DIARY DATES

NOVEMBER
Wed 11th  2016 Prep Transition Morning
Friday 13th  Breakfast in the Gym Gr 3-6
Sunday 15th  Marimba Performances
            @ Community Fair. 12-3pm  
Wed 18th  PUPIL FREE DAY
            2016 Prep Transition Morning
Friday 20th  CRE Concert
Tuesday 23rd  Senior Choir Perform at
            Hepburn House. 2pm

Wed 25th  2016 Prep Transition Morning
Friday 27th  Library closes. All books back by
today please. No more library
            classes or borrowing for 2015.

Sunday 29th  Junior & Senior Choir at
            The Grande Hotel. 2.30-5pm

Fri 27th: Fri 11th  P-2 Swimming Program

DECEMBER
Friday 4th  KG Volunteers Morning Tea
Tuesday 8th  Yr 7 (2016) Orientation Day
Wed 9th  Parent Volunteer Morning Tea
Thursday 10th  5/6 Presentation Evening 7pm
            Daylesford Town Hall
Monday 14th  Gr 6 Celebration Evening
            DPS Gym
Tuesday 15th  Gr5/6 Volleyball Competition

Term Dates 2015
TERM 4  5th October -17th December

Office Hours : 8.30am to 4.00pm
Students’ School Banking Day : Fridays

DPS HEADLINE INITIATIVE
A reminder re information sent home with last
Friday’s newsletter, that a parent information
session can be conducted by Lisa Sparkes,
Environmental Health Officer, Hepburn Shire
about how to treat headlice effectively.
Please let the front office know if you would like

to attend.

Current Focus

Co-operation (Including Others)
Including others in your games and activities
makes everyone feel good. It means that you are
generous, willing to share your time with others
and that you care about their feelings. If you
include others in your games, they are more
likely to include you when you are looking for
someone to play with or talk to.

Look around and see if there are others who
might like to join in. Sometimes they might not
ask to join in but they may be standing close by.
Remember there are many ways that we can
include others when we are working in our
classrooms, group work and in other learning
situations.

David Garner.

DPS FUNDRAISER
Help support our family portrait fundraiser!
Sunday, November 29, Vision Portraits will come
to the school to take family portraits in our lovely
school grounds. (Everyone is welcome, feel free to invite
extended family members and friends to have
portraits taken too.) Booking fee is $15 and includes a
10” x 13” photo and frame! Limited session times are
available, go to trybooking.com/JGDU to secure your
family portrait session.

View their work at visionportraits.com.au.
More info: contact Kathy Douglas 0421 02 02 63.

GRADE 6 CELEBRATION EVENING
MEETING
THURSDAY 12TH NOVEMBER
9.30 MEETING ROOM
ALL WELCOME

REMEMBRANCE DAY
POPPIES
available from $2 - $5
Parent Newsletter Week 5

- Remembrance Day
- Prep Transition
- Pupil Free Day
- Parent requests for 2016 now closed
- Emergency Management
- Parent Payments
- Movember
- Breakfast Program

Next Wednesday is Remembrance Day. The School Captains and myself will be attending the RSL ceremony at the Cenotaph in Daylesford and we have two children attending the ceremony at the Shrine of Remembrance in Melbourne who are finalist in the poster competition. Congratulations and good luck to Jasmine Gruar and Lulu Partyka Turnbull.

We have decided to conduct a minute’s silence on Tuesday morning at our regular assembly. There will be a special presentation by 4/5B.

We are looking forward to our Prep Transition morning next Wednesday. The grade 5 students will meet with their buddy on the third transition morning, Wednesday 25th.

A reminder, Wednesday 18th is a pupil free day, the staff will be involved in creating class lists for 2016, planning for our 2016 assessment days and writing reports. A very full day for staff!

Parent requests for 2016 are now closed.

Based on a dry Spring and pending dry & hot Summer we will be discussing and practicing our Emergency Management Plan with all the students over the coming weeks.

There are number of outstanding parent payments, which is concerning at this time of the year. A final parent statement will be issued in the next two weeks. We appreciate those parents who have attended to this matter already as this payment is vital to our school’s finances.

A number of staff are getting behind Movember. The Movember Foundation is a global charity committed to men living happier, healthier, longer lives. Since 2003, millions have joined the men's health movement, raising $685 million and funding over 1,000 programs focusing on prostate cancer, testicular cancer, poor mental health and physical inactivity. If you would like to support the foundation you can log onto our school site.

https://au.movember.com/donate/payment/member_id/12323077/

Finally, I would like to stem an invitation to our breakfast program, which will be conducted for the last time this year next week. Monday, P-4 classes are invited to join us in the gym and Friday, 3-6 classes are most welcome.

Peter Burke
PARENT/CARER VOLUNTEERS
TERM 4 2015

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18th December - End of Term – No Banking

CANTEEN DUTY
Weds 11th Nov. Tiffany Willis
Thurs 12th Nov. Tania Henderson
Fri 13th Nov. Leah Schuter, Natalie Hardy

RE-USABLE LUNCH ORDER BAGS $10
Available via the Canteen
– order through your lunch order OR directly through the Canteen.
Available only in Black with blue trim.

CANTEEN - HELP ALWAYS NEEDED
Please contact our Canteen Manager, Bev Adkins, on 5348 1839 or 0423 357 191 if you can assist. Thank you

PIZZA SAUCE IS NOW USED IN OUR FOCACCIAS - NO NUTS

STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

DAYLESFORD SHOW
Daylesford & District Agricultural Society Inc
143rd Annual Show 2015
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28TH
VICTORIA PARK
DAYLESFORD

DAYLESFORD JUNIOR TENNIS
Junior tennis on the beautiful grass courts at West St Daylesford
started on Saturday 17 October. All school aged players are
welcome including juniors who are new to tennis and would like
to try it out. Competition tennis starts at 9.15am for juniors
with some experience. Beginner players can enjoy skill
development and fun activities with a one hour session
commencing at 10.00am (all equipment provided). Any
interested players should just come along to either session. For
information, registration forms and membership details check
out the web site
www.daylesfordtennis.com
For any enquiries please call Vicki Horrigan 5348 3894

BASKETBALL
Daylesford Springers Basketball Association is looking
for players of all ages for the summer season (mid
October to March). No previous basketball experience
required. Tuesday night at the ARC (juniors from
4.30pm & seniors from 6.30pm).
For further information please email Carson White at
springersbasketball@gmail.com or 0408 518 704.

KELLY MINI SPORTS
Creating a life long love of sports for kids 1-5 yrs.
45 min. sessions, indoors, non competitive, emphasis on
team work and team uniform.

Mini Sporters:  2. yo 2.5 y.o. (9-9.45am)
Big Sporters:  2.5 to 3.5 y.o. (10-10.45am)
Giant Sporters:  3.5 to 5 y.o. (11-11.45am)
Saturday Mornings-Daylesford Primary School Gym
If interested please ring 0403 908 854, or (03) 9384 2204.
www.kellyminisports.com.au
Email: enquiry@kellyminisports.com.au

Joey Cricket
Where: Vic park – Main oval
When: Fridays 4.30 – 5.30pm
Start date: 30th October
Who: Under 13 Boys and Girls
What: Coaching and games
Cost: First session free.
$20 for 9 sessions
Coach: Shane 0401 791241 or 5348 7835
Assistant coach: Matt Childs

Pat the dog will be appearing at the
commonwealth bank Daylesford branch on
Tuesday November 10th from 3.30 – 4.00pm.
He has lots of giveaways for the kids
and is excited to speak to everyone
about the school banking program! Hope
to see you there

BERRY STREET – We’re for Childhood
DID YOU KNOW, foster carers come from all walks of life
and are able to care for a young person in many different
forms?
Berry Street Ballarat are seeking to recruit new foster
carers within the Grampians region for long-term, short-
term and respite care. This can be as little as an
overnight stay for a young person.
If you believe you have what it takes to be a foster carer
and have that special desire to care for a young person
in need, you are invited to enquire below and to gain
further information.
Berry Street,
Assessment and Recruitment team,
Grampians Region / Berry Street,
23 Wetlands Drive, Mt. Helen, POBox 5 Mt Clear
Ph. 5330 5000 Fax: 5331 7771
www.berrystreet.org.au
Berry Street believes all children should have a good
childhood.
We wish to thank the following businesses, who have been extremely generous in their financial support of Daylesford Primary School.

"Whether it be for sale or rental purposes, please contact Stockdale & Leggo Daylesford for all your selling and rental needs". S & L Daylesford have been operating for the last 28 years in Daylesford and we know Real Estate!!! For a free market appraisal, please give us a call on 5348 2766. (Major sponsor for the Daylesford Primary School)

51 Vincent St., Daylesford, Ph: 5348 2766, Fax 5348 1162.


We have recently created a performance space in our sculpture garden and this weekend we are having our first music event!
As part of the Creswick Annual Garden Lovers Weekend we present talented local performer Bianca Berto showcasing an acoustic set of original blues folk songs. Bianca will be performing on Saturday 7th November from 4-5 pm.
And then on Sunday 8th from 3-4pm, Newlyn songwriter and recording artist Kristin Leigh will be singing songs from her latest self-titled CD. Kristen's music is both country and gospel inspired, earthy and with a little bit folk for good measure.
Cost: $6 or as part of Creswick Annual Garden Lovers Weekend at Overwrought.