

# Kimberley School of the Air

# **School News**



# **Important Dates**

Term 3 2020

20 July - 25 September

Term 4 2020

Starts Monday Oct 12th

Week 5 Camp Broome

9th—I3th November

**KSOTA Freecall** 

1800 816 212

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#### Mr Noble's News

Good morning all. Here we are in week 7 of this term already. I know there is some fantastic work being done out there and I believe that many people need to take a bow!

I want to start by thanking the fantastic Home Tutors that we have that are working really hard to make our curriculum so effective. I believe also that the teachers are working hard to make our new initiatives work and of course I need to make mention of our hard working students!

I have already seen great evidence of work in exercise books. Pages neatly ruled up, complete sentences, diagrams and date in the margin. This physical evidence is making my belief in the course that we have set for our school is the absolute right one.

#### Mr Felstead

I am able to state that after a long time at KSOTA, Mr Felstead will be retiring at the end of the 2020 school year. I will write more on Mr Felstead's time at KSOTA later in the year.

#### Week 5 Term 4 Camp

Our Term 4 camp in Broome is going to a great time this year. Please lock the dates 9th—13th November into your diaries.

We are trying to organise swimming lessons as we had last year. Unfortunately the "official" part of the swimming lesson organising is out of my hands and can take some time. At the time of me writing this I cannot confirm one way or another that the lessons will go ahead. This is regrettable but out of our (KSOTA's) hands. I will advise as soon as I can.

Paul Noble

## **P&C** Merchandise

Uniforms help to bring our remote students together. We thank Rod and Dee at Totally Workwear, Derby for their support.

KSOTA polo shirt uniforms are available from P&C via Kerry Doust at School. Shirts are \$20 each and can be sent out in Red Mail Bags. Please deposit money direct into P&C bank account with your name and "uniform" as reference.

#### Please note we have new shirts in stock.

Account Name KSOTA P&C BSB 016 620 Account # 463336408

Other merchandise available via same method:

♦ KSOTA logo work shirts asst sizes: Men's green/navy, Women's blue/purple,

Boy's green/blue, Girl's turquoise/pink \$45 each

◆ Stubby Holders \$10 each

◆ Bucket Hats/Trucker Caps \$20 each

KSOTA Parents and Citizens Association: Going that extra mile for our remote kids and their education.

## **FEES AND CHARGES 2020**

#### **VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS**

Voluntary Contributions are funds used towards the cost of materials, services and resources used by the students in the education program

Single Child \$60 per year Family of 2 or more children \$120 per year

#### **CAMP CONTRIBUTIONS**

**SOTA Muster Years 4-6** 

DEC 2020 Dates TBA \$650

Term 4 Camp Whole School

Nov 9-13 2020 \$20 per Student K-6

\$35 per Adult

#### **TIPS FOR LAPTOPS**

- Ensure you save all your work onto a USB thumb drive
- Empty recycle bin on desktop regularly
- Wipe clean with a slightly damp cloth
- A small paint brush is handy to remove any dust on keyboard

# Help desk numbers

Education Department WA – It Helpdesk 1800 012 828

Clear Networks help desk – connectivity – Satellite services – 1300 855 215 (DoE Customer Number 14052)

Please don't hesitate to use these services - they are for you to use!