# 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**

#### NOVEMBER

Tues 27 <sup>th</sup>	DPS School Council Meeting
Wed 28 <sup>th</sup>	Yandoit PS School council
DECEMBER Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> – Fri 7 <sup>th</sup>	Swimming – 1pm – 1.30pm At Daylesford Primary School
Tues 11 <sup>th</sup>	Transition to 2019 classes
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup>	Yandoit School Concert at the Community Hall 6pm
Thurs 13 <sup>th</sup>	Presentation Evening (6.30pm for 7pm start)
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup>	Excursion to Melbourne Arts Centre to see Coppélia
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Reports Distributed Grade 6 Dinner Celebrations (5pm – 9pm)
Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup>	Last day of Term finish at 3.20pm
<b>2018 TERM DATES</b> 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**



## FORTNIGHTLY FOCUS Co-operation (Including Others)

Including others in your games and activities makes everyone feel good. It means that you are generous, willing to share your time with others and that you care about their feelings. If you include others in your games, they are more likely to include you when you are looking for someone to play with or talk to.

Look around and see if there are others who might like to join in. Sometimes they might not ask to join in but they may be standing close by. Remember there are many ways that we can include others when we are working in our classrooms, group work and in other learning situations.

Karen McHugh



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.

### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

#### **State Election Polling Booths**

Please note that Daylesford Primary School, Drummond Primary School and Yandoit Primary School are State election booths. The booths are open at 8.00am – 6.00pm this Saturday. We will be hosting a cake stall at the Daylesford Primary School booth so you may be interested in purchasing some treats after you vote. Thank you to all who were involved in organising this cake stall and for those families who baked some goodies for this significant fundraiser.

#### Paul Bangay Kitchen Garden Fundraiser

A huge thank you to the team of parents and teachers who participated and manned our DPS marquee on Saturday and Sunday. A big thank you to Gill Carron for <u>all</u> of her organisation. This was a significant event on the Open Garden calendar and to be invited to participate was a huge achievement. A massive thank you to Alla Wolf Tasker for her support in donating and signing approximately 120 cookbooks for the benefit of this fundraising opportunity. With the sale of seedlings and books, \$1796 was raised for our Kitchen Garden Program. Thank you to all!

#### Transition of 2019 Foundation children (2<sup>nd</sup> Session)

On Wednesday of this week we hosted our second Transition session for our new 2019 Foundation students. It's very exciting to witness their enthusiasm as we proceed with ensuring that they are supported and confident when they commence in 2019.

#### 2018 Junior Swimming Program

As no doubt, you are aware we have had concerns about staffing of the swimming program this year. Although we have many potential Auswim teachers who have stated they would be involved, their own swim school requires them to undertake their own lessons. We are however, training Sherilee and she will be qualified. We, as staff, will be active in supporting this wonderful opportunity for the children. The pool is currently being prepared. Again, if anyone knows of another Auswim teacher I would love to hear from you. Our program will commence on December 3<sup>rd</sup> and we look forward to all the years F-2 being involved, as well as the Yandoit Primary School students.

#### Daylesford Indoor Aquatic Centre (DIAC) callout for Membership

There is a great deal of passion to support an indoor aquatic centre in Daylesford. If you are interested in becoming a member of this wonderful committed group, please contact myself at the school. I will leave membership forms at the office. The more members the greater the advocacy!

Enjoy your weekend Trevor Edwards Principal

## Donations

Each year Daylesford Primary School presents Daylesford Family Services with Christmas gifts that they distribute to local families in need.

Thank you to the students who have brought in their coins. Anyone who would still like to donate a gold coin please bring in on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November

Gifts will be purchased and given to Family Services at our assembly on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December.

Thank you for your support.

Trudi Blick....on behalf of Daylesford Primary School Staff

## YANDOIT NEWS – A MESSAGE FROM KERRY

We have a jammed packed four weeks left of term. The children have been working really hard at their assessment tasks and completed them with fantastic results. They are now writing extended narratives about a topic of choice and participating in problem solving activities to apply their mathematics learning. We are also learning about what elements are needed to put on a production.

YPS swimming program has been confirmed for the first week of December in the afternoons a note will be coming home today.

If any parents are wanting to join us going to the Ballet there is room on the bus you just need to purchase tickets.

On Monday afternoons (2.30pm, weather permitting) we are going to play tennis. You are welcome to join us.

Student requisite payments are now due. Please contact us if you have any queries about where you are at with these.

Have a great week.

### Our students have created their own Acknowledgement of Country:

We would like to acknowledge the traditional owners of this land, the Dja Dja Wurrung people.

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We thank them for looking after the land and ensuring that they didn't take too much so the next generations can live a healthy life.

We thank the Dja Dja Wurrung ancestors for keeping the water clean and protecting our animals and plants.

We thank the elders for passing on knowledge and sharing their land

## Coppélia – a sparkling tale of magic and mischief, where all is not what it seems....



School Excursion: Friday, December 14th

Payment is due next week by 30<sup>th</sup> November. Don't forget it will be an 8.15am start on the day.

## Who Am I



Taking our inspiration from "The Scream" by Edvard Munch

## EARLY DISMISSAL WEDNESDAYS 3PM

STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

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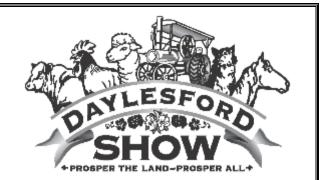
Join us for afternoon tea at Daylesford Library on Friday 30th November, 4pm for the launch of the Libraries Change Lives campaign in the Hepburn Shire.

The event will be MC'ed by 'Maura the cruise ship librarian' much loved character of comedian and librarian Monica Dullard.

Help us to celebrate the vital role Libraries plays in our community







146th Annual Show Saturday 24th November 2018 Víctoría Park, Daylesford Event Secretary Phone: 5348 7997 Email: info@daylesfordshow.com Website: www.daylesfordshow.com A great day out for the whole family. Animals, rides, food, craft, produce, children's displays & lots more. For a schedule/entry forms contact Event Secretary

**Daylesford Junior Tennis** is on Saturday mornings until the end of term. Junior tennis resumes when school goes back in February 2019. All new players welcome. Hot Shot tennis builds skills and is fun for beginners or young players (prep to grade 2). Competition for more experienced and older players. Just turn up @ 9.15am or for more information

https://www.daylesfordtennis.com/junior-beginnertennis



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#### 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 par-ticipate 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 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 lomandra 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



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