



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Term 1 Week 10– demonstrating resilience



P/1- Bowie

For showing great resilience by not giving up, even when things feel tricky. You always try and do your best.



1/2- Toby

for never giving up, showing perseverance and always putting in their best effort, even when things are tough.



3/4- Harry

For showing resilience when something didn't work out the first time and he reworked his writing to make sense.



5/6- Harry

For demonstrating great resilience in maths this week, when he learnt something new and it was very tricky, he kept giving it a go.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Friday 24th April	School ANZAC Day service 10.15am All welcome
Monday 28th April	Sporting Schools starts 3.30-4.30pm
Tuesday 28th April	Grade 5/6 Ander Louis Writing program 6.30pm School Council
Tuesday 5th May	House Cross Country 2.30pm
Friday 8th May	Mothers' Day events- 9am Mothers' Day Gift Stall- gifts \$2-\$10 2-3pm High Tea



MILO WEDNESDAYS TERM 2

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

Middle Mate's focus Wk 2 is
Returning homework & reader diaries



TERM 2 MILO ROSTER

Date 10.45-11.30am	Helper 1	Helper 2
22 April	Juliet Cornish	Debbie King
29 April	Kim Cusworth	Lis Kiss
6 May	Jess & Rick Roney	Heather Ryland
13 May	Bec Cassar	Robyn Richards
20 May	Bec Cassar	Robyn Richards
27 May	Bec Cassar	Robyn Richards
3 June	Sandro Capocchi	Lis Kiss
10 June	Sandro Capocchi	Lis Kiss
17 June	Juliet Cornish	Debbie King
24 June		

Can you spare
45 minutes to
assist with hot
Milo in the last
week?



Happy birthday
Mrs Lang- 28th
Piper- 5th



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

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

GEM LEADERS: Congratulations to the term 2 GEM Leaders-
 Grade 5/6– Liam and Eliza
 Grade 3/4– Abigail and Evelyn
 Grade 1/2– Piper and Toby
 Prep/1– Mackenzie and Isabella



ANZAC DAY: Tomorrow is our school ANZAC Day service. The Grade 5/6s have been working hard in preparation of the service. It is always a very respectful and moving event. Everyone is invited to come along, 10.15am in the half court. Followed by morning tea. Special mention also to Olivia and Ben who will be representing MKPS at Kinglake's Dawn service on Saturday morning.



GRADE 6 TRANSITION TO SECONDARY SCHOOL: All Grade 6 students received this booklet on Monday. It needs to be completed and returned to school by 8th May.

MOTHERS' DAY: Our Mother's Day High Tea is such a popular event and always well attended, but it is too much work for just a couple of people to organise. We are hoping to hold it on Friday 8th May from 2-3pm. This year we are calling out for extra assistance with setting up, decorating the hall, preparing food, organising the Bake Sale, coordinating a raffle, cleaning up and running the gift stall in the morning. If you can assist with any of these jobs please talk to Felicity in the office. Many hands make light work and you're all Mums so we want everyone to enjoy the occasion.

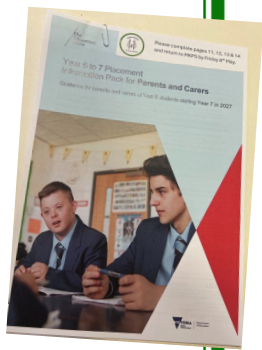
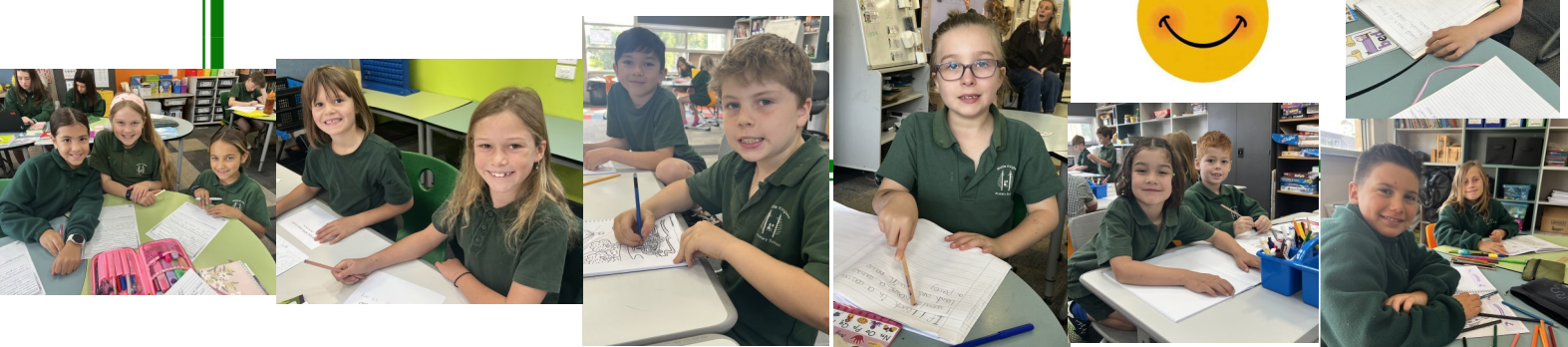
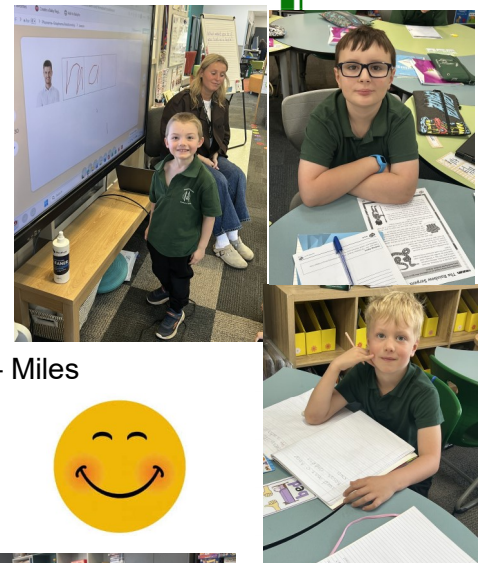


CONGRATULATIONS: Special *Congratulations* to Remi and her partner Rye on their baby announcement! Remi is also expecting a little boy in September. There must be something in the water at MKPS!



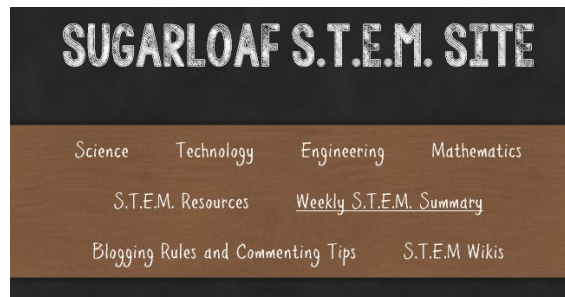
SOME OF THE REASONS WE LOVE COMING BACK TO SCHOOL-

- *Seeing my friends and learning about fractions– Chet
- *Seeing my friends and having a fun time– Ashton
- *Getting to do writing again, I love writing– Araliya
- *Getting back into routines– Maddisyn
- *Doing my Show & Tell and playing at recess– Ryder
- *Because I love learning– Winter
- *Learning about phonics– Amelia
- *Digging the dirt for the OSHC garden. It's fun work– Harrison
- *I like learning here– Hunter
- *Doing Maths again– Asher
- *Learning new things about fractions– Skye
- *Writing– Darcy and I are writing about ANZAC Day coming up– Miles
- *Getting back into doing Reading Groups– Sebastian
- *Quiet reading time– Rose





SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATHS *with Chan, each Monday*



Sugarloaf STEM Blog

Loved getting back into it in S.T.E.M. this week. We started our design unit with the first step of design - thinking about the problem. In the junior years, this meant thinking about a design we'd like to build for a friend. In order for us to make sure our design was great, we thought about the kinds of things our friend liked and played a guessing game to see if we could work out what they liked in pre-created designs. We then used that understanding and questioning to design something for them. In the senior grades we started by testing our knowledge of what the design process is from start to scratch and seeing if we were right. We then started designing our own designs by answering specific questions that revealed the parameters we needed to work within. It was exciting to find out that we knew our friends really well!

CONGRATULATIONS TO STEM AWARD WINNERS FOR THIS WEEK-

- P/1– Bowie
- 1/2– Chase
- 3/4– Darcy
- 5/6– Ashton



TOMORROW

*Middle Kinglake
Primary School
invites you to its
**ANZAC DAY
SCHOOL SERVICE**
on Friday 24th April
at 10.15am.*

Followed by morning tea.





MIDDLE KINGLAKE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Gumnuts Storytime



*For 3 & 4 year olds, 9.30-10:00am
in the P/1 Room at MKPS.*

Thursdays- 7th May, 21st May, 4th June, 18th June



*Come along for a story and activity
in the P/1 room, with Mrs Lang.*

Contact the school for information
on 5786 1295, or just turn up.



MIDDLE KINGLAKE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Is your child starting school
in 2027?

It's time to book a tour!

Call 5786 1295 to book a time.

We would love to show you what we
have to offer our future Prep
students!

BE RESPECTFUL

BE RESPONSIBLE

BE SAFE

Apply online via VicStudents
students.educationapps.vic.gov.au/s/

ONLINE ENROLMENTS OPEN FROM 20TH APRIL 2026.





MKPS BOOK CLUB

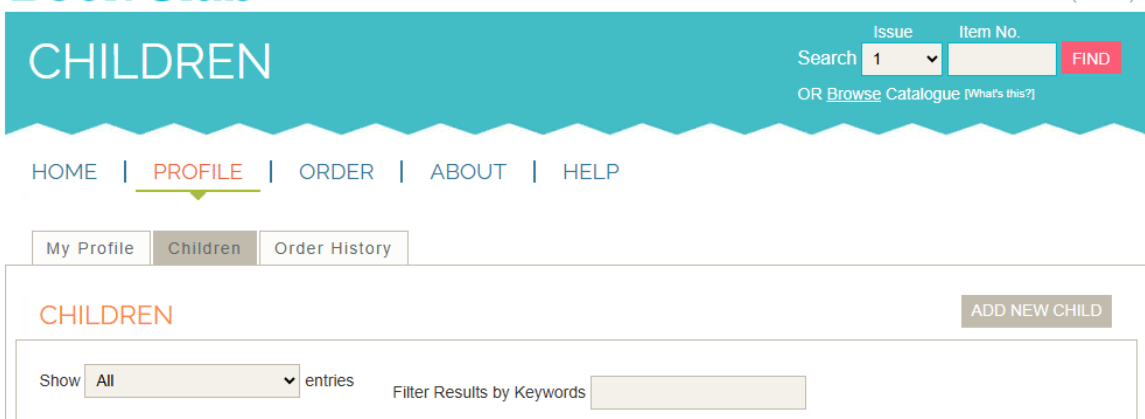
If you are having trouble placing a Scholastic Book Club Order via LOOP online, you need to edit & save your child's details again for the new year.

It should prompt you when you log in, otherwise go to the **PROFILE** tab, then **CHILDREN** then **EDIT** your child/ren
There is only one class to choose from
- Mrs Wilkinson-Hill.

Please **SAVE** and then you should be able to order.

If you need any assistance, please come and see Felicity in the office.

Book Club LOOP







Dear Parents and Caregivers,


You are warmly invited to join us for a relaxed *Cuppa & Catch-Up* session, where we will come together to chat, share, and learn more about Emotional Regulation.

This informal gathering is a great opportunity to:

- Connect with other parents
- Gain insights into supporting children's emotional development
- Share experiences and practical strategies in a supportive environment

 Date: Wednesday 6th May

 Time: 2:45-3:20pm

 Location: OSHC Space

Tea and coffee will be provided.

We hope you can join us for this meaningful conversation and a chance to connect as a community.

Warm regards,
The Wellbeing Team



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FAMILY HUB

When schools and families speak the same language around mental health, our young people thrive.

Our **Family Hub** is designed to keep you in the loop, inspire everyday **wellbeing practices at home**, and help strengthen the connection between what your child is learning in the classroom and how you support them in life.

[Click here or scan this QR code to learn more about our Family Hub.](#)

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IMPORTANT FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR REFERENCE

SCHOOL PHOTOS– Thursday 4th June

100 DAYS OF SCHOOL– P/1– Tuesday 21st July

BOITE SCHOOLS' CHOIR– Tuesday 11th August

P-2 CAMP ACTIVITY DAY & GR 2 SLEEP OVER–
Thursday 17th September

GRADE 6 GRADUATION– Thursday 3rd December

GRADES 3-6 CAMP– 7th-9th December

END OF YEAR CONCERT– Monday 14th December 6pm



Sporting Schools is back for term 2!

AND it is free!

Monday & Thursday afternoons
3.30-4.30pm











*Starts Monday 27th April and concludes
Thursday 18th June*

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










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



May 2026

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
					1	2	3
Wk 3	4	5 House Cross Country 2.30pm 	6 	7 Gr 5/6 Arts Centre workshop 9-11am	8 Mothers' Day High Tea 2-3pm 	9	10 
Wk 4	11	12 District Cross Country 	13 Gr 5/6 Arts Centre workshop 9-11am 	14 Gr 5/6 Arts Centre workshop 9-11am	15 Education Support Staff day! 	16	17
Wk 5	18	19 Gr 5/6 Ander Louis 	20 	21 Gr 5/6 Arts Centre workshop 9-11am	22	23	24
Wk 6	25	26 6.30 School Council	27 	28 Gr 5/6 Arts Centre recordings 9-3pm	29 Curriculum day Report moderation	30	31

June 2026

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
Wk 7	1	2	3 	4 School Photos 	5 Gr 5/6 Big Ideas	6	7
Wk 8	8 King's Birthday holiday 	9	10 	11	12	13	14
Wk 9	15	16 Gr 5/6 Ander Louis  Sour Grapes Show 12.30pm	17 	18 Last Sporting Schools for term 2 	19 Reports distributed 	20	21
Wk 10	22 School Review	23 6.30 School Council	24  P/T Meetings	25 P/T Meetings	26 EOT 2.15pm Assembly 2.30pm dismiss No ASC	27	28
	29	30					



**Kinglake Ranges
Neighbourhood House**
6 McMahons Rd. Kinglake



WHAT'S ON @ THE HOUSE IN APRIL

NEW TERM 2 PROGRAM

Our Term 2 Program will be available from mid-April. The Program outlines the core classes, courses and key services available at the Neighbourhood House. You can visit our website to enrol and pay for any Term 2 classes or courses. Our website and Facebook Page are regularly updated with pop-up workshops and special events, so be sure to keep an eye out.

THE NOOK

Things are really starting to take shape at the Kinglake Ranges Op Shop - The Nook!

We've refreshed our stock and are now offering more of what you asked for - including kids' toys, camping gear, gym and fitness wear, and kids' dress-ups. Our new stands are filling up with some wonderful donations from community members, and there are always new bargains to discover.

FOODSHARE

We are currently seeking **volunteers** to support our **Foodshare Program** at the Neighbourhood House. Foodshare runs every Wednesday from 1.00pm-3.00pm and provides a confidential service for anyone experiencing food insecurity or needing a little extra support.

While the program runs weekly, volunteers are only needed once or twice a month.

If you have a few hours to spare and would like to make a real difference in our community, we would love to hear from you.

HOUSE ACTIVITIES

FIBRE FRIENDS

Second & fourth Tuesdays of each month | 10am-1pm
\$3.00 per Session.

CLAY CLUB

Tuesdays 21 April - 16 June | 6.30pm-8.30pm
\$140.00 Term 2 (9 Sessions) OR \$15.00 Casual Session

LEADLIGHTING

Morning Session

Mondays 27 April - 22 June. 10am-12pm
\$120.00 Beginners. Includes materials.
\$95.00 Advanced. BYO material

No Classes on Monday 8 June (King's Birthday Public Hol.)

LEADLIGHTING

Evening Session

Mondays 27 April - 22 June. 7pm-9pm
Prices as above.



Contact us:
03 5786 1301 | 0482 847 764



More information/enrolments:
www.KRNH.org