DISCO FEVER
**DATE CLAIMER 2014**

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<td>Active Travel Raffle/Draw</td>
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<td>Prep * Yr 1 Transition Day</td>
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**ITEMS MARKED * ARE THOSE THAT PARENTS MAY WISH TO ATTEND.**

**CLASSROOM NEWS**

**STUDENT OF THE WEEK AWARDS**

**‘You Can Do It’ Awards last week**

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<td>For being a beautiful listener and working hard to improve her writing</td>
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<td>Xavier P</td>
<td>For being a real mathematician while collecting data</td>
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<td>Nathaniel B</td>
<td>Demonstrating independence during writing tasks</td>
<td>1GC</td>
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<td>Alyssa F</td>
<td>For having a great attitude to learning and working well in reading groups</td>
<td>1M</td>
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<td>Aiden H</td>
<td>Working very well in swimming time and completing the lesson</td>
<td>2H</td>
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<td>Nathan B</td>
<td>You are a great friend and show a kind attitude in all areas</td>
<td>22G</td>
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<td>Tilly D</td>
<td>For confidently and independently having a go at Maths tasks</td>
<td>2/3P</td>
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<td>Lucas S</td>
<td>For showing great initiative and persistence to all work activities</td>
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<td>Simranjit D</td>
<td>Showing great interest in learning and contribute consistently in class</td>
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<td>Clare</td>
<td>Remarkable effort in Term 4s Geography unit on Sustainability</td>
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<td>Lucy P</td>
<td>For organization and helpfulness in class</td>
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<td>Caitlyn M</td>
<td>Making a great start with your independent writing goals</td>
<td>5V</td>
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<td>Mikayla F</td>
<td>Always trying your best and working hard to improve your reading comprehension</td>
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<td>Aiden J</td>
<td>Keep up the persistence with calculating Walking Wheelie Wednesday Data</td>
<td>6/7B</td>
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<td>Morgan G</td>
<td>For the great work on your story about the hungry insect</td>
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<td>For being quick and organized when getting changed for their swimming lesson</td>
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**MUSIC NOTES**

**Date Claimers:**
- String and Concert Band Concert Evening – Wednesday 5th November 6:00pm
- Instrumental Music Recruitment Information Evening – Wednesday 12th November 6:00pm

**End of Year Choir Pizza Party** – Wednesday 3rd December – 1st break
**End of Year Concert** – all year levels + choirs – Friday 5th December 6pm

**Christmas Choir** – Junior/Senior Choirs – Sunday 7th December 4pm

**Rehearsals:**
- Junior Choir – 1st break Tuesday
- Senior Choir – 1st break Wednesday
- Recorder Tutoring – 2nd break Monday

Ms Lupton – Classroom Music Teacher

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**P&C NEWS**

**KSS P&C MEETING**
**TUESDAY, 11 November 2014**
**TIME: 7:00pm**
**WHERE: KSS Hall / Multimedia Room**
Everyone Welcome

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**FETE NEWS**

**BOOK DONATIONS NEEDED**
Donations of books are needed for the 2015 Kedron State School Fete Pre-Loved Book Stall. The used books can be delivered to the Parent Room (near the uniform shop) from 10 October 2014.

**Collection Times:** Tuesdays & Fridays 8:15am-8:45am & 2:45pm-3:15pm

If you have a large donation of books you would like collected or you are not able to bring the books at the designated times please contact me and I will be happy to make alternative arrangements.

Patience Orford patienceorford@optusnet.com.au or 0438 384 168

Blair Thompson - P&C President pandcpresident@kedronss.eq.edu.au

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**UNIFORM SHOP**

**Uniform Shop Open**
Tuesday afternoon 3:00pm– 3:15pm
Friday morning 8:15am – 9:00am
for all your uniform requirements.
We accept payment by EFTPOS, Cash or Cheque for all P&C monies

Order forms will be sent home this Friday for Year 6 Senior shirts for 2015. Shirts must be ordered and paid for this year and will be delivered early in Term 1. Students will soon have the opportunity to vote on the back screen print design. Please contact the uniform shop or email catherinehowell@optusnet.com.au if you do not receive an order form.

Catherine Howell – Uniform Shop Co-ordinator

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**INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC NEWS**

**PLEASE NOTE – DATE CHANGE**
**INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC NIGHT NOW ON NOVEMBER 5TH**
**INSTRUMENTAL INFORMATION EVENING NOVEMBER 12TH**

Paul Johnston – Instrumental Teacher

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**BOOK CLUB**

Redgum Book Club – Issue 4 Brochures are being distributed. All orders must be completed by Monday 17th November. The Redgum Book Club promotes predominantly Australian authors, illustrators and publishers. 10% of all sales return to the school to be used on literacy resources. There are 5 ways to order online, email, fax, phone or post. For more information or to view books and order online go to www.redgumbookclub.com.au. You can pay by credit card or check. Cheques must be made out to Redgum Book Club and posted to Reply Post 30, PO Box 935, Mona Vale, NSW 1660.

Sales are Firm Sale only and refunds/exchanges will only be made for faulty goods.

All orders will be sent to the school and will be distributed to the students. For “special” occasions, e.g. Christmas, birthdays etc., you may not want your child to know you’ve ordered, you can contact me and I can arrange to have your order delivered to the uniform shop or office for collection.

If you have any queries you can contact Redgum Bookclub directly at 1800 803 443 or you can contact me.

Reminder Scholastic Book Club – Issue 7 October orders were due Tuesday 21st October. The back page order form and payment need to be returned in a named envelope via the classroom collection containers. Cash, cheque (payable to Scholastic Australia) or receipt number for the completed credit card transaction directly with Scholastic, is accepted as payment. (If you are ordering from 2 or 3 brochures, the single total credit card amount can be paid once, not individually for each. Please note the receipt number on the order form.) For “special” occasions, e.g. Christmas, birthdays etc., you may not want your child to know you’ve ordered, you can drop off and/or collected by arrangement from the Uniform Shop. Please mark on your order you wish to pick up from the Uniform Shop. Look through Issue 7 Book Clubs Brochures and write your Summer Reading Wish List for a chance to win it! The wish list needs to reach Scholastic by 14 November 2014. See www.scholastic.com.au/competitions for more details.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any queries. Thank you to the wonderful volunteers who help put together the brochures for the class groups your help makes a big difference!

Patience Orford 0438 384 168 - Book Club Co-Ordinator

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**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**KEDRON STATE SCHOOL DOES NOT ENDORSE ANY OF THE ADVERTISEMENTS APPEARING IN OUR NEWSLETTER**

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**KEDRON STATE SCHOOL SWIMMING LESSONS**

Belgravia Leisure is recognised as one of the most successful Learn to Swim and coaching providers in Australia teaching children of all ages to all ages to be water safe.

Our program caters for toddlers and progresses through to squad level and adult classes. Our instructors are fully qualified and strongly believe that swimming lessons can make a significant difference to the enjoyment and safety of a child’s life.

Our professional Swim School offers:
- Lessons in the morning and afternoon
- Austswim Qualified instructors
- Squad training for Children and Adults
- Royal Lifesaving Society Australia Endorsed Program
- Adult lessons Group/Private

Program: Designed to cater for all ages and all levels of non-swimmers and swimmers, our program teaches children in a progressive way adding one skill at a time, our program also includes the royal lifesaving program.

**TO BOOK PLEASE CALL - 0487 771 769**
DANCE DRAMA ACTION

Dance Drama Action offers specialised tuition in Classical Ballet (RAD), Contemporary, Jazz and Drama in a safe, creative and nurturing environment.

Classes are held throughout the year in the Kedron State School Community Hall, Leckie Road, Kedron
For further information about classes and to receive a 2014 Information Package, please contact:
Michelle Machen – 0421116202 or email dancedramaaction@gmail.com

KEDRON STATE SCHOOL TENNIS

Everton Tennis & Gear conducts MLC Hot Shots tennis lessons after school on our tennis court. For more details - please contact 3266 1660 or email info@tennisgear.com.au

YMCA KEDRON OSHC

PH: (07) 3350 5333
Fax: (07) 3350 5077
Mobile: 0438 788504
Before and After School Care
Vacation Care Available

TOOMBUL INDOOR SPORTS CENTRE

Toombul Indoor Sports Centre is inviting you to try our Junior Netball and Soccer Programs.
If there are any boys & girls interested in an afternoon of skills, drills and game play please contact us on (07) 3266 5699 or enquiries@toombulindoorsports.com.au

Netball
Where: Toombul Indoor Sports Centre, 137 Bage Street Nundah
When: Thursday afternoon from 4pm onwards
Cost: Ages 4 to 7 $6 per child (Session of training skills & drills)
Ages 8+ $8 per child (Session of training skills & drills)

Soccer
Where: Toombul Indoor Sports Centre, 137 Bage Street Nundah
When: Friday afternoon from 4pm onwards
Cost: Ages 4 to 7 $6 per child (Training skills & drills followed by a game)
Ages 8+ $8 per child (Training skills and drills followed by a game)

Both boys & girls are encouraged to come along to join in the fun of the program.
If you have any questions regarding the program or to enquire further, please contact us via email or phone at any time.
Contact: 07 3266 5699 Email enquiries@toombulindoorsports.com.au or Web: toombulindoors.com.au

Holiday coaching camp When: 15, 16 and 17 December 2014 (Mon & Tues Live In)
Camp includes: 4 x 1hr 30 mins Hockey session. 4 x 1hr 30 mins rec-reational activities, Mini Olympics
Cost: $295 (includes all meals and accommodation + HQ draw-string bag, 2 camp shirts, hat and water bottle)

LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE
REGISTER ONLINE