

Kimberley School of the Air



Important Dates

Term Three 2022

Monday 18th July—Friday
23rd September

Term Four 2022

Tuesday 11th October—
Thursday 15th December

T4 camp—7-11 Nov 2022

Muster— TBA

KSOTA Free call

1800 816 212

(Only available from land
line)

NEW PHONE NUMBER

9193 3070

School News



Term 3, Issue 2

Friday 2nd September 2022

I know it has only been a couple of weeks between newsletters, but I have so much exciting news to share I couldn't possibly wait any longer!

On Monday 5th September we have marine biologist Amanda joining our whole school for a presentation all about **sharks**. The staff at KSOTA are very excited to learn more about sharks, and we can't wait to see you all there. We ask that children at the same site share a computer to ease the 'internet load' for everyone. Teachers will be sharing a Zoom link in their weekly programs, and it is included below as well.

On Monday afternoon, the staff will welcome **Kerry Howard** from regional office. Kerry is the Program Coordinator-Aboriginal Education with the KSP. Kerry will be working with the staff to continue to develop confidence and competence with the Aboriginal Cultural Standards Framework.

Mrs P leaves on Wednesday for some well-earned long service leave. We wish Mrs P a relaxing break and will see her back at KSOTA to kick off Term Four. In her absence, the wonderful Miss Dom will be joining the **Year 4,5,6 class**. Miss Dom will be working from her base in Kununurra again, and is very excited to be working with this class for a second time.

Mrs P isn't the only one heading off; **Ms Harris** will be flying back down to Perth on the weekend to visit her beautiful grandbabies. Ms Harris will be taking her air-lessons from Perth for the last 3 weeks of term. We appreciate the KSOTA community's flexibility and understanding as we support Ms Harris in her new role as Granny.

Plans are coming together quickly for the **Term 4 Week 5 camp**. Miss Kerry is prepping paperwork ready to be mailed out. Plans for KSOTA's **Mini Muster**, for students in year 4-6, are taking shape; please keep an eye on your inbox for more information about this.

As the end of term is gradually to moving into sight, I want to report that Term Four will start for students on **Tuesday 11th October**. Staff will be involved in a development day on the Monday.

Finally, both Miss Kerry and myself will be out of the office on Friday 9th September. We ask that any problems are emailed directly to teachers, who will contact you as soon as they possibly can.

As always, please reach out if you have any questions or concerns.

Esther Kerr

Principal

Monday 5th September

Shark Presentation with marine biologist Amanda

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86827937792?>

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Meeting ID: 868 2793 7792

Passcode: 133939

Next Assembly:
Friday 23rd
September



Monday 19th
September

Pirate Dress-up

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)

Email: support@clear.com.au

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 \$25 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:

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|----------------------------|-----------|
| ◆ ADULT Size | \$55 |
| ◆ CHILD Size | \$45 |
| ◆ 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 **Cancelled 2022**

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

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

Muster

Years 4-6 TBA

Civics Camp (Perth)

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

August 1st - 5th 2022