

Kismet News

Empowerment & Excellence in Education for all

Dear Parents, Staff and Students,

Thank you to all families for their cooperation and support in dealing with the Gastroenteritis outbreak that was identified on Friday. Your efforts greatly assisted us in minimising the impact on our community.

Please remember it is always important to keep children at home when they are unwell.

Thank you also to all parents who have participated in our Three Way Conferences and Parent Teacher Interviews throughout the week. Opportunities such as these play an important role in establishing effective home school communication that supports your child in being the best they can be.

We encourage all parents to follow up teacher recommendations for home learning such as nightly shared reading (especially in the early years of school) to promote sound Literacy skills which are so important.

Student Welfare

You Can Do It! Education's main purpose is to optimise the social, emotional, and academic outcomes of all young people.

The 5 Keys of YCDI! Education are:

Confidence (academic, social)
Persistence
Organisation
Getting Along, and
Resilience.

Accompanying today's newsletter is the Michael Grose article 'The Language of Resilient Families'. Please take the time to read the article which provides a range of strategies which reinforce the YCDI! Foundation of Resilience.

Out of School Hours Care Survey

Thank you to those families who completed and returned last week's Out of School Hours Care survey. All surveys completed and returned by Monday 19th August will assist School Council to ensure the service meets the needs of all families. If required, copies of the survey are available from the office or on our website.

<http://kismetparkps.vic.edu.au>

Helping Keep Your Kids Safe On Line

6:30-7:30pm 20th August 2013

Building B

Think U Know is an Internet safety program delivered by an Australian Federal Police Officer delivering interactive training to parents, carers and teachers. On Tuesday 20th August at 6:30 Kismet Park will be hosting a 'Think U Know Parent Cyber Safety program for parents (please note this presentation is not aimed at students). A flyer accompanies today's newsletter. We encourage parents who are interested in learning more about safe use of the internet to attend.

2014 Enrolments

We ask families of Prep students commencing school in 2014 to finalize their enrolment by Friday 16th August. When enrolling a child, please bring proof of age (e.g. Birth Certificate or Passport) and a School Immunization Certificate. Information regarding immunization certificates can be found at:

<http://www.medicareaustralia.gov.au/public/services/acir/keeping-track.jsp>

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Friday 16th August: 2:30pm Assembly

Monday 19th August: School Council

Tuesday 20th August: 5/6 Golf

Friday 23rd August: Better Buddies

Friday 30th August: Father's Day Breakfast, Cultural Book Day & Better Buddies

Friday 6th September: Summer Round Robin

Monday 9th September: Grade 6 Graduation Photo

Friday 13th September: 5/6 Golf & 2:30pm Assembly



Week 5 Maths Challenge 5 Term 3



There are three baskets, a brown one, a red one and a pink one, holding a total of ten eggs.

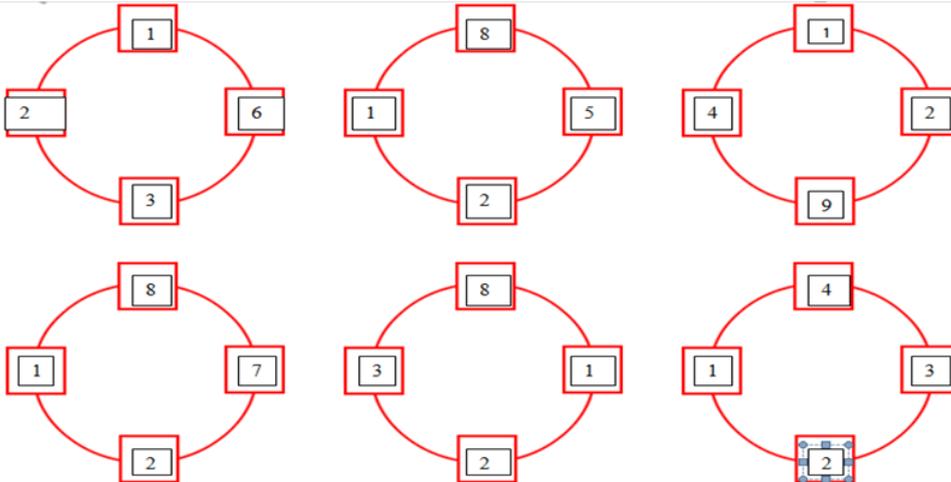
The Brown basket has one more egg in it than the Red basket.

The Red basket has three eggs less than the Pink basket

How many eggs are in each basket?



Answer to Maths Challenge 4 Term 3
Some answers (there are more)



PLEASE HELP!
WE NEED PLASTIC BAGS FOR OUR SICK BAY. IF YOU HAVE SOME LYING AROUND AND WOULD LIKE TO RECYCLE, PLEASE BRING TO THE OFFICE.



SUNSMART- FROM SEPTEMBER 1ST, NO HAT, NO PLAY

From September, 5 things to remember

1. Slip on covering clothing. If you can see skin, UV can reach it.
2. Slop on SPF 30+ or higher broad spectrum sunscreen. (One application isn't enough so set up strategies for reapplication during the day).
3. Slap on a hat that shades the head, face, eyes, ears and neck.
4. Seek shade.
5. Slide on sunglasses if practical. Make sure they are labelled AS 1067.

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Pupil of the Week

Congratulations to the following students who were awarded ribbons for Pupil of the Week for GETTING ALONG.

PB	Charlie O'Sullivan
PC	Stasios Paras
PT	Georgia Soderstrom
PW	Charlie Hynes
1/2B	Maya Twigg
1/2C	Hamish West
1/2L	Mitchell Mason
1/2M	Nathan Hunter
1/2W	Charlie Parsons
3A	Kyla Ward
3B	William Merrigan
3M	Jack Harrison
4J	Lily Collins
4S	Isaak Dowsett
4W	Abbey Clarke
5/6C	Tahla Johns
5/6G	Gemma Allen
5/6K	Name not supplied by teacher
5/6N	Bailey Korteman
5/6Z	Zoe Price

Sunbury Gymnastic College

Come and try Gymnastics classes for girls & boys ages 2 and up. Recreational and advanced classes, develop coordination, confidence and strength.



Please HELP if you can

One of our neighbours (family with 3 small children) at 22 Holloway Close had a fire at their house last Friday. The bathroom was totally destroyed and the rest of the house is badly damaged by smoke and soot.

The insurance assessor has been to inspect the damage and the cleaning can now begin. Unfortunately the insurance will not cover the entire clean-up cost.

The family has asked for assistance with the following.

Do you know of a 3-bedroom home to rent (month by month)?

They also urgently need: Storage boxes
Packaging material

They will also need some help with cleaning and then packaging up every item in the house. If you are able and willing to help, could you please come and see them (if the car is there) or leave your name, contact details and what day and times you are available on the cardboard noticeboard under the carport.

There is a lot to do and your help is greatly appreciated.

Girl Guides Car Boot Sale

Thursday 22nd August

Time: 6:30-7:30pm

Where: Sunbury Guide Hall,
Miller Street

Masks, Bracelets, Lucky Dip, Card Making & Sausage sizzles





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Trivia Time from 4J

During this Term we have researched information about Sunbury, past and present, using our new laptops. We made videos about what we discovered with the Ipad's.

Can you answer these questions. We did!

So we have provided the answers for you, if you need a little help!



1. Who was Evans Street named after?

2. Can you name all the supermarkets in Sunbury?

3. What aboriginal tribe were the first inhabitants of the Sunbury area?

4. How many children attend KPPS?

6. When did George Evans first come to Sunbury?

5. How many secondary schools are in Sunbury? (don't forget the Redrock school!)

8. Who was Boardman Stadium named after?

7. What is next to the Royal Hotel?

9. What was the aboriginal name for the Sunbury area?

10. How many local football ovals are here?

12. Who was Clarke Oval named after?

11. Was Mount Holden a volcano?

13. How many children did George Evans have?

14. When was the first Sunbury Pop Festival?

15. Why is it called Mount Holden?

16. How did George Evans and the Jackson brothers travel to here for the first time?

17. What is the name of the street at the entrance to Rupertswood?

18. What was here before KPPS?

19. Are we good at researching? T/F

Answers 1. George Evans 2. Coles, IGA, Safeway/ Woolworths, Aldi, Melba Ave, Fooworks 3. Wurnundjeri! 4. 458 5. four 6. 1836 7. Westpac bank 8. Eric Boardman. 9. Koorkaakoora cup 10. six 11. Yes 12. Sir William Clarke 13. Six 14. 1972 15. Anne Holden became Mrs George Evans. 16. Sailed up Jacksons Creek in a small boat. 17. Macedon Street 18. Kismet Park Stud and racetrack. (that's why we have a horseshoe motto) 19. True

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