

#### **Produced by Dwellingup Primary School**

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Established 1911

"Choose Respect"

Dates to Remember:

Wed 28th Jul: Visit by Olympian

Wed 4th Aug: Indonesian Culture Day Yrs 3 - 6

Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> Aug: Yrs 4/5/6 Assembly Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Aug: Author Visit Yrs 4 – 6 Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Aug: Book Character Dress Up Thurs 26<sup>th</sup> Aug: Yrs 1/2/3 Assembly Sat 4<sup>th</sup> Sept: Fathers' Day BBQ Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> Sept: K / PP Assembly Fri 10<sup>th</sup> Sept: SCHOOL PHOTOS

Fri 24th Sept: Term 3 ends

Weekly Events at D.P.S.

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

#### **Educational Websites at DPS:**

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

#### **Welcome Alby and Otis**

We welcome Alby (year 3) and Otis (year 1) to our school. We also welcome their parents Edith and Thomas to the school and wider community. Alby and Otis are friendly and kind and we are all very happy that they are at our school.



#### **Virtue: Honour**

"I am honourable. I keep my agreements and treat others with respect. I care about doing the right thing. Principles and values guide my actions."

You are practising honour when you...

- Keep your word.
- Respect the rules and standards that you want to live by.
- Do what you believe is right no matter what.
- Stand up for what you believe in.
- Set a good example to others.
- Avoid doing things that make you feel ashamed.
- Don't excuse your actions because someone else has done something wrong.

# **School Photos**

School photos will be taken on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> Sept. The usual range of options will be available (individual, siblings and class).

Packages start from around \$30.00. Information and order forms will go out closer to the date.

# **Long Service Leave**

This week (Mon 26<sup>th</sup> July until Fri 30<sup>th</sup> Jul), I will be out of the school on Long Service Leave.

Sue Lacey and Lucy Miles will be undertaking my teaching load. (Mon – Wed). Nola Kinal is Teacher-In Charge in my absence. Please direct any queries to Nola, Dawn Bosanac or phone me on 0488 225 888.

## "Choose Respect" Marble in the Jar Certificates

Alby Hughes ~ Settling in to her new school quickly and positively.

Otis Hughes~ Settling in to his new school quickly and positively.

Alby Birmingham ~ Always using superb manners.

Lincoln Douglas ~ Being extremely stoic despite having a broken leg.

Dorris Lea aetala ~ Being a caring big sister.

Lotu Fotofili ~ Being a caring big brother.

**Bodhi Maddox-Collins** ~ Demonstrating a positive attitude to his learning.

Ruben Morales ~ Being responsible and trustworthy.

# **CONGRATULATIONS!**



#### **Our Beautiful Garden**

It is wonderful that we have such a gorgeous garden and even in the middle of winter there are

flowers to brighten up our days.

# Frank Spear ~ Visiting Cartoonist

On Wednesday, Dwellingup resident Frank Spear visited the year 4/5/6 class and delivered a very interesting talk about his 25 year career as a cartoonist / card designer. Mr Spear showed the students his amazing drawings and demonstrated cartoon techniques. Students learned that to get inspiration for cartoons you can write two lists of words and make associations between the two, keep a sketch book with you and record funny situations that you may see and try to see the funny side of life. They also learned about pixels (dots per inch) and that the main colours used in printing are cyan, magenta, yellow and black. Students were invited to complete a cartoon to illustrate a joke.

We thank Mr Spear for giving up his time to provide this stimulating and educational talk to our students.

# Interesting Fact: Mr Spear is President of the Dwellingup RSL.



Above: Ruben, Yosef, Evelynn, Hemi and Eve were very impressed with Mr Spear's art work.

Right: Mr Spear with his impressive cartoon that includes the Birdsville Pub.





#### P & C Dav

From the Director General, Lisa Rodgers...

"While teachers are the most powerful influences on learning at school, parents and caregivers come first in terms of impact. As a child's first teacher, they set the pre-conditions for quality teaching to have the desired effect.

Parents and caregivers are at the heart of our schools and this week we celebrate our Parents and Citizens Association (P&C) Day.

The role of our P&Cs is vital. I am so grateful for everything they do to support your work whether that be fund-raising, supporting learning, or implementing significant school projects.

I'll be at a school on Friday, and I am looking forward to celebrating P&C Day WA with them. This year is also particularly special as not only is it our fourth WA P&C day, but it also coincides with the Centenary of WACSSO."

Over the years the P & C has supported the students in the school to a significant extent. We thank our current P & C for their commitment and dedication. This year the P & C Executive combined with the Boddington DHS to complete training. Our 2021 executive is as follows:

President: Christine Reid Vice President: Lucy Miles Secretary: Kelly Campbell Treasurer: Pam Laird

To celebrate P & C Day students wore free dress and brought a gold coin donation. The donation was to express students' appreciation for all of the great things that the P & C provide for them.

\$63.50 was donated.





Money raised was used to provide a delicious afternoon tea for parents. Thank you also to parents who brought along a plate to share. Parents and children had a fantastic time. Thank you to Christine Reid for organising the event and thanks to those parents who came along.

All parents and citizens are welcome to attend meetings. Thank you to parents who attend the meetings and support events.

#### **Olympian Visit**

It is very exciting that the Tokyo Olympic games commenced on Friday. Next Wednesday 28th

July, former gold medal winning Olympian, Peter Dawson will talk to students in years PP – 6. Hopefully we will get to see his medals, including his gold medal!



### COVID ~ Sharing Food Reminder

A reminder that due to COVID restrictions, food for sharing including cup-cakes etc for birthdays cannot be provided.

#### **Cash for Cans**



Above: Jake, Lucas, Tyler & Deegan

Students were very busy this week sorting cans from our town collection points after the holidays. We are very grateful that people are dropping cans off at the bottom shed.

# **Playgroup News**

Playgroup is held at the school on:

Thursday (note change of day) 9.00am



Thanks to the parents who are supporting this and to **Shelley Coxon** who is doing such a competent and fuss-free job of running the Playgroup.

# Community News Before & After School Care

Please note that **Before and After School Care** has commenced at the former Principal's House at Dwellingup Primary School.

Please contract **Andrea on 0421 786 187** if you interested in accessing this service for your children or if you require further information.

#### **Dwellingup Bush Riders**

We were very impressed with the number of young riders who participated in the ride this Saturday. This week we welcomed first time rider Macy Rickard-Hall. Macy joined her friends Jackson, Byron and Arlo. We were very impressed that Macy who is in year 1, happily completed a 12 km ride! We welcomed back Oliver, James and Sophia Iseppe and their dad Jamie. Well-done to all of our riders.

# 9.00 am – 11.00am (approximately) Every Saturday Waypoint Café

Contact Colleen Sing on 0488 225 888 for more information.

All welcome!

# Dwellingup Community Village Inc (former Nursing Post)

Please support the following services that are available at the **Dwellingup Community Village** each week:

**HAIRDRESSER:** Wednesdays

Bookings essential: 0439 746 183

**REFLEXOLOGIST:** Every four weeks.

Bookings essential: Tess 0417 955

# School Web Page

Our web address is:

https://www.dwellingupps.wa.edu.au/