

# Daylesford Primary School Newsletter

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**"SEMPER MELIORA"** (Always better things)



*We are Respectful, We are Responsible Learners, We are Honest and Trustworthy, We are Caring and Compassionate, We are Good Citizens*

## DIARY DATES

### MAY

Tues 15<sup>th</sup> - Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> NAPLAN testing

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Divisional X Country

**Mon 21<sup>st</sup> – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May Education Week**

Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> \* Open Morning 9am – 11am (includes Assembly)  
\* JSC Fundraiser BBQ Sausage Sizzle

Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> National Simultaneous Storytime Foundation – Grade 2

Tues 29<sup>th</sup> \* Daylesford Secondary College Band perform at Assembly  
\* DPS School council Meeting

### JUNE

Fri 8<sup>th</sup> Curriculum Day-Pupil Free Day

Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Queen's Birthday Holiday

Tues 12<sup>th</sup> School Photos

Wed 13<sup>th</sup> ICAS-Spelling

Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> ICAS-Writing

Tues 26<sup>th</sup> Winter Raffle drawn at assembly

**MINI BREAKFAST held in the Gym every Monday and Thursday at 8.30am**

**ASSEMBLY 9.00am every Tuesday in the Gym**

Office Hours : 8.30am to 4.00pm

Students' School Banking Day : Fridays

### 2018 TERM DATES

Term 2: 16 April to 29 June

Term 3: 16 July to 21 September

Term 4: 8 October to 21 December

## WE ARE A RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIP SCHOOL

Attitude is everything, remember to use positive self talk;

### 6 STEPS TO KEEP CALM IN DIFFICULT SITUATIONS



## Current Focus

### Good Organisation (Responsible Learner)

#### 6P Top 10 Tips for Good Organisation

Being disorganized can be a real problem. It can mean that you miss out on the things you really want to do. It can mean that you can't find things and that you forget important things. It can also lead to you feeling worried or overwhelmed about all the things you need to do.

Being organised means you can always find the things that you need and you know what you need to do and when you need to do it. If you are organised you can relax and enjoy things more.

Here are some tips about how to be more organised.

1. Get to school on time
2. Use your diary.
3. Tidy your bookshelf and your room.
4. Keep your school bag tidy
5. Develop before and after-school routines
6. Keep your tub clean and organised
7. Tidy up your desk
8. Label your things
9. Have a place for everything
10. Clean up after yourself.

**Current Focus Good Organisation**

## MINI Breakfast Helpers Required

Can you help with mini breakfast on a Monday or Thursday morning 8.30am – 9.00am? (All volunteers require a Working with children check)

**I can help with mini breakfast!**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Day \_\_\_\_\_

Working with children check Yes ☐

Term 2 2018 No.12 Friday, 11th May, 2018

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

### NAPLAN TESTING NEXT WEEK

Children in Year 3 and 5 throughout Australia will be involved in the NAPLAN testing program. All year 3 and 5 parents should have received a flier outlining what NAPLAN is all about and likewise the details of dates and times. As a reminder children in Years 3 and 5 commence the NAPLAN testing program on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> of May with both Language Conventions and Writing assessment, Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> of May: Reading and Thursday the 17<sup>th</sup> of May is Numeracy. All assessments are undertaken in the morning. If you wish to discuss this further or you have any concerns or questions please do not hesitate to contact me and I'll help and assist. I look forward to the children's involvement and I would like to reassure everyone that the testing process will be undertaken in a very supportive environment.

### OPEN MORNING 22<sup>ND</sup> OF MAY

We invite parents to not only participate and enjoy our assembly but we have an open invitation for parents to enjoy the opportunity to engage in their children's classroom from 9am-11am.

We also look forward to Preschool students having a look at our great school with their parents. It should be an exciting morning for all!

### GOLDFIELDS CROSS COUNTRY

We have 35 students travelling to Clunes today to compete in the Goldfields Cross Country. Good luck to all students competing on what will be a very wintery day.

### BBQ LUNCH TUESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> OF MAY

Our Junior School council are hosting a BBQ lunch to raise money for valuable learning resources and the Grade 6 Dinner. More information will follow next week. Thank you to our Junior School Council for their active involvement and fundraising.

Enjoy your weekend  
Trevor Edwards  
Principal



### ITALIAN WORD/PHRASE OF THE WEEK



Chloe: **il gelato**: icecream  
Indigo **il bombolone**: the doughnut

## NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORYTIME 2018



On Wednesday morning 23<sup>rd</sup>, all libraries across Australia will read together.

This year's chosen book is Hickory Dickory Dash by Tony Wilson. Come and see our display in the library. A fun morning, all parents welcome to join in. More information will follow next week.

## Cross Country F/1/2

On Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> April the grade preps to grade 2's did cross country running. We ran 1km which was around the school.

Some parents came to watch.

I hope everybody had a lot of fun, I did. Thank you to the older students who helped us. Well done to all the students that participated.

By Paula Grade 1/2 TW

Please see our insert for lots of photos from our F-2 Cross Country and Wildlife incursion.

### Important Dates to remember:

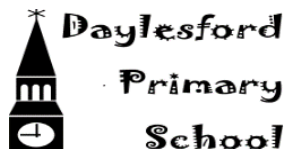
**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May** Goldfields Cross Country Event at Clunes Golf Club. This event runs after recess and students

will be back before the conclusion of school.

**It's important that we have permission notes and fees returned as soon as possible. This helps with planning these events**

### ALL ABSENCES MUST BE REPORTED TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE

If your child is absent from school please ring the school office on 5348 2480 as early as possible on or before the day



## KITCHEN GARDEN NEWS



Our new worm farms have been put together. So... remember to put your food scraps into the big black worm bins. Most fruit, vegetables and bread are good for worms.

### Our classes are short of volunteers!

We would welcome any parents from across the school who would like to be involved. You don't need to be an expert cook or gardener, we are all learning together. Please note that a Working With Children Check is required before you can work with classes. The check is free and available online. Please contact Gill Carron or Sandra Evans at the school if you can help.

# rebel **Ballarat**

## Invite all Daylesford Primary School **MEMBERS** to our Support Your Sport Program

We invite members of the SCHOOL to join our Rebel Active Loyalty Program where Member's will receive benefits of monthly promotions and discounts across the store.

We will reward your **SCHOOL** with a rebate on all member purchases in the form of an in store credit to be spent at Rebel Sport.

Please present your Rebel Active Loyalty card and ask our staff to ensure that you are linked to the SCHOOL OR ask our friendly staff for a card when you next visit the store.

We will sign you up as a member and link you to the Daylesford Primary School where Members and the SCHOOL will begin to receive the benefits.

**#0700005074- Daylesford  
Primary School**

With thanks The Team @ Rebel Ballarat  
13-23 Grenville Street Ballarat Ph: 0353318 338

## PARENT VOLUNTEERS Term 2 2018

FRIDAY	SICK BAY WASHING	BANKING
18 <sup>th</sup> May	Krystal Phypers	June Cooper
25 <sup>th</sup> May	Jo Steiner	Shelley Sandow
1 <sup>st</sup> June		June Cooper

## CANTEEN DUTY

Wed 16 <sup>th</sup>	
Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup>	Jessica Newton
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>	
Wed 23 <sup>rd</sup>	

## CANTEEN

**HOMEMADE BEEF SAUSAGE  
ROLLS ARE NOW AVAILABLE**  
**\$2.50 each**

**REMINDER**-Crunchas and Salad Bowls are  
only available in Terms 1 & 4

**Toasted sandwiches 30cents extra**



PIZZA SAUCE IS NOW USED IN OUR FOCACCIAS - NO NUTS



**RE-USABLE  
LUNCH ORDER BAGS \$10**

Available via the Canteen  
- order through your lunch order OR directly through the Canteen.  
Available only in Black with blue trim.

## CANTEEN - HELP ALWAYS NEEDED

**Please contact our Canteen Manager,  
Bev Adkins on 5348 1839 or 0423 357 191  
if you can assist. Thank you**



**Available @ Double  
'C' Jeanery**

Shower proof fleece lined  
Jacket  
with DPS Logo : \$45



Daylesford Primary School Accreditation

## HEALTHY EATING TIPS

### UNSATURATED FATS

Unsaturated fats are an important part of a healthy diet. These fats help reduce the risk of heart disease and lower cholesterol levels (among other health benefits) when they replace saturated fats in the diet. There are two main types of unsaturated fats:

Polyunsaturated fats:

- omega-3 fats which are found in fish, especially oily fish
- omega-6 fats which are found in some oils such as safflower and soybean oil, along with some nuts, including brazil nuts.
- Monounsaturated fats:
- found in olive and canola oil, avocados and some nuts, such as cashews and almonds.



### ALL VOLUNTEERS

When volunteering at school, working with children checks are now required in line with The Child Safe Standards.

WWC forms are available on line  
<http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au>

Volunteer checks are free of charge.

**All** volunteers are to present their WWCC card to the **office** for registration before commencing volunteering

### STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

## WORDS IN WINTER FUNDRAISER

Help is needed to sell raffle tickets at the Farmers' Arms Hotel every Friday night during May from 6pm. Please contact Maia on 0438 484 558 if you can help in any way.  
 Thank you.

### DAYLESFORD FARMERS MARKET

Growers: Makers: Producers. Eat make bake grow & shop local - Beautiful range of local producers of plants fruit cheese organic fruit & Vegies eggs plants herbs oils cheeses breads pastries coffee honey wine beer sweet treats nuts delicious food & drink and music Proudly partnered with Rotary - a family & community event. Dogs most welcome.

**First Saturday of every month – rain hail or shine  
 9am to 1pm. @ Daylesford Primary School.**

**Find us & like us on Facebook**



**DAYLESFORD AUSKICK 2018 STARTED  
 ON THURSDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> APRIL FROM 4.00@  
 VICTORIA PARK OVAL No1 DAYLESFORD.**

HOPE TO SEE OLD & NEW AUSKICKERS FOR WHAT SHOULD BE A GOOD FUN SEASON. TO REGISTER FOR DAYLESFORD AUSKICK JUST GO TO AFLAUSKICK.COM.AU & ENTER EITHER CENTRE NAME (DAYLESFORD) OR YOUR POSTCODE.

**FOR ALL ENQUIRIES PLEASE CONTACT  
 STEPHEN WALSH on 0417 573 517 or  
 email: [stephen.walsh2@bigpond.com.au](mailto:stephen.walsh2@bigpond.com.au)**

### Violin Teacher

My name is Adam and I am an experienced classically trained violin teacher who lives locally. I have played and performed many styles of music including classical, experimental, alternative and folk. I am a patient teacher who aims to instill confidence in the student and make playing music a joy. I will be offering lessons during school time. Lessons are one on one and are 30 minutes long (\$34). There is also a discounted term fee available. Any queries please contact me on 5348 7930 or [adjustviolin@live.com.au](mailto:adjustviolin@live.com.au)

