School water system boost

KEW Primary School is one step closer to creating a sustainable water system thanks to Leader Local Grants.

The school won the most votes of 10 finalists in the third round of our grants program, earning $1000 to put towards its water recycling.

Acting principal Robin Grace said it was a great thrill to take out the prize, which would go towards connecting the school’s water tanks to the roof, to collect water for the garden.

“We recently purchased three rainwater tanks and this will allow us to connect those to piping on the roof, so we’re able to use all the rainwater we receive,” Ms Grace said.

The prize would also allow the school to implement new sustainable projects, Ms Grace said.

Kew Primary School students are excited about winning a $1000 Leader Local Grant to spend on their recycled water system. Picture: PAUL LOUGHNAN