

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



*We pay our respects to elders past, present and emerging.
We are proud to acknowledge Dja Dja Wurrung as the Traditional Owners of this Country.*

DIARY DATES

NOVEMBER

Mon 5 th	Pupil Free Day
Tues 6 th	Melbourne Cup Public Holiday (no School)
Wed 7 th	Gr3/4 Melb Museum Excursion (leaving Promptly at 8am)
Fri 9 th	5/6 Leaders conference with Rotary
Mon 12 th	Grade 6 Graduation Photos 9am
Tues 13 th	*Remembrance Day at Assembly *Whole School Concert at the DPS Oval 5pm
Wed 14 th	Foundation Transition Day
Sat 17 th & Sun 18 th	Paul Bangay Open Garden KG Fundraiser
Tues 20 th	Gr5/6 Earth Ed Incursion
Wed 21 st	*Foundation Transition Day *Yandoit school Council Meeting
Tues 27 th	DPS School Council Meeting
Wed 28 th	Foundation Transition Day
Fri 30 th	Gr2-3 Transition Evening @ OLC

DECEMBER

Fri 7 th	KG Volunteers afternoon tea
Tues 11 th	*Assembly-Families gifts to DFS *Orientation day Yr7-2019 *Transition to 2019 classes
Wed 12 th	Parent Volunteer morning Tea 11am
Thurs 13 th	Presentation Evening
Mon 17 th	Gr 6 Dinner Celebration
Thurs 20 th	Last day of Term Finish at 3.20pm

MINI BREAKFAST held in the Gym every 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 4: 8th October to 21st December

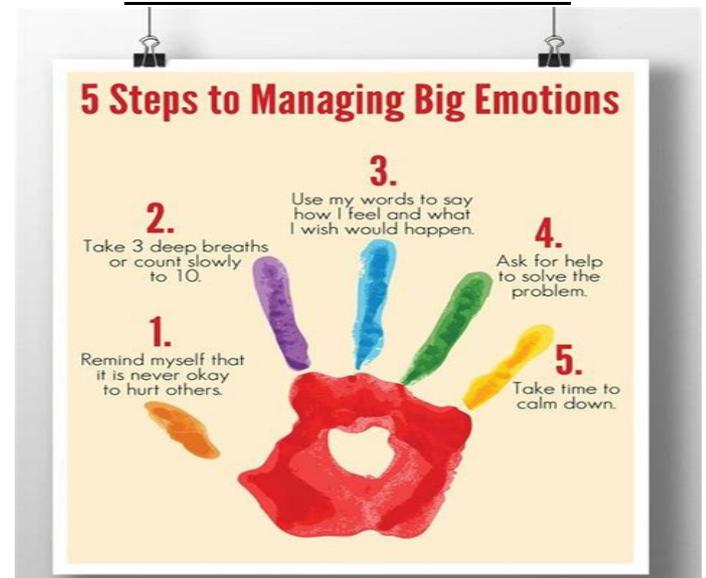
WE ARE A RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIP SCHOOL

KIDS HELPLINE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE: 1800 551 800

HEADSPACE FOR TEENS: 1800 650 890

Sometimes talking about what has been happening in your life can bring up concerns, where you may need to seek extra support.

RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS



FORTNIGHTLY FOCUS

RELIABILITY (Honesty & Trustworthy)

Do you like to help out? Can other people rely on you/depend on you? Do you keep your promises and stand by others who may be in need? These are some important qualities to have. People appreciate others for many reasons particularly if they know they can be relied upon to: lend a hand, give advice, look after pets when neighbours are away on holiday, complete a task at school and be supportive of them.

It's important to know that there are people in our lives who we can rely on: at home, at school or in the community. We can support others at play, while we work but sometimes it is the help that we give when it is least expected that means the most! Knowing that we can be relied upon has a twofold effect: helping others can make us feel good about ourselves too. Being reliable demonstrates that we have many of the following characteristics and qualities. We are:

- dependable and can be relied upon in most situations
- certain about what we can do and prepared to have-a-go
- constant for people and will persist in our efforts to help others
- genuinely interested in the welfare of both ourselves and others
- trustworthy

Karen McHugh

Current Focus Reliability (Honesty & Trustworthy)

Classes 2019

Parents are invited to put in writing to the principal any **educational** requests they would like considered in relation to the placing of their child for classes in 2019 by Friday 16th November.

Term 4 2018 No. 31 Friday, 2nd November, 2018

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Glenlyon Performing Arts and Choir

Congratulations to all the children and parents who attended this wonderful celebration of the arts on Sunday. From all accounts the performances were outstanding, with all children enjoying the opportunities to participate in front of a willing and engaged audience. A huge thank you to Suzanne who helped coordinate the choirs and well done to all the actors involved in the performance entitled 'Flipside Fairytales'.

Cricket Competition

Last Friday our 2 boys teams and 3 girls teams competed in this major event against many schools. It was a great effort by all, with 3 of the 5 teams reaching the Grand Final. Although none of the Daylesford teams won the Grand Final it was an admirable effort by all. Well done to all participants.

October Walk to School concludes

The final 'official' day of our state wide Walk to School month of October concluded on Wednesday. It has been fantastic to hear how children and parents have embraced walking to school, around the lake or around their block. Well done to everyone as we celebrate fitness, activity and family. Rachel from Hepburn Shire has been instrumental in supporting our school journey so thank you Rachel and the Hepburn Shire.

Welcome

We look forward to having Thais Sansom as a replacement for Suzanne, our music specialist, while Suzanne is on leave for the remainder of the year. Welcome Thais!

Age based gaming Ratings (Cybersafety)

In our newsletter today we wanted to highlight the importance of Gaming Ratings/Movie Ratings as an important guide. These well researched and considered rating scales are an important guide and we would like all parents to consider these when children are engaged with these games/movies etc.

Remembrance Day-Sunday November 11th at 11am Daylesford Cenotaph

We look forward to the commemoration of Remembrance Day which coincides with the 100th year anniversary of the signing of the Armistice agreement which drew a conclusion to the First World War. As people have observed we as a school are constructing an Armistice Garden to commemorate all Daylesford residents who were involved in all wars. Toby Sime has been instrumental in planning and constructing this significant acknowledgement. In particular, it is in our case planned to be a respectful and peaceful acknowledgement of those who fought for our peace in Australia. We wish to acknowledge the opening of the Armistice garden, which will accompany the school Remembrance Day commemoration. Our school Remembrance Day commemoration will take place at 10.45am on Friday the 9th of December adjacent to the school flagpole. We invite all community members along to this significant event, especially as this will include a commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the signing of the Armistice agreement.

Monday 5th November-Pupil Free Day

Please note that Monday the 5th of November is a designated pupil free day for Daylesford PS, Yandoit PS and Drummond PS. No children are to be at school on this day.

Melbourne Cup Public Holiday Tuesday 6th of November

Please note that this is a designated public holiday.

We trust everyone will enjoy their extra-long weekend and we look forward to seeing you on Wednesday the 7th of November.

Regards

Trevor Edwards

Principal

Walk to School Breakfast in the Gym



Whole School Concert 13th November Can you please Help?

We are seeking some volunteers to help with cooking sausages during our Community Dance (School Concert). If you can spare an hour or two on that evening, please contact the office.



REMEMBRANCE DAY POPPIES
will be available to purchase
next week (\$1-\$5)

Sports Report Week 4 Term 4

This is the final sports report for 2018. Hard to believe that we have covered so much in ten months. To think back at what the students have participated in, it is a lot. Our swimming carnival, cross country, and athletics (both senior and junior levels), Jump Rope for Heart, golf and cricket. To add to this, students progressing through many levels of competition which concluded Monday with five of our students participating in the state championships for athletics. Congratulations to all students this year.

Speaking of Monday, as I mentioned, we had five of our students participate at state level athletics. Congratulations to Evie Douglas, Jessica Santurini, Alice Glen and Erin Childs for coming 8th in their relay event. Another congratulations goes to Charlotte Streat for competing in two events. In 800m, Charlotte came 5th and in 1,500m she finished 6th. What an outstanding effort from all of our students. To put things into perspective, these students progressed through four levels of competition to reach state level. What an amazing achievement. Congratulations to you all.

Last Friday we participated in the T20 cricket competition in Ballarat. I know the students really enjoyed the experience and had a great time. I would like to thank all the students for their excellent behaviour, sportsmanship and enthusiasm. I would also like to say thank you to the students who attended all practise sessions leading up to the day. I know for a fact that their skills had improved and they did an amazing job on the day. Speaking of results, what a day! We had three of our five teams make the grand finals. In fact, all the students did so well that they only lost one game between all five sides. Well done to you all.

Finally, I would like to conclude this year's sports report by saying a big thank you to the following people. Without you, the students would not get the opportunities they experience. Thank you to all parents, teachers and school captains who help run events throughout the year. Amazing job! Thank you to all the students for your amazing enthusiasm and willingness to have a go. Finally, a huge thank you to Sherilee who is behind the scene organising and fine-tuning all of our events.

Thank you all.

See you in 2019!

Andrew Kiellerup

CANTEEN

**SAUSAGE ROLLS and
CHEESE AND SPINACH ROLLS
ARE NOW AVAILABLE AT \$2.50 EACH
MADE FROM KITCHEN GARDEN PRODUCE**



REMINDER- Toasted sandwiches 30cents extra

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

KITCHEN GARDEN NEWS - Help required!

Many thanks to all those who came to buy seedlings last week and helped to raise \$163 for our program.

If you are able to support our fundraiser at Paul Bangay's open garden over the weekend November 17th & 18th we need people for our stall which will be selling seedlings and D.P.S. cook books. Shifts are for 2 hours. Please return the slip below with your availability asap or phone the office on 53482480

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Name: _____

Ph: _____

Saturday 17th

12noon - 2pm	2pm - 4pm	4pm - 6pm

Sunday 18th

10am-12noon	12-2pm	2pm-4pm	4pm- 6pm

PARENT VOLUNTEERS

Term 4 2018

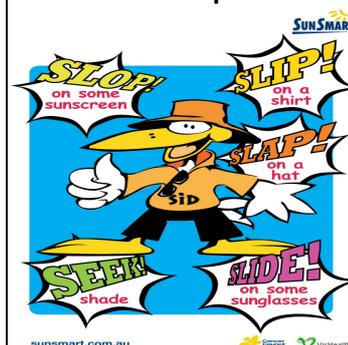
FRIDAY	SICK BAY WASHING	BANKING
9 th Nov	Christine Gilligan	Jo Steiner
16 th Nov	Krystal Phipers	June Cooper
23 rd Nov	Petra Bueskens	Shelley Sandow
30 th Nov	Jo Steiner	Jo Steiner

CANTEEN DUTY

Wed 7 th Nov	
Thurs 8 th	Sally Davis
Fri 9 th	Fiona Torrance
Wed 14 th	
Thurs 15 th	Andrea Gardiner
Fri 16 th	Krystal Phipers
Wed 21 st	
Thurs 22 nd	Kerry Forbes
Fri 23 rd	Petra Bueskens/Justine Russell

Hats are to be worn at all times in the playground during Terms 1 & 4 and on high UV days

Hats can be purchased from the office for \$12



Please ensure sunscreen is applied each morning before school!





Daylesford Primary School Accreditation

STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

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 Junior Tennis

It's not too late to be part of junior tennis! Competition for older players begins at 9.15am. The Hot Shot program for beginners and learners has a new start time of 9.45am and runs till 10.30am. All abilities welcomed and catered for.

For more information see:

<https://www.daylesfordtennis.com/junior-beginner-tennis>

Is your child struggling with reading?

**DATE CHANGE:
8th NOV**

For parents, students and teachers

Are they tired, disengaged, disempowered or disruptive?
Are they intuitive, a great problem solver or a creative thinker?

Around 1 in 10 people are dyslexic and needlessly fall through the education system.

Join us for a conversation with **Jemima** (medical student and young social entrepreneur) and **Peter Hutton** (former Principal of Templestowe College + Director of Future Schools Alliance)

Date: Thursday 8th November Time: 7 - 9pm
At: Daylesford Secondary College Cost: \$25 p/p

For more info: call Jemima Hutton on 0405 333 036 or jemima@hutton.education

BOOKINGS: www.trybooking.com/YMXD



Celebration of funding announced for Skate Park

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Kingston Avenue of Honour Centenary
Join us to commemorate the Centenary of the Armistice and the World War I volunteers of the former Shire of Creswick Avenue of Honour at Kingston.
**Sunday 11 November 2018
9 am - 4 pm**
Commemorative Parade 10.15 am
Creswick Light Horse - Creswick Brass Band
Remembrance Day Service

FREE FAMILY EVENT
entertainment - kids activities - displays
food and drinks - memorabilia - steam machinery

Parking by gold coin donation. Free shuttle bus.
Kingston is located 22 km from Daylesford and 29 km from Ballarat

Fulton Hogan **Hepburn** **Community Bank** **Sherrigo Bank**
RACV Goldfields Resort **The Casino** **hockingstuart**

facebook.com/kingstonavenueofhonour kingstonavenueofhonour.org.au

PALAIS | FISH&MOO
PRESENTS
15-18 NOV 2018

WORLD CIRCUS & CABARET FESTIVAL

AT TWO LOCATIONS

CIRCUS
THE MAY WIRTH
1 VINCENT STREET, DAYLESFORD

CABARET
PALAIS HEPBURN
111 MAIN STREET, HEPBURN

GET YOUR TICKETS AT WORLD.CIRCUS.CABARET.FESTIVAL.COM

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OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

We provide quality After School & Holiday Programs that support each child to explore and have fun in a safe environment. We are currently taking After School Care bookings for 2018 & 2019 and for the January Holiday Program. Enroling is easy and can be completed online. Simply contact us by phone on 53483702 or email dccc@daylesfordchild.org.au

**TO ENROL, PHONE:
5348 3702**



NATURE Devours ART along the Loddon....

Come explore the Glenlyon Biolink walking trail along the Loddon River with local Artist Jodie Goldring.

During late October and throughout November Glenlyon Progress Association invites the community to participate in a series of weaving activities. The focus will be getting to know plants along the river and using them to learn weaving techniques with the guidance of an experienced Artist.

Some of the artworks will be left in situ to create visual interest along the trail and due to the ephemeral nature of the work will disintegrate over time.

All sessions will take place 10am - 3pm, starting from the Glenlyon Reserve Pavilion. Please bring snacks, drinks, lunch and wear clothing appropriate to the site and weather. There is no charge to participate. Everyone welcome at any or all of the sessions.

Friday Oct 26 - The Wool Crafters will work together to create a twined surface within the existing branches of a tree.

Sunday Oct 28 - Drop in and say hello to the Artist. In the morning learn how to make string and help create an installation with it from the branches of a tree.

Sunday Nov 4 - During this day grasses will be collected and used to cobble together boats, which can be sailed in the dam or along the Loddon.

Sunday Nov 11 - Twining and random weaving techniques will be used to weave birds out of willow & other materials.

Sunday Nov 18 & Mon 19 - Finely woven nests using the technique of random weaving will be made from *Iomandra longifolia*. (With the local Craft Group on the Monday).

Sunday Nov 25 - Participants will work together to make a large wreath from plant material and hang it from a new footbridge.

Wednesday 28 Nov - Mud nests with Playgroup

Fri Nov 30 - The twined surface created within the existing branches of a tree at the beginning of the project will be completed

Enquiries events@glenlyon.vic.au or Joy 5348 7542



The Australian Government's Regional Arts Fund is provided through Regional Arts Australia, administered in Victoria by Regional Arts Victoria.



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