Daylesford & Yandoit Primary Schools

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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.

DIARY DATES

TERM 2

MAY

Fri 3rd GRIP Leadership Ballarat

School & House captains

Mon 6th Dress up day. Come dressed as StarWars

Super Hero or free dress

Gold coin donation

Wed 15th 3\4 camp

Wed 22nd GWR cross country

Fri 24th Pupil free day- report writing

Fri 31st Goldfields Athletics

JUNE

Wed 5th School Photos

Mon 10th Kings Birthday public Holiday

Fri 21st GR 5/6 Production-"Mission Implausible"

6.00pm at Town Hall- All welcome

Mon 24th-Fri 28th Intensive Swimming Program

Gr F-2 12.30pm-1.15pm Gr 3-6 11.45am-12.30am

Fri 28th Last day of Term 2.30pm dismissal

Tuesdays-Assembly in the Gym 2.30 pm Wednesday-Breakfast Program in SEA 8.30am

Office Hours: 8.30am to 4.00pm

2024 TERM DATES

Term 2 15th April to 28th June Term 3 15th July to 20th September Term 4 7th October to 20th December

2024 Pupil free days:

Fri 24th May Student Free Day

School hours/bell times:

School commences: 9.00am

Morning recess: 11.00am – 11.30am

Lunch: 1.30pm – 2.20pm

School Dismissal: 3.20pm

SCHOOL TOURS

for prospective parents WILL BE HELD EVERY FRIDAY 10AM-11AM

PHONE 5348 2480 TO BOOK

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.





Get excited! This year's Daylesford Primary School trivia night is happening Saturday 7th September. Our theme is 'Back to School' and is hosted by Michelle and Molly. We will have more info and posters coming out soon, so start thinking about your table of 10! For now, we are on the hunt for some extraordinary silent auction prizes! We are asking our school families if they can donate or know someone who can donate something towards our silent auction. Any item, donations or vouchers of any amount will be gratefully accepted. To thank you for your donation we will acknowledge your business through our online advertising and of course on the trivia night. Please contact Michelle if you are able to help with a donation. <u>Daylesfordps.fundraising@gmail.com</u>

Thank you!

Michelle & Molly

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Student Leaders

Our student leaders have been working hard to reimagine their roles and responsibilities. This year our school captains, house captains and junior school councillors have created sub committees who are responsible for different areas of student leadership. The committees are, the whole school events committee, the break time activities committee and the community engagement committee. The whole school events committee met on Monday and are putting together two exciting events. The first is a dress up day on May 6th in lieu of May the 4th. Students may come dressed as their favourite Star Wars character, come in sci-fi dress up or in casual dress. There will be certificates and prizes for the best dressed from each class. The students organising this event are also running a raffle. The second event is a school walkathon, scheduled for Thursday 23rd May more details to follow.

Sip & Paint

Our sip and paint fundraiser was a huge success! Thanks so much to Brew Jays for hosting the event. Huge thank you to Michelle and Molly for organising and running the night. A blast was had by all.

Cold Weather

The cold weather is upon us! Students are still expected to be in full school uniform but can also wear a warm jacket, plain beanie and gloves if they wish.

Ali McHalliwell Principal Trudi Blick Assistant Principal



May the 4th be with you raffle 50 cents a ticket or \$1.00 for 3 tickets Drawn Tues 7th May



House captains Leah & Henry attended the ANZAC day service and did a wonderful job as they respectfully laid a wreath on behalf of the school.



FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

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 (29TH Jan 2024) or term two (15th April 2024). 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 28TH June, 2024

Paint & Sip Night

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our first paint & sip night! We had a ball, laughing, painting and of course sipping! Together we raised \$1400! This money will go towards new sports equipment for the classrooms.

A big shoutout to Brew Jays who supplied our guests with a complimentary glass of bubbles on arrival, a checuterie board for 2, as well as a space for our guests to paint! We are really grateful for their support of our school. Also, thank you to Molly Hodgson who hosted our night. She was so much fun, made everyone feel super comfortable and is so talented!

This night was about more than just painting. It was a great space for people to come, let their hair down, have fun and meet other likeminded people. In this case, other school parents. We will definitely organise another paint & sip for later in the year. We would love for you to join us!

Thank you, Michelle Carbone





Sport report Cross Country Update

On Friday 19th of April 33 students attended the Goldfields cross country in Clunes. Everyone did their very best and we had 14 students progress through to the Divisional Eureka event at Mt Helen on Monday 29th April.

They all had a great day and were great ambassadors for the school.

Thankyou to Sherilee and Jon for attending cross country and all parent/carers for attending, cheering on and transporting the students.

Congratulations and good luck to the 3 students who will now go on to compete at the GWR Cross Country in Warrnambool on Wednesday 22nd of May.













Birthday wishes to the following students & staff who have their birthdays in MAY.

STUDENTS

Benjamin	12K	Hayley	12K
Daisy	0FD	Bella	12D
Rylie	56E	Joshua	56E
Cooper	56E	Olivia	12D
Charlie	56H	Maisie	56K
Harry	34A	James	34A
Frankie	12C	Ned	34P
Zac	34P	Eva	0FD
Vienna	56H	Som	56H
Mala	34P	Isla	0FD
STAFF			
Chris T	Katy S		



2024 Prep CSEF Uniform Package



Applications for the 2024 Prep CSEF Uniform Package are **now open** and can be placed via our <u>online application portal</u>.

Information sheets for families, plus the order form, can be found on our <u>website</u> and downloaded as required.

Please note the following.

- All vouchers have an expiry and must be redeemed before the expiration date
- All applications for this package will close at the end of Term 3, 2024

In order for a student to be eligible to receive the 2024 Prep Uniform Package the student must be a Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund (CSEF) recipient. To find out more, visit the <u>Department of Education & Training website</u>.

Should you have any questions about this package, please contact our Customer Service team on 8769 8400 between the hours of 8.30am - 4.30pm, Monday to Friday or email us at contact@ssr.net.au

<u>For your Information – Excursion</u> Permission

Permission to attend excursions must be received by returning a signed form, a handwritten permission note or electronic permission as per DEET policy.

Late Arrival and Early Departure

Students being dropped off late to school must be signed in at the Compass kiosk at the office under parent supervision and a yellow "LATE PASS" is to be taken to hand to the teacher.

In the case of early departure from school a reminder for parent to sign out at the Compass Kiosk at the office and take a blue Early Leavers Pass with you to collect your child

CONVEYANCE ALLOWANCE Are you eligible?

For students to be eligible for a conveyance allowance they must:

- Be aged over five by 30th April 2024.
- Live more than 4.8km by the **shortest practicable** route from the nearest bus stop, and be enrolled at the nearest government school

STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES



VOLLYBALL AT THE ARC

Volleyball for Junior, grade 6 students restarts this year on Monday 5th February at 6 pm. This follows on from last years School program and tournament at the ARC Smith St Daylesford (Daylesford College)

The competitions are also run by Victorian State Junior Coach Colin Priest and his band of coaches.

Our adult Social Division competition will start on the following Monday 12th February at 7 pm.

So let everyone know and bring along your friends, learn some skills, get a little bit fit and most of all have some great FUN.

Colin Priest 0447487674

Kinship Carer Support Groups

All Carers are welcome to come and have a chat in a safe and supportive environment.

Daylesford - Thursday

- 10.30 am 12.00 pm
- · Address will be advised after registration
- 30 May, 27 June, 25 July, 29 August, 31 October and 28 November

Ararat - Tuesday

- · 10.30 am 12.00 pm
- · Ararat Hotel, 130 Barkly Street, Ararat
- · 6 May, 11 June, 6 August, 3 September, 8 October and 12 November

Bacchus Marsh - Monday

- · 10.30 am 12.00 pm
- · Baby Black Cafe, 10 Church St, Bacchus Marsh
- 20 May, 17 June, 29 July, 19 August, 16 September, 14 October and 18 November

allarat - Wednesday

- · 10.30 am 12.00 pm
- · Clothesline Cafe, 202 Humfray Street South, Ballarat
- 15 May, 26 June, 24 July, 14 August, 11 September, 23 October and 20 November



To register or enquire about any of Cafs Kinship Carer Support Groups please contact: Sallie MacDonald

sallie.macdonald@cafs.org.au 1800 692 237

cafs.org.au



Daylesford Karate Club

We resume training on 6/2/2024 Training Days: Tuesday and Thursday

Times: 5.30 pm - 6.00 pm Beginners and ages 5-9 years

6.00 pm - 7.30 pm 10 years - adult

Adults are most welcome to join as well as children. Adults who are unable to attend the 5.30 session are more than welcome to arrive at 6.00pm

If you wish to find out more information about us, please call Heather Wingate on 0417108757



Dance & Drama in Daylesford

Enrol now for Term 2 Inside Out Dance Theatre.

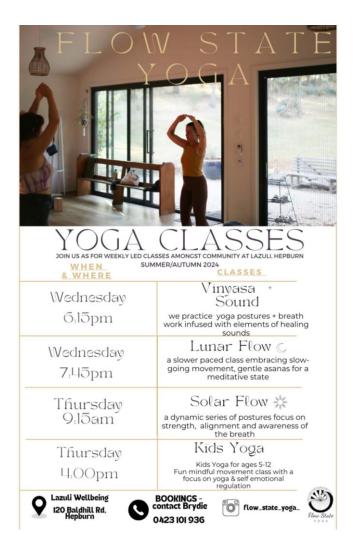
Ballet, Contemporary and Creative Dance classes Drama Classes

Pre-school to Year 12

For full schedule and online enrolment go to: insideoutdancetheatre.com.au

Enquiries: <u>admin@insideoutdancetheatre.com.au</u>

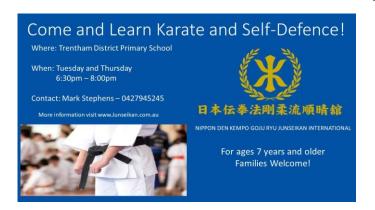
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OPPORTUNITY FOR PROFESSIONAL CUSTOMISED MOUTHGUARDS

Central Highlands Rural Health (CHRH), in partnership with Dental Health Services Victoria (DHSV) are providing your members/students, who participate in a contact sport, the opportunity to invest in a customised mouthguard as a preventative health strategy for 2024.

The customised mouthguards, manufactured by a qualified Dental Prosthetist are available in club colours and will be ready for collection approximately 2 weeks after the impressions have been taken.

Eligibility and costs are as follows: Open to sporting participants of the Hepburn Shire

Age	Eligibility	Co st
12 an	Must have a minimum of 4 front adult/permanent teeth	
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13 -	A holder or dependant of a current Concession Card	Fre
17	Healthcare Card	е
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an	A holder of a current Concession Card	\$31 .00
d	 Healthcare Card 	.00
ab ov e	Pensioner Concession Card	
13	IF NOT a dependant or holder of a	\$18
an d	current Concession Card	0
ab ov e	 Maybe eligible for a rebate if privately insured. 	

NOTE: <u>ALL IMPRESSIONS WILL BE TAKEN IN</u> <u>BALLARAT</u>

- In the <u>first instance</u>, you are required <u>to</u>
 <u>register</u> with the Oral Health Department at
 CHRH on 5321 6580. If you are eligible, your
 <u>voucher</u> will then be sent to the Ballarat
 Denture Clinic.
- Once registered with the Oral Health
 Department at CHRH, you will be required to phone the Ballarat Denture Clinic on: 5331 6486 to arrange an appointment time for your impression in Ballarat. The BDC is located at 18 Raglan Street North, Ballarat.
- 3. You will be able to collect your mouthguard from CHRH Community Health and Wellbeing Centre within 7-14 days after your impression.