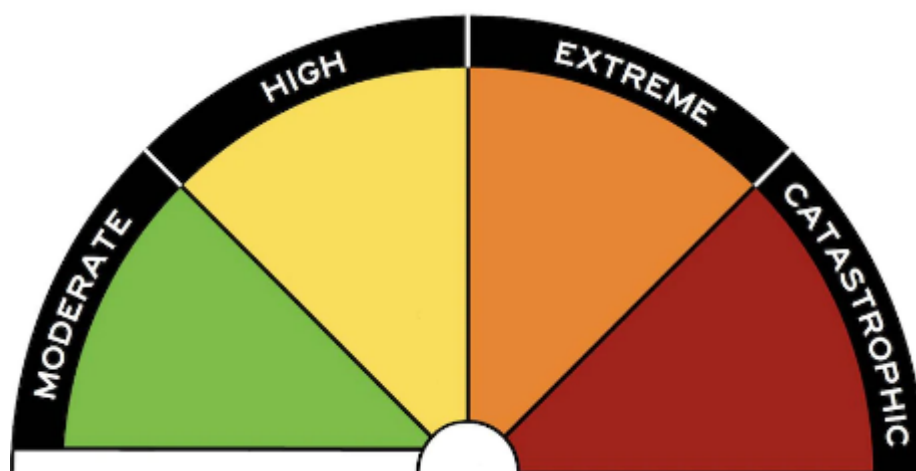
| DATE                    | ACTION  |
|-------------------------|---|
| Thursday 29th January   | Information re School Council published in school newsletter                          |
| Monday 2nd February     | Nominations open and nomination forms are available from the school office            |
| Monday 9th February     | Closing date for nominations 4pm  |
| Wednesday 11th February | If more nominations than positions are received a list of all candidates is displayed |
| Thursday 12th February  | Ballot papers distributed as necessary  |
| Thursday 19th February  | Close of ballot at 4pm  |
| Friday 20th February    | Votes counted and ballot declared   |
| Tuesday 3rd March       | First meeting of new School Council   |
|                         |   |

# BUSHFIRE SAFETY AT MKPS

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**MKPS and OSHC are closed on Catastrophic Fire Danger days.**










There is a new *Work From Home* plan in place for **Extreme** days in the Murrindindi LGA, therefore **MKPS and OSHC will not be open on those days.** We will notify families of these days as they arise and hard copy work packs will be sent home with students.











As always our priority is the safety of students and staff, while working within the Department of Education guidelines. If you have any questions please contact the school.



# January/February 2026

|  | Mon   | Tue   | Wed  | Thu  | Fri         | Sat      | Sun   |
|--|---|---|--|--|-------------|----------|-------|
| Wk 1   | 26 Jan  | 27 Jan<br>Staff return to school<br>Classrooms open 2.30-3.30pm | 28 Jan<br>All students return!<br>9am Assembly | 29 Jan<br>Icy poles<br>   | 30 Jan      | 31st Jan | 1 Feb |
| Wk 2<br>   | 2 Feb<br>Sporting Schools starts 3.30-4.30pm  | 3   | 4 No Preps                                     | 5 World Read Aloud Day 9-9.30am<br>Icy poles<br><br> | 6           | 7        | 8     |
| Wk 3   | 9   | 10  | 11 No Preps<br>P/T Meetings 3.30-5.30pm        | 12 Icy poles<br><br>P/T Meetings 1.30-6pm   | 13          | 14       | 15    |
| Wk 4   | 16 Leadership Assembly 9am<br> | 17  | 18 No Preps                                    | 19 Icy poles<br>  | 20          | 21       | 22    |
| Wk 5<br> | 23 Swimming starts  | 24 Swimming   | 25 No Preps<br>Swimming                        | 26 Icy poles<br><br>Swimming  | 27 Swimming | 28       |       |

# March/April 2026

|   | Mon                   | Tue                         | Wed                               | Thu   | Fri  | Sat  | Sun  |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
|   |                       |                             |                                   |   |  |  | 1  |
| Wk 6<br> | 2 Swimming            | 3 Swimming<br>6.30pm SC AGM | 4 No Preps<br>Swimming            | 5 Icy poles<br><br>Swimming                      | 6<br>W/S Swimming Sports 12.30pm<br> | 7  | 8  |
| Wk 7  | 9 Labour Day holiday! | 10                          | 11 Preps 1st Wednesday!<br>NAPLAN | 12 Icy poles<br><br>NAPLAN                       | 13<br>NAPLAN   | 14   | 15   |
| Wk 8  | 16<br>NAPLAN          | 17<br>NAPLAN                | 18                                | 19 Icy poles<br><br>Gr 6 Yr 7 Reunion 6-8pm      | 20   | 21   | 22   |
| Wk 9  | 23                    | 24                          | 25                                | 26 Icy poles<br><br>Last Sporting Schools for T1 | 27 Gr 6s Young Leaders Day   | 28   | 29   |
| Wk 10   | 30                    | 31                          | 1 April<br>EOT Hot Lunch          | 2 Icy poles<br><br>2pm Dismiss<br>No ASC         | 3 GOOD FRIDAY<br>9am Easter Hat Parade & assembly  | 4<br> | 5 EASTER SUNDAY<br>*Term 2- begins Monday 20th April |



**Kinglake Basketball Association**

Yesterday at 09:35 · 🌐

We can't wait for Season 1 to start.

Sign up now at Play HQ.

Season begins Feb 9th.

<https://www.playhq.com/basketball-victoria/register/cc6086>



# KINGLAKE PONY CLUB

*A community run,  
family focussed club*

📅 Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday each month

🕒 9AM - 3PM

📍 Kinglake Trust Reserve

Showjumping

Dressage

Cross Country

Trail Rides

Camps

Mounted Games

**FUN!**

- ✓ Fun monthly rallies, making friends, socialising horses and new experiences
- ✓ Fantastic facilities
- ✓ Supportive club for all riders with ponies/horses
- ✓ Pathways to competitive riding

Contact us for more information or to arrange a come and try!  
[kinglakeponyclubcommittee@gmail.com](mailto:kinglakeponyclubcommittee@gmail.com)