From the Principal’s Desk...

This week has been another busy week. NAPLAN Testing for Year 3 and Year 5 continues and will be finished on Thursday with the Numeracy Test.

eGATS nominations close this Friday 15 May and paperwork needs to be sent in. There will be no late applications.

This week we have started Whole School Spelling Rules. Over the coming weeks, we will be focusing on these rules in the classroom and with our buddies. We will be using the newsletter to show each week’s rule, so that you can reinforce them when doing homework with your child/children.

A special thank you to our Senior Class Practicum student Mrs Pankhurst. Your contribution and making connections with the students from Kelly’s Plains was outstanding. We wish you well in your future endeavours and hope to see you again as a qualified teacher.

Next week continues to be another busy week as we have Jump Rope 4 Heart on Wednesday and the Small School’s Athletics carnival at Rocky River on Thursday. We are asking parents to drive their children to and from Rocky River. If you have any problems finding transport or are unable to transport your child, please let me know as we may be able to arrange a lift for you.

Don’t forget the P&C lunch for this Friday. Delicious Mexican or Ham (just like last time) wraps and slice for $6.00. There will be an Assembly this Friday starting at 2.30pm.

Andrew Watson

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MAY

Fri 15 Assembly
Wed 20 Jump Rope for Heart
Thurs 21 Small Schools Athletics Carnival Rocky River

JUNE

Sun 14 Working Bee 10.00am start BBQ lunch

WHOLE SCHOOL SPELLING RULE #1

PLURAL RULE ONE

Most words add ‘s’ to make the plural

one apple  two apples

desk  →  desks  teacher  →  teachers
name  →  names  park  →  parks
town  →  towns  month  →  months
card  →  cards  truck  →  trucks

Try these …

pencil  →  ______ cup  →  ______
book  →  ______ pad  →  ______
tree  →  ______ plant  →  ______

Star Students

Alyssa Matheson
For working well in class.

Elijah Croft
For great work during buddies.
Kelly’s Plains Public School
Student Absence Note

My child …………………………………… of class …………………… was absent from school on the following dates ………………………………………………………………………………………

For the following reason ………………………………………………………………………………..

Parent/Carer Signature: …………………………………………….  Date: ……………………….

P&C LUNCH ROSTER - Term 2

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Jayne Croft  
(0439 784 491)  
Donna  
Richard  
Mel

Jane Weier  
(0421 346 779)  
Allison  
Bec  
Katrina  
Adam

Brooke Edwards  
(0421 346 153)  
Robyn  
Gin  
Jani  
Marisha

Mary Eickhoff  
(0477 712 993)  
Jannelle  
Step  
Jo  
Kate

Wraps and slice  
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?

The names in bold lettering with the phone number are the team coordinators. Please contact your team coordinator if you require further information about this roster or if changes need to be made.

DIRECT DEPOSIT DETAILS

Account Name: Kelly’s Plains Public School Administration Account  
BSB: 032-001  
Account No. 142170  
Ref: Student’s Name

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You can direct deposit money for the major excursion or any local excursions/school activities that require money.
Upper Division have been having fun learning about physical and chemical changes in Science this term. Our favourite science experiment was dropping an entire packet of Mentos into a bottle of Diet Coke. The result was a literal fountain of soft drink and bubbles! You can try it at home or just check out this YouTube video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LjbJELjLqZq P.S. If you try it at home, make sure you’re outside.

Mrs. Pankhurst and Years 3-6