

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

OCTOBER	Walk to School Month
Fri 26 th	Prep Transition Day 9.00am – 12.30pm
Wed 31 st	Yandoit School Council Meeting
NOVEMBER	
Fri 2 nd	Prep Transition Day 9.00am – 12.30pm
Mon 5 th	Pupil Free Day
Tues 6 th	Melbourne Cup Day (no school)
Fri 9 th	Prep Transition Day 9.00am – 12.30pm
Mon 12 th	Grade 6 graduation photos at 9.00am at DPS
Tues 13 th	Whole School Concert on the DPS Oval
Fri 16 th	Prep Transition Day 9.00am – 12.30pm
Sat 17 th & Sun 18 th	Paul Bangay KG Fundraiser
Tues 20 th	Gr 5/6 Earth Ed Incursion
Tues 27 th	DPS School Council Meeting
DECEMBER	
Fri 14 th	Excursion to Melbourne Arts Centre to see Coppélia

2018 TERM DATES

Term 4: 8 October to 21 December

RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS

PERSONAL STRENGTHS

When you use positive words your child learns the value of those qualities:

HONEST	(You tell the truth even when it's not easy)
FAIR	(You let everyone play and you keep to the rules)
FUNNY	(You make people laugh and feel happy)
HARDWORKING	(You keep working even when it gets hard)
FORGIVING	(You can say sorry and move on)
CURIOUS	(You like to learn new things)
KIND	(You help other people)
PATIENT	(You are good at waiting your turn)
LEADERSHIP	(You help the group do things)
GENEROUS	(You share with others)
FRIENDLY	(You are nice to everyone)
BRAVE	You try new things even when it's scary)

FORTNIGHTLY FOCUS

PERSISTENCE (Responsible Learner)



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.



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

**SUNSMART PROGRAM AT DAYLESFORD,
DRUMMOND & YANDOIT P.S.**

As Sunsmart accredited schools, we are very much aware of the considerations that need to be undertaken to protect all children, staff and parents from the harmful over exposure to the sun. We are thrilled that all students wear their broad brimmed hat during terms one and four, as well as other designated months when the harmful effects are acknowledged.

We ask parents to educate their children and apply sunscreen each morning before school. Each class has a pump pack of factor 50 sunscreen and this will be regularly changed to ensure that children have the availability of sunscreen. I encourage all parents to provide their own sunscreen for their child and this can be applied before the regular school breaks (lunch/recess). Likewise, we encourage children to utilise shady areas around the school as an effective natural method of protecting their skin from over exposure. We, as a school, also provide lessons in support of raising awareness of the harmful effects of overexposure to the sun. Please contact your child's teacher or myself if you wish to discuss this further.

JUNIOR ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

What a fantastic opportunity for all children in years Foundation to Two, at all of our three sites, to participate in a fun athletics carnival. It was wonderful to witness the enjoyment and effort of all participants and likewise the active support of parents and grandparents. Congratulations to all the organisers but a special congratulations to all our athletes who competed on the day! Well done!

**STATE ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS MONDAY 29TH
OCT**

We wish Charlotte Streat and our relay team consisting of Jessica Santurini, Evie Douglas, Erin Childs & Alice Glen well as they represent our school in the State Primary Schools Athletics Championships this Monday at Albert Park, Melbourne. Well done to all and best wishes!

TRANSITION FOR 2019 FOUNDATION STUDENTS

We have posted out our transition information flyers outlining the parent information, the designated times and requirements for the three transition mornings. We are very excited as a school to welcome all 2019 foundation students as they commence their formal primary schooling education. We certainly look forward to engaging with these wonderful young people and likewise we very much look forward to sharing information to all parents during these transition opportunities.

ARMISTICE GARDEN

I know that there have been many people commenting on the continued construction of the schools Armistice Garden. We are certainly encouraged by the features and acknowledge all the time and commitment of Toby Sime who has volunteered his time and energy in ensuring that this garden truly reflects the importance of those who served to support the peace of our nation. Thank you again Toby!

I hope everyone enjoys their weekend.

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 pizzazz!

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

Just a reminder that our first Prep Transition morning occurs tomorrow from 9.00am. We look forward to seeing our future students tomorrow.



This week I would like to acknowledge the children and their ability to demonstrate our school values, we are becoming good citizens by participating in community events. Last week the junior members of our class participated in the junior athletics day at DPS. They showed great persistence and excellent sportsmanship. They were respectful when joining different class groups, listening to teachers and to the grade 6 helpers.

Our older children were reliably helping when needed and checking in with me when they were not. Our values of caring and compassion were well demonstrated when both Jocelyn and Gabe gave their ribbons to students who did not have one. Alexander was running out the front of the others in his 300m race when he noticed a student had fallen. He stopped and ran back to help the student. What an amazing show of sportsmanship, awesome work Alexander! Juliette also showed exemplary leadership with her attention to the job at hand and support she gave to students. Thanks parents for taking them to DPS, it was a great day!



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



School Excursion: Friday, December 14th

“Experience ballet’s most playful comedy live on stage in an interactive production of *Coppélia* created especially for children aged 3 and up. Join young lovers Swanilda and Franz as they sneak into Dr Coppelius’ mysterious workshop and discover the secrets of his mechanical dolls.”

“Running for under an hour and brimming with magic tricks, life-size toys and enchanting costumes, this narrated version of *Coppélia* will surprise and delight little girls and boys and have them dancing all the way home.”

Who Am I??



EARLY DISMISSAL WEDNESDAYS 3PM



STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Hepburn Springs Golf Club
4 Week MYGolf Junior Program
 Starting Friday 19th, 26th October,
 2nd and 9th November
 Time : 4:00 - 5:00 Cost : \$20.00
 (\$39.07 including participation pack)
 Bookings : MYGOLF.ORG.AU

Daylesford Lawn Tennis for juniors starts in October!

Junior tennis on Saturday mornings for all ages and abilities begins on *Saturday 27 October*.

Start times are:

Prep to Grade 2 - 9.45 to 10.15am

Grade 3 to Grade 6 - 10.20 to 11.15am

Older players - 9.15 sharp for competition tennis

For details see the tennis club website

<https://www.daylesfordtennis.com/tennis-program>

Flipside Fairytales

It's on again! Don't miss out. "So funny and entertaining"
 All your fav storytime characters in an hilarious new adventure
 performed by Inside Out Junior Theatre Company
 with Daylesford Primary School Choir

Sun 28 Oct 11am & 3pm
 Glenlyon Shire Hall All Tix \$5
 Bookings essential on www.trybooking.com/YTSI

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

Rotary Club of Ballarat
 presents
SpringFest
 Season of events

MARKET SUNDAY
 25TH NOVEMBER 2018 10AM - 4PM

Visit Ballarat's famous annual Springtime event.
 There's something for the whole family!

www.ballaratsspringfest.com.au

EVENT PARTNERS:

SPONSORS: