



School Newsletter

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# DEANMORE PRIMARY

## An Independent Public School

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School Details	School Hours:	Canteen Days	Dental Clinic
21 Deanmore Road, Karrinyup WA 6018 <b>Phone:</b> 9341 1610 <b>Fax:</b> 9245 2405	<b>Start</b> 8.50am <b>Recess</b> 11.00-11.20am <b>Lunch</b> 12.20-1.00pm <b>Finish</b> 3.00pm	Wed, Thurs, Fri Phone: 0409 618 759  Canteen Volunteers Coordinator Yvette McBain	Phone: 9245 2664 Operated on Deanmore Primary School site.

### School Board 2016

George Craig  
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### P&C Committee

**President:** Troy Vukojevich  
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### P&C Newsletter Contact

Louisa Walker 0412 076 662

**School Banking**  
Undercover Area  
Thursday at 8:15am

### Second-Hand Uniforms

Fridays 8.15am – 8.45am  
**Karin Hunt** 0412 112 987

### New Uniform Sales

Tuesdays 8.15am – 9.00am

This week we had a **new automated siren** installed at the school. This was installed on Wednesday and operated for the first time on Thursday. Instead of the siren we have a chime that can be heard in every classroom as well as throughout all playground areas. While the new siren was being installed we also had speakers placed around the school so any and all messages can be heard if students and staff are outside of their classrooms. Hopefully there will not be any more teething problems.

Soon the **City of Stirling will be pruning some trees** near the school's fence line. Some of the branches are over-hanging the fence, buildings and or play areas. This poses a potential risk (although remote) so the City of Stirling is cleaning this up. We will also have some pruning done on the large Tuart tree out the front of our staffroom and near Room 17 (Mrs Smith's demountable). This has been inspected and although it looks very unwell it is actually structurally sound. The dying of the leaves is actually being caused by bugs laying their eggs. The gardeners will place some repellent during the holidays and hopefully this will improve the tree.

Soon there will be **internal fencing placed around the farm**. This will enable the Pre-Primary students to use this area as part of their learning program and during their recess and lunch breaks. The gates within this fencing will be self-closing but will be kept open until 9:15am and after 2:30pm (the same as the main gates). Although the farm will be used predominately by the Pre-Primary and Kindy classes it will still be available to all classes throughout the school. There are a few students who enjoy going into the farm during recess and lunch and they will still be permitted to do so.

Currently we are looking at our **school's newsletter**, its format and the information that it contains. The newsletter is one of the main vehicles for dissemination of information to our parents. Because of this we would like parents to provide us with some information relating to what you would like contained in the newsletter, how often it is sent out, its overall purpose (e.g. providing information relating to how to help your child learn, tips for homework/English/Math etc. etc.) and what you currently like/don't like. There is a small slip that parents can return to the school over the next couple of weeks.

I hope that everyone has a very relaxing and refreshing long weekend.

**Mr George Craig**  
Principal

## A WORD FROM THE DEPUTY

### Reports

The children's Semester 1 report cards will be distributed in the last week of term. Please inform the school if you need two copies of the report due to family situations. Parents are encouraged to regularly meet with the class teacher to discuss your child's educational progress.

### Stranger Danger

Please discuss personal safety with your children and remind them of the safety tips previously published.

### Tell A Teacher

It is important that your children tell a teacher immediately if they feel that another child is being mean to them or if anyone or anything makes them feel unsafe.

### Western Australia Day

Western Australia Day is celebrated next week. You can find further information at: [www.timeanddate.com/holidays/australia/foundation-day](http://www.timeanddate.com/holidays/australia/foundation-day).

### Times Table Champions

Congratulations to Room 3 children who are this week's time table champions. The entire class achieved 100% on the activity.

### Attendance Champions

Well done to the Room 9 children who are this week's attendance champions.

### Faction Points

Children continue to gain faction points for good behaviour in the classroom and in the playground. The current total can be seen below:

Blue	881
Red	840
Gold	1041
Green	838

Greg Downes  
Deputy Principal

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Kindergarten 2017  
Parent Information Session

Applications for admission to Kindergarten in 2017 are now open and close on Friday 5th August 2016.

We will be holding a parent information session to provide an insight into the program we offer our wonderful students.

We welcome all interested parents/guardians to join us and discuss your child's enrolment.

Applications will be available for collection on the day or can be collected anytime until the 5th August, from the school office.

#### Where

Deanmore Primary School Library

#### When

9:30am – Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> June 2016

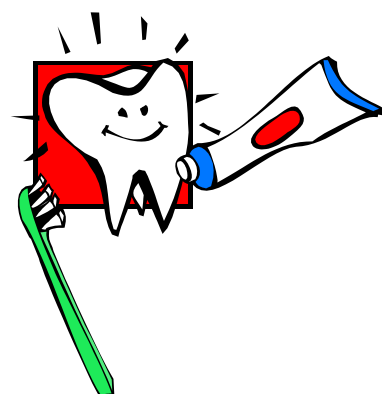
For further information contact the school on 9341 1610 or via email at [Deanmore.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Deanmore.ps@education.wa.edu.au)

### Deanmore Dental Therapy Centre will be closed:



4th July 2015 to 15th July 2016

For Emergencies during clinic hours please contact:

Swanbourne Primary School  
Dental Therapy Clinic  
Ph: 9384 0855



# Important Dates

<b>6th June</b>  Western Australia Day Public Holiday				<b>10th</b>  Assembly Year 4 Room 18  Eagles Cup Deanmore v's Doubleview  Book Fair
<b>13th</b>  UNSW Testing Writing  Book Fair  	<b>14th</b>  UNSW Testing Writing  Book Fair  	<b>15th</b>  UNSW Testing Writing  Book Fair  UNSW Testing Spelling	<b>16th</b>  UNSW Testing Writing	<b>17th</b>  UNSW Testing Writing  Assembly Year 6 Room 2  Room 7 Excursion  Deanmore Dads Colour Run



**FOOD  
REVOLUTION**  
#FOODREVOLUTION

On Friday May 13<sup>th</sup> students from Year 1 – 6 participated in a hands on learning experience to celebrate the global Food Revolution Day campaign. The lessons were designed to highlight the differences between good and bad breakfast choices. Students were amazed and shocked at just how much sugar was added to a serve of some of their favourite breakfast cereals.



Food Revolution Day Perth Ambassadors Julie Meek and Elisha Kington then lead students in a activity where a healthy alternative 'Breakfast Parfait' was prepared. Feedback from school community has been very positive and many children have approached me to tell me the recipe is now a regular on their breakfast menus.

I would like to thank Julie, Elisha and their team of volunteers who made this event run smoothly and the P and C for donating money to cover the cost of the ingredients.

Information about the Food Revolution Day campaign can be found at: <http://www.jamiesfoodrevolution.org/>



## Newsletter Survey

What do you like about the current newsletter? \_\_\_\_\_

What don't you like about the current newsletter? \_\_\_\_\_

How often do you think the newsletter should be sent? \_\_\_\_\_

What type of information would you be interested in having in the newsletter? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return by 17th June 2016.**

# CLASSROOM SNAPSHOTS



"Room 10 were fabulous with their Seasons assembly. Well done everyone!"

## Year 6 Healthy Heart, Blood & Circulation Incursion

On Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May, David Coall from Edith Cowan University visited Deanmore Primary to teach both Year 6 classes all about the heart. Students learnt about how the heart functions, why it beats, how many beats their own heart makes every minute and what blood cells look like under the microscope. Several interactive models were made available to assist understanding. The incursion was a follow up to 'Walk to school day' and 'Healthy Breakfast'.





# P&C News

We're fundraising with *entertainment*

Still just **\$65** giving you over \$20,000 of value!

ORDER NOW FOR EARLY BIRD OFFERS

FOLLOW THIS LINK TO ORDER YOURS NOW!!!!

<https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/834101>

Deanmore Dads

You're invited to  
**the Deanmore Dads DASH**

**Friday 17th June 2016,**  
**1.20pm – 3.00pm**  
Deanmore Primary School Oval

**\$10 for first child, \$5 per subsequent child/parent participant**  
Parents / Grandparents / Relatives etc welcome to participate  
Sausage Sizzle included in entrance fee

**volunteers RSVP asap** <https://www.volunteersignup.org/9XTB8>

This is a P&C Fundraising Event | Consent form to be returned to school prior to event  
Deanmore PS recommends participants wear sunglasses, swimming goggles or similar

**Next P&C Meeting is  
Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June starting promptly at  
7:30pm**

**Concluding around 9pm**

**We look forward to seeing more new faces  
there!**



**Deanmore Primary School P&C Inc** is on Facebook – Like us to keep up to date with events happening at school – it's a great way to remember.

This Fortnight	
Monday 6/6	Public Holiday
Tuesday 7/6	
Wednesday 8/6	
Thursday 9/6	School Banking
Friday 10/6	Assembly Room 18 Book Fair 8.15-9.00am & 2.45-3.45pm
Saturday 11/6	
Sunday 12/6	
Monday 13/6	Book Fair 8.15-9.00am
Tuesday 14/6	Book Fair 2.45-3.45
Wednesday 15/6	Book Fair 8.15-9.30am
Thursday 16/6	School Banking
Friday 17/6	Assembly Room 2 The Deanmore Dad's Dash 1.20-3.00pm
Saturday 18/6	
Sunday 19/6	



**Thank You to the P&C from all Deanmore Netball Girls we love our netball tops.**



*Dates for your Diary:*

- Book Fair Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June and Monday 13<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> finishing morning of Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June.
- **The Deanmore Dad's Dash** on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June on the school oval 1.20-3.00pm.
- Sausage Sizzle Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June – last week of Term 2.

## CANTEEN CAPERS

The roster for **volunteers** is bare have a look in your diaries and see when you can help. The canteen is open every Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Please add your name to roster now you can volunteer on [www.ouronlinecanteen.com.au](http://www.ouronlinecanteen.com.au) or [pjmcbain@bigpond.com](mailto:pjmcbain@bigpond.com) or 0409 618 759

Thanks Yvette.

