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## **Newsletter**

Term 2 Week 2 Thursday 8th May 2025
Principal: Narelle Kusabs Deputy Principal: Toni Webster

## **Important Dates**

## From The Leadership Team

## Tues 20th May

Governing Council

### Fri 6th June

Pupil Free Day

No School

## Mon 9th June

King's Birthday Public Holiday

No School

Welcome back to all students and their families. It's great to see all our students excited to be back and looking forward to another busy term. In particular, a special welcome to our new students and their families. We hope your time with us is both enjoyable and rewarding.

### **Mother's Day Stall**

THANK YOU for supporting our Mother's Day Stall this week. A special THANKS to our parent volunteers Amanda, Sonia, Skye and Jessica for helping set up and run the stall and for helping students choose some lovely gifts.



#### **50th Year Celebration Fete**

It's Keller Road Primary's 50th anniversary this year. We will be having a special fate and invite our current community and past scholars to attend on Friday 20th June 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. It will be a little different to our 1979 FUNARAMA, unfortunately there will not be bingo, fashion parade or wine tasting available like we had back then! If you have any old photos of our school we would love to share them. Please send any appropriate pictures to dl.0632.info@schools.sa.edu.au

## **Understanding Trauma-Aware Practice**

Trauma-aware practice is an essential approach in education, recognising the profound impact that trauma can have on a student's ability to learn and engage. By fostering a supportive and understanding environment, educators can help students feel safe and valued, promoting healing and resilience.

- Creating Safe Spaces: Ensuring that the classroom is a secure and welcoming environment for all students.
- Building Trusting Relationships: Developing strong, positive connections with students to support their emotional and social well-being.
- Promoting Emotional Literacy: Encouraging students to express and manage their emotions effectively.
- Adapting Teaching Strategies: Using flexible and inclusive teaching methods to accommodate diverse needs.

By integrating these principles, educators can better support students who have experienced trauma, enhancing their educational outcomes and overall well-being.

# FUTURE KEY DATES

Friday 20th June 50th Year Celebration Fete 3-5pm

Please note Important and Future Key Dates are subject to change



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## Introducing the New SA Curriculum: Numeracy

The South Australian Department for Education is excited to announce the launch of the new Numeracy curriculum, designed to equip students with essential mathematical skills for the 21st century. This updated curriculum focuses on developing critical thinking, problem-solving, and practical application of mathematical concepts.

#### Key Features:

Real-World Applications: Students will engage with numeracy through real-life scenarios, enhancing their understanding and relevance of mathematics in everyday life.

Integrated Technology: Incorporating digital tools to support interactive and engaging learning experiences.

Personalised Learning: Tailored approaches to meet diverse student needs, ensuring that every learner can achieve their full potential.

Collaborative Learning: Encouraging teamwork and communication through group projects and activities.

This curriculum aims to foster a deep appreciation for numeracy, preparing students for future academic pursuits and career opportunities. For more information, educators and parents are encouraged to visit the Department for Education's website <u>For parents and families</u>.



Materials and Services Charges 2025 (School Fees)

School fee information and invoices have been sent home and are NOW OVERDUE. All families should have received this information. If you are intending to apply for school card and haven't yet done so, please do so as soon as possible.

#### **School Card 2025**

Information on the eligibility criteria, income limits and the application process for School Card is available online at <u>SA.GOV.AU - School</u> Card scheme.

Paper application forms are also available from the Keller Road front office. Our Business Manager can offer assistance to complete the forms if required. If you need assistance, please contact the front office or phone the School Card information section on 1800 672 758.



# **WHAT'S NEW IN KUTA 2**

Kuta 2 has spent the beginning of this term exploring the meaning of ANZAC Day through a range of engaging activities.

Students created detailed flip books by researching the history, symbols, and stories of ANZAC Day using a variety of resources. They then used their learning to write thoughtful acrostic poems reflecting the values of bravery, sacrifice, and remembrance.

A highlight was working with their Year 1 buddies on a collaborative poppy art activity. Students also enjoyed baking ANZAC biscuits and writing imaginative letters to loved ones serving in the war.

Kuta 2 approached their learning with empathy, curiosity and a deep appreciation for the people and stories that have shaped Australia's history.





We invite the Keller Road Primary School families & community to join us for our 50th Year Celebration Fete!

# FRIDAY JUNE 20TH | 3PM-5PM

## Come and have some fun!



- Lolly Bags
- Side Shows
- Bowling
- Mini Dunk tank
- Staff Sliming
- Raffle
- Face Paint
- And much more!



Stalls Organised by the Year 5/6 Students

Fundraising to minimise costs to families for the Year 3-6 2025 Camp