

Term 1 – Issue 1
5th February, 2018

Principal
Greg Hunt

Deputy Principal
Tish Clarke

Contact Details:
54 James Street
Kellerberrin 6410
PH: 90454308
FAX: 90454537
EMAIL:
Kellerberrin.dhs@
education.wa.edu.



Kellerberrin District High School

Chalkdust Chat

YOUR GUIDE TO THE SCHOOL NEWS, INFORMATION AND EVENTS

OUR FABULOUS STUDENTS READY FOR A SUCCESSFUL 2018



DON'T FORGET....

SWIMMING LESSONS MONDAY 5TH FEBRUARY to FRIDAY 16TH FEBRUARY

P&C SUNDOWNER THURSDAY 8TH FEBRUARY – 5PM

P&C AGM THURSDAY 8TH FEBRUARY – 6.30PM

SCHOOL BOARD WEDNESDAY 14TH FEBRUARY

‘Successful Students, Quality Staff, A Connected Community’

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Welcome everyone to the 2018 school year! We have had a great start with students attending and participating enthusiastically in all activities both in and out of the classroom.

A School Vision Survey

Staff and some of our School Board members were fully engaged in Professional Learning on Monday and Tuesday of this week to review and reflect on our 2015-2017 Business Plan. We were also able to develop some ideas and processes for the next three years. It is vitally important that as a school moving forward we understand what you as parents and the community would like our school to be. As a result I will be sending an anonymous survey home to each family today. We will be collecting and analysing this data which is crucial to the strategic planning and future direction of our school.



Miss Jones & Mrs White

2018 Staffing and Class Structures

Class	Teacher	Education Assistant
Principal	Mr Greg Hunt	
Deputy Principal	Mrs Tish Clarke	
Little Learners		Mrs Jodie D'Arcy (Tu)
Kindy	Mrs Marlene Johnson	Miss Leanne Dale
Pre Primary/Year 1	Mrs Tanya Cox (M-Th) Miss Aulbany McAlinden (F)	Mrs Lesley Saunders (M-Th) Miss Penny Wilkins (F) Mrs Jodie D'Arcy (M, W, F)
Year 1/2	Miss Simone Jones	Miss Leanne Dale (Tu, F)
Year 3/4	Mr Mitchell Berliner	Mrs Jenna Saunders (M, Tu)
Year 4/5	Miss Emily Talbot	Mrs Rochelle Giles (M, W, Th)
Year 5/6	Mrs Melinda White	Mrs Sallyann Silver (M, Tu, W)
Year 7-10	Miss Rachel Forknall	Mrs Sam Griffiths (M-Th) Mrs Pip Arthur (F)
Health & Phys Ed	Mrs Laura Nicholls (M-W)	
Science/ Digital Tech/Middle School	Mrs Sara Wilkins	
The Arts	Miss Aulbany McAlinden (W, Th)	
School Chaplain	Mrs Michelle Diver (M-Th)	
Manager Corporate Services	Mrs Sandra Doncon	
School Officers	Mrs Agnes Smith (Tu-W) Mrs Wendy McNeil (W-F)	
Library Officer	Mrs Alison Morgan (Tu, Th, F)	
Gardener/Handyperson	Mr Michael Rothwell	
Cleaner in Charge	Mrs Sue Stewart	
Cleaners	Mrs Jane Gilham Mrs Sam Stone	

Little Learners

Mrs D'Arcy is eagerly looking forward to all of our Little Learners starting next Tuesday 6th February! Sessions are for 0-4 years of age and run from 8.50 am- 10.30 am. If you have any queries regarding Little Learners please feel free to contact the Office.

Student Leadership Group

I am very much looking forward to seeing our **Student Leadership Group**, led by Mrs White and Mrs Clarke, provide positive experiences for all of our students. It is also important to note that members of the team have the opportunity to develop their own leadership and social skills. I would like to welcome the following students to our Student Leadership Group and wish them well for the 2018 school year.

STUDENT COUNCILLORS 2018

Chloe Forsyth
Georgia Langford
Dylan Garlett
Jasper Giles
Hudson Hammond
Matilda Saunders

FACTION CAPTAINS 2018

Stirling
Kody Judge
Tiarna McIntosh
Forrest
Jarrod Ugle
Tamzyn Smit
O'Connor
Lucas Griffiths
Cheyanne McIntosh

School Development Days 2018

School Development Days are vitally important to our school and provide our staff the opportunity to advance their skill set, network and develop whole school and classroom plans. Our School Development Days (pupil free days) for 2018 are scheduled on the following dates:

Term 1: Mon & Tues 29th & 30th Jan 2018

Term 2: Mon 30th April 2018

Term 3: Mon 16th July 2018

Term 4: Monday 8th Oct 2018

On Entry Assessment Pre Primary – Year 2

Throughout weeks three to six the PP to Year 2 students will be participating in On Entry Assessment. This assessment will provide the classroom teachers with information about your child's current skills and understandings in literacy and numeracy. This information then allows teachers the opportunity to plan and develop targeted learning programs that address the needs of each child and identify children who may require early intervention or extension. Should you require any further information about this assessment please contact your child's classroom teacher or Tish via the Office.

Greg Hunt
Principal

NOTES SENT HOME | Please return the following notes:

- Faction Swimming Carnival Permission & Helper Notes
- Digital Technologies Acceptable User Agreement (Middle School)
- Internet Use – Code of Conduct (K – 6)
- Authorisation Form (Photo, Media & Local Excursion)
- SeeSaw Electronic Portfolio Consent Form

The
Kellerberrin P&C

Invite students and their family to a
Welcome Back To School

“Sundowner”

Thursday 8th February 2018, 5.00pm

(Undercover Area)

P&C AGM to follow at 6.30pm in Library

(All positions are vacant)

FREE Sausage Sizzle

Drinks for Sale

STUDENT ABSENCES

TEXT ABSENCES TO: 0437 202 819

It is a requirement that parents or carers advise the School if your child will be absent.

For your convenience please text if your child will be absent from School.

If your child is recorded as being absent by 10am you will be contacted by our SMS message system. Please reply text to acknowledge your child's absence or ring the school on 90454308.

SCHOOL HATS

A reminder that school hats are part of our school uniform.

“No Hat = No Play”

If you have lost your hat you can purchase a new one from the office (Navy hats for Yr 7-10 & Royal blue hats for K- Year 6)

\$12.00 per hat

SCHOOL FEES

CONTRIBUTIONS & CHARGES

Kindy	\$ 60
Pre Primary	\$ 60
Year 1 – 6	\$ 60
Year 7-10	\$235
P&C Membership	\$ 5

Payment Options (part payments accepted)

Cheque or cash to the School Office
EFT to Kellerberrin DHS

BSB 086732

Account 45 400 0427