## Newsletter

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# Excellence



#### Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Hope you are all well and have enjoyed another great weekend of weather. Congratulations to Koonibba Football Club on a great win over the weekend.



A great game of football to watch, Koonibba are far too good. I hope you all celebrated the win. Back at school we have lots coming up. Today we are closing school at 2:30 as staff need to travel to Penong Primary School for the final part of our Cultural Competencies training.

On Thursday and Friday we have the White Lion Leadership group coming to Koonibba School to work with the upper primary class. This is a federally funded program which endeavours to improve and develop children's leadership skills. This is a great opportunity for students and we look forward to working with them.

Next week the junior primary class will be travelling to Fowlers Bay for an excursion. Students will be gone all day and upon return will stay at school for tea. A note should be going home very shortly. We would also encourage parents to attend.

We have just received the results from this year's NAPLAN. All test information will be sent to families this week. Please take the time to read over the results as it has a very detailed explanation of how your child performed. If you would like to discuss the test results please contact the school.

Sports Day will be occurring in week 10 on Thursday the 28<sup>th</sup> of September. This year we are again giving tokens to students for weekly 100% attendance and for good behaviour. All tokens will again be spent at the end of sports day on food, clothing, etc.

It has come to my attention that there may be a few children and families leaving the community for a funeral this week. Please make sure you come to school and complete absence slips for your child(ren). I would like to congratulate and welcome our new AECO at Koonibba Aboriginal School Alison Ware. Alison comes to us with a wealth of experience. She has been a teacher here and overseas and is very keen to take on the AECO's role for the rest of this year and possibly longer. We would like to wish her all the best at our school and we look forward to working with her.

Regards,

Wade Branford

### School Calendar

#### Week 6

Thursday 31st Aug and Friday 1st Sept-White Lion Leadership group.

#### Week 7

Wednesday 6th Sept- Junior Primary class Fowlers Bay trip and tea at School.

#### Week 8

Monday 11th Sept- Mr Branford SSASA Adelaide

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> Sept-Milo T 20 Blast Cricket.

**Dental Clinic**Monday 28<sup>th</sup> August – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> September Please call 0434601394 between 8.30-4.30pm during this week only for an appointment. This is a completely free servi school aged children!

#### **School Uniforms for Sale**



## Students with 100% attendance (including absent notes from families)

#### Week 4 Term 3

Latavia Doolan
Glen Edwards
George Mastrosavas
Alvin Austin
Jaysharna Coleman
Kevin Milera
Kloeisha Miller
Tathan Wanganeen
Tristan Edwards
Eric Peel

Travis Wanganeen Taesharne Ware Emily Dudley
Hayden Edwards
Winston Newchurch

Cecil Betts Canessa Doolan Reshawn Milera Gerald Peel-Williams Tamika Edwards

Kayshayla Gray-Peters Mollena Peel-Coombes

Jahmarri Ware

#### Week 5 Term 3

Latavia Doolan Emily Dudley
George Mastrosavas Jadell Milera
Glen Edwards Hayden Edwards
Winston Newchurch Alvin Austin
Cecil Betts Reshawn Milera
Gerald Peel-Williams Ernest Ware
Leilani Betts Jaysharna Coleman

Canessa Doolan Kevin Milera
Kloeisha Miller Mollena Peel-Coombes

Tristan Edwards Jahmarri Ware

Taesharne Ware Kaysha

Eric Peel

Kayshayla Gray-Peters