



Keller Road
Primary School

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Newsletter

Term 3 Week 6 Thursday 28th August 2025
Principal: Narelle Kusabs Deputy Principal: Toni Webster

Important Dates

**Mon 1st - Wed
3rd Sept**

Father's Day Stall



Thurs 4th Sept
Pupil Free Day

No School

Fri 5th Sept
School Closure Day

No School

**Mon 8th - Wed
10th Sept**
Yr3-6 Camp

FUTURE KEY DATES

Tues 23rd Sept
Governing Council

Fri 26th Sept
Last Day Term 3
Early Dismissal 2pm
(1:45pm YAITYA)

*Please note Important and
Future Key Dates are subject
to change*



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Out of School Hours Care
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From The Leadership Team

PAT Testing

The Progressive Achievement Tests (PAT) are online reading comprehension and maths assessments aligned to the Australian Curriculum. The tests are administered each year and provide teachers with information about the learning strengths and needs of their students.

PAT testing will occur over the next few weeks. This test provides us with valuable data about your child's Literacy and Numeracy capabilities. PAT tests are completed by year 1-6 students. They are a similar format to NAPLAN, however the results are for school based planning only. If you have any questions please contact the school.

Bullying No Way Week of Action

The Bullying No Way: National Week of Action against bullying, violence and racism, was held from 11th to 15th August 2025. At our school, we highlighted the theme of "Be bold. Be kind. Speak up" throughout the week.

Purple is now the hero colour that represents Bullying No Way: National Week of Action. So on Thursday 14th of August we had a casual day, "Wear a pop of purple" to raise awareness. All the money raised was donated to the Kids Helpline.

Book Week

This year's Children's Book Council of Australia Book Week theme was "Book an Adventure". Many activities took place around the school throughout the week, celebrating authors and illustrators. On Tuesday, 19th of August, Keller Road Primary School students celebrated Book Week with a wonderful dress up parade. A fabulous array of colourful costumes were on display. Students shared books with families, many of them they had made themselves. Please see inside for photos.

School Closure and Pupil Free Day Reminder

The Governing Council has approved our Pupil Free day to be on Thursday 4th September. Staff will be participating in a cultural awareness training. Our School Closure Day is on Friday 5th September. Please be aware that there will be no staff on site on this day. OSHC services will be available with prior booking.

Student Illness

There has been a recent spike in student illness. Please inform us if your child has tested positive to COVID or Influenza. We have a number of students who have compromised immune systems, this information helps us when monitoring their health at school.



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Department for Education

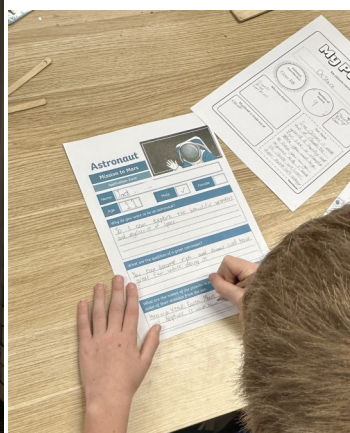
Curiosity Rocket



We had a super curious day last Wednesday when a rocket crash landed in our yard! The event sparked lots of questioning, exploring, creating, chatting and crafting!

Junior Primary spent the morning decorating stars with different textures, styles and materials! Primary Years spent the afternoon doing applications to be astronauts, funky astronaut art works, rocket building with STEM and astronaut and alien masks!

We have begun to dive into the word 'curiosity' and what that means for us as learners, community members and real world citizens!



Book Week



Children's Book Week
16–23 August 2025

BOOK AN
Adventure



Science Week

We celebrated National Science Week from Monday 11th to Friday 15th August with students engaging in many classroom learning activities. Every day at first break time Miss A also shared some science experiments and activities which were a very popular way for students to spend their break!

Monday: Mentos and coke

Tuesday: Tornado in a bottle

Wednesday: Science theme colouring and board games

Thursday: Self Inflatable balloon - vinegar and bicarb soda

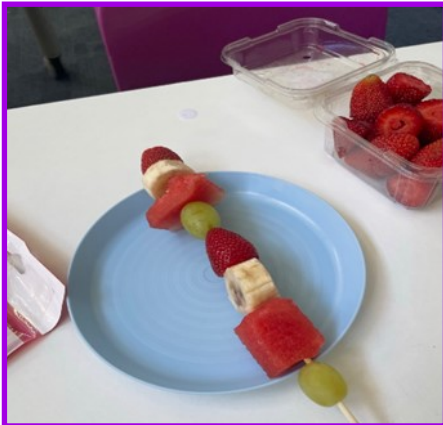
Friday: Elephant tooth paste, Mentos and different fizzy drinks



Yaitya 1 ~ Miss Lucy



This year, Yaitya 1 have been busy learning through play, hands-on activities, and sensory experiences that support their social and emotional growth. Our students enjoy exploring cooking sessions, where they get to experience a variety of tastes and textures while building important life skills. Play-based and sensory



activities continue to be a big part of our learning, helping students to connect, communicate, and engage with each other in positive ways. Yaitya 1 are thriving in their learning environment and embracing every opportunity to explore, create, and grow!



Parent & Community Information

Father's Day Stall

The Keller Road Fundraising Committee will be hosting a Father's Day Stall on:

**Monday 1st,
Tuesday 2nd &
Wednesday 3rd
September**

**Items will be for sale from
\$1 up to \$10.**

We invite students to come along and buy something special for Dad, Grandpa or other significant person in their life

Keller Road Primary School



Joey's

5 – 8 years old

Be Prepared to Join Scouts!

Come and Try – 3 visits for FREE

Northridge Para Vista Scout Group

Kentish Green, Warren Road, Para Vista

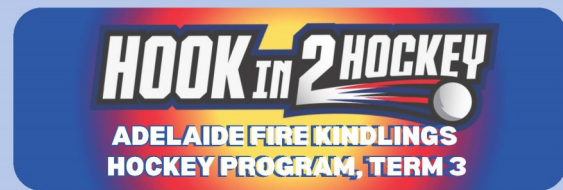
Joey's – Tuesday Nights – 6.00pm – 7.00pm

Contact: Gary Powell (Group Leader)

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All Abilities

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FOR SCHOOLS & GROUPS**



Come and try basketball in a safe and friendly environment with experienced coaches!

Below are some of the amazing benefits from attending these tailor-made training programs. In school programs can be further specialised to students involved.

- Improved playing skills
- Increased confidence on and off the court
- Greater team-building skills
- One on one engagement with others
- Positive involvement for all.
- Wheelchair basketball options available.

Specifically designed for children with:

- An intellectual or physical disability
- Learning and integration difficulties
- Any type of special needs

SPORTING SCHOOLS OPTIONS AVAILABLE school vouchers can be used

PROGRAM	DAY	AGES	LOCATION	TIME	FUNDING AVAILABLE
In school	AM/PM	R - 12	Your School	Subject to availability	Sporting Schools
Magill	PM	8 - 16	Magill Uni Campus	4:45pm - 5:30pm	Vouchers
Mawson lakes	PM	8 - 16	Lab 46	2:00am - 2:45pm	Sports Vouchers



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