

DARLINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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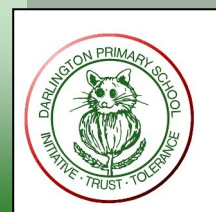
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This school will be closed on days of forecast Catastrophic Fire Danger Rating

SCHOOL HOURS

School commences: 8.45am
Recess: 10.50 - 11.10am
Lunch: Eating time 1.10 - 1.50pm
End of School: 3.00pm

"We are a crunch and sip school"




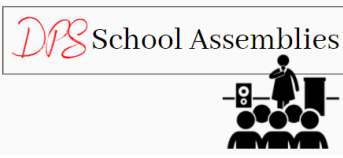
Newsletter No 5 – Week 1 - TERM 2

Tuesday 20 April, 2021

Upcoming Events

WHAT'S ON AT D.P.S.



23 April	10.15 ANZAC CEREMONY Choir Performance
25 April Sunday	 ANZAC DAY · 25 APRIL <i>Lest We Forget</i>
26 April	ANZAC DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
28 April	4pm SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING
29 April (Date change)	MOTHER'S DAY STALL Gifts \$5 CASH
30 April	UNIFORM SHOP OPEN 8.30-9am ASSEMBLY: ROOM 10 
3 May	MOTHER'S DAY STALL (Kindy 1 only) Gifts \$5 CASH
3 May	P&C MEETING - All Welcome
7 May	MOTHER'S DAY STALL Gifts \$5 CASH

Principal's Report

ANDREW NEWHOUSE

Dear Parents and Care Givers,



ANZAC

This Friday, at 10:15am, is our school ANZAC ceremony. This year we will be having our own Catafalque Party dressed in WW1 and WW2 uniforms. Students involved in this experience will be carrying rifles which have been deactivated. All students will be made aware of this by their class teacher so that no one will be alarmed or distressed about seeing them. Students in the Catafalque Party will be under the strict guidance of Mr Staples.

Some students in Year 5 will be involved in wreath-making. The school is looking for donations of some flowers from your garden for this activity. Mrs D'Arcy will over-see the wreath-making group.

Students who are members of a service club, such as Guides or Scouts, may wear their uniform. Students may also wear any medals of relatives on the right, or carry a picture of a relative who has had active service. Parents are, of course, welcome to attend as well. Please note that this will be an outdoor event.

Please note that next Monday is the public holiday for ANZAC Day.



OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED

DARLINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL P&C

NEXT SCHOOL P&C Meeting: 7pm 3 MAY, 2021

President: Fiona Gordon

New faces always welcome

Email: president@dpssc.org.au



SCHOLASTIC BOOKCLUB COORDINATOR

Melinda Reynolds - darlingtonpsbookclub@gmail.com

UNIFORM SHOP - Open every second week

See Term Planner for dates **Email:** dpsuniform@gmail.com

ORDER UNIFORMS ANYTIME ON FLEXISCHOOLS
www.flexischools.com.au

CANTEEN DAYS - Monday, Wednesdays & Fridays

Coordinator: Ros Tooth ph - 0425 807 166 / 9257 4008

LIBRARY DAYS - Monday, Tuesday & Wednesdays

Library Officer: Mrs Karen Diaz

SCHOOL DENTAL VAN - ph 0407 594 254
 Currently at Glen Forrest P.S.

STUDENT SERVICES

SCHOOL CHAPLAIN ONSITE - Monday, Thursday & Fridays

Chaplain: Tracey Buckley

SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST ONSITE - Every Wednesday

Psychologist: Melita Silvasi

NAPLAN

All Year 3 and 5 (Year 7 and 9) students in Australia will complete assessments in English and Mathematics. The assessments will occur between 11-21 May 2021. Where possible, please do not schedule other appointments during these days.

Fancy Dress Day

The Student Council organised a fundraiser for Radio Lollypop last term. They raised over \$600 for this charity.

Advanced notice is given that the next Student Council fundraiser will be on Monday 10 May – **Pirate Day**, raising money for the Kids Cancer Project.



Initiative, Trust, Tolerance

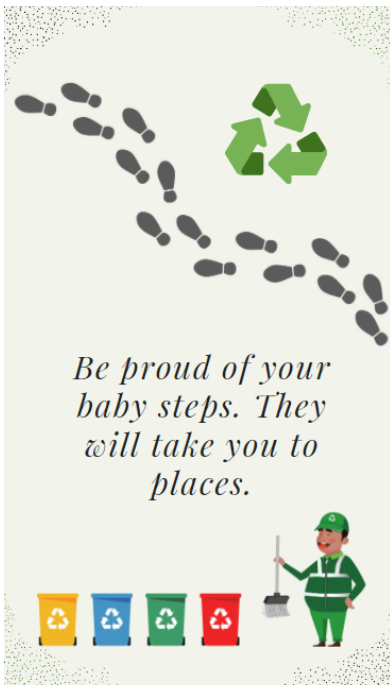
Toilet Project

The Toilet Project has commenced! A number of actions will occur in Term 2. One action is to educate students on the use of communal facilities. This is an area that parents and carers can help. From time to time, look for the opportunity to talk with your child about what they can do to look after communal facilities in your house and at school.

Two actions would include strategies to avoid making mess (reducing our footprint) and strategies for rectifying our mess (removing our footprint).

This term, we will introduce our cleaners to the students at an assembly so that the human factor can be considered and gratitude can develop.

We will also commence a competition for designs to be painted onto a toilet wall or door.



Contributions and Charges

Thanks to our families who have paid their contributions to the school. It is great to have this financial and moral support of the school and its programs. Your contribution has and is supporting the education of all students. It assists in providing classroom resources, printing of resources and equipment required to enrich classroom learning.

If you have not remembered to contribute or you are waiting for the right time, then now is the right time! Please see the Office team if you require assistance in making your payment.

CONTRIBUTIONS – VOLUNTARY \$60

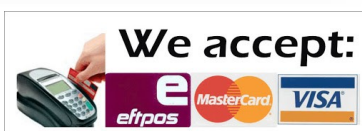
Used by the school to provide literacy and numeracy resources, sports equipment, photocopying and many other items used by students.

Voluntary Contribution Breakdown	\$
Curriculum, Resources	\$ 20.00
Cooking and Class consumables \$10/term	\$ 40.00
TOTAL	\$ 60.00

While contributions are voluntary, the quality of our teaching and learning programs will be maximised when each family makes their contribution. This will supplement funding gained from other sources, including the State and Commonwealth Governments.

P & C DONATIONS \$25

The voluntary donation for the P&C is \$25.00. This amount will help the P & C cover its running costs to carry out work for the benefit of the school eg purchase of school resources and enhancement of grounds and facilities.



Join us for our Prospective Parent Information Evening

You are invited to our information Evening, you will have the opportunity to meet our staff and students, take a tour of the School and explore the exciting programs we have on offer. The evening will finish with a light supper.

We look forward to meeting you and our future students.

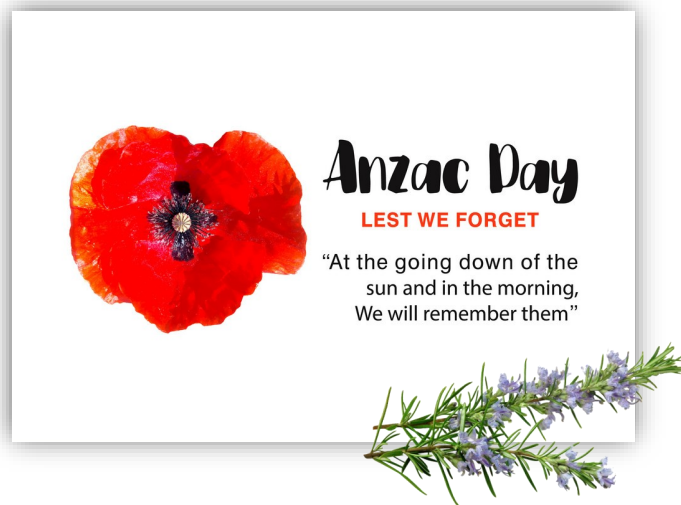
Date: Wednesday 28 April 2021

Time: 3.15 pm – 6.00 pm

Venue: Library

Gladstone Avenue, Swan View WA 6056

RSVP: <https://swanviewshs.schoolzoneplus.com/event/363>



DONATE YOUR CONTAINERS

WE RECEIVE 10 CENTS FOR EACH

WHEN RETURNING YOUR CONTAINERS, USE OUR SCHEME ID:

ID – C10323779

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND
FOR HELPING THE ENVIRONMENT

Chaplain's Chat

TRACEY BUCKLEY



Craft Group

Craft Group is on every Thursday in the library, come along and see what you can create.

This is for students in years one to six.



Drumming Club



Drumming Club will start in Week 3 on Thursday May 6. Drumming is for students in Pre-primary to Year six, we look at rhythm, working in a team, listening and having fun.

Permission forms are attached to the newsletter.

Girls Group

Girls Group will begin in Week 4 on May 10. This is for girls in Year 3 to 6. Permission forms are attached to the newsletter.



My quote

ONE
KIND WORD
CAN CHANGE
SOMEONE'S
ENTIRE
DAY

I am here for the whole school community.

Tracey Buckley
School Chaplain



P&C Mother's Day Stall

When: Thursday April 29 Kindy 2,

P/P to Year 6.

Monday May 3 for Kindy 1

Friday May 7 for last chance shopping.

Where: Outside the Medical Room

Time: Students will come up with their class after 9.30 am

Cost: Gifts are \$5