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Established 1911

"Choose Respect"

Dates to Remember:

Thurs 28th June: Yrs 4/5/6 Assembly

Fri 29th Jun: Last Day of Term

Mon 16th July: Day 1 Term 3

Weekly Events at D.P.S.

Wed: Playgroup 9.00-11.00am

Educational Websites at DPS:

www.mathletics.com.au

www.studyladder.com.au

www.mylexile.com.au

Farewell Luke, Lisa, Tilly, Max and Pippa



Above: A typical photo of Tilly ~ looking cheerful and enthusiastic!

We farewell **Tilly** from our K/PP class. We also farewell her parents Luke and Lisa and siblings Max and Pippa.

It has been wonderful having Tilly in our school and we will miss her.

Thank you to Luke and Lisa for all that they have contributed to our school and community. We wish you all the very best in the future.

Value: Tolerance

"I am tolerant. I overlook people's faults. I appreciate differences. I accept the things I cannot change with good grace."

You are practising tolerance when you:

- Accept differences.
- Are free of prejudice.
- Accept people the way they are.
- Don't complain when uncomfortable conditions can't be helped.
- Make others feel included by reaching out in friendliness.
- Change yourself instead of trying to change others.



"Choose Respect" Marble in Jar Certificates

Ayden Armstrong ~ Demonstrating responsibility and gratitude by offering to thank a guest speaker.

Matilda Bedford ~ Applying her learning by reminding the class that there is usually only one 'and' in each sentence.

Tayler Douglas ~ Consistently demonstrating kindness, consideration of others, care and respect. You make our school a happier place Tayler.

Emma-Lee Moloney ~ Choosing to do extra grammar before school every morning.

All of the students in years 1/2/3 ~ Completing sensational journal writing today.

CONGRATULATIONS!



Interschool Cross Country

Last Friday qualifying students from Dwellingup Primary school participated in the annual **Interschool Cross Country**



event at Jarrahdale. There were a total of eight students from **Carcoola, North Dandalup and Jarrahdale** as well as our school.

Students in our team were **Logan Reid, Deegan Fort, August-Rose Butler, Capri Sellenger, Cowen Armstrong, Luca Birmingham, Ava Bucktin, Karly Goncalves, Damon Morrison, Nigel Reid, Angela O'Malley and Kara Tovey.**

Congratulations to all students. You all tried your best and are to be commended for your efforts.

Well done to the following students who gained places:

2nd place Senior Boys – **Damon Morrison**

2nd place Intermediate Girls: **Ava Bucktin**

2nd place Junior Boys: **Deegan Fort**

4th place Senior Girls: **Angela O'Malley**

4th place Senior Boys: **Nigel Reid**

4th place Intermediate Girls: **Karly Goncalves**

4th place Junior Girls: **August-Rose Butler**



A Word from the Chaplain

You are invited
to Afternoon Tea with the Chaplain
on Thursday the 28th June 2018
in front of the Chaplains Office near the Staffroom.

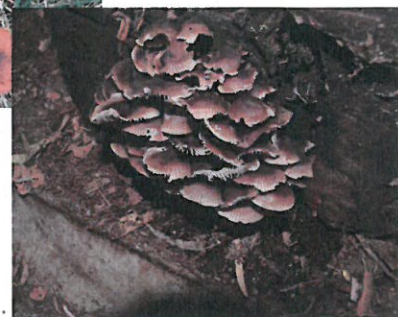
Come along any time before and after Assembly for a cuppa, a chat and some delicious baked goods

All Welcome



Our Beautiful School Grounds

In addition to all of the gorgeous coloured leaves on our deciduous trees in our grounds there are a range of colourful fungi to be seen at present.



Dirt Matters

The students were very busy planting winter vegetables this week. Vegetables included cauliflower, silver beet and cabbages.



Above: Mr Warren oversees Karly, Abigail and Max.



Above: Farrah and Matilda planting cabbages.



Above: A vegetable garden to be proud of! Congratulations to all concerned.

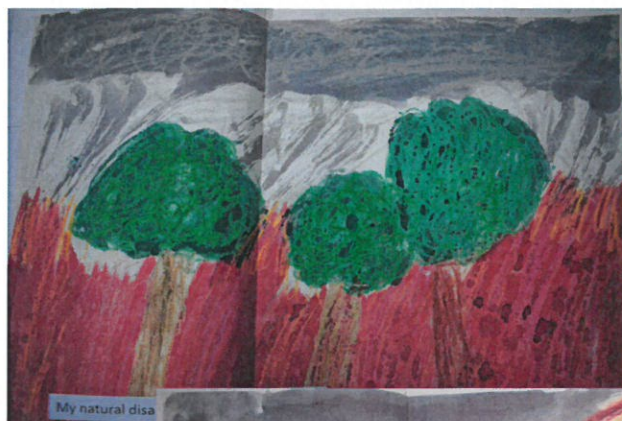


Left: An excellent place to plant climbing beans!

Students in years 2-6 engage in the "Dirt Matters" program on Wednesday afternoons. Students are divided into four multi-aged groups. As well as their session

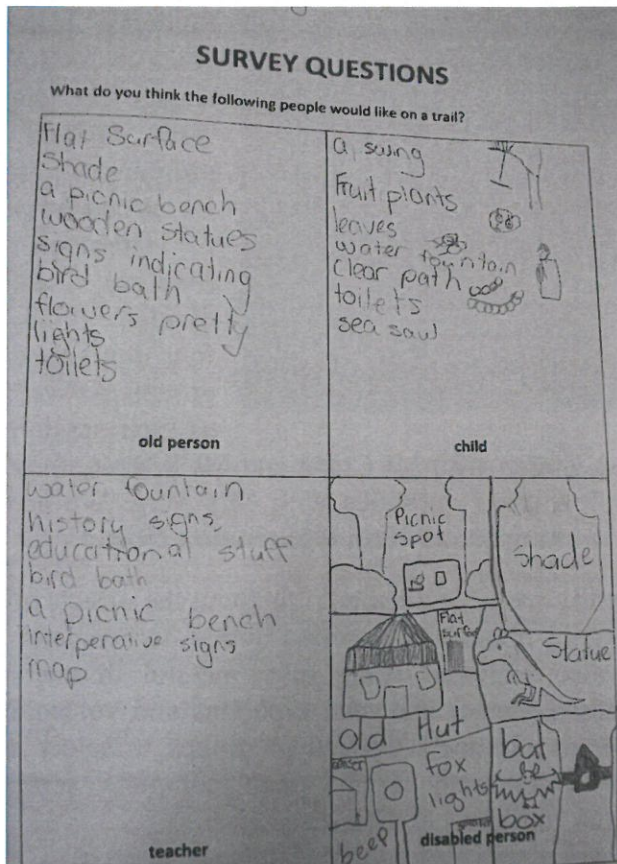
in the garden with Mr Crane and Mr Warren, they complete other activities with Mrs Sing. We are still working on our bush regeneration project.

Recently we have been talking about the effects of fire (wild fires and controlled burns) on bushland. We also explored some other natural disasters including meteor showers, typhoons and volcanic eruptions. Students worked in groups to select a disaster, research it and then complete some artwork to represent their disaster.



Top: Cowen's bushfire. Bottom: Holly's meteor.

We are also working on devising a survey to see what different members of the community expect from a trail. Students worked in groups to discern the needs of older people, children, teachers and disabled people.



Above: Kara and Abigail thought of some fabulous ideas and also completed a detailed diagram.

Meanwhile, over in the Early Childhood room the year PP / year 1 students continued their investigations into simple machines by trialling balloon powered cars.



Above: Success for Hunter and Logan.

Our New Shed

We are very excited that our new shed is now erected. We are now installing fixtures, furniture etc to transform it into an 'outdoor classroom' for our environmental program. At present Mr Warren thinks the shed is a great place to park his ride-on mower. The shed was funded by a \$9000 grant from Wastewise.



Magic & Emotion Parenting Workshop

A free three session parenting program for parents and carers of children. Learn how to:

- * Increase skills in encouraging and promoting positive behaviour in children.
- * Learn strategies for managing challenging behaviour.
- * Build strong and healthy connections with your children.

***FREE *CRECHE PROVIDED**
14TH, 21ST & 28TH June 9.30am – 12.00
Dwellingup Primary School
Contact the school OR
9581 0581
peel.pcwa@anglicarewa.org.au

Playgroup

Dwellingup Playgroup is based at our school. The 0-3 years is the age when brain development is at its peak and it is very important that children engage in quality play based learning.



If you know of any new comers to town please let them know about our Playgroup. Please direct all enquiries to the school on 9538 1026.

Wednesday 9.00-11.00am
Room behind school Undercover Area
ALL WELCOME!

Science

Mrs Livissianos teaches Science to students in years 1-6 at our school. We use the **Primary Connections** program which was devised by the **Australian Academy of Science**. This program links Science with Literacy and is enquiry and co-operative learning based.

The senior class's current topic is "**Home Among the Gum Trees**" which is all about plants. Mrs Livissianos ensures that lessons are stimulating and interesting by organising a range of supporting "hands-on" activities.

This week the lesson was about bees and their role in pollination. Mrs Livissianos organised for **Kim Birmingham** to visit the class to talk about the art of bee-keeping. The photos show the level of interest that this activity generated. Thank you Mrs L for organising this and thanks Kim for giving up your time to share your expertise. What an outstanding learning opportunity!



Above: Kim shows Jayden a frame from the beehive.



Above: Ava and Cowen are feeling the wax in the frame.



Above: The bees have covered the honey with wax so it doesn't drip out.



Left: Joseph in Luca's protective bee-keeper suit (The suits are white because bees don't like dark clothes.)



Above: Nigel, Holly, Cameron, Evelyn, Angela and Abigail can hardly contain their excitement when trying honeycomb!

Bushfire Cadets

Saturday 16th June

Team Building and camp over at Dare. Bullsbrook to attend.