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"Choose Respect"

Dates to Remember:

Tues 27th Oct: Parent Info Night PSHS
Fri 30th Oct: **Wear Red for 'Firies'**
Fri 30th Oct: **Halloween Disco**
Mon 2nd Nov: Year 6 Robyn Clarke lunch
Tues 3rd Nov: K/PP Excursion Alcoa
Wed 4th Nov: Author Visit PP-2
Wed 4th Nov: Years 1-6 Fire Brigade Excursion
Thurs 5th Nov: Years 1/2/3 Assembly
Fri 6th Nov: **SCHOOL DEV DAY (no school)**
Mon 9th – Fri 13th Nov: Year 6 camp
Fri 13th Nov: World Kindness Day
Mon 16th – Fri 20th Nov: Swimming Week
Thurs 26th Nov: Years 4/5/6 Assembly
Fri 27th Nov: Trees Adventure & School Picnic (K-6)
Mon 1st Dec: Kindy Transition
Thurs 10th, Fri 11th Dec: Transition Days Pinjarra SHS
Sat 12th Dec: **Dwellingup Community Christmas Tree**
Tues 15th Dec: Presentation / Graduation 9.30am
Wed 16th Dec: Reports home
Wed 16th Dec: Year 6 Graduation Dinner
Thurs 17th Dec: Last day. Fire Brigade Hose Down!

Weekly Events at D.P.S.

Mon: Playgroup 9.00-11.00am (note change of day)

Educational Websites at DPS:

www.mathletics.com.au
www.studyladder.com.au
www.mylexile.com.au

K / PP Assembly

This term the kindy / pre-primary students are going to be out and about discovering more about their wonderful community. Last Wednesday the students were given a guided tour of the Dwellingup Volunteer Fire Brigade by

volunteers **Brad Warr, Ben Armstrong, Shivanagh Campbell-Warr and Jarron Vanelst.** On Thursday the K / PP students enjoyed describing their proposed adventures to us all. We all loved the tapping sticks accompanying the song **"Australia"**.



Merit Certificates

Ruby Day ~ For constantly producing amazing work in all subjects. Ruby tries her hardest to complete the best work that she can do.

Anne-Elise Douglas ~ Always being a thoughtful and caring class member. Anne-Elise is always a pleasure to teach.

Lucas Swiderski ~ For producing fabulous work every day! Lucas, we are all so proud of you!

Amiee Tovey ~ For her amazing work in Maths. Amiee has applied herself fantastically this semester and has shown great improvement.

CONGRATULATIONS!

CHOOSE RESPECT
 RESPECT IS TO TREAT WITH CARE AND CONSIDERATION



In Term Swimming Reminder

In term swimming will be held at the Waroona Recreation Centre from **Mon 16th – Fri 20th November**. The cost is \$50.00.

Author Visit ~ Raewyn Caisley

Last week the **Shire of Murray** organised for author **Raewyn Caisley** to visit our school. Students in years 3 and 4 enjoyed a story, and participated in a workshop about their special place. Below is **Anne-Elise's** beautiful piece of writing about her Nan.



MY PLACE

*The air is smooth and soft.
The light is nice and bright.
I feel warm and comfy.
I can smell chocolate cake from the oven.
I see trees and I can hear birds singing.
I give my Nan a huge hug.
"I love you, Nan."*

Thank You Anthony

Thank you to **Anthony Cocivera** for donating tomato plants to our school for our vegetable garden. We are very grateful for your generosity Anthony and look forward to a bountiful harvest!



Dump Trucks ~ Red Stickered!

Some of the Early Childhood dump trucks are 'unroadworthy'. **Mrs Bell** is holding her annual plant sale and funds raised will go toward upgrading them. Visit the **Early Childhood Building** before school and pick up some fantastic bargains and beautify your garden. Plants on sale include **strawberries, Bromeliads, orchids, grapevines, succulents and heaps more.**



"Containers for Change"

Containers for Change is WA's new state-wide container deposit scheme.

Our school has received a large collection bin and all funds raised from containers will go to the school.

Please place your containers in the yellow top bins at the Church Street gate nearest to the main road. (We will place your containers in the skip bin we have been provided with.) We have not placed this out the front as people (we're sure it's not locals), place rubbish in our bins and we're worried it will get filled up!

✓ ELIGIBLE CONTAINERS



Welcome Evelynn and Family

We welcome **Evelynn Evans** to our school and her brother **Rhylic** and parents **Elsie and Josh** to our community.



“Talk for Writing”

This is the second chapter of **Farrah Holster’s** story titled, “**A Journey to Lipton**”. If you missed The story has been written in six chapters so it will be published over the next six weeks in serial form.

Chapter 2. Through the Tea Cup Door

Walking through the door Forrest glanced at the sides of the dirt tunnel walls. Suddenly he tripped and lost balance, “Arrrrhhhh!” he shouted as he fell down a deep hole still clutching the bag. “Oof,” hitting the bottom. Surprisingly the bag starts shaking around in his hand. Dropping it in confusion, the broken pieces of the emerald ceramic float out of the bag and start to come together to form a repaired tea set. Startled, Forrest scoots backwards on his heels and hands scuffling to get to his feet. Once fully repaired the tea set flew off down the torch lit tunnel. “Hey wait, come back!” he yelled as he grabbed at the handle of one of the tea cups just in time.

Racing speedily down the tunnel, his legs dangling behind him, Forrest daren’t look down and daren’t let go for he didn’t know how deep the tunnel was. Every now and then he saw another tunnel veering off to the right or the left or another door shaped as a cake fork, tea spoon, butter knife, or a saucer and there was even one shaped like a tea pot.

Coming to the end of the tunnel the light got more blinding until ‘woosh!’ He exited the tunnel into the bright light of the land of Lipton just as a giant tea cup flew past him. Zooming along in the tea cup was a lady and a man the size of a small adult. The lady was dressed in a long floral tea dress with a lace collar and trims and buttons down the back.

She wore a large bonnet on her head that tied with a bow under her chin. The man was dressed in a smart velveteen suit with puffed sleeves, shirt with large pointed collar, vest, lace cravat and a topper with a red ribbon waving in the breeze.

Forrest looked around and discovered that this was the standard form of dress. The tea cup gave a sudden jolt and Forrest realized that it was pulling towards another empty tea cup. Forrest leapt into it and hitched a ride. He found himself gripping onto the side of the cup with white knuckles only daring to peak over the edge because the cup was going so fast that it felt like a fair ride. ‘I’m going to puke,’ mumbled Forrest.

Boomppff... the tea cup came to a sudden halt and Forrest was forced backwards. He was still clutching the emerald tea cup, his index finger poking through the delicate handle. Forrest looked around and he could see people almost everywhere having high teas, but they were all so miserable looking. It appeared their tea wasn’t steaming hot and delicious, it was luke warm, their cucumber sandwiches were a bit unappetizing and somewhat limp, their stale scones looked dry and hard and their jam biscuits seemed out of date and tacky.

The tea cup started to move again, swinging to the left and then back to the right as if trying to decide which way to take. It decided which way it was going to travel, which was straight forward, and took off at a great pace.

To be continued ...

Year 6 Camp ~ Thank You Renae and Cowen

Thank you to **Renae and Cowen Armstrong** for organising a raffle to raise funds for the year 6 camp. Thank you to the **Forest Discovery Centre** for donating a voucher, "**Hive Whole Foods**" for donating honey and foods, **Vergones** for donating an enormous fruit box and **Longriders** for donating a pizza voucher.

Raffle tickets are available from the front office and from the General Store next Saturday.

Thanks also to **Renae** for providing information regarding a grant source. We thank the **Dwellingup Sporting Association** for donating \$800.



Above: Cowen and Aiden outside the General Store.

Variety Bash ~ P & C Fundraiser

The **Variety Club** held a car run recently and Dwellingup was one of their stops. The P & C provided a delicious breakfast at the school for all of the drivers and crew. This charity raises money for children. The range of interesting cars (and interestingly dressed drivers) was impressive.!



Above: The "Pilbara Princess"



Above: The colourful crowd.

Thank you to **Lee, Laine, Kaiden and Anika Vanelst, Cliff Campbell, Warren Haugh, Pam and John Laird.**

Playgroup News

Dwellingup Playgroup is a small but friendly group.

Monday

9.00-11.00am

**Room behind school
Undercover Area**

ALL WELCOME!



Dwellingup Community Christmas Tree

Saturday 12th December

Dwellingup Primary School

*** Please place your name and \$10 payment for each child on the form in the Post Office (thanks Glen).**

***Donations for the raffle are gratefully accepted. Please drop these off at the school.**



OPEN STATION



COME DOWN TO THE FIRE SHED AND MEET OUR FCO AND BFB OFFICERS, WHO CAN ANSWER QUESTIONS AND FOLLOW UP FROM OUR 5 MINUTE FIRE CHAT! POP IN ANY TIME BETWEEN 5PM-7PM AND HAVE A CHAT ABOUT YOUR PLAN FOR THE UPCOMING FIRE SEASON



**DWELLINGUP
BUSHFIRE
BRIGADE**

5PM-7PM

NOVEMBER 11TH 2020

WALK IN SESSION

Friday October 30th
5.30pm-8.30pm
Dwellingup Community Hall
\$5 includes Hot Dogs and Chips

HALLOWEEN DISCO

