



Produced by Dwellingup Primary School

June 8th 2018

Established 1911

"Choose Respect"

Dates to Remember:

Thurs 14th Jun: School Photos

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

Years 1/2/3 Assembly



The year 1/2/3 students' assembly item "Agadoo" was a very colourful and vibrant performance. The students enjoyed singing the song and performing the dance.

Thank you to **Sharona Bower** for putting in a lot of time teaching the students a range of singing techniques. Thank you also to **Paula Hough** for making the fabulous Hawaiian themed decorations. Most were made using recycled materials.

Merit Certificates

Angela O'Malley ~ For improving her writing through adding detail and thorough use of editing skills.

Katie O'Malley ~ Katie has been working very hard during mathematics lessons and her enthusiasm is lovely to see!

Nigel Reid ~ For his enthusiastic greetings each morning and his willingness to offer assistance to anyone who requires it.

Hemi Sellenger ~ Hemi is a sensible and reliable member of the class. She has made a big effort to improve her writing skills of numbers and letters.

CONGRATULATIONS!

CHOOSE RESPECT
RESPECT IS TO TREAT WITH CARE AND CONSIDERATION



Above: Hemi, Katie, Angela and Nigel

School Photos

A reminder that **school photographs** will be taken next **Thursday 14th June**. Photos need to be paid for on the day (cash or Credit Card details paid direct to Fotoworks).

Please ensure that your child wears full school uniform on the day.

Story Time K/PP

Developing a love of reading early ensures that it is more likely to become a life-long habit. Below is a scene from the K/PP room last week.



Above: Jacob, Ruby, Cedar, Alby, Charlie-Anne enjoying a book reading by Sarah.

Story Time Years 4/5/6

The year 4/5/6 class heard an excerpt from “George’s Marvellous Medicine” by Roald Dahl. They then drew Grandma, one of the main characters and used adjectives to describe her.



Right: Tayler’s fabulous grandma portrait.

Experimental Learning at the Early Childhood Centre



Left: The junior students investigate wheels and axles. The students made the wheels and axles and then compared and investigated where they tracked.

We Wore Red for “Firies” (and don’t we all look fabulous!)



Above: Ayden, Cameron, Cowen, Nigel and Mr Crane proudly wear their Volunteer Fire Brigade uniform.



Above: What a bright group!

Thank you for your support parents \$50.00 was raised for the **Volunteer Fire Brigade**. We thank the “firies” for keeping us safe.

Our Environmental Shed



Last week we had the concrete pour. Today the crew arrived and the shed is being erected.

We are exciting that this shed will be an “outdoor” classroom that will further enhance our environmental programme.

Dirt Matters

There was a frenetic level of activity in the environmental area last week as every student in years 2-6 created a mosaic paver. Lots of co-operation and mutual encouragement was necessary in order to carry out this task. We 'recycled' old broken pavers and tiles that have been donated. **Mr Warren** has already installed the pavers as a decorative edge in our mini-golf area.

Isn't it fantastic that our students can see that their creative efforts and hard work are beautifying their school? Thank you **Mr Warren** for thinking of a simple system that enabled this rather ambitious undertaking to be possible and calmly reassuring me that it would work!



Above: Deegan decided that a smiley face would further brighten up our school.



Left: Check out our stunning mosaics!

A Word from the Chaplain

Amazing, awesome, colourful and wow! Are just some of the words that can be used to describe the year 1/2/3 class assembly on Thursday. The catchy lyrics of the 1984 hit song 'Agadoo' transformed Dwellingup Primary into a summer oasis on a very cold winter's day. As the students enthusiastically sang about the lovely beach and the sky and the moon of Hawaii we could almost feel the warmth of the sun and smell the pineapples (okay, I did say almost).

While on the subject of enthusiastic students, In Term 3 and Term 4 I am going to introduce a Lunchtime Club at Dwellingup Primary. The Lunchtime Club will meet every Thursday at lunchtime, to run activities, play games, make craft items and provide support for other students in the school. The purpose of the Lunchtime Club is to have fun and support students who may be sad, lonely, have trouble making friends or are new to the school. I have asked for student volunteers from the Year 4/5/6 students to help run the program and so far I have had a very positive response. I would like to thank all the Year 4/5/6 students for their enthusiasm and great ideas. I am hoping that the Lunchtime Club will provide opportunities for the older students to develop valuable leadership and team building skills as well as empathy, compassion and responsibility. There will be more information soon.

Lisa Ferraro
Chaplain

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!

1, 2, 3 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

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Contact the school OR

9581 0581

peel.pcwa@anglicarewa.org.au

Blankets for the Homeless

It is getting quite cold at night and sadly there are an increasing number of people who are homeless. Please leave any spare blankets / doonas you may have behind the ECE room.



Thank you to **Glynn Hill** for organising this.

Bushfire Cadets

Saturday 16th June

Team Building and camp over at Dare.

Bullsbrook to attend.



Thank you to **Brad Warr** for running this very positive organisation for the youth of Dwellingup. Your efforts are very much appreciated **Brad**.

Community News

Australia's Biggest Morning Tea

A **BIG** thank you to all who supported our Morning Tea on Tuesday **29th May**.

We only had 22 there this year but raised **\$550.35**. A great effort!

W.A. Timber Products also donated **\$500.00** in memory of **Anne and Adam**. Thank you to **Jim Hersey**. Our balance was **\$1 050.35**. Fantastic!

The interesting bottle opener was won by **Lee Shelley**.

Thank you to all who donated to our raffle, **"Blue Wren Café"**, **Vergones' Fruit Stall** and all our locals as usual.

There are so many of you that I won't name in case I miss someone out.

Ireen Allen
Organiser



Drama

Thank you to **Colleen Campbell-Warr** for organising the Thursday night Drama sessions in Dwellingup. Next Thursday the **"Pulse"** circus from Mandurah is coming.



Juniors: 4.30 – 5.30pm

Seniors: 5.30 -7.30pm

Piano, Voice & Music Theory Lessons

All ages and All Levels
(Casual to examination)

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Term fee includes: Nine X 40 minute Music Lessons.

Term fee: \$200.00 plus *initial* \$30.00 for Piano Course and Manuscript book.

Fee payment arrangements available.

Email: sharona.bower@gmail.com for enrolment form.



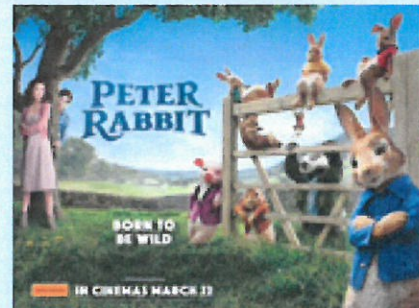
Dwellingup Blue Light Event Movie Night

Friday 22nd June 2018

Dwellingup Community Hall

6pm – 9:30pm

Come in your PJ's with a pillow and blanket and enjoy watching



\$3.50 per child for entry

Sausage Sizzle for sale \$2.50

**Buy a combo deal at the door for
\$5.00(includes entry ticket and hot dog)**

**Drinks, lollies and popcorn also available for
purchase**