Dear Parents,

This week I attended the Year 3 overnight camp at Fitzroy Falls. This was the first overnight camp for these children and they were very excited. The camp builds on values and skills introduced at the Outdoor Education day camp the children participated in at school while in Year 2.

During the Year 3 camp the children work as part of a team in all the activities they participate in as well as setting tables for meals and taking responsibility for keeping their cabin rooms tidy. Activities such as the giant swing, the tree climb, low ropes course, initiative games and bush cooking encourage the children to persist at a task, work co-operatively and develop resilience. These skills are going to be essential elements for these children in later life.

All the children were very well behaved and respectful of all the instructors and their teachers. My thanks to Mr David Thompson (Year 3 White & Stage 2 Coordinator), Mrs Belinda Connolly (Year 3 Red & Religious Education Coordinator), Mrs Elizabeth Seery, (Teacher Assistant to Year 3) and Eszter Gulyias (GAP student) who attended the camp and certainly supported all the children in ensuring this was a memorable experience.

Year 4 are currently attending a 2-night, 3-day camp at the same venue.

- “Camp was really fun! I learnt lots of new things and skills” - Angus
- “The big swing was the best!” - Josie
- “Camp was fun. We learnt about bush tucker and we got to throw boomerangs” - Lachlan P
- “Camp was the ‘most fun’ thing I have ever done!” - Reeves

The following Feast Days occur this week:

All Saints Day (Friday, 1 November) is a day when we celebrate the lives of all saints, known and unknown.

All Souls Day (Saturday, 2 November) is a day when we commemorate the lives of our loved ones who have passed away.

Year 6 students continued their Transition to Senior School program this week. The focus was on planning organisation and study skills as the students move into Year 7. Mrs Catherine Maric (School Counsellor) facilitated this session.

Maryanne Carrick (Mrs)
Head of Junior School

From the Uniform Shop

A friendly reminder for ELC students going into Kindergarten next year that the school uniforms will need to purchased this term. The uniform they are wearing at present will be the sport uniform next year. The school uniforms are a generous fit so growth over the holidays will not be a problem. You can leave tags on and try on again late January and exchange any items that you think are not correct.

It would be appreciated if current Kindergarten—Year 6 families could check their uniform requirements for next year now and purchase items before the end of the term, as priority for appointment times in January is given to new families.

Ms Carol Konkolics
Uniform Shop Manager
**Library News**

Room to Read Book Swap  
The Book Swap, to raise money for the Room to Read project in Nepal is next Monday, 4 November. At lunchtime students will be able to swap a gold coin for a book. Many wonderful books have already been donated. We still need more books for this very worthwhile initiative. There are boxes located in the library and at Junior School Reception.

MS Readathon  
The countdown for this year’s MS Readathon is well and truly on! The official due date for returning sponsorship money is Thursday, 31 October. The Junior School is placed 10th in Australia at this point with a total of $2,835.00.

Premier’s Reading Challenge  
Certificates for students who completed the Challenge should arrive at school in the next few weeks.

Ms Helen Webster  
**Teacher Librarian** (websterh@krb.nsw.edu.au)

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**Art Accomplishment News**

KRB’s sculpture, *Plastic Mobile*, is a finalist in the 2013 Woollahra Environmental Schools Sculpture Prize. The sculpture will be on display in the Woollahra Council Customer Service foyer (536 New South Head Road, Double Bay) from Monday, 28 October-Friday, 8 November. The exhibition will be open between 8am and 4:30pm, Monday to Friday, during this time. Please note the exhibition is not open on weekends. Please tell your friends and family to come and check it out!

Art Accomplishment lessons for Term 4 are as follows:  
Wed: 9 October – 19 November (7 weeks) and Thurs: 10 October – 21 November (7 weeks).

Ms Charisse Devine  
**Art Accomplishment Teacher** (devinec@krb.nsw.edu.au)

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**School Band News**

School Band performance and demonstration for all students in Years 2-6 and their parents on **Wednesday, 13 November** at 1.30pm. The School band will have an opportunity to perform and there will also be a demonstration of musical instruments by Directions in Music. This is a good opportunity for children to hear about the School Band program and register their interest in joining for 2014.

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**Dance Accomplishment @ KRB**

Dance @ KRB End-of-Year Dance Concert  
Saturday, 16 November, 2013  
4-5pm in the MTC.  
$10 per Adult / Children free.

Dance @ KRB 2014 Timetable available!  
Anyone wishing to review the 2014 Dance timetable, please email Dale: dale@dalepope.com.au

Ms Dale Pope  
**Dance Accomplishment Teacher** (0410 320 299 / dalepope@iinet.net.au)  
Dance by Dale Pope  

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**Year 3 Parents Christmas Party**

Year 3 Class Reps invite all Year 3 parents and carers to a Christmas drinks party on Thursday 14 November from 7.00pm at Royal Prince Edward Yacht Club, 160 Wolseley Road, Point Piper.

Cost: $55 per person includes canapés and a welcome drink or two, then cash bar.  
Dress: Cocktail  
RSVP: 2nd November with payment.

Please see printed flyer as well as email for direct deposit/ cheque options for payment.
SPORT

The results and player/s of the week for Saturday, 26 October are as follows:

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2014 – Girls’ Sports Nomination Forms
All girls were given an ‘orange’ sports form to complete for 2014. Please complete the 2014 Sports Nomination form by this Friday, 1 November and hand into Junior School Reception. There are spare copies at Junior School Reception.

Sport Training – Sports Specific Uniform & Protective Equipment
Could you please ensure your son or daughter wears the relevant sport specific clothing and protective equipment to all sports training sessions and games on a Saturday. Any students who turn up to training and/or games without the relevant clothing and protective equipment, will not be allowed to participate due to WH&S reasons. Your support and cooperation is much appreciated.

2014 - Term 1 Boys’ Years 3 – 6 – Saturday Sport
From the sports nomination forms received from the current Years 2-5 boys, we have entered two Year 3 & 4 Basketball teams and two Year 5 & 6 Basketball teams into the IPSHA Basketball Saturday competition in Term 1, 2014. Unfortunately there was limited interest/nominations from students to enter a Cricket team in the IPSHA Competition for Term 1, 2014. A draft draw outlining all of the relevant information will be distributed to all players prior to breaking up for the school holidays.

PDHPE & Sport - Sun Hats: Please ensure your child has a KRB sun hat for all PDHPE lessons & sport training sessions. Any students who do not have a hat will be unable to participate in the lessons or training sessions for WH&S reasons.

K-12 Sports Photos
All KRB sports team photos and photos taken at all schools sports events are available for purchase online through the following website: www.akphotos.com.au
USERNAME: krb
PASSWORD: sports

Mrs Mary-Kate Churcher
(Head of Sport P-12)

P & F News
The P&F Annual General Meeting is on Wednesday, 6 November at 7.30pm, in the Senior School AV Room. If you are interested in becoming more involved in the School Community for 2014 in a P&F Executive role, please contact us at pandf@krb.nsw.edu.au.

P&F Executive Committee

2013 First Eucharist Film
A video recording of the First Eucharist is available on USB. Please purchase directly from Ms Helen Mill at the Junior School Office. Cost is $25.00.
2013 End-of-Year Dance Concert – Saturday, 16 November

CAFE VOLUNTEERS & DONATIONS NEEDED

Help with some or all would be great.

- Bake muffins, slices, cookies etc or make finger sandwiches to sell at the cafe.
- Store bought donations would work too as long as it is nut-free eg. crisp packets, muffins etc...
- Donation of Juice poppers, soft drinks or small bottled water
- Manning the cafe on the day (please advise preferred time slot)

Please bear in mind all donations should be nut-free.

12.00-1.00pm  Set up (2 persons)
1.00-2.00pm  Serve pre-ordered packed lunches to the dancers rehearsing (2 persons)
3.00-4.00pm  (1 person)
4.00-5.00pm  Pre show service to parents and students (6 persons)
5.00-6.00pm  Show time - Cafe closed
6.00 - 6.40pm  After show service (6 persons)
6.40 - 7.00pm  Clean up (3-4 persons)

All profits will go towards future KRB Dance events.

Dance parents will have received an email with the following link to register your time or donations.
https://docs.google.com/spreadsheet/ccc?key=0Ar5n7MHXveYbdGUXSk94N3dBMmhYN3ZMNnhGLXITY3c&usp=sharing

For any further queries, please contact Natascha Milsom on 0449 177 710 or email milsom@hotmail.com