

# KGJS Lapathon



Dear Parents and Carers,

Junior Parent Advisory Group (JPAG) are hosting the Kelvin Grove Junior School (KGJS) Lapathon on Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> October 2017 from 9:00am – 11:00am. It will be a great opportunity for students to practise healthy living and exercise while raising much-needed funds for KGJS in support of its Art and Music programs.

## **What is a Lapathon?**

Students are encouraged to complete as many laps of the College School Oval as they are comfortable with in the set timeframe. This event is not limited to students - we welcome staff, parents and supporters of KGJS to take part in the Lapathon. This year the Lapathon will be held at the College School Oval which will have both a running lane and a walking lane. This will be a fun event for all with music and water play.

Prizes will be available to the first classroom to finalise their fundraising and to the classroom that raises the most funds for KGJS.

## **On The Day**

- Free Dress Day – Theme – “Slip, Slop, Slap” - Sun Smart Clothing
- Water bottles
- Small water guns (please, no pump action or high pressure water pistols)

## **Fundraising**

We are using the online fundraising system ‘MyCause’ to help with our fundraising. MyCause is a reputable Australian online fundraising provider. To start fundraising, visit the Lapathon event page on MyCause at: <https://www.mycause.com.au/events/lapathon>

Each class has its own fundraising page. To donate, you can click on the ‘Donate to my Class’ button in order to find your child’s class. Each class also has a unique link so you will be able to request support from friends and family by sharing the link of your child/s’ class page via email and/or social media. Sponsors may donate immediately with the assurance that MyCause is a secure portal.

Alternatively, if you would prefer not to use the online portal, but to collect some or all funds in cash, you are welcome to use the hard copy donation form overleaf.

Please note that donations are not tax deductible.

## **When is money raised due back at the school?**

Money raised via the MyCause website will be finalised on the day of the event. Money raised via the hard copy sponsorship form is due back on or before Friday the 13<sup>th</sup> October, 2017.

JPAG would like to thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions you can contact JPAG on [kgscjpag@gmail.com](mailto:kgscjpag@gmail.com)