be respectful - be a responsible learner - be honest and trustworthy
be caring and compassionate - be a good citizen

CALENDAR

JULY
Wed 23: Classroom Cooking $2
Fri 25: School Nurse Visit
Wed 30: Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews
Pupil Free days: July 14 and November 19

TERM DATES 2014
TERM 1: 30th January – 4th April
TERM 2: 22nd April – 27th June
TERM 3: 14th July – 19th September
TERM 4: 6th October – 19th December

Current Focus

“Goal Setting”

Setting goals means working out what you want to achieve before you start! If you do this well then you can achieve what you want. When setting goals try to make them realistic – in other words, try to aim for something that you can achieve and most importantly aim for something you really want to achieve. We can set ourselves short term and long term goals. You may have goals with your learning and interactions at school, and goals outside school (sport, music, at home, helping others in the community) too!

Work out what you want and go for it!

David Garner
Assistant Principal

Principal’s Report

Peter Burke
Principal

Message from Dianne

I would like to express a warm welcome to our new students and their families – Milo and Oisin have been settling in well.

Cold, Wet Weather

Many thanks to parents for sending children along to school with warm coats and wet weather shoes. Some children are bringing gumboots for the wet grass, and warm slippers for inside the classroom, which is a great idea. If your child brings gumboots, you will also need to send along sport shoes for our PE sessions.

Photo Gallery

Sovereign Hill Excursion

Thank you to all our families for returning permission notes and money for Sovereign Hill. The cost of the excursion has now changed to $15 per student. Those that have paid the full $30 will be refunded.

Our last visit to Sovereign Hill, a few years ago, was very wet and cold. The odds of that happening again are quite high, so to ensure we have a great day, please take note of the following points:

- Wear practical, weather-proof shoes;
- Wear a warm, water-proof jacket;
- Pack a nutritious lunch and snack, and bring a water bottle;
- Make sure all your children’s clothes, bags, lunch boxes, etc are clearly named.

School Nurse Visit

Cynthia Williams, the school nurse, is visiting next Wednesday 23 July to conduct a healthy eating workshop. As part of that, we shall be making a vegetable soup for our lunch.

Children will only need a piece of fruit for lunch on that day, and will need to bring $2 to cover cost of ingredients.

Historical Artifacts

Do you have any olden day objects at home for our artifacts table? Come and look at the school slate and ink well that were dug up in our very own school grounds.

Parent Student Teacher Interviews

Please put your name on our Roster ASAP.
Community Notices

WORDS IN WINTER - FAMILY DAY
An all-day festival for kids with performances, storytelling, drama, mime, circus, music, craft, workshops, films, authors and more. **Sunday 10th August 10am - 4pm**:
**Daylesford Town Hall** : $8 per Child : Under 2's and Parents Free. See full program at [www.wordsinwinter.com](http://www.wordsinwinter.com) Enquiries and Bookings wordsinwinter@gmail.com

Look out for the full program in your next newsletter!