

# THE DISH

## Katherine School of the Air

### EVENTS

#### BTSV

- \$150 Voucher
- Spend on school resources
- End date 6th April

#### Middle Years Residential - Dawin

- Week 5
- Mon 27th Feb - Wed 1st March

#### NAPLAN

- Week 7
- Years 3, 5, 7 and 9

#### Inschool -Science Week

- Week 10
- Preschool - Year 9
- Mon 3rd April - Thur 6th April

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

A message from the principal.....



It has been great to see KSA students settle into their learning and new classes so quickly. There is a real buzz of enthusiasm across the school from staff and students!

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Tilly Blokland who was presented with the Northern Territory Board of Studies Administrator Medal. Tilly and her family travelled to Darwin to attend the prestigious event last Friday night. Celebrating Academic Excellence and Outstanding Leadership and Citizenship, Tilly was the overall winner of the Northern Territory. Such a well-deserved award! Miss Salli also made the trek to Darwin to support Tilly receiving her award. The KSA Community are so proud of you Tilly!





## IT TIPS - ONENOTE SYNCING

As we progress into week 2 and uploading work, its always good practice to sync OneNote before you turn off your laptop. Inside OneNote you can do this by pressing "Shift+F10" and waiting 5 minutes.

## SCHOLASTIC ISSUE 1

Book Club Issue 1 is out now and you are able to order by visiting [scholastic.com.au](https://www.scholastic.com.au). Orders can be placed by visiting [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP), orders close 20th February 2023. Books are sent to KSA once orders close and then posted out to families or can be collected from the school.



## STAFF SPOTLIGHT - CAITLYN SMITH YR 2



- 1. What was your favourite TV show growing up?** My favourite TV show growing up was Blue Water High because I always wanted to be a pro surfer!
- 2. Who is your favourite Superhero?** My favourite superhero is Super Woman because she is just really cool.
- 3. Where are you from?** I grew up in The Blue Mountains and my family still lives there. I have also lived in Canberra, Yuendumu, and Hay.
- 4. Do you have a hidden talent?** No hidden talents but I did get my black belt in Taekwondo when I was 13.
- 5. What the best thing about working at KSA?** The best thing about working at KSA is meeting all the wonderful people. Everyone has made me feel so welcomed and special. And my new little year 2's are just the coolest kids ever!
- 6. Favourite food?** My favourite food is a chocolate mud cake from Woolies with extra cream.

# HOME TUTOR INFORMATION

Friday 24th February, Week 4 Term 1  
8.00 am – 3.00 pm morning tea and lunch provided

The orientation day is open for new and existing home tutors and parents of students in preschool to Year 9. It is a great opportunity for building relationships with fellow home tutors and KSA teachers. The orientation day timetable will be published in 'The Dish' next week (week 3).

For catering purposes please email [meganprime@education.nt.gov.au](mailto:meganprime@education.nt.gov.au) if you are attending.



## SAFER INTERNET DAY

Tuesday 7 February 2023

Safer Internet Day is a global event that brings together communities, families, schools and organisations from more than 180 countries to help create safer online spaces.

This important campaign is celebrating its 20-year anniversary in 2023 – so it is a good time to reflect on the past two decades and look towards the future.

The world is more connected than ever, making online safety awareness even more important.

That's why our 2023 campaign is encouraging everyone to **Connect. Reflect. Protect:**

**Connect safely and with purpose** – by keeping apps and devices secure and using social media in positive ways.

**Reflect before we act** – by taking a moment to consider how what we do and say online may affect others.

**Protect ourselves and others by taking action** – by telling family, friends or colleagues about eSafety and how we can help.

We appreciate your support. Together, we can make every day a Safer Internet Day.

**connect.**  
**reflect.**  
**protect.**

**Get involved!**  
7 February 2023



# FEATURE

## What are the students looking forward to in 2023 in the Preschool.



Cody "I am looking forward to drawing and reading a book."



Bobby is looking forward to letters and writing and school teachers and stuff and bananas!



This year Leif is looking forward to learning, doing arts and crafts and making new friends.



Shiloh is excited about Miss Sam and going to the house school with Miss Sam and all the kids. Miss Sam has lots of pretty flowers.



Sahkya  
This year 'I want to do drawings and paintings and colouring and cutting and singing, everything.'

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**What are the students looking forward to in 2023 in the Preschool.**



Greyson would like to learn how to write the numbers to 10 this year in Preschool.



Clancy is excited to learn how to cook in preschool.



Sophie is looking forward to reading lots of books in preschool this year.



Stevie Anne wants to explore dinosaurs with long necks and volcanoes this year.



Teddy wants to learn how to draw a better smiley face this year.



Tara is excited about writing horses this year.

# CLASS AWARDS



Preschool Miss Sam	Sophie Jepson
Transition Mrs Kerry	Jock Mohr-Bell
Year 1 Miss Stephanie	Gracie Watters
Year 2 Miss Caitlyn	Ezekiel Mackenzie
Year 3 Miss Alysa	Anaiah Hanni Dornan
Year 4 Mr Ben	Lucy Brett Bailee Beament
Year 5 Miss Nannette	Benji Bethel
Year 6 Salli	Georgie Murphy, Alex Iliou, Betty Bethel,
Year 7 Miss Shaelee	Steel Rogers Hailee Bormann
Year 8 Miss Charlotte	Evander Dornan Layla Kehagias
Year 9 Mr Jake	Charlotte Sykes, Ella-Jean Walton, Mac McMaster, Madison Williams