

## 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

### JUNE

**Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Curriculum Day  
Student Free Day**

**Mon 12<sup>th</sup> Queen's Birthday Holiday**

Wed 14<sup>th</sup>

- School Photos
- ICAS-Spelling

Mon 19<sup>th</sup> Breakfast in the Gym

Tues 20<sup>th</sup> Junior Choir performing at  
Assembly

**Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Final Day to return Raffle Tickets**

Mon 26<sup>th</sup> Reports issued

Tues 27<sup>th</sup>

- Winter Raffle Drawn at Assembly
- Senior choir performing at Assembly
- JSC Fundraiser-PJ Dress up Day  
(Gold coin donation)

**Fri 30<sup>th</sup> End of Term. 2.30 finish.  
No Canteen or Banking.**

### JULY

Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Start of Term 3.

**ASSEMBLY 9.00am every Tuesday in the  
Gym**

Office Hours: 8.30am to 4.00pm

Students' School Banking Day: Fridays

### Term Dates 2017

Term 1 30<sup>th</sup> Jan – 31<sup>st</sup> March

Term 2 18<sup>th</sup> April – 30<sup>th</sup> June

Term 3 17<sup>th</sup> July – 22<sup>nd</sup> September

Term 4 9<sup>th</sup> October – 22<sup>nd</sup> December

## Current Focus

### "Honesty and Trust"

We often hear the words honesty and trust and we tend to associate them with people we know. These qualities are also a part of our school values. We would all like other people to see us as being honest and trustworthy. These qualities include being fair, honourable, open, genuine, decent, creditable, truthful, respected, sincere and reliable. There are many opportunities for us to display these qualities with our friends, teachers and parents/carers.

Being a good friend, an effective member of both our school and our own local community relies on us displaying qualities of being honest and trustworthy. These qualities can be shown in your daily interactions with people through your actions and words.

Karen McHugh

## SCHOOL PHOTOS

### Wednesday 14th JUNE 2017

***Personalised envelopes were distributed to all students with this Newsletter. Please return envelopes and correct money ON SCHOOL PHOTO DAY, WEDNESDAY 14<sup>th</sup> JUNE.***

**Each student must have their own separate envelope with them**, at the time that their photo is being taken. (Change cannot be given at the office.)

**If paying by cheque please make out to the photographer—"MSP Photography"**

**FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS** are available for students attending this school. Separate envelopes for these are available at the office.

Late envelopes cannot be accepted after photo day. Please direct all enquiries to the photography studio directly – David Torrington, Master School Portraits, (MSP Photography) Ballarat (Ph:53 33 5577).

## **WANTED - LIBRARY**

Volunteers to cover books, shelve & other odd jobs in the library. Please contact Gill Pearce.

## **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

### **Regional Cross Country**

Congratulations to all our athletes and families who were involved in the Regional Cross Country championships in Warrnambool on Monday. From all accounts it was very chilly but all children represented the school extremely well. Well done to all our students who competed!



We now have four children, Charlotte, Zac, James & Erin, who will be competing in the Victorian championships at Bundoora later in the year. This is a fabulous achievement and we wish them good luck.

### **Sausage Roll and Soup Day**

A huge thank you to the parents and community members who worked so diligently, cooking sausage rolls and soup for the children at the school. Once again, it demonstrates the generosity of the Daylesford community and is very much appreciated by all. The sausage rolls were delicious and likewise the soup was a treat. Special thanks to Lindy Churches, Jo Steiner & Rheannon Owen for organising this venture and thank you one and all for your contribution! If you believe that you can assist in any way to help support school programs please contact either myself or Karen McHugh and we will ensure that your assistance is encouraged.

### **People Who Help Us Day**

The juniors have had a very exciting morning with their program entitled "People Who Help Us." At the time of writing we are in preparation for a helicopter landing on the school oval (Helicopter Paramedics), we have the SES, Ambulance, Police, CFA and finally Triple Zero here, actively involving the children in this exciting program for all. Thank you to our organisers, as well as the representatives from each organisation, who have gone above and beyond to make this a memorable learning experience for all our junior students.

### **School Photos**

Just a quick reminder that the Daylesford and Drummond school photo opportunity will be held at Daylesford Primary School next Wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> of June. We would like everyone in school uniform. All photos will be taken from 9am and the school photo sessions should conclude mid morning. Thank you in anticipation.

### **Pupil Free Day and Queens Birthday Holiday**

Just a reminder that tomorrow is a pupil free day. Teachers will be working hard completing student reports. Likewise, throughout Victoria, it is a designated holiday on Monday (Queens Birthday). I hope you all have an enjoyable long weekend.

Trevor Edwards

## **SOUP & SAUSAGE ROLL DAY**



Thanks to the school for facilitating this venture. Special thanks to Natalie Hardy for the generous donation of organic beef.

Thanks also to the wonderful helpers: Emma Pavey, Emma Wells, Annshar Wolfs, Em Ireland, Tania Green, Fiona Benedict, Sarah Hunt, Leslie Thompson, Maia Irell, Lucy Nairn & Donna-Lee Straka.

(Soup & Sausage Roll Day organisers -Lindy Churches, Jo Steiner & Rheannon Owen)



**Available @ Double  
'C' Jeanery**

*Shower proof  
fleece lined Jacket  
with DPS Logo  
\$45*

*Can be ordered if your  
size is unavailable*

## **"WINTER" RAFFLE FUNDRAISER**

Thank you to the families who have returned their raffle books/money. If you would like another book please collect from the office.

Please support this fundraiser as there are many fabulous prizes to be won, and it is a great opportunity to raise funds for our school.

**Please return all sold/unsold tickets by Friday 23rd June.**

Raffle will be drawn at the final Assembly for Term 2, Tuesday 27th June.

We will be selling raffle tickets near Coles on various dates in June from 9am-3pm. We are looking for volunteers to spare an hour or two to help sell tickets to the community. If you are able to help please leave your name and number at the school office. (53482480)

## **HELP NEEDED**

FREYA TAYLOR, one of our ITALIAN CAPTAINS would like your help. She, together with the help of our other Italian captain, Sienna, want to decorate the poles outside the ITALIAN ROOM with wool. If you can knit or crochet, or know someone who can, your help is needed! Freya would like to cover the poles with squares or rectangles in the Italian colours.

The colours need to be GREEN, WHITE and RED.  
The sizes required are: SMALL SQUARES 10cm x 10 cm  
OR RECTANGLES 10cm x 30cm  
OR LARGE SQUARES 30x30

Please help if you can. Any squares/rectangles can be dropped into the office or the Italian room.

Signora Trudi will have a small amount of wool in the Italian room if needed. GRAZIE MILLE!



## **CSEF**

**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE – INFORMATION FOR 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 (30 January 2017) or term two (18 April 2017). 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](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef))***

***The CSEF Program closes on 30th June, 2017***

## **TERM 2 2017**

### **PARENT VOLUNTEERS**

FRIDAY	SICK BAY WASHING	BANKING
9 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Curriculum Day – NO STUDENTS</b>	
16 <sup>th</sup> June	Carissa Strawhorn	June Cooper
23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Melissa Patane	Shelley Sandow
30 <sup>th</sup> June	Christine Gilligan	--

## **CANTEEN DUTY**

### **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Curriculum Day – NO STUDENTS**

Weds 14 <sup>th</sup> June	Livia Comelli
Thurs 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Sally Davis
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Leah Schuter, Melissa Patane
Weds 21 <sup>st</sup> June	
Thurs 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Jodie Hawkins
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Shelley Sandow
Weds 28 <sup>th</sup> June	
Thurs 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Natalie Hardy
<b>Fri 30<sup>th</sup> End of Term. No Canteen or Banking</b>	

- **Chicken and Gravy Rolls (\$4.80) still available until sold out.**
- **PRICE ADJUSTMENT –  
Salad Wrap now \$4.00  
Chicken Salad Wrap still \$5.00.**
- **Salad Bowl no longer available until Term 4. (Will be on menu only in Terms 1 & 4.)**



**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.



## Student invoices and family details update

Thankyou to the parents/carers who have returned these. Please check all details, make any changes and return to school as soon as possible. We would appreciate payment of any outstanding invoices at your earliest convenience.

## Unexplained Absence Letters

Thankyou also to parents/carers who have returned these, which indicate days where unexplained absences have been recorded. If you received one of these notes please indicate the reason for your child's absence and return as soon as possible. Thank you

## BOOK CLUB

LOOP orders can now be placed online for Issue 4. Brochures for Issue 4 are available from the office.

## ONLINE ORDERING ONLY..



LOOP is the NEW Scholastic Book Clubs Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform for Parents.

If you want to pay by credit card for your online Book Club order, our new platform makes it easy! It eliminates the need for paper order forms plus your online order is submitted to the school safe and sound.

Log-in to [www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP](http://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP) or download our NEW iPhone and iPad app from the App Store!

- For a quick start, just click on ORDER in the top menu or REGISTER first to save your details for next time
- Select your school and your child's class
- Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for)
- Enter the item number from the Book Club brochure
- You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school
- All orders are linked directly to the school for submission to Scholastic. Books will still be delivered to your child's classroom if you order by the close date
- There's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to your school!

For a quick how-to-order video, log-in to [www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP](http://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP) and click on HELP in the top menu.



## STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Hepburn Health & The Creswick Lions Club presents

A "powerful" performance, "... a real eye opener"

# You the Man

There are no innocent bystanders to relationship violence

An experience for 14 to 20 year olds

Sunday 25 June  
4:30 - 7:30pm  
Doug Lindsay Reserve Creswick

BBQ Dinner - Photo Booth (\$2 per photo) - Life-sized Games -  
Jukebox - Smoothie Bike - Fabulous Door Prizes to be won!

Tickets \$5.00 (available at the Creswick Hub, Creswick Post Office, Clunes Warehouse, Hepburn Health Service)

Parents/Carers invited to BBQ Dinner and Activities from 8:15pm (ticket not required)

For more information please call Jessica on 5345 9172

Written by Cathy Freeman  
Directed by James Mollison  
Produced with permission of Creswick Theatre and Arts Centre  
by Graham Armstrong



## Daylesford Junior Superhero Bluelight Disco



**FRIDAY JUNE 16th**

at the Daylesford Town Hall 6pm to 9pm

\$5 entry (parents/carers free)

Grade Prep – Grade 6

Dress up as "Your Hero"

All parents leaving their children will be required to complete emergency contact details

***This will be Senior Constable Ian Wallace's (Wally) last official dance.***

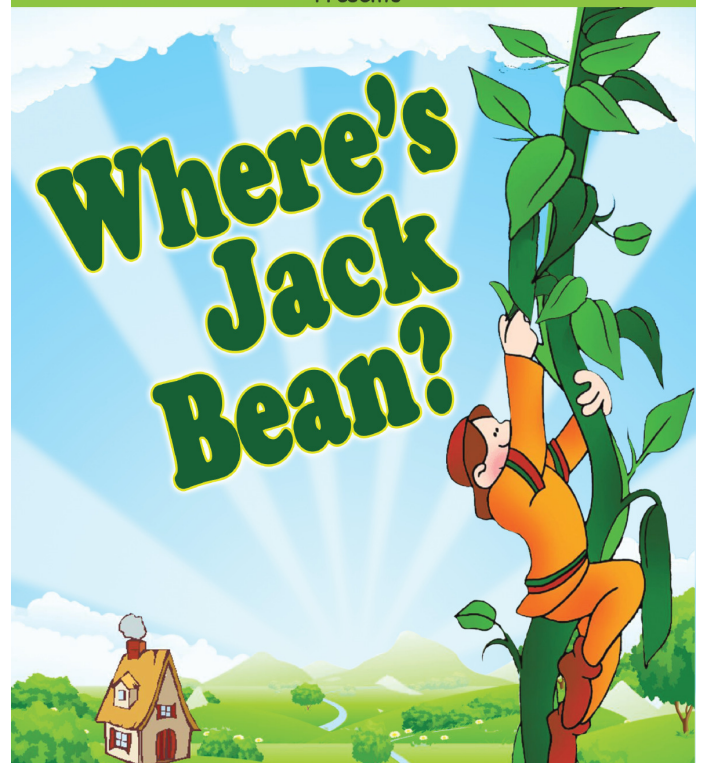
As you are aware Wally has been organising our disco for 15 years, volunteering, as it is an unpaid position.

His handover to Senior Constable Mina Martin of Daylesford Police will commence after this event.

Michelle Clifford, Secretary, Daylesford Blue Light Organisation. Ph: 0432 497 628. [gypsys\\_den@msn.com](mailto:gypsys_den@msn.com)

Creswick Theatre Company Presents

# Where's Jack Bean?



**Where: Creswick Courthouse Theatre, Raglan St Creswick**

**When: 11.00am & 2.00pm July 11,12,13**

**Adult Cabaret Night 8.00pm July 14 (only)**

**Cost: Matinee's all tickets \$8 / Cabaret \$15**

**For More Info: Phone 0458 516 275 or checkout our Facebook page**

