

DARLINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter No 14 – Week 8 - TERM 3

Tuesday 4th September, 2018

SCHOOL HOURS

School commences	8.45 am
Crunch and Sip	10.45 am
Recess	10.50 - 11.10 am
Lunch Eating time	1.10 - 1.20 pm
Lunch Play time	1.20 - 1.50 pm
End of School	3.00 pm



5th, 6th & 7th September	FACTION SPORTS CARNIVAL WEDNESDAY - Triple Jump (Years 5 & 6) and Long Distance (Years 1 - 6) THURSDAY - Jumps & Throws (Years 1 - 6) FRIDAY - FACTION SPORTS CARNIVAL DAY Team Games & Sprints - Kindy - Year 6 <i>All day event - held at the Pines Oval</i>
14th September	UNIFORM SHOP OPEN OPENING HOURS 8.30am to 9.00am
14th September	ASSEMBLY - ROOM 7
16th September SUNDAY	SPRINGTIME BUSY BEE 9.30am to 11.30am More information in the newsletter

Dear Parents and Care givers

Book Week Parade

The recent Book Week Parade was an amazing event and a terrific example of the way in which our parent body supports school activities and their children. The students were resplendent in a vast array of amazing costumes and I was in awe of the creativity and ingenuity that went into the creation of them. I know that the staff derived considerable enjoyment from dressing up and joining in the fun too. Mr Scott cut a fine pirate figure in leopard skin and black lace. This event has become one of the highlights on the school's program each year. I am sure you will enjoy viewing the fantastic photos in this week's newsletter.

Sincere thanks go to the P & C for once again sponsoring the event and arranging prizes for the best costumes in each class. Judging was a really difficult task.

Book Fair

Last week's Book Fair was another successful event, thanks to the support of parents. A total of \$3645.98 cents worth of books were purchased for our young readers. This earned the school \$91.00 in commission and \$835.50 in Scholastics Rewards, to purchase books for the Library. Thank you to Mrs Diaz, our Library Officer, for organising it. This builds on the terrific work done by Alison Scott with the Ashton Scholastic Book Club on behalf of the P & C.

P & C AGM

Last night the P & C held its AGM. The meeting was well attended and we are fortunate that all office bearers have agreed to continue in their roles for another year and were re-elected. Details are provided later in the newsletter.

Thank you to all members of the P & C, especially those on the committee, who work so tirelessly to support our school and enrich the education experience for our children.

At the general meeting that followed the AGM, it was agreed that the following projects would be funded:

- ◆ Wall mounted cupboards outside Rooms 7 & 8 \$3000
- ◆ Classroom easels for 4 junior rooms \$3000
- ◆ An art installation to be created under the staircase that leads to the junior classrooms \$2000
- ◆ Re-imbursement for a reading chair purchased for the Library earlier in the year \$400
- ◆ Mounting of the 2017 NAIDOC Mural in the Covered Assembly Area \$400
- ◆ A provisional sum for the creation of a new school sign for the Glen Road entrance \$2000

The school is indebted to the P & C for this generous financial support.

thank you

OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED

NEXT SCHOOL P&C Meeting: Tuesday 16th Oct 9.15am - New faces welcome

President: Fiona Gordon

Email: darlingtonprimarypnc@gmail.com



SCHOOL BANKING: Wednesdays In Library - 8.15 to 8.45
Co-Ordinators: Anke and Fiona

SCHOLASTIC BOOKCLUB CO-ORDINATOR

Alison Scott - darlingtonpsbookclub@gmail.com

UNIFORM SHOP - Open Friday twice a term (1st, 2nd last)

See school calendar for opening dates 8.30 - 9.00am

Email - dpsuniform@gmail.com

ORDER ANYTIME ON FLEXISCHOOLS FOR CLASSROOM DELIVERY: www.flexischools.com.au

CANTEEN DAYS - Monday, Wednesdays & Fridays
Ros Tooth ph – 0425 807 166 / School 9299 6888

LIBRARY DAYS - Monday, Tuesday & Wednesdays
Library Officer: Mrs Karen Diaz

SCHOOL DENTAL VAN - ph 0407 594 254

STUDENT SERVICES

SCHOOL CHAPLAIN ONSITE - Monday, Thursday & Fridays
Chaplain: Tracey Buckley

SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST ONSITE - Every Thursday
Psychologist: Melissa Morgan

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NAPLAN ONLINE

As announced in the last newsletter, students in Years 3 and 5 participated in the School Readiness Test last week, in preparation for the mandated implementation of NAPLAN Online in 2019. Year 3s completed a NAPLAN-style reading test and Year 5s did both reading and numeracy. The aim of the exercise was to test the capacity of both the school's network, and the wider system, to cope with demands when all schools access the tests online next year. I am pleased to report that our network, and our students, managed very well, using the Chromebooks. This augurs well for the real thing next year.

FACTION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

At the moment, we are gearing up for the annual Faction Athletics Carnival which occurs this week (weather permitting). The students, and their faction teachers, have been training hard for team games over the last couple of weeks and the Town Oval has been marked in readiness for Friday's gala event. I look forward to seeing many parents there.

Lorna Woodley
Principal

Crunch&Sip®

Eat a Rainbow of Vegetables Everyday for Crunch&Sip®!

Different coloured vegetables and fruit provide different vitamins, minerals and phytonutrients. Eat from across the rainbow to get the right balance of nutrients for good health. Some great options for Crunch&Sip® include:



Red – red capsicum, cherry tomatoes

Orange and yellow – carrot, yellow tomatoes, corn, yellow and orange capsicum

Green – celery, cucumber, snow peas, sugar snap peas, broccoli, green capsicum, spinach, zucchini

Blue and purple – purple carrot, purple cabbage, beetroot

White and brown – cauliflower, mushroom



Our **Faction Sports Carnival** is on this week with events on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Programs were emailed out on the 29th of August and can also be found on our school website—www.darlingtonps.wa.edu.au

Canteen made "Bento Boxes" available for purchase. Please see information further in this newsletter

DARLINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL FACTION SPORTS CARNIVAL EVENTS

Wednesday 5th September

Triple Jump – At School Oval			
9.00am – 10.00am	Year 6	Pit 1 – Girls	
		Pit 2 – Boys	
10.00am – 10.50am	Year 5	Pit 1 – Girls	
		Pit 2 – Boys	
Recess Break			
Distance Run – At Pines Oval			
11.40am – 11.50am	Year 1	200m	
11.50am – 12.00pm	Year 2	200m	
12.00pm – 12.10pm	Year 3	400m	
12.10pm – 12.20pm	Year 4	400m	
12.20pm – 12.35pm	Year 5	800m	
12.35pm – 12.50pm	Year 6	800m	

Thursday 6th September

Long Jump – At School Oval		
9.00am – 10.00am	Year 1	
10.00am – 10.50am	Year 2	
Recess Break		
11.15am – 12.00pm	Year 5	
12.00pm – 12.45pm	Year 6	
12.45pm – 1.10pm	Year 4 ***time permitting	
Lunch Break		
1.50pm – 2.30pm	Year 4	
2.30pm – 3.00pm	Year 3	

Thursday 6th September

Distance Throw – At School Oval		
9.00am – 10.00am	Year 2	
10.00am – 10.50am	Year 1	
Recess Break		
11.15am – 12.10pm	Year 6	
12.10pm – 1.10pm	Year 5	
Lunch Break		
1.50pm – 2.30pm	Year 3	
2.30pm – 3.00pm	Year 4	

Darlington Primary School

Faction Carnival

Friday 7th of September
2018



Students are reminded that they are not to leave the boy unless they have a pass from the teacher. Parents are asked to remain behind the spectators' line and not enter the boys.
Students will be allowed to see their parents during the lunch break.

Thank you to all parent helpers
and staff for their excellent
work and support.



Events List

Friday 7th September

Events List

Event Number	Event Type
1	PP Flag Relays
2	Yr. 1 Mixed Flag Relay
3	Yr. 2 Mixed Flag Relay
4	Yr. 3 Mixed Flag Relay
5	Yr. 4 Mixed Flag Relay
6	Yr. 5 Mixed Flag Relay
7	Yr. 6 Mixed Flag Relay
8	PP Tunnel Ball
9	Kindy Boys 60m Race
10	Kindy Girls 60m Race
11	PP Boys 60m Div Races
12	PP Girls 60m Div Races
13	Yr. 1 Boys 60m Div Races
14	Yr. 1 Girls 60m Div Races
15	Yr. 2 Boys 60m Div Races
16	Yr. 2 Girls 60m Div Races
17	Yr. 3 Boys 80m Div Races
18	Yr. 3 Girls 80m Div Races
19	Yr. 4 Boys 80m Div Races
20	Yr. 4 Girls 80m Div Races
21	Yr. 5 Boys 100m Div Races
22	Yr. 5 Girls 100m Div Races
23	Yr. 6 Boys 100m Div Races
24	Yr. 6 Girls 100m Div Races
25	Yr. 1 Mixed Tunnel Ball
26	Yr. 2 Mixed Tunnel Ball

Event Number	Event Type
27	Yr. 3 Mixed Tunnel Ball
28	Yr. 4 Mixed Tunnel Ball
29	Yr. 5 Mixed Tunnel Ball
30	Yr. 6 Mixed Tunnel Ball
31	Yr. 1 Mixed Corner Spry
32	Yr. 2 Mixed Corner Spry
33	Yr. 3 Mixed Corner Spry
34	Yr. 4 Mixed Pass Ball
35	Yr. 5 Mixed Pass Ball
36	Yr. 6 Mixed Pass Ball
37	Yr. 4 Mixed Leader Ball
38	Yr. 5 Mixed Leader Ball
39	Yr. 6 Mixed Leader Ball
40	Yr. 1 Boys 60m Relay
41	Yr. 1 Girls 60m Relay
42	Yr. 2 Boys 60m Relay
43	Yr. 2 Girls 60m Relay
44	Yr. 3 Boys 80m Relay
45	Yr. 3 Girls 80m Relay
46	Yr. 4 Boys 80m Relay
47	Yr. 4 Girls 80m Relay
48	Yr. 5 Boys 100m Relay
49	Yr. 5 Girls 100m Relay
50	Yr. 6 Boys 100m Relay
51	Yr. 6 Girls 100m Relay
52	Parents V Teachers V Students Event **** TIME PERMITTING



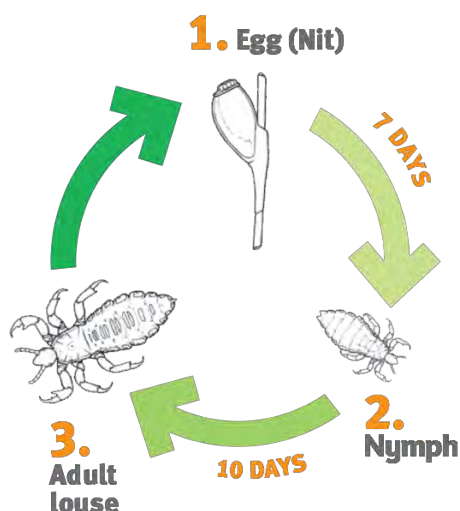
Head Lice Check

Please be aware we have had some recent cases of head lice. Please check your children and treat if necessary.

Children with head lice are required to have their hair cleared of lice before returning to school.

This can be achieved by using an insecticide product purchased from the local pharmacy and used according to the manufacturer's instruction. This must be followed by physically removing the lice from the hair after the recommended time period using a special nit comb.

Hair will need to be checked on a daily basis for the following 10 days to ensure that all lice and eggs have been removed from the hair. Refer to the Department of Health, head lice fact sheet at www.public.health.wa.gov.au



LOST PROPERTY



ARE YOU MISSING ITEMS?
COME IN AND HAVE A LOOK IN OUR
LOST PROPERTY BOX



SCHOLASTIC BOOKFAIR

Thank you to the children and families who generously supported our recent Book Fair. The school will receive a commission from the items sold. This will be used to purchase library and curriculum resources.



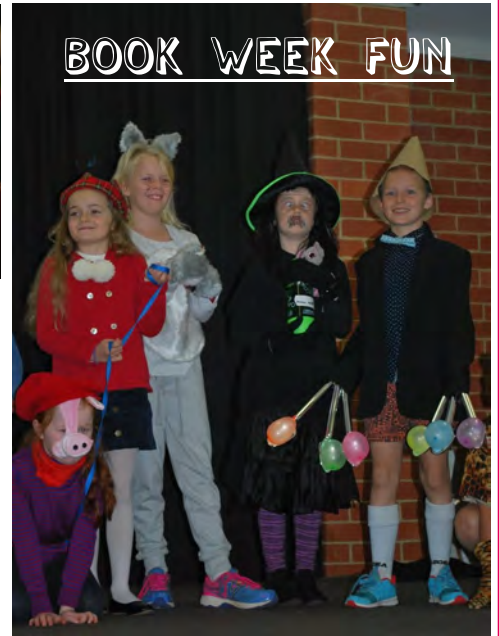
The colouring in competition was again popular. All entries were on display in the library during Book Fair. Thank you to all students who entered and congratulations to Jaxon, Harper, Ben, Abbie, Kenzi, Mahli, Matilda, Bailey, Kiera, Maddi, Lucas and Harley who received a \$10 voucher to spend at the Book Fair.

Thank you to the families who purchased items for the library

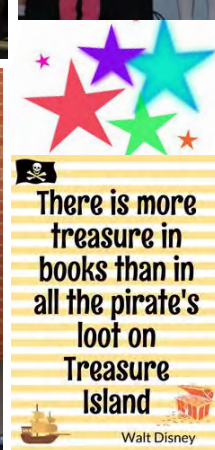
A huge **Thank You** to the families of Darlington Primary School for your continuing support.



BOOK WEEK FUN



Photos: thanks to Mr Sherpa





ART news

STUDENT
WORK

ON DISPLAY
IN THE OFFICE





Thank you to everyone who supported the P&C Father's Day Stall. You are amazing.



HATS FOR SCHOOL

Remember to have your children organised for school with their hats and drink bottles. Please make sure these items are clearly labelled. As we are starting to see students regularly turning up with no hat for sport, it is important they be organised and have their hats ready for school each day.

Stay informed with the SkoolBag App



The SkoolBag app is the easiest way to stay up-to-date with school events, last minutes notices, newsletters and all school communications.

1

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3

Add your school

Search for your school and add your subscription groups



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P&C News

Thank you to everyone who has supported the P&C over the last year. We're all looking forward to another fantastic year.

Our AGM was held last night and I would like to welcome our P&C Executive team for this year. All the existing executive renominated for their positions with the exception of Anna McDonald who has stepped down after many years of volunteering her time. Thank you, Anna! Vanessa Busby is the successful nominee for the vacant position, Welcome Vanessa.

The next big events on the P&C Calendar are **'Thank a Teacher Day'** and the **Darlington Arts Festival Parking**.

The P&C is co-ordinating a Morning Tea to thank our fabulous teachers who give so much to teach our children. **You can thank our teachers by baking a cake or making a plate of food for morning tea for them on Friday 12 October.**

Adrian Woodley is co-ordinating the Darlington Arts Festival Parking at our school on the weekend 3-4 November and is looking for volunteers to help, **this is a perfect opportunity for all those Dads that can't come along to other events to help.** Contact Adrian at adrian@woodley.id.au

Meet The Team:

Darlington Primary P&C Executive for 2018/19

- ◇ Fiona Gordon – President
- ◇ Rowena Mackinnon – Vice President
- ◇ Melissa Turner – Secretary
- ◇ Rachel Relf – Treasurer
- ◇ Executive – Alison Scott, Stephanie Scott and Vanessa Busby



Fiona Gordon
president@dpspc.org.au





FACTION SPORTS CARNIVAL

FRIDAY 7th of September



On sports carnival day, we will not have a canteen on site.

We are making "bento" boxes for children, teachers and parents (spectator boxes). These boxes will be made in the school canteen and delivered to the faction tents on the day. The Pines Coffee Shop will be open for parents to access (not for children)

No other items will be available for purchase.
Please pack your morning tea and water bottle.

Lunches for Kindy/Pre-primary will be delivered to the oval between 11.30 and 12.00 and Years 1 - 6 will be delivered between 12.30 - 1.00 to the faction bays.

Spectators and teachers lunches will be delivered at this time too. If your child has an allergy, please contact me on 0425 807 166 to arrange an allergy friendly lunch.

ORDERS must be placed on Flexischools by 12pm - 6th Sept



Faction Sports
Carnival 7.9.18

Order
Sports
Lunch

Please order by 12pm on 6th Sept 2018

Thank you for supporting your canteen,
Ros.



Faction Sports Carnival Lunch Menu

7th September 2018

Collected from faction bays



BENTO BOX MENU

- Chicken Teriyaki sushi
- Pork Sausage Rolls
- Veggie rolls

(Pictured below, last years "bento boxes")



Prices remain the same as last year. Contents will vary, keep an eye on FB for photos and recipes for this years goodies.

Boxes will contain main item plus canteen cake, crackers, canteen made bliss balls, fresh fruit and veggies.

Allergy friendly box will be gluten, nut, egg and dairy free.

Qty	Name	Price *
+ Add	Chicken Teriyaki Sushi Bento Box Canteen made sushi, soy sauce, juice box, cake, fruit, veggie sticks and crackers.	\$9.00
+ Add	Chicken Teriyaki Sushi Bento Box (no juice box) Canteen made sushi, soy sauce, cake, fruit, veggie sticks and crackers.	\$8.50
+ Add	Sausage Roll Bento Box Canteen made sausage rolls cut to party size, tomato sauce, juice box, cake, fruit, veggie sticks and crackers	\$9.00
+ Add	Sausage Roll Bento Box (no juice box) Canteen made sausage rolls cut to party size, tomato sauce, cake, fruit, veggie sticks and crackers	\$8.50
+ Add	Vegetarian sausage roll Bento box Canteen made mini veggie sausage rolls, juice box, cake, fruit, veggie sticks and crackers.	\$9.00
+ Add	Vegetarian sausage roll Bento box (no juice box) Canteen made mini veggie sausage rolls, cake, fruit, veggie sticks and crackers.	\$8.50

ORDER NOW



Darlington Primary's - Parents & Citizens Association

Email: darlingtonprimarypnc@gmail.com



IT'S SPRINGTIME...



AND TIME TO SPRUCE UP OUR SCHOOL

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A BUSY BEE

SUNDAY 16th SEPTEMBER 9:30-11:30AM

PLEASE BRING YOUR GARDENING GLOVES & TOOLS
WE'LL BE MULCHING, WEEDING, RAKING, PRUNING
PLEASE BRING SOME MORNING TEA TO SHARE



Spring is here!



**UPCOMING BUSY BEE
SUNDAY 16TH OF SEPTEMBER**

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UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

NEW PRICELIST FROM TERM 4 - COPY ATTACHED TO EMAIL

Darlington Primary School



Term 4, 2018 and 2019 Uniform Shop Price List

Uniform Item	Sizes	Unit Price
Polo Shirt	4-16	\$28
Faction Polo	4-16	\$25
Protex Shorts	6-16	\$17
Skorts	4-10	\$26
Girls Jazz Pants  FLASH SALE! (Normally \$25)	4-16	\$18
Trackpants	4-16	\$25
Zip Jackets	4-16	\$30
Winter Jacket (Fleece lined & water resistant)	4-14	\$36
Bucket Hats	XS, S/M, L	\$12
Reading Bags	PP to year 2	\$7





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- Click "Register Now"
- Enter your email and follow prompts

You can then charge up your online account and place orders from home

Online orders are already paid for, so you do not need to bring money to school

Available Now!



**UNIFORM SHOP
NEXT OPEN
14TH SEPTEMBER
8.30AM - 9.00AM**





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Email: darlingtonprimarypnc@gmail.com



HONEY \$10
AVAILABLE FROM THE
OFFICE
(CASH PAYMENTS ONLY)

next meeting



Your 

Our upcoming P&C Meeting:

16th October 9.15am

Held in the Meeting Room in school office

All Welcome

'50 IN MY STREET'
\$10 EACH

The P&C is selling '50 in my street' wheelie bin stickers, these are available from school reception for **\$10 each** (cash only please).

\$2 of each sale will be donated to Road Trauma Support WA. Mundaring Shire has approved the use of bin stickers.



Scholastic Book club orders

Please have orders completed either electronically via scholastic.com.au/LOOP or manually with order and cash to the School Office no later than WEDNESDAY 5th SEPTEMBER. Enquiries to darlingtonpsbookclub@gmail.com

Many thanks for supporting your P & C and School
Alison Scott

DON'T FORGET!



SCHOLASTIC
Book Club
orders are due:

WEDNESDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER

Darlington Basketball Club 2018-19 Summer Season

Mixed U8s, Boys & Girls U10s, U12s, U14s, U16s, U18s

Visit our website for details
www.darlingtonbasketballclub.sportingpulse.net
or find us on facebook – 'Darlington Basketball Club'

REGISTRATIONS EXTENDED!!!
Sunday 9th September

Enquiries – Alison Scott, Club Registrar
alisooooon66@bigpond.com 0439 910 830

