

# 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

- Mon 12<sup>th</sup> Grade 6 graduation photos at  
9.00am at DPS
- Tues 13<sup>th</sup> Whole School Concert on the  
DPS Oval 5pm
- Fri 16<sup>th</sup> Prep Transition Day  
9.00am – 12.30pm
- Sat 17<sup>th</sup> & Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Paul Bangay Open Garden  
KG Fundraiser
- Wed 21<sup>st</sup> Yandoit PS School council
- Tues 27<sup>th</sup> DPS School Council Meeting

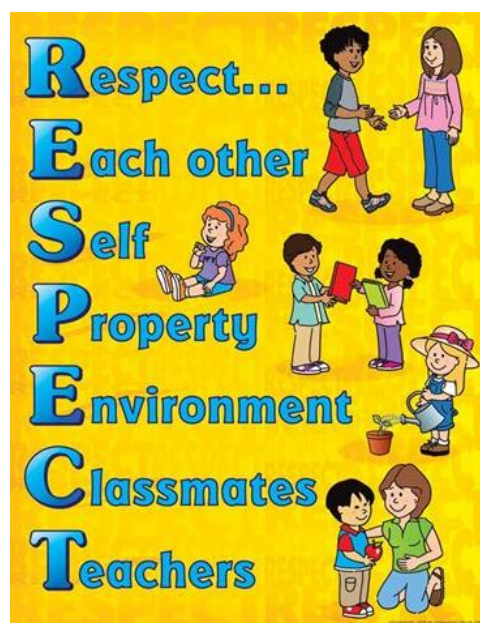
#### DECEMBER

- Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> – Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Swimming – Times  
to be confirmed
- 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> Grade 6 Dinner Celebrations  
(5pm – 9pm)

#### 2018 TERM DATES

Term 4: 8 October to 21 December

### RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS



### FORTNIGHTLY FOCUS

RELIABILITY (Honesty & Trustworthy)



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

### **School Pupil free Day Long Weekend**

We trust everyone had an enjoyable long weekend, inclusive of the Melbourne Cup public holiday.

### **Rotary Student Leadership Conference this Friday**

Today our 26 student leaders, along with our respective year 5's and some 8 children from Dharma Primary School, participated in our first ever Student Leadership Conference. This program was organised by current student leaders under the guiding assistance of Daylesford Rotary and Ms McHugh. A great deal of effort and support has gone into ensuring that the Leadership conference is engaging, fun and targeted toward the leaders of tomorrow. A huge thank you to Bronwyn, Peta and Colin from Daylesford Rotary. Congratulations to all our 2018 student leaders in terms of their application and leadership messages. I'm sure our 2019 potential student leaders have had an exciting session that will support their own leadership journey next year.

### **Remembrance Day**

Our 2018 Remembrance Day commemoration will take place today Friday the 9<sup>th</sup> of November 2018 at 10.45am adjacent to the Australian flag. At this stage, the Armistice garden will not be completed but we will officially recognise all the work Toby has done to prepare for what is a very important occasion, namely the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the peace declaration (Armistice) that ended the First World War. We invite the community to attend the Daylesford Remembrance Day commemoration on Sunday the 11<sup>th</sup> November at exactly 11am at the Daylesford Cenotaph. I hope that we will see you there!

### **Whole School Community Folk Dance Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November on the School Oval – Gates open at 5pm**

We are very excited to be hosting this wonderful celebration of the performing arts at our first ever community dance event to be held on our school oval from 6pm until 7.30pm. It will be a great opportunity to showcase our students talents and we very much look forward to hosting a large audience. An information/attendance note was sent home on Wednesday with students and we very much look forward to seeing you there.

### **Paul Bangay Open Garden Sat 17<sup>th</sup> & Sun 18<sup>th</sup> November**

As a major fundraiser for the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden programs throughout Victoria, our school will be hosting a stall selling the Daylesford Primary School cookbook entitled 'Grow Cook Eat'. This significant publication has not only been funded in the publication phase by Alla Wolfe Tasker from the Lake House but has also been signed by Alla. We are eternally grateful to Alla for her invaluable contribution and support of the Daylesford Kitchen garden program. We are also selling seedlings at the Paul Bangay open garden event. I believe that approximately 2500 to 3000 tickets have already been sold for this event. I would like to thank Gill Carron for her proactive coordination and likewise the volunteers who are assisting, or have assisted, to ensure Daylesford Primary School's contribution to the success of the event is outstanding. Further information will follow next week.

Enjoy your weekend

Trevor Edwards

Principal

### **YANDOIT NEWS – A MESSAGE FROM KERRY**

The professional development on Monday, around cultural understandings, was both useful and thought provoking. The ladies that facilitated the day were impressed with the children's acknowledgement of country and grateful for their awareness and growing understanding of what it meant. Jose and I look forward to teaching our curriculum next year with more cultural perspectives and liaising with our local first nation people for guidance.

### **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.*

*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*

We are looking forward to a picnic and dance on the DPS oval next Tuesday evening. The event starts at 5pm and the first dance (us) at 6pm. Bring your friends and family and make a night of it! A reminder for the kids to wear black.

Have a good week.

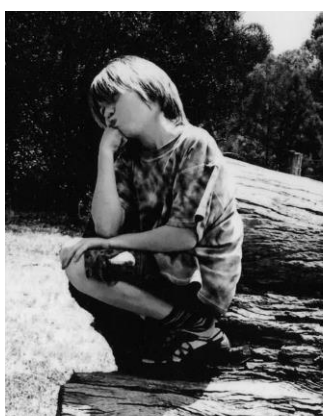
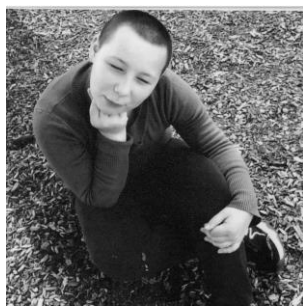
### **Coppélia – a sparkling tale of magic and mischief, where all is not what it seems....**



## School Excursion: Friday, December 14th

Notes have been sent out with respect to this excursion. Payment is due by 30<sup>th</sup> November. Thank you.

### **The Thinker (An interpretation by Yandoit Primary School)**



### **EARLY DISMISSAL WEDNESDAYS 3PM**

#### **Whole School Community Folk Dance Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November Can you please Help?**

##### **BBQ**

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

Thank you  
Sherilee

##### **CAKE STALL**

As most of you probably know, the School Folk dancing night is coming up and I (Jaime) will be running the cake Stall.

If you have free time please bake a cake, slice, muffin or treat of your choice and bring it to the OLC Kitchen on the afternoon of the dance or straight to the cake stall on the night of the dance.

Remember all ingredients are to be written on a piece of paper and included with the cake.

Thank You  
Jaime Sandow

STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES



### The hilarious Pitts Family is coming to town!

The Pitts are a Aussie family that literally balance family life, juggling their 2, 7 and 13 kids. They have three shows in the May Wirth Tent on Friday 16th, Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th, and a workshop on Saturday, Daylesford. Book tickets at <https://livelovelife-premier.eventfinda.com.au/2018/pitts-family-circus-show-and-circus-workshop/daylesford>

### 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>



### 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 [dcoc@daylesfordchids.org.au](mailto:dcoc@daylesfordchids.org.au)

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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 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 *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](mailto:events@glenlyon.vic.au) or Joy 5348 7542



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