Speech Day Speaker – Father Riley

As part of the promotion of the KWS Strategic Theme ‘developing an awareness of Social Responsibility across the School’, it is my pleasure to announce to the KWS Community that Father Riley will be our honoured guest at the 2011 Speech Day ceremony on Saturday 3 December.

Father Riley has many stories to tell with regard to assisting and helping Young People who have fallen on hard times particularly in terms of drug and alcohol abuse. As CEO of Youth off the Streets, Father Riley oversees the operation of over 20 programs that employ 150 people and involve more than 800 volunteers.

Father Chris Riley was inspired by the 1931 movie “Boys’ Town”, and at the age of 15 was determined to become a priest to take care of the kids who had no one else. After becoming a Salesian Priest, he worked for the charity Boys’ Town in a variety of roles and finally as Principal. Father Riley has implemented innovative behaviour modification strategies to help young people deal with a history of trauma, abuse and neglect including the Values Education Service Learning curriculum, which is now available to schools across Australia as part of the Youth Making a Difference teachers’ resource.

Youth off the Streets has been providing services to assist homeless and disadvantaged youth since 1991. Father Riley believes that in order to break the cycle of disadvantage, abuse and neglect, all young people need to be provided with the opportunity to achieve their full potential.

Youth off the Streets works in partnership with young people to develop their strengths and their ability to make positive life choices. They do this by providing education, rehabilitation, accommodation, counselling, early intervention and other opportunities to learn valuable life skills.

It is Father Riley’s goal that young people accessing our services will leave our care drug free, with a high school education, living skills and a full or part-time job in hand.

I look forward to you joining the students and staff of KWS at Speech Day to hear this inspirational speaker who has done so much for young people in need of help.

School Certificate

I am writing to formally advise parents that on 4 August, the Minister of Education, Adrian Piccoli, announced that the School Certificate Examination will not continue beyond 2011.

In 2012 there will be a new record of achievement; the formal title of this is yet to be determined as are the details as to how it will be implemented. I will keep you informed of progress in this area.

In looking ahead to 2012 it is important to note that there are no changes to the current curriculum requirement for Year 10 for next year. Also the School Certificate examinations as published for 2011 will take place as per the current schedule.

We have been re-assured that these changes will not diminish the importance of this qualification for students. Therefore it is essential to ensure that students do their best to achieve results which are a true reflection of their ability.

Should you have any queries or questions regarding this change please contact me or Louise Brand as Head of Studies.

Brian Kennelly
Principal
I would like to formally advise the Kinross Wolaroi School Community of the forthcoming retirement of two of our long serving staff members, Robyne Ridge and Graham Jaques. Robyne and Graham have made outstanding contributions to the school for a respective period of 30 years and 28 years. During this time, Robyne and Graham have willingly assumed responsibility for many tasks outside their general role descriptions. While Robyne and Graham will be formally farewelled at a staff function later in the term, we will also farewell them at our 125th Speech Day Ceremony. I take this opportunity to congratulate both Robyne and Graham on what has been an outstanding commitment to Kinross Wolaroi School. We will miss their valuable input to the school in so many ways and I ask you to join with me in congratulating Robyne and Graham on their exceptional service to the school.

Brian Kennelly - Principal

The school community is warmly invited to attend the

2011 Elective Textiles Fashion Parade

What: Parade and display of Textiles Technology and Textiles and Design elective student’s work.

When: Friday 28 October, 5pm, for 5.30 parade

Where: DPA, Kinross Wolaroi School

Second Hand Text Books

Please be aware that the Clothing Pool does not accept or sell second-hand text books. The P & F co-ordinates the annual sale of second-hand text books. Please see our website and go to ‘KWS Communities’ and then the ‘Parent’s and Friend’s’ tab. You will find full information regarding the sale of second-hand text books under the ‘Useful links and information’ section.

Assessments and Examinations Years 7 – 10

I would just like to remind all parents and students that a change has been made to the method of calculating Dux and General Academic Proficiency prize winners for 2011. All Assessment tasks conducted throughout the year are now used in the calculations of these Speech Day Awards, rather than only the Half Yearly and Yearly Examinations. This new way of determining awards is considered fairer by the Academic Committee. Should you wish to discuss this with me please feel free to ring on 63920405 or email lbrand@kws.nsw.edu.au

Louise Brand - Head of Studies

Year 10 Trial School Certificate Examinations: Science and HSIE

Date: Monday 24th October

Where: DPA for both exams

When: Period 1

10:00 til 10:15 Recess
10:15 til 12:25 Science DPA
12:25 til 12:55 Lunch
12:55 til 3:25 HSIE DPA

Your Science and HSIE teachers will tell you what equipment is required for each paper.

Both papers are 2 hours with 10 minute reading time.
YEAR 10 PARENTS

While the Year 10 students are at their formal having fun, we are organising our own

“Parents Night”

On Saturday November 26th

- We have made a booking in the upstairs room at The Hotel Canobolas and selected a menu of Succulent and Substantial Canapé's
- There will be full bar facilities available.
- Cost $30 per person.
- Please RSVP to the following by Friday 4th November:
  - Pip Jarrett – jarrettswines@bigpond.com
  - June Coleman – mj.coleman@bigpond.com

Academic Awards for Excellence, Class Achievement and Effort – P&F Tutor House Challenge Shield - Term 4 Week 2 2011

Congratulations to the following students for their high standard of work and effort in previous weeks

Academic Excellence Points
Year 8: Fr - Katie Rice, Emily Wright, Nicholas Holman, Shaun Labuschagne, Edward Hogg, Cameron Williams, Vaseekaran Vijayakumar, Asher Dixon
Year 9: Ma - Sinele Bates x2, Monique O'Neill, Tasman Bennett, Abbie Russell, Ellie Haege
Year 10; Geo - Jake Coleman, James Barden, Dominic Parkman, Damien Hill

Academic Achievement Points
Year 7: Ma - James Conran, Georgia Booth, Alexandra Butcherine, Sophie Broadley, Tracey Kasjan, Olivia Wass, Imogen Rosborough, Bailey Martin, Lucy Hickman
Year 8: Ma - Zoe Press, Rachelle Stubberfield
Year 9: Ma - Jordan Garlick, Kate Ponder, Tamlyn Hearne, Cameron White, Prue Eccleston x2, Harry Mitchell x2, Belle Hazelton x2, Vaughn Higgins x2, Ned Yeomans, Clare Davis, Madeleine Harley, Isabel Smart, Andrew Wass x2, David Nott, Courtney Dutton, Ben Raines, Emma Rutherford, Cameron Robinson, Matthew Wood, Georgia Kerin, Sophie Gulliver
Year 10: Ma - Edwina Jones, Talia Powell, Gemma Plunkett x2
Year 11: Ma - Georgie Mutton, Charlotte Murdoch, Lucy Kocanda, Mikaela Cato, Alice Haigh, Lucy Murdoch

Academic Effort
Year 7: Ma - Phoenix Aguila, Georgia Booth, Alec Patfield, Hugh Pottie, Fr - Olivia, Trethowan, Geo - Robert Bragg, Thomas Robson, Sarah Smith, Siokapesi Faiva, Lucy Thompson, Sophie McKay, Annabel Sheehan
Year 8: Ma - Brydie Bowyer, Meg Crouch, Brandon Straney, Angus Kirk, Sam Green, Eng - Bree Smith
Year 9: Sci - Harry Mitchell, Jackson Bridger, Geo - Allie Jackson, Ned Yeomans, Vaughn Higgins, Max Peterson, Jack Pritchard, Ma - Monique O'Neill, David Nott, Tasman Bennett, Prue Eccleston, Amy Munro
Year 10: Hist - Amanda Keast, Tim Jarrett, Ma - Mitchell Hillier, Elizabeth Denison, McKenzie Layton, Hugh Reed, Nicholas Spina, Sarah Elfar, Edwina Jones, Katelyn Strike, Brydie McGregor, Fr - Meg Coles
Year 11: Ma - Christabel Webber, Kirby Russell, Declan cooper, Maddy Jackson, Alice Haigh, Georgie Mutton, William Cheung, Lucy Murdoch, Angus Whittaker, Toby Doyle, Riana Finn, Phoebe Blackley, Hosp - Grace Murray, Annabelle Quigley, Nick Brill, Meagan Byrne, Jock Fuller, Anna Farley, Jasmine Greenshields, Rory Hart, Krysten Hood, Kathryn Moriarty, Georgia Morrison, Julia Parker, India Watson, Bridget Bennett, Jenny Cashmere, Kelsey Dean, Jessica Inder, Jeffrey Kittlechaiwong, Bradyn Mirabelle

Congratulations to the following students for their good citizenship shown towards others

Tutor House Points –
BROWN Logan Brockmann
RICHARDS James Staniforth
GORDON Lachlan Corinith, William Proudford, William Sullivan
Music Matters

Instrumental Music Scholarships 2012  I am pleased to advise that we will be offering a number of full and half “rare instrument” scholarships to cover tuition and instrument hire for 2012. The application forms are available from Mrs Libby Chapman in the Music Centre Supervisor Office or from myself. Applications close on 4 November. Please refer to the advertisement in this bulletin for the full details of the scholarships on offer.

Chamber Choir Auditions  If you wish to audition for Chamber Choir, please attend the auditions in Room 66 on Friday 21 October at lunchtime. All the boys who sang in the musical are especially encouraged to come along. This is a fantastic opportunity to be part of a high-quality vocal group at KWS. All secondary students are invited to audition.

Gil Sullivan Recital – 6:30pm Friday 21 October  Mr. Gil Sullivan will be performing in a recital in the Chapel in the DPA at 6:30pm this Friday 21 October. He is an internationally acclaimed performer who will provide an evening of wonderful music. Tickets are available at the door ($10 each).

MASS CHOIR – 125 Years Celebration Rehearsals  Our first rehearsal on Wednesday 12 October was a great success! Thank you so very much to all involved. Your support is much appreciated. All the singers were surprised at the simplicity of the parts and learnt the parts quickly. As a result of this, I have cancelled the rehearsal on 26 October as we won’t need it. I have tentatively left the 2 November rehearsal in the schedule in case there is a need to run the stage management in the DPA. The rehearsal schedule is as follows:

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Please note that we still need at least another 20 SINGERS!! Please feel free to attend this Wednesday’s rehearsal even if you were not able to come next week.

Have a lovely week.

Anneliese Alloway  -  Head of Performing Arts

Dates for Your Diary

OCTOBER
19 – 20 – Gil Sullivan master classes
20 – Gil Sullivan recital in the Chapel
24-25 – Australian Music Excursion – Yr 10 and 11
Music 2 Students

NOVEMBER
2 – Grand Concert Rehearsal Day and HSC Written Music Examination Day

Applications are now open to KWS students who wish to learn one of the following instruments:

- Flute
- Oboe
- Bassoon
- Viola
- Cello
- Double Bass
- Euphonium
- Trombone
- Tuba

**INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS 2012**

Applications are now open to KWS students who wish to learn one of the following instruments:

**Full Instrumental Music Scholarship**
A full Instrumental Music Scholarship will cover instrumental music tuition and instrument hire for 1 school year. Student achievement and ability will then be assessed in order to decide if this is to be extended.

**Half Instrumental Music Scholarship**
In some cases, a half scholarship will be awarded. In that case, half the cost of instrumental music tuition will be covered. However, the cost of instrument hire will be covered in full.

All students in receipt of a scholarship will be expected to participate in an appropriate music ensemble once a certain level of technical ability is reached.

Please see Mrs Anneliese Alloway or Mrs Libby Chapman in the Music Centre to pick up an application form.

Applications close on Friday 4 November 2011.

Applicants who are to be considered will then be contacted regarding an audition time.
KWS Friends of Music meeting
The next meeting of KWS Friends of Music is to be held today Wednesday, 19th October, at 7pm in the KWS Music Centre. This will be the last meeting for the year and is open to all interested supporters of the performing arts at KWS

A Night with Gil Sullivan
Kinross Wolaroi School
DPA Chapel
Friday, 21 October 2011, 6.30pm
Admission $10

"The finest interpreter of Mozart in the world" Sudhessen Woche
"It is hard to believe that just one person could so convincingly make the piano sound like a full orchestra" Darmstedter Echo
"Playing informed by brilliance of tone and accuracy...invariably placed at the service of the music" The Australian
**Can You Help?**

**Sunday 6th November - 125 year Family Picnic**

We need the assistance of the wider school community to help make the Family Picnic day fun for everyone. Behind the scenes the P&F and 125 year committee have been busy organising the activities and we now need volunteers to help out on the day. Anytime would be appreciated between 12pm and 3pm. Or if you can help with set up and pack up outside these times, that would also be appreciate. See roster requirements below.

**The objective:** To make sure everyone has fun.

**The tasks:** To line them up and set them off. There are events throughout the afternoon which include:

- Nut Stacking- all day (12-3)
- Table tennis ball bouncing into a bucket of water(12-3)
- Sack races 12.20
- 3 legged races 12.40
- Egg and spoon 1.00
- Balloon/ tennis ball relay 1.20
- Wife carrying 1.40
- Gum Boot throwing or potato throwing 2.00
- Tug of war (4 way) 2.20
- Raw Egg Throwing 2.40
- Selling drinks throughout the afternoon 12-3

**The time required:** One hour between 12 and 3pm.

**The place:** PLC Site, Coronation Drive Orange

**Training:** On the job

**Reward:** Old fashion fun

**Contact:**
- Kim Filmer mob: 0429 025017 email: kimbobemilykate@bigpond.com
- Peter Worsley email: peter.worsley@industry.nsw.gov.au

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We really appreciate (and need) your help to make this day a huge success

**Dear parents, present Loader boarders and ex- Loader boarders,**

A Loader House picnic luncheon is being held on Sunday 6 November at the PLC site, commencing at 12.00 noon.

The luncheon will be a BYO meat (no BBQ), salads, cool drinks, chairs, rugs, plates, knives, forks. Coffee and tea will be provided on site. Entry into the PLC grounds is **FREE** but will be ticket entry **ONLY**. These tickets must be obtained online at [www.trybooking.com/RSZ](http://www.trybooking.com/RSZ) and enter this site via the P & F Family Picnic.

Could interested parents please contact Jennifer Jones (darriwell@hotmail.com.au) or Joanne Coles (acoles@bordernet.com.au) so that we may have an idea of numbers attending?

Should the weather be inclement, the venue will be moved to the Dorothy Knox Hall.

We look forward to seeing as many ex or present Loader parents/students as possible, as we farewell Robyne and Edward Ridge on their retirement.
**Book Your 125 Celebration Tickets now!**

A reminder to all members of the school family to book your tickets NOW for all four of the great events occurring over the 125 years celebration weekend (Nov 3rd – 6th).

Tickets are selling steadily to most functions, so book your tickets as soon as you can to show your support and allow us to further our planning.

Tickets for the Thursday evening **Grand Concert and Chapel Service**, the **Friday evening Drinks Function** and the **Family Picnic** on Sunday (a free event) may be booked online via the [www.trybooking.com.au/RSZ](http://www.trybooking.com.au/RSZ) website.

The **Gala Ball** will be special and significant event on the Calendar for 2011. Tickets for the Ball on Saturday evening November 5th can be purchased by ringing the General Secretary, Mrs Sally Rattray-Wood on 6392 0325. For more information, please see the KWS website or email [125years@kws.nsw.edu.au](mailto:125years@kws.nsw.edu.au)

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**PCYC DISCO**

28 October

**WHERE:** Orange Police and Community Youth Club, Corner of Byng Street and Seymour Street

**COST:** $5 (TICKETS AT DOOR)

ALCOHOL AND DRUG FREE EVENT. FULLY SUPERVISED BY POLICE AND ADULT STAFF

FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: 02 63 602249

STRICTLY NO PASSOUTS CANTEEN AVAILABLE

**JUNIOR DISCO** (infants and primary school aged) 6pm to 7.30pm

**SENIOR DISCO** (high school age) 8pm to 10pm

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**FRIDAY LOLLY DAY**

Twice a Term Only.
21st Oct & 25th Nov
Limits: $1 -Prep/$2 High Sch.

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**COLES –Sports for School Vouchers.**

If you would like to donate yours, then Bec is collecting for KWS. Kindly deliver them to the Canteen or place in the Prep. Lunch Order Box by Monday 28 Oct.

Thank you

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**CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS – FORUM**

If you would like to find out more about helping out at our Canteen, please come and meet us (Bec, Jenny & myself) and other wonderful Volunteers over a cup of tea at the Canteen, before school pick-up next week (Wed/Thurs). For further details, please email Kim at [kimr11@bigpond.com](mailto:kimr11@bigpond.com)
The Challenge of Disciplining Your Child

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Assists parents to:
- understand what positive discipline means and how to set clear boundaries that children respect and learn to appreciate
- use conflict as a tool to improve relationships
- use tips and hints on different discipline techniques

Dates: Thursday 20th October 2011
Time: 5.30 – 8.30 pm
Venue: Interrelate Family Centre
        108 McLachlan Street
        Orange

Cost: $25.00 ($15.00 if using multiple services or concession)

More information
Bookings essential, fees to be paid in advance.

Phone: 6360 0895

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KWS Cricket 2011-12

I look forward to a great season for all boys and hope to build on the strong cricket programme that we have at the school. This year the Secondary school is fielding 6 teams in the ODJCA junior competition which commences this Saturday and 2 teams in the ODCA Men’s competition. The school 1STX1 will commence their defence of the Douglas Shield and a team for boys up to year 9 will play in the Junior Douglas Shield. This term will also see our 7-8 boys team try to retain the local interschool Dale Macintosh Trophy. These games will be played later this term on Tuesdays afternoon’s term 4. There were some exciting games last weekend and some fine individual performances in the opening round. The 1st XI had a bye.

- Special Congratulations to Tom Harbison who is the Captain of Cricket for the upcoming season.

Cricket Coaches for the 2011-12 season.

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The cricket season for all boys commenced last Saturday morning with further trials being held this week at training.

- The coaches of each team will issue final updated draws to all boys on Thursday. The wet weather information can be found on the ODJCA website on the Friday night or on the Saturday morning on 2GZ 105.1. The ODJCA has all the draws in the library section of the website. Google My Cricket; ODJCA to access the website and put it into your favourites.

- Players and parents CAN ALSO RING THE WET WEATHER HOTLINE ON SATURDAY
  ODJCA WET WEATHER HOTLINE 0407612514.

POINTS TO NOTE

- The game toss occurs at 8.15am. If you are late the other side can claim the toss result.
- Students must not take leave without an approved leave form submitted prior to Thursday’s training.
- Reminder that all boys need to be at the game venue by 8.15 am on Saturday and by 12.30pm for firsts and seconds.
- All players are to respect the umpire’s decision and to be good ambassadors for the school cricket programme by being on time, by being correctly attired and by being considerate of others. Sledging of other teams is not permitted in any form.
- All coaches have been supplied with sunscreen but parents can assist by ensuring all boys have KWS caps or wide brimmed hats. Foreign caps are not allowed. All boys are to play in KWS whites, and correct shoes. For training boys can train in white shorts, blue KWS tops or house tops.
- I encourage parents to volunteer to score or umpire drop of score sheets or organise drinks. Under competition rules we are required to provide scorers and umpires and it is impossible for the coach to do it all for four hours on a Saturday morning.
- All boys to wear helmets when batting in the nets.
- Also take time to have a look at the KWS school website under Cricket in the co-curricular tab to see the latest cricket news and photos.
- The selections for the Year 7-8 team for the Orange Inter School Dale Macintosh Shield and the Under 15 team to play in the Junior Douglas Shield will occur at training and take into account performances in the early rounds of the town competition.

Please contact me on 63920358 mob. 0401845594 or via email ghull@kws.nsw.edu.au if you need to discuss any cricketing issues.

Mr Geoff Hull - MIC Cricket
2nds Cricket  It's a tough ask to play last year’s Grand Final winners in the first game of the season. The boys took to the challenge like leeches on a cadet. The fielding was sensational as bodies flew left and centre to try to stem the flow of runs. Some of the bowling was a little rusty at times and after a few more weeks of practice the coach will be furious with the amount of extras that were allowed in the game. D Hill bowled well for 1/33 off 8 overs with many of his deliveries leaving the batsmen pushing at air. Gus Griffiths picked up a couple and D Crombie was fairly economical.

With a score of 212 to chase in 40 overs the batting was going to have to be very impressive. Unfortunately a few wickets fell in the opening overs and it was not until D Hill and N Lukins paired up for a 65 run partnership that took the score to 115 after 27 overs with a run-rate rising and hope starting to build. Unfortunately in the rush for runs both batsmen fell within a few deliveries of each other. The teams fate was sealed though. C Tremain and G Griffiths fought a gallant rear guard. Well played team and a more consistent approach should have us once again challenging for a Semi-

Open Juniors Round 1 20/20 KWS 1 v KWS 2 Sharpe Oval
Despite the rain which was threatening the two Open Juniors KWS teams played out a great game on Saturday morning. The 20/20 game was always going to be a keenly contested contest between the Year 9 boys (KWS 1) and the older team of Year 10 and Year 11 boys (KWS 2). Sam Pratten captained the Year 9 team and got the attack organized to dismiss the seniors for 100 off twenty overs. Woody McClymont, Ben Raines and Andrew Johnson were the pick of the KWS 1 bowler’s whilst Jack Marchinton and Lachlan Williams got runs for KWS 2. Cameron Robinson and Edward McKellar took two good outfield catches. Woody McClymont 33 and Andrew Johnson 27 opened for KWS 1 and they took the seniors attack apart and had 62 on the board before the first wicket fell. The seniors then swung Tom Bristow into the attack and his 3-2 from four overs slowed the run rate. The year 9 boys found themselves needing 14 off the last two overs to score a major victory. In the last over Ned Yeomen’s hit is elder brother over the fence and the young guns suddenly only needed a six off the last ball to win. But Jack pitched one down the leg side and despite his best attempt Ned could only manage an air swing. The spectators on the hill certainly enjoyed the season opener. Player of the Day. Woody McClymont

KWS 15’s vs Waratahs  The KWS 15’s got their season off to a good start with a comprehensive victory over Waratahs on Saturday. Batting first, KWS got 149 for no loss from 28 overs. Angus Gilmore (64 not out) and Cameron Williams (55 not out) played with a great deal of maturity in their century stand. They impressed with their shot selection and running between the wickets – only 16 of their runs came from boundaries.

In reply, Waratahs finished their 28 overs with 103 runs on the board for the loss of 8 wickets. Shaun Labuschagne put Waratahs on the back foot from the very beginning of their run chase by taking two wickets in fast and hostile first over. Peter Crisp bowled a tight spell and took a vital wicket when it looked like Waratahs were mounting a challenge on the KWS total. Sam Goddard also chipped in with two good wickets but the star performer with the ball for KWS was Ben Ryan who bowled a good line and got some movement away from the bat to finish with 3 for 10 from 3 overs.

Well done to the boys and thanks to parents and supporters for their help and assistance on the day. KWS Under 14 defeated Cavaliers  KWS 0 for 77 in passing Cavaliers total of all out for 67.

In A game dominated by Hugh Britton the KWS boys showed promise for the season ahead. Hugh devastated the top order with four wickets for one run off his two overs. His speed and accuracy demoralised Cavaliers while allowing some of the less experienced KWS boys to bowl a few overs without any pressure to take wickets.

Jack Ridley and Drew Weber were invincible at the crease and both retired once we passed the Cavaliers total. The win was secured, thus creating a great start to the season but there is a lot of work ahead in tightening up our fielding and ensuring consistency with bowling line and length.

Girls Basketball 2011/2012 Season
Congratulations to the following girls for their selection in the KWS 1sts: Mikaela Cato, Sarah Burns, Nikki Collins, Pip Johnson, Megan Hunt, Katie Mackenzie and Sarah McIntyre.

Special commendation to Mikaela for also being selected as Captain of Girls Basketball.

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KWS 2nds has not been finalised as yet but the nine girls who played last week all put in their best effort.

Well played team and a more consistent approach should have us once again challenging for a Semi-

KWS 15’s vs Waratahs  The KWS 15’s got their season off to a good start with a comprehensive victory over Waratahs on Saturday. Batting first, KWS got 149 for no loss from 28 overs. Angus Gilmore (64 not out) and Cameron Williams (55 not out) played with a great deal of maturity in their century stand. They impressed with their shot selection and running between the wickets – only 16 of their runs came from boundaries. In reply, Waratahs finished their 28 overs with 103 runs on the board for the loss of 8 wickets. Shaun Labuschagne put Waratahs on the back foot from the very beginning of their run chase by taking two wickets in fast and hostile first over. Peter Crisp bowled a tight spell and took a vital wicket when it looked like Waratahs were mounting a challenge on the KWS total. Sam Goddard also chipped in with two good wickets but the star performer with the ball for KWS was Ben Ryan who bowled a good line and got some movement away from the bat to finish with 3 for 10 from 3 overs. Well done to the boys and thanks to parents and supporters for their help and assistance on the day. KWS Under 14 defeated Cavaliers  KWS 0 for 77 in passing Cavaliers total of all out for 67. In A game dominated by Hugh Britton the KWS boys showed promise for the season ahead. Hugh devastated the top order with four wickets for one run off his two overs. His speed and accuracy demoralised Cavaliers while allowing some of the less experienced KWS boys to bowl a few overs without any pressure to take wickets. Jack Ridley and Drew Weber were invincible at the crease and both retired once we passed the Cavaliers total. The win was secured, thus creating a great start to the season but there is a lot of work ahead in tightening up our fielding and ensuring consistency with bowling line and length.