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‘Learning and Growing Together’
Be Respectful    Be a Responsible Learner
Be Honest and Trustworthy
Be Caring and Compassionate    Be a Good Citizen

GRADE 5/6 TRANSITION

James, Harry and Renier waiting at the Yandoit Bus stop for their day at Secondary College
“It was a great day”

CALENDAR

June
Wed 4th
- Cultural Day Excursion to Daylesford PS
Thurs 5th
- Annexe Group Day at Yandoit PS
- Visit by Royal Flying Doctor’s Education Unit with plane simulator
Monday 9th
- Queen’s Birthday Holiday
Wednesday 18th
- School Photos at Daylesford PS
- School council meeting 6:00pm
Friday 27th
- Last day of term 2

July
Monday 14th
- Pupil Free Day
Tuesday 15th
- First day of Term 3

Pupil Free Days – Jan 28, 29, July 14 & Nov 1

School Term Dates 2014

Term 2 Tue 22nd Apr – Fri 27th June
Term 3 Tue 15th July – Fri 19th Sept
Term 4 Mon 6th Oct – Fri 19th Dec
CURRENT FOCUS

“Empathy” (My feelings / Your feelings)

Emotional intelligence is the ability to understand how your emotions impact on the way you think, communicate, behave and influence others. Emotionally intelligent people create effective working relationships, solve problems and have an increased capacity to work effectively.

It’s healthy to have positive and negative feelings. They help us to identify our reactions to the way we think about ourselves, others and the world around us.

Empathy and compassion are habits that can be developed. They are a fundamental building block for good personal development and positive mental health for all. It happens when one person has a caring emotional response to someone else.

To be empathic a person needs to be able to:

- Understand their own feelings/emotions
- Notice the feelings of another person
- Understand the feelings of another person
- Act in a caring way.

David Garner

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Well done to all the Grade 3 & 5 students on completing the NAPLAN tests last week.

To finish celebrations around Education Week we are looking forward to the House Athletics this Friday at Llanberris in Ballarat.

Our Open Day was a great success, with tours of the school.

We are now calling for 2015 enrolments of Prep students. If you have a pre-school child and are intending for your child to attend this school, please drop in and pick up an enrolment form from the school.

I would like to alert the school community that the police are continuing their presence and have warned a number of parents in regards to crossing the double white lines on either side of our school crossing. Could Drummond and Yandoit parents note this, as both schools will be visiting DPS over the next few weeks with Athletic sports and Cultural Day.

Peter Burke.

GERMAN WORDS OF THE WEEK…..

rot – red
blau – blue

BOOK CLUB

Final day for orders is Friday 30th May. Payment must be made at the time of ordering, either by credit card, cheque made out to Yandoit Primary School, or cash.

STUDENT AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

CENTACARE

Family Relationship Services Program:
Parenting Programs
Managing Kids with Attitude: Tues 22nd & 29th July 1.00-3.00 pm Cost:$20 p.p
Parenting Solo: Weds 7 & 14th May 6-8pm and Sat 18 Oct, 10am-1pm $20 p.p.
All groups will be held at the Family Relationship Centre, 34 Peel St. North, Ballarat.
To register Please Call: 53 277 960.

Ballarat Christian College School Tour & Information Session - Weds 7th May, 2014 from 4.00-6.00pm. Information Meeting at 6.00pm.
(Yarrowee & Vickers Sts, Sebastopol, Ph. 5337 5900)

AUSKICK Daylesford Auskick 2014 will change from a
Sunday morning to a Monday evening timeslot this year and as such will commence on Monday 21st April from 5.00pm at Daylesford Junior Oval, Victoria Park, Daylesford and run for 10 to 12 weeks.
A Free BBQ and Drinks will be on offer for all kids and Families. Please note that all registrations have to be done online at aflauskick.com.au For all information just go to AFL Auskick website or contact Stephen Walsh, AFL Auskick coordinator for Daylesford Auskick. on 0417 573 517.

Internet safety presentation helps children stay safe online
The Cybersmart Outreach - Internet Safety Awareness presentation by the Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA) for parents and community members will be held on: Wednesday 21st May at 6pm at the Daylesford Secondary College Library.
Tea, Coffee & light refreshments provided.
To register your attendance please contact 5348 2367 or daylesford.sc@edumail.vic.gov.au

Daylesford and Hepburn Soccer Club. Socceroos here we come! Come and be a part of Australia’s fastest growing sport, you can learn new skills and train with talented coaches, under the skilful oversight of European champion Marcus McIntosh. Girls and boys all ages welcome, come and try out – our training is 4 to 6pm each Wednesday at Victoria Park. The Daylesford and Hepburn Soccer Club is preparing for its biggest year yet, fielding multiple teams of all ages. For information contact John Mayger, Junior Club Manager on 0412230536. Check out our club at http://www.daylesfordsoccerclub.com or just turn up Wednesday at 4pm.

Daylesford After School Care is offering two clubs during term 2:
Drama Club with Marg Murphy every Tuesday at 4.15pm and Science Club with various community members and ASC educators every Thursday at 4.15pm.
There is no extra cost for the clubs, only the normal government subsidised child care fee for the afternoon. The clubs run concurrently with our regular After School Care program. Each club day the children will be collected from their schools and provided with afternoon tea prior to the start of club sessions. For bookings or more information please contact Julie McLean on 5348 3702.

Daylesford Outside School Hours Care now has a facebook page.
https://www.facebook.com/daylesfordoshc

Sprung Circus Classes
Mondays 8yrs -12 yrs 4pm
Wednesdays prep - 8 yrs 4pm;
Wednesdays 12 yrs -adults 5.30pm
basic training and extended training programs.
2 Coaches per class: both experienced, working performers in their field of practice
Ivo - acrobatics, handstands. Bulgarian National Acrobat Team, silver medal in World Championships, Coached Circus Oz, Nica, FFF, Cirkids and continues to perform
Eric - juggler, unicyclist, all kinds of manipulation including whip cracking - world toured current shows include Eric the Red, and the French Waiter
Term 2 2014 starting Wednesday 22 April
Info and booking call Ivo 0419880067