

YANDOIT PRIMARY SCHOOL



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LEARNING AND GROWING TOGETHER

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

DIARY DATES

JUNE

Tues 26th Winter Raffle Drawn at DPS

Fri 29th

End of School Term.
School finishes at 2.30pm

JULY

Wed 18th Yandoit Primary School
Photos commencing at
9.00am

2018 TERM DATES

Term 2: 16 April to 29 June
Term 3: 16 July to 21 September
Term 4: 8 October to 21 December

Trust and Support

Supporting each others goals and respecting our:
feelings,
our friends,
activities and opinions

Honesty and Accountability

Accepting responsibility for our own actions by admitting
when we are wrong and enabling open and truthful
communication

Responsible Parenting

Be a positive role model for those around us.

Shared Responsibility

Work together to get things done

Current Focus

Goal Setting (Responsible Learner)

Setting goals means working out what you want to achieve
before you start! If you do this well then you can achieve
what you want. When setting goals try to make them
realistic – in other words, try to aim for something that you
can achieve and most importantly aim for something you
really *want* to achieve. We can set ourselves short term and
long term goals. You may have goals with your learning and
interactions at school and goals outside school (sport,
music, at home, helping others in the community) too!

Work out what you want and go for it!

Karen McHugh

WE ARE A RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIP SCHOOL

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

KIDS HELPLINE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE: 1800 551 800

HEADSPACE FOR TEENS: 1800 650 890

EQUALITY

Negotiation and Fairness

Work together to resolve our conflicts by:

- Accepting change, and
- Being willing to compromise

Non-Threatening Behaviour

Talking and acting with each other in a way that we feel safe
and comfortable to express ourselves

Respect

Listening to each other without judgement and respecting
each others opinions

ATTENDANCE

Could all parents please notify the school when their child
is absent during the week. This can be in the form of a
phone call before 9.00am or in person at the office.

Doing this enables us to keep track of where students are
during the week.

It is a requirement of the Education Department and we
are endeavouring to improve our unexplained absences
throughout all schools.

Thank you for your assistance



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

Lateness = Lost Learning

(figures below are calculated over a school year)

5 minutes late each day = 3 days lost!

10 minutes late each day = 6 days lost!

15 minutes late each day = 9 days lost!

20 minutes late each day = 12 days lost!

30 minutes late each day = 18 days lost!

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

I trust everyone had an enjoyable long weekend as we progress towards the end of term.

SEMESTER ONE STUDENT REPORTS

Teachers have concluded writing all student reports and we are now in the final phases of editing and printing them for handout on Monday the 25th of June.

Parent/Student/teacher interviews are scheduled for Wednesday the 25th of July.

BLUE LIGHT DISCO FRIDAY 22ND JUNE

Please note that the Daylesford police will host the Blue Light disco on this date from 6pm until 9.000pm. As with all Blue Light discos, there are no pass outs and children are extensively supervised to ensure everyone has a wonderful time. Entry fee is \$5 and the theme is favourite animals!

BOOK FAIR SORT DAY SUNDAY 24TH JUNE

If you are able to assist with our next sort day it will begin at 10.00am at the school gym. It is planned that the sort day will continue until approximately 4.00pm. If you have any books at home that you would like to donate to the 2018 Book Fair you may wish to drop them off next Sunday. Thank you for everyone's support for what promises to be another wonderful Daylesford Primary School Book Fair to be hosted on the 1st and 2nd of September.

Enjoy your weekend

Trevor Edwards
Principal.

Student invoices, family details update & unexplained absence letters

were distributed last week. Please check all details, make any changes and return to school as soon as possible. We would appreciate payment of any outstanding invoices at your earliest convenience.

If you received an unexplained absence letter, please indicate the reason for your child's absence and return as soon as possible. It is important you return the above forms as soon as possible. Thank you.

YANDOIT NEWS – A MESSAGE FROM KERRY

Benji

This week we had our first visit from Julie Rodgers and her beautiful dog Benji.



The children learnt about Benji's work supporting people in hospitals and age care, helping to reduce their stress levels through listening to their stories and making himself available for petting. He demonstrated his wonderful sit and wait for food trick and listened to the children read.



What an amazing whole body listener (I listen with my eyes, ears, still body, closed mouth and open heart) he is! You can read about Benji and Julie's work on their blog. <https://julesandthedog.com/>



SCHOOL PHOTOS – 18th JULY at 9.00am

We will get our photos taken here on the 18th of July.
Please mark the date in your calendars.

To simplify the collection of money for photos we are sending out the photo envelopes this week. Can you please return them by Friday 22nd of June (next Friday). We will store them for next term so that nobody will miss out on a great photo.

Respectful Relationships

This semester in respectful relationships we have been exploring ways to identify the emotions we are feeling to help us build a vocabulary to express them. We have been learning how to listen to each other, respect different opinions and to resolve conflicts.

We are currently looking at what are personal strengths, and what is mindfulness and how we can use it to manage our busy brains! Please feel free to share with the children some of your personal strengths and they could share some mindfulness techniques with you.

And a last word from our students....

"Bastian is awesome, Gilbert can run fast, Alexander is active, Jade is glamorous, Lila's just great and Sol is slightly sluggish this week!"

"WINTER" RAFFLE FUNDRAISER

Tickets for the "Winter" Raffle have been sent home with this week's Newsletter. Please support this fundraiser as there are many fabulous prizes to be won, and it is a great opportunity to raise funds for our school. Please return all sold/ unsold tickets by Friday 22nd June. Raffle will be drawn at the final Assembly for Term 2, Tuesday 26th June.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE – INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

DO YOU HAVE A VALID MEANS-TESTED CONCESSION CARD?

Then you may be eligible to apply for the CSEF (CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSION FUND)

Eligibility will be subject to the parent/carer's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (29 January 2018) or term two (16 April 2018).

The annual CSEF amount per primary student will be \$125, which will be paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

**Please contact the front office for an application form (or download from the CSEF website www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)
The CSEF Program closes on 30th June, 2018**

DENTAL EXAMINATION AND TREATMENT

Our experienced and caring Dental Team at Hepburn Health Service would like to offer your child a Dental exam, including any treatment that maybe required.

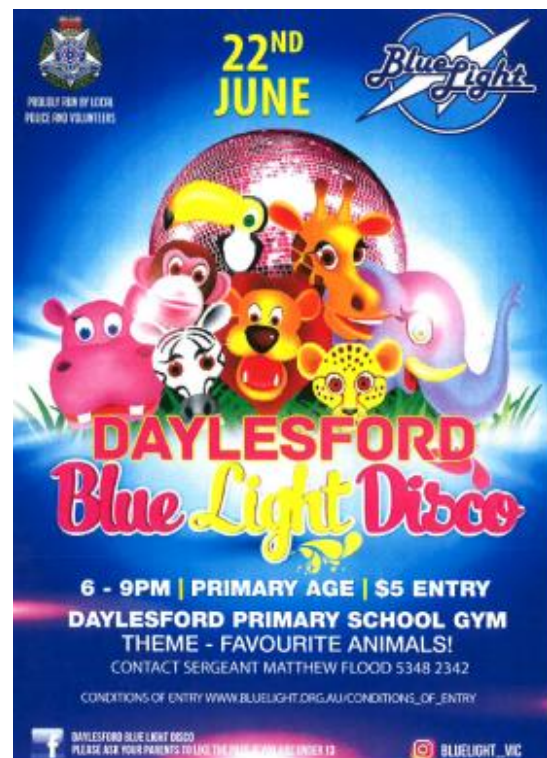
This Dental service is FREE for children aged 0-12 years of age. If you have other children that require an Exam/treatment please contact us.

**Please phone 5321 6580 to arrange an appointment at our Community Health Centre, which is located next to the Hospital.
We have some appointments available after school hours and during the school holidays.**

EARLY DISMISSAL

WEDNESDAYS 3PM

STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES



Mavericks & misfits

A comical new show about being yourself!

Thursday 28 June 7pm
Friday 29 June 7pm
Saturday 30 June 7pm
Daylesford Town Hall

A Youth Theatre Production created by 45 teen performers, told through Drama, Dance, Circus & Song.

Learn more at: facebook.com/daylesfordyouththeatre

Tickets at: www.trybooking.com/VWLB

CREATIVE VICTORIA REGIONAL CENTRE FOR CULTURE

Face Painting Techniques

Tuesdays 4pm
Starting 29th May
Daylesford Library

Hepburn Libraries
Read Smart Libraries
Hepburn

Sun Catchers

Wednesday 4th July
11am
Daylesford Library

Hepburn Libraries
Read Smart Libraries
Hepburn

Ron Murray

Didgeridoo and Indigenous storytelling for Children of all ages

Thursday 5th July 10.30am
Friday 6th July 10.30am
Saturday 7th July 10.30am
Sunday 8th July 10.30am

Daylesford Library

Rebecca Faulkner

Author of the book 'The Dog and the Boy' and 'The Dog and the Girl'.

Tuesday 3rd July
11am
Daylesford Library

Hepburn Libraries
Read Smart Libraries
Hepburn

Words in Winter 2018

CHILDREN'S WRITING AWARD

Theme 'Chance and Change'

Kids, it's time to get writing!
Talk to your school about how you can enter the Children's Writing Award as part of Words in Winter 2018. Your story about 'Chance and Change' or the 2018 Book Week topic 'Find Your Treasure' must be handed into the school office by 4pm Thursday 16th of August 2018.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF WTW
CHILDREN'S WRITING AWARD
AT DAYLESFORD TOWN HALL
11AM SATURDAY AUGUST 26TH
PRIOR TO PERFORMANCE OF
CHILDREN'S THEATRE PRODUCTION
FLIPSIDE FAIRIES (11.30AM)

TWO WEEKS FREE TRIAL FOR ALL STUDENTS AGED 9 AND UP

field trip

THE FIELD TRIP DAYLESFORD SUNDAYS 3-5PM
WWW.THEFIELDTRIP.CO

Are you between ages 9 and 17? Are you free on Sunday afternoons? Would you like to make new friends, meet awesome people and do amazing things like get on radio and lead your community? The Field Trip would like to offer you a two week free trial to come along and try it out. It's every Sunday 3-5pm at the Guide Hall - 5 Duke Street, Daylesford. Please call 0400 344 746 to express your interest or you can register via the website: www.thefieldtrip.co We hope you will give it a go. You will love it.

"In Celebration of the Pudding"

100 years of the Magic Pudding
By Norman Lindsay
Exhibition: July 14—October 14, 2018
Children's Festival September 28 - 30, 2018

STAND WITH ME AT THE 'G

Breast Cancer Network Australia's Field of Women

Sunday 12 August 2018
Melbourne Cricket Ground
 Before the Melbourne vs Sydney Swans AFL match

TICKETS ON SALE NOW
 Adults \$59 | Children under 15 free

One day, 18,000 people.
 Join us to make history and support Australians affected by breast cancer

Purchase tickets at bcna.org.au/fieldofwomen

All proceeds from tickets go to Breast Cancer Network Australia



WELCOME TO TOONWORLD

CARTOONING WORKSHOPS
 @ Hepburn Libraries
 Daylesford Library
 Tuesday 10th July 2018
 9.30 - 11.30 am
 All materials provided
 Suitable for ages 5+

For bookings or more information please call 0548 26000

Hepburn Libraries, Read, Smart Libraries, and Hepburn Libraries logos.