

# DEANMORE PRIMARY

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## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

What a great event the Inter-school Athletics Carnival turned out to be. We were provided with close to perfect weather for both days and the competition was excellent. The children from each of the 5 schools participated with great enthusiasm and although the competition was fierce, the winning did not come at the cost of great sportsmanship. Each and every competitor should be congratulated for their behaviour and effort. Congratulations to Newborough Primary School on their overall win. I would like to make special mention to Mr Rodgers and other Deanmore Primary School staff who worked so hard to make our hosting of this event such a success. The extra effort in helping our students to prepare was greatly appreciated. We would also like to thank those P&C members who put in such great work to supply refreshments for everyone on Thursday.

**Staff leaving Deanmore Primary School** - The end of this term will see several staff leave Deanmore PS, either permanently or for a period of time. Hong Gao will be retiring from her position as LOTE teacher at Deanmore Primary School. Hong has taught both Japanese and Chinese during her time with us and I wish her all the very best with her future endeavours. Dani Canfora, who has been working in Rm 18 for Mrs Hancock has been a pleasure to have as a staff member for 2 days per week this term. Thanks Dani and all the very best with the arrival of your first child. Madison Sheridan has been with us all term in Rm 17 while Ms Jerrat has been on long service leave in Africa. Madison has made a very large and positive impression on the students in this short time and it has been wonderful having her at our school. Georgie Byrne will be going on maternity leave with the arrival of her second child not far away. Georgie will return to Deanmore Primary School in 2020 and we wish her all the very best.

**Welcome Mr Khor** - During Term 4, Mr William Khor will be teaching Chinese on Mondays. I would like to welcome Mr Khor to Deanmore PS and I am sure he will enjoy his time with us.

**2018 Parent Survey** - The response to our 2018 parent surveys has been positive so far with 75 completed. This is a significant rise on the 47 responses in 2016. We are still aiming to have more than 100 family responses. These anonymous surveys will remain open until the end of the upcoming holidays. The details for the surveys are:

[www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/C3qXTkAc](http://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/C3qXTkAc)

Our survey code is: tzMnEffe

Please make sure that when you complete your survey you click all of the finish and submit buttons otherwise your survey will not be entered.

**Nominations for 2019 School Board parent positions** – Next year there will be school board positions up for election. There are two 3 year positions to be filled. Parents are welcome to nominate themselves for any of these positions but can only fill one. Nominations open Monday 17th September and close at 3pm on Tuesday 9th October 2018. If you would like to nominate for a School Board position you can collect an information package and nomination form from the front office or you can contact the school and have these emailed to you. If you have any questions relating to the school board please feel free to contact one of our parent representatives or myself. If there are more nominations than positions an election process will be conducted.

I know everyone will be looking forward to the upcoming end of Term 3 school holidays. Have a safe and enjoyable 2 weeks. **Please note that all children will return for school on Monday 8 October.** The Term 4 School Development Day (Student free day) is on Friday 2 November.

**George Craig**  
**PRINCIPAL**



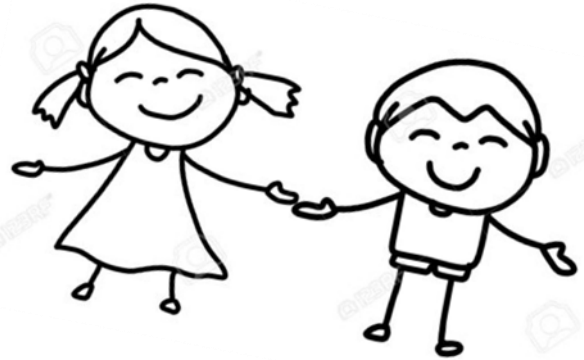
**\*\* Spaces available for Term 4 \*\***

Noticed your child struggling with emotions or particular behaviors?

Psychologist, Bethany Price from *OnPsych* is here to help at Deanmore!

Bethany is a caring and friendly psychologist who works with children experiencing a range of psychological issues, including, but not limited to:

- ♦ anxiety
- ♦ emotional concerns
- ♦ grief and loss
- ♦ stress from family situations
- ♦ classroom difficulties
- ♦ behavioral concerns
- ♦ interpersonal or social challenges
- ♦ Autism Spectrum Disorder



*and more*

Each child is supported respectfully and uniquely.

There is NO COST to you for sessions, as OnPsych bulk-bills to Medicare.

Bethany can also provide assessments (e.g. for attention or IQ) should this be something that you think would benefit your child.

If you believe that OnPsych might assist your child, please either contact myself and pick up a parent pack from the front office, or email Bethany via [BPrice@onpsych.com.au](mailto:BPrice@onpsych.com.au).

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DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

## Merit Awards Congratulations!

Room	1	Teah Hardisty	Charlotte Zavaleta-Power
Room	2	Ruby Thompson	Marylou McBain
Room	3	Keanu Wilson	Claire Meers
Room	4	Lia Taylor	Henry Spencer
Room	5	Mimi Kemps	Cameron Smith
Room	6	Josie Hebiton	Ethan Boucher
Room	7	Sofia Maretti	
Room	8	Jake Weeden	Caitlyn Pfammatter
Room	9	Grace McConaghy	Sophie Strophair
Room	10	Alexa Hicks	Sofia Bunter
Room	11	Julian Birks	Harrison Low
Room	12	Gracie Harvey	Gracie O'Connor
Room	13	Orion Bradley	Indiana Penny
Room	14	Caoimhe Yule	Riley Comerford
Room	15	Zuri Edwin	
Room	17	Patrick Toovey	Luna McGovern
Room	18	Noah Keegan	William Young
Room	20	Ari Cotton	Beth Caldwell
Room	21	Holly Taylor	Zara Mardon
Science		Jaden Exeter	
Sport		Abigail Kitchin	
Chinese		Edie Sims	Trigg Mardon

## DEANMORE DENTAL THERAPY CENTRE

*THE DENTAL THERAPY WILL BE CLOSED*

**Monday 24 September (Public Holiday)**

**Tuesday 25 - 28 September**

**1 - 5 October**

**FOR EMERGENCIES DURING CLINIC HOURS PLEASE CONTACT PLEASE CALL**

**Marmion DTC 9447 1275      25 - 28 September**

**Yuluma DTC 9446 8990 1- 5 October**

**Should an emergency arise after clinic hours or during a public holiday please contact the emergency service on 1800 098 818, your local practitioner, or the Oral Health Centre of Western Australia on 6457 4400**

# DEANMORE PS FACTION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

## CHAMPIONSHIP MEDALLISTS 2018

### Year 3 Girls

Champion – Shayla Zagari - Green

Runner Up – Lacy Jamieson - Gold

### Year 3 Boys

Champions – Jake Rubens – Red and Zac Cohen - Green

Runners Up – Gus Allen - Red, Ethan Boucher – Blue and Aiden Curley - Green

### Year 4 Girls

Champion – Jordee Clarke - Green

Runner Up – Maryrose Bahls-Kildea - Gold

### Year 4 Boys

Champion – Quade St Jack - Blue

Runner Up – Adam Strophair - Gold

### Year 5 Girls

Champion – Claire Meers – Green

Runner Up – Ella O'Shea – Gold

### Year 5 Boys

Champion – Jet White – Red

Runners Up – Noah Levitt – Gold and Dillon McDonald – Green

### Year 6 Girls

Champion – Thalia Curley – Green Faction Captain

Runner Up – Ella Juracich – Red Faction Captain

### Year 6 Boys

Champion – Joey Hopkyns – Red

Runner Up – Charlie Salisbury – Gold

### Team Deanmore Little Legend Medalists

Max Smith – Year 2 - Green   Mia Peck – Year 4 - Red   Leah St Jack – Year 5 - Blue

### Final Scores

**1<sup>st</sup> Place – Green - 636**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Gold – 490**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Red – 492**

**4th Place - Blue – 353**







# FRUIT AND VEG WEEK

“To celebrate Fruit and Veg week, the Year 1 students participated in ‘The Great Vegie Crunch’. They crunched on healthy vegetables for Crunch n Sip, to reach a crocodile crunch sound! They even had a visit from Vegie Man himself”.

