



**Produced by Dwellingup Primary School**

**May 14<sup>th</sup> 2021**

*Established 1911*

**"Choose Respect"**

Dates to Remember:

**Tues 11<sup>th</sup> – Fri 21<sup>st</sup> May:** NAPLAN Years 3 & 5

**Wed 19<sup>th</sup> May:** P&C Toastie Lunch

**Wed 19<sup>th</sup> May:** Community Christmas Tree Meeting 3.30pm All welcome.

**Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> May:** P & C Meeting 9.00am

**Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> May:** Years 1/2/3 Assembly

**Wed 26<sup>th</sup> May:** Australia's Biggest Morning Tea (cancer research) RSL Hall 10.00am

**Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> Jun:** K/PP Assembly

**Fri 4<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Pupil Free Day

**Mon 7<sup>th</sup> Jun:** W.A. Day Holiday

**Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Interschool Cross Country ~ Jarrahdale

**Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Year 6 Parliament House Lunch (group 1)

**Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> Jun:** Year 6 Parliament House Lunch (group 2)

**Thurs 1<sup>st</sup> :** Room 4 Assembly

**Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> Jul:** Term 2 ends.

**Mon 19<sup>th</sup> July:** Term 3 commences.

- Please note assembly date changes.

## **"Choose Respect" Marble in the Jar Certificates**

*Bronte Alers* ~ Putting a lot of effort into writing and continuing to make pleasing gains as a result.

*Lily Hanstrum* ~ Working consistently well and always completing her work in the time allocated.

*Rohan Harris* ~ Being inclusive and kind during a game at lunchtime.

*Jake Johnson* ~ Demonstrating a positive attitude about settling into his new school.

*Year 3s & Year 5s* ~ Putting in their best effort when completing their NAPLAN tests.

## **CONGRATULATIONS!**

**CHOOSE RESPECT**  
RESPECT IS TO TREAT WITH CARE AND CONSIDERATION

**Weekly Events at D.P.S.**

**Wed:** Playgroup 9.00-11.00am

**Educational Websites at DPS:**

[www.mathletics.com.au](http://www.mathletics.com.au)

[www.studyladder.com.au](http://www.studyladder.com.au)

[www.mylexile.com.au](http://www.mylexile.com.au)

## **Brrr.. It's Cold!**

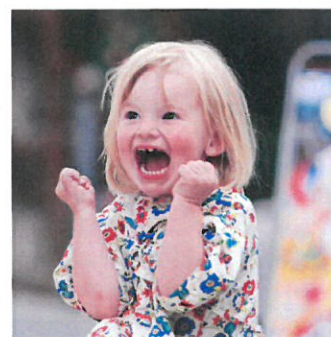
Winter is rapidly approaching and mornings and evenings are definitely chilly. Please ensure that your child arrives at school with a jacket / jumper. It gets tricky when students arrive in a T-shirt and others have a warm jumper on. During breaks students need to go outside and its cold! Wearing warm clothes is an easy way to be environmentally friendly. Please ensure that the jumper / jacket is school uniform.

## **Virtue: Enthusiasm**

*"I am full of enthusiasm. I look on the bright side. I give 100% to whatever I do. I use my imagination. I think that every day is full of potential positives."*

You are practising enthusiasm when you...

- Let yourself enjoy looking forward to something.
- Think of imaginative ways to get things done.
- Put 100% effort into all tasks.
- Smile, laugh and enjoy life.
- Look for what is wonderful about life.
- Are positive.





## Recycling / Garden Project

Students in years 4/5/6 recently revamped the 'MUSIC' letters that were on the side of the Playgroup room. **Mrs Warren** prepared the letters by sanding off the old glue and repainting them. The students then recycled plastic lids by gluing them onto each letter. Next, **Mr Warren** will reattach them to the wall. Thank you to **Mr and Mrs Warren** for all of their help with this project.



*Left: Amiee, Deegan and Lincoln.*



*Right: Hemi, Tyler and Karly.*



*Above: What????? Below: What a relief! These students can spell after all!*



## Weed Wattles???

Students in year 4 have been learning about Australian plants and animals. Today they learned these facts about wattles.

- The wattle is Australia's floral emblem.
- There are over 1210 species of wattle in Australia and new species are still being discovered.
- The botanical name for wattle is Acacia Street and Nate and Deegan live in Acacia Street.
- There are only about 3 species of naturally occurring wattles in our jarrah forest.
- There are more than 3 species of wattle in the jarrah forest now as some species from elsewhere have been 'introduced'.
- As these wattles are an 'invasive species' they can compete with other plants in the jarrah forest.
- The black wattle is regarded as one of the most invasive species in the world.

*Right: The class identified some Queensland silver wattle in our bushland at the back of the school. Other weed wattles identified were the Flinders Range wattle from South Australia and the black wattle from south-eastern Australia.*



## Cross Country

On **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> June** selected students will participate in the **Interschool Cross Country** at Jarrahdale. We are commencing training at 8.50 am every morning. We start this Wednesday. If your child is interested, supervision will be provided from 8.30 am onwards. Younger children should be delivered to the top playground where a member of staff will be in attendance.





## Hub Caps Wanted

If anyone has any old hub caps, students in years 4/5/6 are keen to 'recycle' these to make some fabulous flowers like the ones pictured. Please contact Colleen Sing on 0488 225 888 if you can help.



## P & C News

### Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> May: Toastie Lunch

Please be reminded that there is a "Toastie Lunch" this Wednesday. Order forms have been sent home. Please contact **Dawn Bosanac** on 9538 5100 if you require a form.

**NEXT MEETING:**

**THURSDAY 20<sup>th</sup> MAY**  
**9.00am**

**ALL WELCOME**

## Community News

### **Dwellingup Bush Riders**

The "Dwellingup Bush Riders" are a keen group of riders who meet every Saturday morning with the aim of getting out and about to explore the many bike trails around Dwellingup.

The rides culminate in the group participating in the 'Dwellingup 100' 14 km event that is held this year on **Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> September**. The group operates under the auspices of the **Dwellingup Community Compact** as they are able to offer Public Liability insurance.

We were very pleased with the number of riders who attended our first ride on Saturday. We welcomed **Kai Douglas** on his first ride (on a carrier seat with mum). **EVERYONE IS WELCOME!** (Ages under 12 months in carrier seats to over 70!) Contact **Colleen Sing** on 0488 225 888 for more information.

## Australia's Biggest Morning Tea

**Wed 26<sup>th</sup> May**  
**10.00am**  
**Dwellingup RSL Hall**  
**\$5.00 entry**



Door prizes and raffles.

Bring along your favourite shoe or boot (ornament or real) to be judged. There will be different categories eg Most Outrageous, Most Comfortable etc

A plate of morning tea to share would be appreciated.

**Join us for a morning of fun, tea and great food. All proceeds go to the Cancer Council.**

**All welcome! Hope to see you there.**  
**Host: Ireen 0427 313 178**

## Playgroup

Playgroup is held at the school on:

**Wednesday**  
**9.00am**

If you are interested in attending please contact **Colleen Sing** on **9538 5100 or 0488 225 888**.

If you know of any new comers to town with young children, please invite me or let me know.



**ALL WELCOME!**

## Dwellingup Community Christmas Tree

A meeting will be held to discuss arrangements for the annual Community Christmas Tree. This event is for all children / families in the community and is a long standing Dwellingup tradition.



**Dwellingup Community Hotel Dining Room**  
**3.30pm**  
**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> May**