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 Carina and Compassionate - We are Good Citizens

DIARY DATES

SEPTEMBER

Fri 21st End of Term 2.30pm finish

OCTOBER

Mon 8th TERM 4 COMMENCES

World Teacher Day

Hats to be worn during Term 4

Sat 13th Trivia Night (further

information next week)

Fri 19^{th} F – 2 Junior Athletics day from

9.30am at DPS

Wed 31st Yandoit School Council

Meeting

NOVEMBER

Mon 5th Pupil Free Day

Tues 6th Melbourne Cup Day (no

school)

Mon 12th Grade 6 graduation photos at

9.00am at DPS

Tues 13th Whole School Concert on the

DPS Oval

Sat 17th & Sun 18th Paul Bangay KG

Fundraiser

Tues 20th Gr 5/6 Earth Ed Incursion

Tues 27th DPS School Council Meeting

2018 TERM DATES

Term 3: 16 July to 21 September Term 4: 8 October to 21 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 - R U OK?



1. ASK R U OK?

- a. Tell me more?
- b. Show you're interested and care

2. Listen without judgement

- a. Give them time to reply
- b. Avoid solving their problems

3. Encourage action

- a. Summarise
- b. Make a plan
- c. Take one step towards the solution

4. Follow Up

- a. Call them in one week
- b. Listen without judgement again

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

END OF TERM THREE

Unbelievably we have concluded Term 3 and with so many significant events occurring throughout the term I would like to thank everyone for their contributions. It has been very busy but very productive, with all children actively involved in their own learning development. The continuation of the parent-child-school partnership is paramount and very evident throughout the past three terms. As we head into the final term for the year we again look toward a positive and supporting relationship with our students as we develop strategies to continually support our wonderful young learners. We encourage all families to partake in all school based student activities next term.

ROTARY CONCERT

It was fantastic to witness the annual Daylesford Rotary concert hosted at the Town Hall on Wednesday night. Our school choirs were magnificent singing Double Trouble, Wondering and Obwisana. Likewise, the Yandoit annexe dance items were spectacular. Well done to our school communities for their efforts. We certainly have some very talented students at our respective schools. A huge thank you to the teachers: Katie, Suzanne and Kerry for all their preparation work to showcase our student's talents. Well done!

KAREN BROTHERS

We would like to wish both Karen and Brenton all the best with their upcoming family leave. We will miss you a great deal Karen and as we speak we are organising the replacement teacher for 6KB for the remainder of the year. The very best wishes to Karen and Brenton on the impending birth of their child.

TRIVIA NIGHT - OCTOBER 13TH

Our trivia night is gaining momentum. Everyone should have received the poster outlining this fantastic opportunity to test your brainpower in an atmosphere of fun and enjoyment. Please contact Andrea 0414478501 if you wish to book a table or be a member of a made up table! We look forward to your company on which should be a fun and entertaining night. More information will follow very early in next term.

END OF TERM 3

Please note that school concludes for our term holidays on Friday the 21st of September at 2.30pm. Students will be dismissed at this time. Buses will be some 50 minutes earlier than usual so please be prepared to collect your child from their respective bus stops earlier.

I wish everyone a safe and enjoyable break and we look forward to the commencement of the final term of the year on Monday the 8th of October.

Have a wonderful and well deserved break!

Trevor Edwards Principal

Whole School Concert

Our whole school concert will be held in the evening of **Tuesday 13th November**.

WHAT: It will be a folk dancing experience with a live band, picnic atmosphere and will 100% involve audience participation!

WHERE: On the school oval, arranged in a big circle. Parents & friends on picnic blankets around the edges, band on a small stage in the middle and dance floor around the stage-360 degrees of dance!

It's going to be like a big gorgeous community picnic with dancing and music!

GETTING IT TO THE NEXT LEVEL: Let's really make the atmosphere fun and maybe raise some funds too....... We could do this by including:

- Sausage sizzle
- Cake stall
- Coffee van
- Food van

WE NEED YOU! Whilst the teachers are busy organising amazing feats of folk dancing and music, we need some parents & friends to help with the extra pizazz! Can you help us with:

- Sausage sizzlin'!
- Co-ordinating a cake stall
- Finding food vans to come
- Getting the BEST coffee van ?

Please get in contact with us if you want to help make a truly memorable experience for the school and wider community.

The Performing Arts Team, Suzanne & Katie

YANDOIT NEWS – A MESSAGE FROM KERRY

Well, what can I say about your amazing children? They were exemplary as an audience; sitting quietly and giving each act the attention it deserved, demonstrating the children's growing skills in patience and resilience. They gave an engaging and unusual performance that was a group choreography which they completely owned. I am so proud of the focus and confidence that the children displayed in their performance and glad that they enjoyed the experience.

Thank you for supporting your children. It is wonderful to see them shine!



We are working on another piece that will be performed at DPS's whole school concert on the oval in November so get your picnics and dancing shoes ready!



Last Friday we had a great day learning about the importance of recycling and paper making with Drummond. I was impressed with the knowledge the children have and the thoughtful questions being asked throughout the day.

We will be participating in more environmental sustainability programs with Ecolink in the future.





Tomorrow we have our bushwalk and Teddy bear picnic at Gilbert's place. Could everyone remember to wear walking shoes, we will be walking for 1 hour there and 1 hour back. Michelle will take our picnic sharing foods up to Gilberts in the morning so we won't have to lug it! We will have normal fruit break before we leave and take drink bottles in back packs with us.

Thank you for a wonderful term everyone and have A FANTASTIC BREAK with your Families.



EARLY DISMISSAL WEDNESDAYS

<u> 3PM</u>

STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES





TrumpitUp & DroneOn

A brass and pipe bands concert spectacular Featuring the world premiere of Louisa Trewartha's The Nature of Sound

With guest conductor Louisa Trewartha and solo performance by Jessica Hitchcock Friday September 28, 2018, 2 pm for 2.30pm start Jubilee Lake, Daylesford

FREE



