

# Kimberley School of the Air

# **Important Dates**

# **School News**



#### Term 4 2021

Monday 11th October— Thursday 16th December

#### Friday Assembly T4

19th November

3rd December

16th December (Thurs)

#### **SOTA Muster**

6th—IIth December

#### **KSOTA 2022**

Lessons start on Monday 31st January 2022

Staff will be onsite from Monday 24th January 2022.

#### **KSOTA Free call**

1800 816 212

(Only available from land line)

#### **NEW PHONE NUMBER**

9193 3070

#### Term 4, Issue 2

## Friday 19th November 2021

It's hard to believe that we are more than half way through the last term of 2021! What an amazing time we all had at camp last week—I would like to thank parents, Home Tutors, students, and the staff of KSOTA for making it such a success.

I was so proud to watch all the students participate in KSOTA's Got Talent. It was such a joy to watch so many of you perform for our audience—you should be immensely proud of yourselves. I had the honour of speaking at our year 6 graduation, and had to hold back the tears as we wished Winston all the best as he heads to high school next year. I'm sure that Winston won't be a stranger to KSOTA, and I know that he will do wonderful things at SIDE. Best of luck, Winston. We will miss you.

As we start to see the finishing line of the school year in the distance, now is the time to start gathering resources for their return. Please return all complete HASS and science 'folders'. These 'folders' are labelled to be returned, as they will be used again for future year groups. Also, please return all maths resources. In discussion, the teachers have decided to despatch new maths resource kits for 2022 rather than asking Home Tutors to do a 'stock take'. We completely understand that you may still need some of these resources until the end of the year, but ask that you return any surplus resources when you have the opportunity.

Reports are starting to be written. It is essential that students and Home Tutors submit any outstanding work quickly, so that the student's Semester Two reports are as accurate as possible.

Recently, we have had a few hiccups with laptops. We know that accidents happen, but Miss Kerry would like to remind you all to take notice of the 'windows update' that pops-up on the screens when they are turned on. Once you see this message, please contact Kerry so that she can prepare another laptop for your student before your current laptop stops playing nicely. If you have any questions about this, please contact Kerry directly.

Finally, the fees and charges for 2022 have been set. Please refer to the last page in this newsletter to view them

As always, please reach out if you have any problems or concerns. Esther Kerr

#### 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!

## **P&C** Merchandise

Uniforms help to bring our remote students together. We thank Rod and Dee at Totally Work wear, 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 2022**

### **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 FEES**

**Home Tutors Seminar** \$20 per Student K-6

May 9th - 13th 2022 \$35 per Adult

Term 4 Camp Whole School \$20 per Student K-6

December 7th - 11th 2022 \$35 per Adult

Muster

Years 4-6 \$650 per Student

Civics Camp (Perth)

Years 5-6 \$650 per Student (payable to the P&C)

August 1st - 5th 2022