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Term 2 Week 3 14th May 2020

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From the Principal's Desk

Hi everyone and welcome to our week 3 Term 2 Newsletter. I would like to personally thank Cherie, Bec, Shara, Sally and Jude for your amazing work and quick learning with our online delivery for learning. This work has enabled learning to continue and your child's progression at Kelly's Plains Public School to remain on target. I would like to say such a large thank you to our parents who became teachers/superheroes/home managers on top of being a carer through this time I hope we never see again. Your resilience and support for your children has gone above and beyond with such a quick teacher induction of around 30 minutes on Google classroom. We are so excited to be able to be able to resume our normal teaching programs in line with health and Department regulations. To see all the smiles as we have had all students return and wait eagerly for their friends to arrive back has been a delight. As always if you have any queries I look forward to assisting. If you could please make a time for these meetings to ensure you have my undivided attention. Have a wonderful week and I hope we can see you this side of the fence shortly.



Variety Bash

As many of you already know the variety Bash have had to postpone due to these circumstances and have said they plan to return to us next year when it is rescheduled.

Covid 19 Rules

Thank you for following our gathering rules at the school with no groups allowed around our school gates. I know this has been hard and when change comes I will be quick to inform you all. Of course pre-arranged visits on the progress of your child are still available.

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Advice and support for parents

If you would like further information from the Department of Education you can access this at

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19>

Or at

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/advice-for-families>

Your Child's Learning

This week we have been able to resume face to face to teaching for all students on all days. If you have concerns please speak with Mr Annetts and alternate arrangements can be made to support student learning.

NEWSLETTER

- We will continue to provide a paper copy of the newsletter and photos for this newsletter.
- For our next newsletter I am looking at providing just the photos and e-mailing as well as Skoolbag for the information. I will look into posting a calendar also to provide a quick source of information.
- A great source of information continues to be a quick catch up morning or afternoon or phone, text.

Welcome Back Back BBQ

Post this situation and when things are back to normal we are looking forward to hosting another welcome BBQ at the school to continue to support our community and make up for the no gathering rules. We will update you all when this opportunity is available.

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