**Kindergarten News**

**Term: 3  Week: 7**

**Reading:**
**Shared Reading:** Mrs Wishy Washy
Olivia

**Sound:** Kk – the king kicked a kettle k, k, k

**Words to learn to read:** this, little

**Words to learn to write:** dad, for, a, not, hop, top, mop, pop

**Ext- shop**

**Phonemic Awareness:** Study of the vowels- This week we will be focusing on the short ‘o’ sound in the middle of words. We will be making different words by changing the sounds at the beginning and the end.

**Word family: ‘op’** hop, mop, top, cop, pop, flop, shop, drop, chop, stop etc

**Handwriting:**
* k down, up a bit, push out, round and in then out

* Revision of numerals 1-20

* Writing first name and family name

**Maths:**
* Numeral identification 0-20, numbers before and after to 20, ext higher 2 digit numbers
* Forward counting up to 50. Backward counting from 20-0, ext 30-0
* Measurement- seasons
* Measurement- Capacity and Volume
* Subtraction- Language and process of subtraction
* Data- making and interpreting graphs
* Patterns and Algebra-making patterns and drawing them
* Addition- combining groups, doubles

**H. S. I. E. (Human Society and Its Environment)** The unit for this term is “This is Me.”

**PDHPE**  Road Safety - NRMA

**Other News**
* News this week: free choice
* Please help your child to remember his/her reading book each day. Please sign the home reading folder after you have listened to your child read. Also please encourage your child to complete the activities on Spelling City
* Father’s Day stall is on Tuesday 2 September.
* Grandparents’ Day – This special morning for Grandparents or special family friends will be held on Thursday September 9.
* Raffle tickets – Don’t forget to return your full book of sold raffle tickets to the canteen before Monday 1st September to receive a golden ticket to go into the draw to win an Apple iPad Mini.

Thank you Kindergarten Teachers

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**Laguna St Carnival** is only 2 weeks away! The Stall coordinators need you. If you haven’t already put your name down to help out on the day please contact your year stall coordinators to confirm a time with them.

Café/Cake Stall- Coordinator: Sandi Smith (KM) 0409943226
Book Stall- Coordinator: Clare Basanovic (KM) clareflynn@hotmail.com
Laguna St Farmers market -Coordinator : Carly Black (KM). Sal_Blake@bigpond.com

Our school will be hosting a free NRMA Science & Road Safety Day on Wednesday 27 August. The aim is to help our students stay safe on the road. You are invited to come and watch the first show of the day (9.30-10.10) to see what your children are learning and how you can reinforce these road safety messages at home. The children are asked to bring their bike helmet on the day.

Bags from Stewart House were sent home recently for you to place any unwanted items of clothing in. These can be left outside the toilet door near the library. The bags will be collected from school on **Tuesday 26 August**

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**Book Character Mufti Day Thursday 28 August**

Students are asked to donate a bag of Allens or Natural Confectionary company lollies to be used at the carnival.

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There will be no sport this Thursday due to the Book Character Mufti day.