



**Kensington**  
SECONDARY SCHOOL

# Kensington Secondary School

*An Independent Public Education Support School*

Term 2, Issue 9  
28th June 2019

## School Times

8.30am—2.40pm

## Recess

10.20am-10.40am

## Lunch

12.35pm-1.05pm

## Dates to Remember

**Fri 5 July**

Last Day of Term

**Tue 23 July**

Students commence

**Tue 6 Aug**

P&C Meeting/Uniforms  
9am

**Mon 12 Aug**

Musica Viva Incursion

**Tue 3 Sept**

P&C Meeting/Uniforms  
9am

**Fri 6 Sept**

Athletics Carnival

**Fri 27 September**

Last Day of Term

## From the Principal's Desk

*It is with heavy hearts that this week we commemorate the life of Adrian Labiche. Adrian was such a presence within our small and close knit community, bringing his humour and his gentle and caring spirit to everything and everyone he was involved with. All of us will carry within us some invaluable personal memory of Adrian and the joy he brought to us. So it is with the deepest sincerity that on behalf of all students, parents and staff, I offer Adrian's parents, Andre and Sandra and his sister, Shanika, our most heartfelt sympathy at this time of sorrow. There are never any right words at times such as this, but I hope the weight of our love of Adrian and the compassion we have for his family will provide for them some sense of support and comfort.*



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As we prepare for Term 3, we look forward to the return of Ms Julia Johns from maternity leave. Ms Johns will be working Thursdays and Fridays in Room 6 and is looking forward to her return.

Sadly, I must also announce the departure of Mrs Claire Hegarty who has secured a promotional position as Deputy Principal at Castlereagh School. Mrs Hegarty has proven herself to be a very talented, much loved and respected member of the staff, and I heartily congratulate her on her promotion but know she will be missed by all at Kensington.

I shall be telling this with a sigh  
Somewhere ages and ages hence:  
Two roads diverged in a wood, and I—  
I took the one less travelled by,  
And that has made all the difference.

Robert Frost

**Steve Hordacre**

# HASS

The upper school HASS class has had an enjoyable semester tracing the changes in food and food production from the middle ages to the present, making some surprising discoveries about the origins of particular food items and changes to farming techniques. In the photos, students explore old and new ways of grinding wheat and parsley.



## Science



The students have been busy in the last weeks of term finishing art projects and completing fun experiments for Science. They experimented with ingredients such as vinegar, eggs, lemons and bicarb and observed all the different reactions. Super fun!

Thank you to our local Grill'd restaurant in Vic Park for choosing Kensington Secondary School as one of the beneficiaries in their Local Matters community support program.

Here are staff members Alison and Vikki receiving a \$300 cheque from Mike.

Thank you Grill'd!!



### P&C News

It is now time to return all Disabled Children's Association raffle tickets together with any monies collected, to the office - sold or unsold.

There are still Bogan Bingo tables and tickets available.

### Uniform

We are now selling polos in the old fabric for a reduced price of **\$20** until stock has been depleted - limited sizes available.

Polos in the new fabric will now sell for **\$30** due to increased supplier costs.

### A Word from Admin

Thank you to those parents and carers who have already paid the 2018 Charges and Voluntary Contributions.

Full and part payments can be made by cash or cheque at the office.

Alternatively, payments can be made via EFT. Our school bank account details are:

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| <b>Bank:</b>    | <b>Commonwealth</b>                |
| <b>BSB:</b>     | <b>066040</b>                      |
| <b>Account:</b> | <b>1990 0516</b>                   |
| <b>Name:</b>    | <b>Kensington Secondary School</b> |

**Karen Trivanovic**  
**Manager Corporate Services**

Please inform the school for our attendance records, if you decide to keep your child home due to illness or other reasons. Our admin email address is the preferred method of contact: [kensington.ss@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:kensington.ss@education.wa.edu.au) or phone the office on 9367 3620 before 8.45am if possible.

If you are thinking of moving house and you want your child to continue attending Kensington Secondary School, **please** contact the school to check the bus boundaries. If you move outside the bus boundaries, your child will not receive transport.

**Eugene Maguire**  
**Deputy Principal**



# *In loving memory of Adrian*



*Rest in Peace*