# **DEANMORE PRIMARY**

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## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

NAPLAN has come and gone for another year. For those children and families who experienced these assessments for the first time now know that it isn't as stressful as some may have believed. What was pleasing was the effort that each and every child made over the week. All that we asked was that they tried their best and gave every question a go. The school will receive NAPLAN data and individual reports later in Term 3. Individual child reports will be sent home to parents as soon as we receive them.

#### **SEMESTER 1 STUDENT REPORTS**

Student reports (Pre-Primary to Year 6) will be sent home electronically once again. It is important that parent and carer email details are up to date to ensure that reports will be received. When your child's report arrives, the link provided is only live for 2 weeks. You will need to download the report within that 2 week time frame. If you are unsure whether your email details are correct please contact our front office staff.

#### **BIENNIAL PARENT SURVEYS**

Every two (2) years Government schools are required to survey their parent community. Currently the School, in consultation with the School Board, is developing the 2018 parent survey. These will be made "live" during Term 3. In 2016, 47 parents completed the online, anonymous survey. This year we would like a minimum of 100 parents complete the survey. This will ensure that we capture the views of a large proportion of our parent body. We will notify parents when the surveys open and close at a later date.

#### **GRAPHIC DESIGN WORK**

The school is looking to have some graphic design work for signage, logos and other projects around the grounds. Before I look at hiring a company for this work I would like to see if there is a parent at the school who has a graphic design business and is interested. If this is you please make contact with the school.

GEORGE CRAIG PRINCIPAL

Next P&C Parenting Session is on Cyber Safety for Children

Wednesday, 23 May 2018 @ 7.00pm.

All welcome.

#### SCHOOL CARPARKS

The school would appreciate if parents could please avoid parking or using carparks to drop off their children as they are designated for staff use. There have been a number of occasions where staff have been unable to park their cars.

#### HOME READING BOOKS

At Deanmore PS, we endeavour to provide all students with the best resources that help improve and enhance their learning. Over time, the school, along with the P & C, have purchased reading books that are engaging and cater for the learning abilities of all students. Unfortunately, a large number of Home Reading books have appeared to have gone missing, which is making it hard for children to choose appropriately levelled books to take home and practice their reading. Can parents please have a close look around at home in case any school reading books have accidentally not been returned to school? Thank you for your cooperation.



\*\* Spaces available for Term 2 \*\*

Starting to notice your child struggling with emotions or particular behaviours?

Psychologist, Bethany Price from OnPsych has recently joined Deanmore and is here to help! Bethany is a caring and friendly psychologist who works with children experiencing a range of psychological issues, including, but not limited to:

- anxiety
- mood and emotional concerns
- stress from family situations
- classroom difficulties
- behavioural concerns
- self-harm
- interpersonal or social challenges
- Autism Spectrum Disorder
- and more

Each child is supported respectfully and uniquely.

There is NO COST to you, as OnPsych sessions are bulk-billed to Medicare.

If you believe that this might benefit your child, please either contact myself, pick up a parent pack from the front office, or email Bethany over the school holidays via <u>BPrice@onpsych.com.au</u>.

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### **DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

#### SWIMMING LESSONS

Rooms 1, 2 and 21 students will be participating in swimming lessons next week. The Pre-primary students will be offered swimming lessons 10/10/18 to 19/10/18 and the Year 3, 4 and 5 students will be offered in-term swing lessons commencing 3/12/18 and concluding 13/12/18.

#### ASSEMBLY

The next whole school assembly will be presented by the students from Room 10 on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May. All parents and friends are very welcome.

#### ATTENDANCE

Your child's attendance record will appear on their report. At Deanmore Primary School we aim for 100% attendance. However, we understand that children get sick and have to stay home to recuperate. Please encourage regular attendance at school as much as possible with your children.

#### EAGLES CUP

The Eagles cup matches begin Friday the 25<sup>th</sup> May at 1:30pm. Children will play Football, Netball or Soccer against neighbouring schools. Parents are invited to spectate and cheer on the teams. If you would like to help, please see Mr Rodgers.

#### GREG DOWNES DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

		Merit Awards		
		Congratulations!		
Room	1	Kokoda Halliday	Taj Coward	
Room	2	Daymon Hay	George Burge	
Room	3	Lily Drury	Tayla Roux	
Room	4	Sam Killick	Finn Caldwell	
Room	5	Jade Laws	Mia Kiernan-Gibney	
Room	6	Ethan Boucher	Sophie Drakeford	
Room	7	Mia Peck	Josh O'Neill	
Room	8	Jazmin Jones		
Room	9	Patrick Inman	Sophie Strophair	
Room	10	Theo Dharma	Keifer Servatius	
Room	11	Julian Birks	Emily Walker	
Room	12	Josh Walker	Ali Plint	
Room	13	Shaina Britton	Arlo Grochowski	
Room	14	Kate Kobelke	Quinn Brown	
Room	15	Anais Lucas		
Room	17	Bella Hicks	Flynn Negus-Smith	
Room	18	Ellie Reichelt	Max Connelly	
Room	20	Dustin Thomas	Max Gomboc	
Room	21	Archer Pearce	Ella O'Shea	
Science		Zoe Molam		
Sport		Angad Singh Khandpur		
Chinese		Polly Keall	Billy Whittaker	

# **COMING SOON**

Deanmore Primary School will be installing a Money Collection Box outside the school office.

Students will no longer take money or permission forms to their teacher or the office.



Watch this space for more information!



## JOIN US FOR PIRATE DAY FRIDAY AND SUPPORT CHILDHOOD CANCER RESEARCH!

Friday, 8 June is the official date for Pirate Day Friday 2018 and children, parents and staff are invited to come to school dressed in your swashbuckling best, bringing your pirate treasure (gold coin donation).

Every dollar raised through Pirate Day Friday is allocated to scientific studies focused on childhood brain cancer through The Adventurers in Western Australia and The Kids' Cancer Project in all other Australian states and territories.

In 2018, money raised by pirates in Western Australia will go to the Telethon Kids Institute Cancer Centre Brain Tumour Research Program. Funds generated by pirates in all other Australian states and territories will help fund a study lead by Dr Bryan Day at QIMR Berghofer Medical Research Institute with the objective of developing personalised medicine to treat medulloblastoma,

a fast-growing, high-grade brain tumour which most commonly affects children but can affect adults too.



**P&C News** 

The next **P&C Meeting** is on Monday the **28th of May** @ **7.30pm** in the staff room. All are welcome. Like us on Facebook www.facebook.com/deanmorepandc

**The canteen** is open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and is always looking for volunteers to help out (mostly on Fridays - the busiest morning). You can stay the whole morning or even just pop in for a cuppa and a chat and help out for an hour. Add your name to the roster by the canteen window in the undercover area, or contact Yvette on canteenvolunteers@deanmorepandc.org.au

The canteen is run by the P&C as a service and is not for profit, so get your orders in to help support it. It's regulated by WACSSO (Western Australian Council of State School Organisations) to make sure your child is being offered healthy choices.

Entertainment books are here! Please order through the link or email kayechapman@yahoo. co.uk \$14 from every book goes back to our school! http://www. entertainmentbook.com. au/orderbooks/834101



The Deanmore Dads are catching up on: Wednesday 6th of June @ 7.30pm at the Scarborough Sportmen's Club. Save the date for the **School disco** coming Friday the 15th of June. More info to follow soon.

## P&C Update

We are well into the second term! Even though it's a short one - there is a lot to look forward to. The P&C is committed to enhancing the communication between the school, teachers and parents. Recently, we invested in the Skoolbag app that will provide a smart phone app for messages from P&C and School admin. This application, provides many features that we are still exploring. There is still a lot of preparation work to do, but it's our intention to pilot it before the end of the term.

In addition to rolling out of the Skoolbag application, Mr Craig has asked P&C's support on forming a subcommittee for a Senior Nature Play zone and funding teaching resource requirements to support numeracy and literacy.

Thanks to fundraising efforts, we are delighted to be able to renew Reading Eggs and Mathletics for 2018. This is approximately \$12,000 of funding and is an important part of the teaching program.

Kaye is in the process of finalising the Disco for this term. It was loads of fun last year. As soon as the date is confirmed, P&C will start advertising – get those dancing shoes ready!

Finally, Lisa has arranged for Asterisk Information Security to present a talk on Cyber Safety on Wednesday 23rd of May. Given the risks that lurk online, its important that parents are aware of the dangers and learn about protecting our kids online. Entrance will be a gold coin donation – please register your interest on Eventbrite https://www. eventbrite.com.au/e/deanmore-primary-school-pc-cyber-safety-tickets-46073432878 I would love to welcome more parents to the P&C. Please join us for the next meeting on the 28th of May!

Steve Schupp P&C President



## WARWICK SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

An Independent Public School Governor's School STEAM Award- Meritorious Leadership

### YEAR 6 SPECIALIST AND SCHOOL BASED PROGRAM TRIALS & TESTING: TUESDAY MAY 22, 2018

Academic Extension: 8:45 – 9:45 am Warwick SHS Library, meet on school front lawn. Please bring pens, pencil and eraser

Dance Elite Program: 9:45 – 10:50 am Warwick SHS Performing Arts, meet in school gym foyer. Please wear leggings, PS shirt and jazz shoes (or socks)

Specialist Netball (DoE Approved, Netball WA Endorsed): 11:30 am -12:30 pm Warwick Stadium, Court 1, meet in foyer. Please wear PS phys-ed uniform, appropriate shoes and bring a drink bottle

Specialist Football (DoE Approved, WAFC Endorsed): 11:30 am -12:30 pm Warwick SHS Oval, meet in school gym foyer. Please wear PS phys-ed uniform, appropriate shoes, mouth guard and bring a drink bottle

Please contact school administration reception to apply to trial and test for programs. Telephone 6240 4400, Email <u>warwick.shs.enquiries@education.wa.edu.au\</u> Facebook: @WarwickSeniorHighSchool







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An Independent public School Governor's School STEM Award 2017- Meritorious Leadership 355 Erindale Rd WARWICK WA 6024

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