

Daylesford Primary School Newsletter

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➤ "SEMPER MELIORA" (Always better things)



*Be Respectful, Be a Responsible Learner, Be Honest and Trustworthy
Be Caring and Compassionate, Be a Good Citizen*

DIARY DATES

NOVEMBER

Sunday 19th Community Fair
Senior Choir performing at 10am

Weds 22nd

- 2018 Preps Transition morning
- **Pupil Free Day for Planning**
- T20 Blast Girls Cricket Final

Thurs 23rd Billanook College Band in Gym
9.15-10.00am

Sat 25th Daylesford Show

Monday 27th Breakfast in the Gym 8.15am

Weds 29th

- 2018 Preps Transition morning
- Gr2-3 Transition Evening in OLC at 5.30pm

DECEMBER

Monday 4th- Friday 15th
Prep-Gr2 Swimming Program

Friday 8th KG Volunteers afternoon tea

Tuesday 12th

- 2018 Yr7 Orientation Day at DSC
- DPS transition to 2018 classes

Wed 13th Volunteers morning tea in gym-11am

Thurs 14th Gr5/6 Presentation Evening

Monday 18th

- Grade 6 Dinner DPS Gym
- Reports distributed

Tues 19th Gr5/6 Volleyball Comp at ARC

Wed 20th **FREE DRESS DAY**

Whole School Reward-Students dress as Teachers
Teachers dress as Students

FEB 2018

Monday 5th *Respectful Relationships
Community & Parent Information Evening
5.30-6.30 in the gym*

ASSEMBLY 9.00am every Tuesday in the Gym

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

Term Dates 2017

Term 4 9th October – 22nd December
Relationships Community & Parent Forum

Current Focus – Reliability

PLANNING FOR GRADES 2018

Wednesday 22nd November
Parents/carers who would like to make suggestions about their child's 'educational needs' must put this in writing to the Principal **BEFORE WEDNESDAY.**



Gr 5P students participating in the GTAC (Science) session

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

REMEMBRANCE DAY COMMEMORATION

Last Saturday we had a number of representatives from the school community who attended the Saturday Remembrance Day commemoration, representing our school student body. Thank you to both Ruby and Aleesha who spoke so eloquently, presenting the poem "For the Fallen". Well done to all of our students who were so respectful and thoughtful during the school commemoration last Friday. It was very touching to witness the attention paid by all students throughout this important time.

KINDER TO FOUNDATION (PREP) TRANSITION

A highlight on Wednesday was to have our first of three transition visits for our 2018 Foundation students. It was wonderful to witness the excitement of many as they attended the morning program. We look forward to our next opportunity on Wednesday the 22nd, our designated pupil free day, to again host these wonderful children. They will have the school to themselves for this occasion! If anyone knows of any other children, including 2018 foundation students who at this stage haven't enrolled, can you please contact myself at the office and I'll organise the enrolment from there. Thank you for your assistance with this important matter as it is very important to ensure we know enrolments in preparation for the 2018 education year.

DAYLESFORD COMMUNITY FAIR SUNDAY 19TH NOV.

Please keep in mind that the Daylesford Community fair will be hosted at the Daylesford skate park this Sunday. It will feature many musical acts, fun activities, a significant number of food stalls, an open mic opportunity as well as the Daylesford PS senior choir. We all hope that you can take up the opportunity to support the Daylesford Community, especially our young people, by attending this fantastic event! The event begins at 10am and concludes at 7.30pm.

T20 BLAST GIRLS REGIONAL FINAL

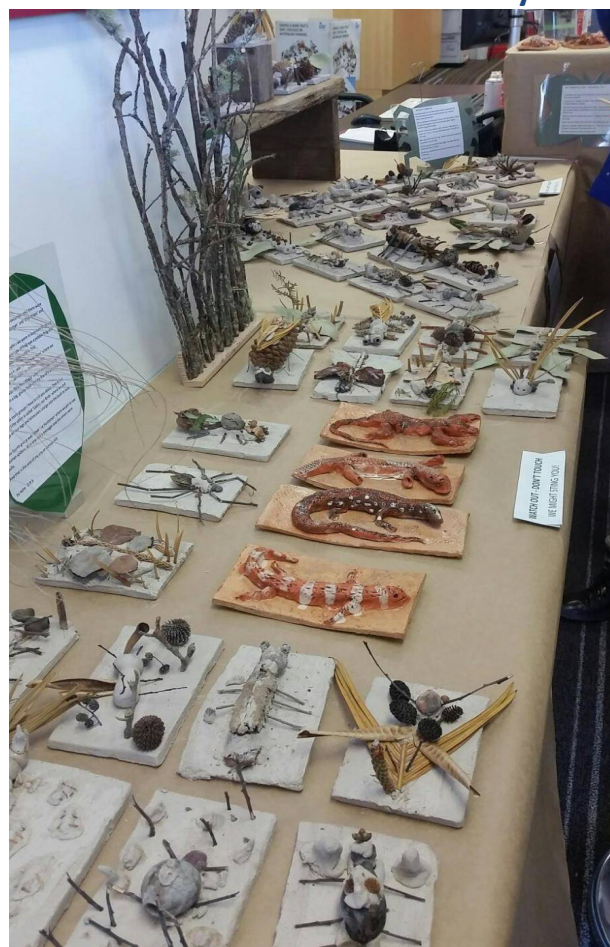
On Wednesday the 22nd of November at Victoria Park, Ballarat, our girls T20 blast cricket team will be competing in the Regional final against other School Girls representatives. I would like to congratulate our girls' team who are not only very talented but are extremely enthusiastic. To make it to this level is a wonderful achievement! If they win the upcoming stage, they will have the opportunity to compete at the MCG in the State Final! Go Girls!!

PUPIL FREE DAY WEDNESDAY 22ND NOVEMBER

Just a reminder that this Wednesday, the 22nd of November is a Pupil Free Day. No children are to attend school on this day.

Enjoy your weekend
Trevor Edwards

Exhibition at Bendigo Bank of insects made by students in 2/3 C on Cornish Hill excursion day.



Helping men live happier, healthier, longer lives.
Funding game-changing [men's health projects](https://www.movember.com.au).

The male staff of Daylesford Primary School are participating in Movember.

If you wish to get behind men's health and make a donation then simply visit [movember.com.au](https://www.movember.com.au) and search for Daylesford Primary School.

DAYLESFORD FARMERS MARKET

Growers: Makers: Producers. Eat make bake grow & shop local - Beautiful range of local producers of plants fruit cheese organic fruit & Vegies eggs plants herbs oils cheeses breads pastries coffee honey wine beer sweet treats nuts delicious food & drink and music Proudly partnered with Rotary - a family & community event. Dogs most welcome

First Saturday of every month – rain hail or shine
9am to 1pm. @ Daylesford Primary School.
Find us & like us on Facebook

Sports Report!

As the year progresses, the sporting events start to finish up. This report focusses on two events.

The first is the Foundation to Grade 2 'House Sports' for athletics which was held last Monday. For those who didn't attend, it was held on the school oval between recess and lunch. The weather was on our side and it was great to see so many parents/carers come along and support the children. I was also pleased to see the Grade 4 to 6 students arrive throughout the event to lend their support. For some of those students, it was the first time they could support/cheer for their younger brother, sister or even cousin.

All the students who participated were able to have a go in long jump, high jump, throwing for distance and throwing at a set target. It was great to see all the students enjoying themselves and doing their best. However, for me, the highlight was watching all the students participate in 50m and 40m sprints. It was great to see students cheering from the sidelines and I'm sure for those students who participated, it made the experience even greater. Well done to all the students who participated!

Finally, I would like to thank Sherilee for her work in setting this event up. I would also like to thank Maree, staff and all the House Captains (and School Captains) for their enthusiasm in running each event. Thank you all.

Another finally, we want to wish the girls all the very best when they participate in the Regional T20 Milo Big Bash Competition next Wednesday at Victoria Park in Ballarat. If they are successful, next stop is the MCG the following week. All the best girls!

Thanks
Andrew Kiellerup

**Free 2 day workshop
for parents & carers of
school-aged students
on the autism
spectrum!**

**Ballarat
28 & 29 November
2017**

positivepartnerships.com.au

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Contact the school office for a flyer with further information or log on to
<http://www.positivepartnerships.com.au/>

BOOK CLUB

ISSUE 8 is now available through LOOP
online orders only
(brochures available at the office or online.)

PARENT VOLUNTEERS

TERM 4 2017

FRIDAY	SICK BAY WASHING	SCHOOL BANKING
24 th Nov	Karyn McColl	Shelley Sandow
1 st Dec	Kathryn Earley	June Cooper
8 th Dec	Kirsten Wilken	Shelley Sandow
15 th Dec	Catherine Meadows	June Cooper
22 nd Dec: No Canteen or Banking		

CANTEEN DUTY

Weds 22 nd Nov	
Thurs 23 rd Nov	
Fri 24 th Nov	Leah Schuter
Weds 29 th Nov	
Thurs 30 th	
Fri 1 st Dec	Jo Steiner, Lisa Dinning

- **Chicken and Gravy Rolls (\$4.80) still available until sold out.**
- **PRICE ADJUSTMENT –**
Salad Wrap now \$4.00
Chicken Salad Wrap still \$5.00.

**HOME MADE SAUSAGE
ROLLS...AVAILABLE UNTIL SOLD
OUT....\$2 each.**



**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**

ALL VOLUNTEERS

When volunteering at school, working with children checks are now required in line with The Child Safe Standards.

WWC forms are available on line
<http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au>
Volunteer checks are free of charge.

All volunteers are to present their WWCC card to the **office** for registration before commencing volunteering.

**WANTED
A4 PAPER BOXES FOR
GR5/6 DIORAMAS**

STUDENT / COMMUNITY

ACTIVITIES

DAYLESFORD SHOW

Saturday 25 November

★ Victoria Park, Daylesford ★

You could be Best In Show

Enter your prize veggies, herbs, flowers or home-made jam!

Make a fun creation out of vegetables, a garden in a shoe box, or decorate a cake.

Enter your best drawing or craft project.

To enter, see Show Schedule on

website: daylesfordshow.com

Late entries close Wed 22 Nov. ★

Print entry form off website,
and drop in to:

Daylesford Mind Your Pet, Coles Car Park.

Inquiries: Keira Melen 0434 322 779

SHOW DAY Fun for all the Family

Rides, Fairy Floss, horses, dogs, sheep,
cute fluffy rabbits.

★ Children's Art exhibition, Junior Miss

Show Girl, Daylesford Brass Band.

Refreshments in the Dining Room.

Hot Dog on a stick. Prizes to be won. ★



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Join us when

WE GO



DAYLESFORD TOWN HALL

**DAYLESFORD COMMUNITY
BRASS BAND**

with special guests:-

**Sprung Circus in Daylesford
& Val Goodwin and Friends**

Bring your friends, nibbles and drinks,
book your own table for 8
or just come along and join one

\$10 per person

Bookings: Peta, 0400091118

Proceeds towards purchase of new instruments

Daylesford District Community Bank Branch
Bendigo Bank

Daylesford Community Fair

Sunday

19th Nov

10am-7.30pm

Music

Food

Community

inc

Hepburn under 18s

Open Mic Competition

Daylesford Community Park

cnr of Stanbridge
& Duke Streets

Partners



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FUN-FUN-FUN at this year's

**DAYLESFORD HIGHLAND GATHERING
SAT 2nd DECEMBER.**

There will be 4 sessions of Scottish Highland Dancing
for anyone to try.

A teacher will give lessons at 11.30am, 12.30pm,
2.00pm & 3.00pm (in one of the change rooms in the
Pavilion). Now is your chance to have a Highland Fling
be you young or not so young.

There will also be a Marquee set up for anyone to have
a go at playing the bagpipes or drums, under the tuition
of a Pipe Band member.

Come and try your skills - It's all for free.

After the Massed Bands Spectacular about 4.00pm
there is a competition, open to all, where solo pipers
play a pop song. This is not to be missed.

For more information contact John on 0427 514 308