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## Kerry Street Community School Term 2, 2021

*Term Focus: We act with care and love, mindful of our place in the wider world.*

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat / Sun
	12	13	14	15	16	17 / 18
<b>1</b>	<i>Staff PL Day</i> 19	<i>First Day of Term 2</i> 20	21	22	23	24 / 25
<b>2</b>	<b>ANZAC Day</b> 26	Marketing Meeting 10:00am 27	RAP Group Meeting 3:30pm 28	Anniversary Meeting 2:00pm 29	30	1 May Busy Bee 2
<b>3</b>	3	4	5	Keeping Safe Parent Session 6	7	8 / 9
<b>4</b>	10	NAPLAN Year 3 and 5			14	15 / 16
<b>5</b>	17	AGM 18	19	Outdoor Classroom Day 20	21	22 / 23
<b>6</b>	24	25	National Sorry Day 26	National Reconciliation Week 27 28		29 / 30
<b>7</b>	National Reconciliation Week			4	5	6
	31	1 June	2	3	4	5 / 6
<b>8</b>	<b>Western Australia Day</b> 7	8	PP/1/2 Excursion 9	10	11	12 / 13
<b>9</b>	14	15	16	17	Year 3/4 Excursion 18	19 / 20
<b>10</b>	21	22	23	24	25	26 / 27
<b>11</b>	28	International Mud Day 29	30	Plastic Free July 1 July	Last Day of Term 2 2	3 / 4
	5	6	7	8	9	10 / 11

\*Whole School Events appear in bold

\*\*Tentative Events appear in italics

## Kerry Street Community School Term 3, 2021

*Term Focus: We are a community that contributes to the daily life and future of our school.*



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## Message from Melissa...

Well term 2 is well under way! Once again there is a lot happening this term. The board and leadership team will be focusing on re-registration. All Non-government schools in Western Australia are required to be registered by the Director General of the Department of Education. This process occurs at regular intervals, depending on how many years of registration a school receives. Kerry Street last completed registration in 2017. Registration provides assurance to parents and the community that non-government schools meet the standards determined by the Minister and other requirements specified in Part 4 of the *School Education Act 1999* and the *School Education Regulations 2000*.

Another big focus this term is our 40th Anniversary. Due to venue availability we have rescheduled the date to Saturday the 11th of September. This will give us more time to plan and organize and ensure the event is the best it can be. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Taylah [taylah.griffin@kerrystreet.wa.edu.au](mailto:taylah.griffin@kerrystreet.wa.edu.au).

Other upcoming events include our Annual General Meeting (see more information about this in Board News below), National Reconciliation Week, National Sorry Day, Outdoor Classroom Day as well as some exciting class excursions.

As it is going to be a very busy term (as they all seem to be), I would like to take this opportunity to remind community members that I welcome your feedback and value

input on all matters. I ask that if you would like to discuss any matter with me you arrange a time to meet either with myself or Linda. This allows me to check my calendar to find a time that ensures I can give you my full attention. Please feel free to contact us via email [kerrystreet@kerrystreet.wa.edu.au](mailto:kerrystreet@kerrystreet.wa.edu.au) or [principal@kerrystreet.wa.edu.au](mailto:principal@kerrystreet.wa.edu.au) or see Linda in reception to make an appointment.

Kind regards,

**Melissa Kennedy**

Principal



*40 years tells a story...*

We invite past and present students, staff and community members to please save the date for our upcoming celebrations!

*Saturday ~ 11th ~ September*

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# Busy Bee

We held our busy bee for term 2 on Saturday the 1st of May. Thank you to all the families that participated! We had an amazing turnout and completed almost all of the tasks scheduled for this term!

One task that is yet to be completed is removing rubbish item to the tip. If anyone needs to make up some community hours and has access to a ute or trailer please see Linda. We do have tip passes that can be used for this task.



## Board News

### **2021 Kerry Street Community School AGM**

**Tuesday 18th May, 3:30 pm, in the KSCS hall**

**It is very important that a representative of every family attends the AGM.**

As well as being a wonderful school for children and families, KSCS is an 'association' made up of all parents, teachers and community members. When you join KSCS, you become part of our association.

Being an association means we follow 'rules' in the way we operate (our Constitution), have a governing body (Board) and hold an annual AGM. The AGM is where the Board presents to our community the annual report on our school's achievements and finances and answers questions from association members. The AGM is also where we vote on members of the Board for any vacant seats. This year we have both existing and new members standing for election.

At the AGM we try to keep the less exciting bits short and include more fun bits to help the community engage. So, at the end of AGM the Principal gets to talk to you about plans and projects for the year ahead and answer any burning questions you

may have.

**Please make every effort to attend the AGM as a member of each family is expected to attend.**

**This meeting usually takes no longer than an hour and we make participating as easy as possible for families with food and childcare provided.**

Thanks and see you there!

Regards

Tania Ivey

Board Chair



# 2021 AGM

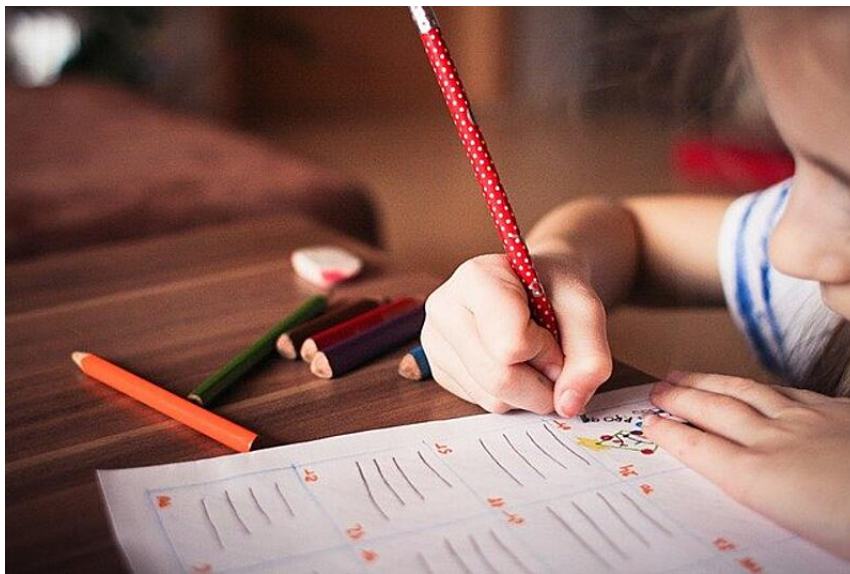
**A rep from every family is asked to attend  
Childcare and refreshments available**

Tuesday, 18th May  
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm  
KSCS Hall

KSCS 2020 Annual Report  
Board member elections  
Principal's presentation



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## NAPLAN

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) will run this week. NAPLAN assesses literacy and numeracy skills and provides parents and schools with an understanding of how individual students are performing at the time of the tests.

Students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 participate in the annual NAPLAN tests in reading, writing, language conventions (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and numeracy. NAPLAN is just one aspect of a school's assessment and reporting process – it does not replace ongoing assessments made by teachers about student performance.

NAPLAN will take place in the library. Please try to restrict access to this area and the outdoor courtyard whilst NAPLAN is taking place in order to reduce noise and distractions.

Tuesday 11th May - Language Conventions & Writing

Wednesday 12th May - Reading

Thursday 13th May - Numeracy

Friday 14th May - Catch up

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## Wet Weather Reminder

Now that the wet weather is here, we would still like the children to enjoy as much outdoor play as possible, can you please send a **towel**, a change of clothes and a plastic bag in case they get wet.

Students who do not have the above items will not be allowed outside during wet weather. We want to ensure students have warm, dry clothes to get changed into if required.

If your child is unwell and you would prefer they do not play outdoors when raining, please let your child's teacher know, either via email or in person.

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# Parent Forum

Just a reminder that there will be a Parent Forum meeting next Thursday 13th May at 3.15pm. The meeting will take place at school in the front yard.

The focus will be on Parent Forum initiatives to support our upcoming anniversary. All families are invited and welcome to attend.

We also have a Parent Forum Facebook group where you can keep up with projects and connect with other members. [Click here](#) to join.

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## Community Jobs

The rosters for cleaning and cooking are up on the fridge in the kitchen - please feel free to sign up.

We would like to try and advertise our lunch menu in advance to encourage more staff and students to sign up. If you know what you plan on cooking please include this on the roster and/or add it to the whiteboard located in the kitchen.

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## Lunch Roster

To sign up for school lunch please check out the Kerry Street - Parents and Extended Families Facebook group or check the kitchen fridge for the roster, don't forget to get in early and get your name on the list for your cook.

10th May - Sophie & Coco

11th May - Fanja Steane

12th May - Lauren Milne

13th May -

17th May - Serenity Herold

18th May - Vanessa Kerslake

19th May - Ben Grassham

20th May - Aariel McNaughton

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## Term Two Cleaning Roster

Our Term 2 cleaning roster is open for parents to sign up. If you haven't yet signed up and would like to help, please contact Kate Hart or Ryan Lloyd via email at [ksjobscoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:ksjobscoordinator@gmail.com) or find the roster on the fridge in the Kitchen.

11th May - Mia  
13th May -  
18th May -  
20th May -  
25th May -  
27th May - Mia

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## Lunch Payments

Please note the following bank details for school lunch:

**BSB: 016307**  
**Account: 263330626**  
**Name: Kerry Street Community School (Inc)**

Please feel free to deposit money regularly into the kitchen bank account to cover your child's lunches, remembering to use your name as a reference each time. As long as we have a way to identify your payment, we'll be able to correctly reconcile your school lunch account.

You can also speak with Linda in the front office to deposit money directly.

If you still owe the kitchen money from 2020, we would appreciate it if you would please make a payment as soon as possible so that we have funds available to reimburse parents for their grocery purchases.

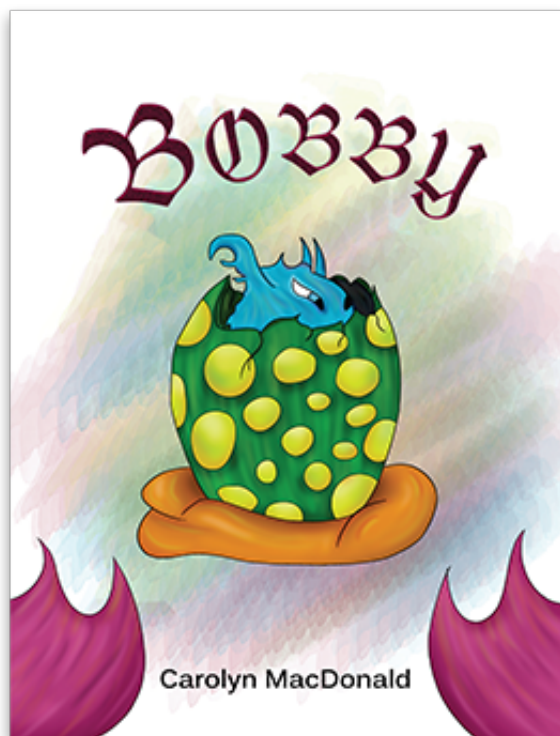
**If you have any questions about the school lunch system, please don't hesitate to contact our Kitchen Coordinator via email**

## Dental and Health Forms

If you have received dental or health nurse forms and wish your child to participate please return them to the office as soon as possible.

If you don't want your child seen by the Health Nurse, the Nurse has requested that you please return the forms.

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### Bobby

Bobby is a story about a young dragon and the journey he takes through the trials and tribulations of life as he grows with the loving support of his parents. Written by our very own and very talented, Carolyn MacDonald this lovely book is available to buy. You can order Bobby through Dymocks.

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## KSCS Playgroup

**What to bring: A plate of fruit or veg to share**

**Where: KSCS Wildspace**

**When: Friday's 9:00am to 12:00pm**

Come along and join us for sensory and nature play, and another opportunity for our community to come together!

You can attend two playgroup sessions before you need to sign up as a Playgroup WA member, which covers insurance and gives you access to other benefits. Fees are an annual \$35 fee to Playgroup WA, and \$10 per term fee for our playgroup kitty to cover the cost of tea/coffee/craft supplies, etc.

Please speak to Hannah for more information, or email [kerrystreetplaygroup@gmail.com](mailto:kerrystreetplaygroup@gmail.com)

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## Containers for Change

**Did you know that the Containers for Change Scheme is a great way for your organisation to fundraise?**

Community Recycling WA is already working with a large number of community organisations and schools in supporting fundraising efforts.

Kerry Street is now registered for Containers for Change. Our scheme ID is: C10356646

For more information or to find a collection point head to <https://communityrecyclingwa.org.au/>

Happy collecting!

**Firzana Jones**

Public Relations Coordinator

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**Support your Community.....**

# Book Club LOOP

**LOOP** is the Scholastic Book Club  
Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform.

It's easy to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order  
using your credit card. If your school is not yet in the **LOOP**,  
speak with your school's Book Club Organiser.

Head to [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP)

or



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**Note:** You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school.

Looking for **MORE** product information? Additional content such as videos and downloads are available for select titles. Select your issue and enter the item number to view information on titles and some great resources, such as videos and reviews.

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LOOKING FOR MORE PRODUCT INFORMATION?

Item No.

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- 3 Click on **ORDER** and enter the item number from the Book Club catalogue.

- 4 All orders are linked directly to the school for submission to Scholastic. Books will still be delivered to your child's classroom if you order by the close date.

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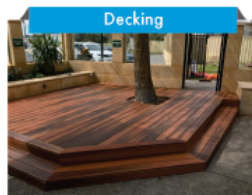
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