Friday 22nd October

Chicken Burger with Lettuce and Mayo and a drink $5.00
Please place orders in the box in the foyer by Thursday morning.

Popcorn on sale at lunch time only, 50cents

Once again I take this opportunity to thank the volunteers who so kindly devote their time to assist with many of our programs. The staff, children and families of KPS sincerely appreciate this dedication.

All volunteers have to complete a police check before committing to our programs and we appreciate their cooperation in this compulsory process.

Our Year 6 Shirts have arrived and have been distributed to those students who have ordered and paid. We do have some spares. Cost is $20.00 and please see Mrs Oates if you would like to purchase one.

It is very important for students to show RESPECT toward all Casual Teachers. Our Casual Teachers are essential for the continual smooth day-to-day school operation.

Our Positive Behaviour Learning focus this week is RESPECT. We will also be concentrating on safe and respectful movement in corridors.

Our Christmas Concert theme is ‘Colours of Christmas’. Our Artistic Director is the talented Mrs Anne Llewellyn who is coordinating the program. She is also working with classes to assist them with their rehearsals. Each class has a colour associated with the colours of the spectrum. Save-the-date:

‘Colours of Christmas’
Wednesday 1st December 2010
KPS Hall
Times to be notified

Parents – please wait in the courtyard now winter is over. Please do not wait in corridors near classrooms.

Breakfast Club – due to circumstances beyond our control Breakfast Club will be closed this Wednesday 20/10/2010 and Friday 22/10/2010 ONLY. It will be operational again 3 days per week as of Monday 25/10/2010. Mrs Di-Falco, Breakfast Club Co-ordinator sincerely thanks again, the Breakfast Club volunteers who are here every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The majority of the volunteers have been involved with the program since its inception four years ago.

QuoCka – KT and KS are indeed happy to have their turn in the QuoCka program over the next 4 weeks. Thanks again to our QuoCka Volunteers.

Sue Watterson
Relieving Principal

DIAMOND LEVEL STUDENTS

Mathew McIntee

Imogen Abreu

Shannay Deith

Caroline Harvey
Congratulations to our
BRONZE LEVEL STUDENTS

SILVER LEVEL STUDENTS

GOLD LEVEL STUDENTS

These students will receive their Level Reward coupons at the Whole School Assembly this week.

Family Portrait
Saturday 23rd October 2010
Limited numbers left $20.00
Call the office to make your booking

Library
Up Coming events – “Destination Book Fair”
Great opportunity to purchase Christmas presents Friday 5th November.
Book Character Dress Up & Pre Christmas Book Sale
Volunteers needed, please see Mrs Hayes in the Library.

Parents and Visitors Reminders
If the front office staff are busy, please wait patiently in the foyer and you will be attended to as soon as possible. Please DO NOT go around to the back office as this area is for STAFF ONLY and therefore a breach of security. Your compliance in this matter is appreciated.

It is important to notify your children in the morning before they arrive at school of any changes to their routine after school. As you can appreciate, it is difficult to locate children and pass messages on late in the afternoon as classes are not always in their rooms.

Coles Sports for Schools Pack
Starting Thursday 2nd September 2010 until Sunday 31st October 2010, every $10 customers spend at Coles Supermarket, Coles Online, Bi-Lo and Pick’n Pay stores will earn a Coles Sport for Schools voucher worth 1 point. Please place your vouchers in the box in the foyer and help our School to purchase some great new sports equipment. To date we have 6885!!

NSW Department of Education and Training
Western NSW Region Creative Arts Camp 2010
The Western NSW Region Creative Arts Camp 2010 will be held at Lake Burrendong Sport and Recreation Centre from the 14th November till 18th November 2010. It is shaping up to be another very successful and worthwhile Creative Arts Camp. Excellent tutors for dance, drama, music, singing, circus arts, movie making and visual arts are being appointed for the week. Students will engage in Creative Arts activity groups as well as activities organized by the camp personnel. These may include grass skiing, rock climbing and archery. Again there will be night time entertainment such as games and quizzes. A culminating concert will be performed for parents and caregivers in the Thursday before departure. The total cost of the camp is $260.00. This covers accommodation, meals and tuition. 120 places are available to be filled this year. Please contact Mrs. Llewellyn on 63311577 for further information.

P&C NEWS
2010 P&C EXECUTIVE
President: Trevor Johnson
Vice President: Amie Vincent
Secretary: Debbie Johnson
Treasurer: Debbie Sarkis

During term 4 P&C are planning for a family ‘Discmas’ which will be a disco with a Christmas theme. This will take place on Friday 5th November with a BBQ at 5.30 pm followed by a disco from 6.00 – 8.00pm. A Christmas stall for the children and a raffle is also in the plans. Please continue to support our small band of hard and enthusiastic workers to achieve their goals and provide additional resources for the school.

SCHOOL FEES
This year we have set a goal of raising the much needed funds to buy Smart Boards for the remaining five classrooms in our school. We are hoping that you will support us in this project. One of the ways we are saving for these smart boards is by using the money from school fees to go towards them. Every family is asked to pay $10 per term for 1 child, $15 per term for 2 children and $20 per term for 3 or more children.
**Kelso High Campus – Enrolment Night** – Thursday 4th November 6.30pm for students starting year 7 in 2011 and also their parents. Please enter through Boyd Street entrance. You will have the opportunity to purchase uniforms and pay school fees. On Tuesday 7th December a full day’s orientation program will be held at Kelso High for year 6 students.

**Bathurst High Campus – Enrolment Night** – Tuesday 30th November 7pm for students starting year 7 in 2011 and also their parents. Orientation Day will be Tuesday 7th December at Bathurst High for year 6 students.

There will be an **Eye Doctor** (Optometrist) at the Aboriginal Lands Council, 149 Russell Street on Thursday 28th October 2010 starting at 9.30am. To make an appointment phone Darren Smith on 63305677 or drop into Bathurst Community Health Centre, Bathurst Base Hospital.

**BCF Carp Blitz 2010**
Sunday, November 7th 7.30am -2pm
Entry - Gold coin donation
- Great prizes
- BBQ
- Refreshments
- Free Bait
- NSW Fisheries Info
- Central West Catchment Authority Info
- School teams comp
- Fishing licences available
- St John ambulance in attendance

**Beginner’s Piano Lessons**
$15 per ½ hour; Teacher: 6th grade Suzuki student; Contact Jarrod Grabham; Phone: 6331343

**Term 4 2010 Calendar**
- Friday 29th October 2010 – Kinder Smart Start
- Tuesday 2nd November 2010 – Musicia Viva
- Thursday 4th November 2010 – KHS Orientation Evening
- Friday 5th November 2010 – Destination Book Fair
- Friday 5th November 2010 – Whole School Assembly
- Friday 5th November 2010 – Kinder Smart Start
- Friday 5th November 2010 – P&C Discmas
- Wednesday 10th November 2010 – P&C Meeting
- Friday 12th November 2010 – Kinder Smart Start
- Friday 19th November 2010 – Kinder Smart Start
- Friday 19th November 2010 – Whole School Assembly
- Friday 26th November 2010 – Year 6 Mini Fete
- Friday 26th November 2010 – Kinder Smart Start
- Saturday 27th November 2010 – Susan Colley’s retirement dinner
- Tuesday 30th November 2010 – BHS Welcome Information evening
- Tuesday 7th December 2010 – Presentation day
- Tuesday 7th December 2010 – BHS Orientation Day
- Wednesday 8th December 2010 – P&C Meeting
- Wednesday 8th December 2010 – Xmas stall and raffle
- Monday 13th December 2010 – Class parties
- Thursday 16th December 2010 – Staff development day
- Friday 17th December 2010 – Staff development day
Class News

KS
We have had a great start to term 4 and are enjoying reading all about Sebastian the Wombat who lives in a hat.

KT
Welcome back to Term 4. Wow the year is going so fast. We are learning all about different places where people & animals live. Remember to read each night & practice your tricky words.

K/1D
Welcome back. Mrs Byrne is on class. We will be learning about goods & services.

1/2C
Welcome back! Lots happening this term, watch the newsletter. Please try to return last terms home readers. News and levels need to go home.

1W
We are talking about dairy cows and food made from milk.

K/6N
We are enjoying being back at school for term 4, and are looking forward to the warmer weather.

2C
Welcome back to a very busy Term. We are going to be learning about where our goods come from and like the little red hen we will be baking our own bread.

2/3J
Welcome back! We started learning about the Commonwealth Games and India. We’ll also be learning about ‘Being Australian’

3/4T
Welcome back to a busy, busy term! We are learning about where our goods come from and like the little red hen we will be baking our own bread.

3/6J
Welcome back! This term we will be looking at celebrations, particularly Australian celebrations leading into our Christmas celebrations. We are looking forward to it!

4S
Term 4 already! This term we have started by looking at the Commonwealth Games. How many medals did Australia finish with? Ask us!

5A
Our Class is looking at Antarctica this term. The Environment, the flora & fauna, the scientists and the explorers among other things.

5/6S
This term our class is looking at Antarctica. The environment, the animals, explorers as well as other interesting aspects

5/6T
We are looking at the Kosciuszko National Park and it’s sustainability including the impact of brumbies in the Alpine regions.

Early Intervention
Our students are really happy to be back. We are enjoying spending time together. Some of our class will be moving on to high school next year so we will start visiting schools soon.