

DEANMORE PRIMARY

An Independent Public School

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School Newsletter

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Welcome back

It is wonderful to see all children return with great enthusiasm from the first term school holidays. From the many conversations I have had, many families had a great break and some fabulous adventures. We have also had several new families and their children arrive at Deanmore PS this term and I wish them all the very best as part of our community of learners.

Welcome Miss Emma Williams

This term Miss Emma Williams has joined our staff as the teacher in M4 for the rest of 2019; replacing Mrs Victoria Unwin who has had to return to England. I would like to welcome Miss Williams to our school and community.

Our four School Values are Respect, Responsibility, Unity and Excellence and generally, as a school community, these values are adhered to. Unfortunately, from time to time there are some community members who do not support the school in ensuring that these are followed. As a school we regularly remind or speak to parents about caring and respecting our school site, staff and facilities. On returning to Term 2 several issues have arisen and these are outlined below.

Students on site before and after school

Classrooms do not open until 8:30am with formal teaching beginning at 8:50am. Unless your child has an organised activity they should not be at school before 8:30am. School staff do not have to supervise children before 8:30am. Sometimes it is unavoidable that parents need to drop their children off before 8:30am. If this does occur, they are required to come to the area in front of the Doolum teaching block where one of the school leaders (Principal or Deputy Principal) will supervise them. Children are not to be out the front of their classroom or playing on any equipment. It is not the school's or a school leader's role to supervise children before official opening times.

All children must leave at 3pm and teachers are not required to supervise children for more than 5 or 10 minutes after the school bell. Children are required to head straight home or to alternative arrangements. They are not permitted to play in particular sections of the school or on certain equipment. The school has chosen to leave the gates open until 3:30pm and allow families to use the 'Red and Blue' play equipment (near the double gates that lead out to Ranier St) and 'Junior Naturescape' (between Man-Yin-Ee and Kwilena teaching blocks). Children must be supervised by a parent/carer when using these areas. All families need to leave the grounds before the gates are locked at 3:30pm. The front office is not an exit for parents because they have not exited the grounds on time. The School has a 'Before and After School Care' provider on site that parents can access (OSHClub).

Dogs on site

Please remember that dogs are to remain off the school site at all times. Please do not chain/tie them at gates where children need to enter or leave the school. Please do not carry your dogs on to the school site either.

New garden

Over the holidays we had a new native garden created in front of the Man-Yin-Ee demountable. Our gardeners did a lot of work to plan and prepare for this and had to budget for it over a period of time. It is a great addition to the school grounds, and I would like to thank Graeme, Greg and Keith for the work they did to make this happen. Unfortunately, within the first 2 days we have had to ask students to not run through the garden or break the leaves off the grass tress. This has been occurring in front of parents who are not taking responsibility for their children and not stopping them from damaging the garden. Please ensure that as a community you respect the work our gardeners have done and make sure that your children enjoy looking at the garden but do not allow them to damage it.

Our students know the behaviours that are expected of them, and regularly demonstrate them during the school day. It is disappointing to watch children misuse and/or damage school facilities (e.g. climbing on statues, playing in the toilets) and gardens after school hours. When on the school site, whether that is during school times or with their parents, they need to follow the behaviours that are expected of them and this includes when they are in the care of a parent. As a parent you have the responsibility to support your child in following our values and expected behaviours. Please don't confuse them, or set them up to be in trouble, by ignoring simple rules, values and expectations.

Annual report availability

The 2018 Annual School Report is now available, on our school website for the whole community to read.

Coin war winners

M4 was the winning class of the Term 1 'Coin War'. Thanks to all our children and families for supporting this School P&C initiative.

1 – 1 parent funded iPad information session

Calling All **Year 3** Parents/Careers,

We would like to invite you to a parent information session regarding the proposed parent funded 1-1 iPad program starting with Year 4 students in 2020. We would really like to have all current Year 3 families attend one of these sessions, especially if you haven't attended any previous information sessions. If your student isn't in Year 3 this year, you are still more than welcome to attend.

These sessions will be held on:

Monday the 13th of May at 3:30 pm and 5:30 pm

Thursday the 16th of May at 3:30 pm and 5:30 pm

Please click the link below to RSVP to a session.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Kind regards,

Lisa Sampey

<https://forms.gle/u1neuHRgGiwpbZbq5>

Year 6 D3 supporting the World's Greatest Shave



We are on a mission to shave the world from blood cancer!

During the assembly on Friday, 24th May, students from D3 will be taking part in the World's Greatest Shave for the Leukaemia Foundation!

One student from each of the other classes attending the assembly will be given the opportunity to participate. We will use a raffle system to choose one child from each class to have their hair sprayed with a colour on the stage during the assembly. Students who wish to participate will need to submit a permission slip along with a gold coin donation. Parents will be notified ahead of time if their child has been selected. Permission slips will be sent home early next week.

Please join us to give families facing blood cancer the emotional and practical support they need. You'll also fund vital research to help more people survive blood cancers, while improving their quality of life.

Every day another 35 Australians are diagnosed with a blood cancer. That's one Aussie every 41 minutes. Although research is improving survival, sadly an Australian loses their life to blood cancer every two hours.

Students are asked to bring a gold coin donation on the day.

Doolum 3

NAPLAN 2019

This year children in Year 3 and 5 will be doing their NAPLAN assessments On-line for the first time. Staff have done preparation work with children to make sure they are ready for the technical aspects of the assessments. The only assessment that won't be done on-line in 2019 is the Year 3 Writing. The assessments will be conducted between May 14 and 24.

The assessments must run in a predetermined order; Writing, Reading, Conventions of Language, Numeracy. It is important that you notify the school immediately if your child is away during the testing window so catch-up sessions can be organised.

Mr Dias will be sending out a more detailed letter and information about NAPALN next week. If you have any queries, please contact the school.

Our school and staff look forward to a very productive and positive term. By working together, sending consistent messages, and teaching our children in unison we will ensure a great term will be had by all.

George Craig

Principal.

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

EDU-Dance

The EDU-Dance program (PP-Year 6) has commenced. Teachers are utilising this program to assist in the reporting of The Arts Curriculum, sub strand Dance. All money and permission slips should have been received. If this has not occurred can you, please pay today or contact the office to discuss payment options.

Please find the timetable for classes and scheduled concert dates, you are invited to attend and view the finish product of your children's hard work and dedication. Concert times will be communicated as soon as possible.

Times			Monday	Thursday
9-20am	to	9-50am	Yr1 (K1)	Yr 6 (D4)
9-50am	to	10-20am	Yr 5 (D1)	Yr 4 (M2)
10-20am	to	10-50am	Yr 2 (M3)	Yr 1 (K2)
Recess (10:50 – 11:10)				
11-10am	to	11-40am	Yr 1 (K3)	Yr 2 (K4)
11-40am	to	12-10pm	Yr 3 (M6)	Yr 2/3 (M5)
12:10pm	to	12:40pm	Yr 6 (D3)	Yr 3 (M4)
Lunch (12:40 – 1:20)				
1-30pm	to	2-00pm	Yr 4 (D5)	Yr 3/4 (M1)
2-00pm	to	2-30pm	PP (G1 + ½ G3)	PP (G2 + ½ G3)
2-30pm	to	3-00pm		Yr 5 (D2)

Monday group:

Session 1 Week 2: 6/5/19
 Session 2 Week 3: 13/5/19
 Session 3 Week 4: 20/5/19
 Session 4 Week 5: 27/5/19
 Week 6: No Session
 Session 5 Week 7: 10/6/19
 Session 6 Week 8: 17/6/19
 Session 7 Week 9: 24/6/19
 Session 8 Week 10 1/7/19
Session 9 Week 10: 2/7/19 (Concert)

Thursday group:

Session 1 Week 1: 2/5/19
 Session 2 Week 2: 9/5/19
 Session 3 Week 3: 16/5/19
 Session 4 Week 4: 23/5/19
 Session 5 Week 5: 30/5/19
 Session 6 Week 6: 6/6/19
 Session 7 Week 7: 13/6/19
 Session 8 Week 8: 20/6/19
Session 9 Week 9: 27/6/19 (Concert)

Woolworths Earn & Learn Program:

We are excited to be taking part in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program.

You can help our school by collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Points. Just collect Woolworths Earn & Learn Points when you shop at Woolworths between Wednesday 1st May and Tuesday 25th June 2019. We will redeem these for awesome educational resources for our school. Simply pop them onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet and once it is completed, just bring it back to school or drop it into the Collection Box at your local Woolies.

Walk Safely to School Day:

Friday 17th May 2019 is National Walk Safely to School Day. Now in its 20th year, the annual campaign and community event encourages primary school children, their parents and/or carers to walk and commute regularly and safely to school.

For more information, please visit walk.com.au

Narelle Morisey

Deputy Principal

KINDERGARTEN APPLICATIONS FOR 2020

DEANMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Kindergarten applications for 2020 will open on Monday 13th May 2019.

You can obtain an Application for Enrolment form from the office or our website. Once the form is completed it must be handed into the school office with your child's Birth Certificate (original or certified copy); Immunisation Certificate (from Medicare); Proof of residence: for example utilities account or a lease agreement of at least three months.

Children can only be enrolled in one school for Kindergarten, either public or private.

Once the application has been accepted, you will be required to complete an Enrolment Form and submit it to the school. If your Application for Enrolment is not accepted, you will be advised in writing within three weeks of the advertised closing date for applications.

Please note Enrolment in Deanmore Kindergarten does not guarantee enrolment at the school for the following compulsory year unless the child lives in the local intake area of the school.

School Catchment Area Education Department Guidelines

If the number of enrolment applications exceeds the number of available places at a particular local-intake school, priority for enrolment is in the following order:

- **First priority** - A child residing in the local-intake area for the school, with a sibling enrolled at the same School for that year, and who lives the nearest to the school.
- **Second priority** - A child residing in the local-intake area for the school, who does not have a sibling Enrolled at the same school for that year, and lives the nearest to the school.
- **Third priority** - A child residing outside the local-intake area for the school, has a sibling enrolled at the same school for that year, and who lives the nearest to the school.
- **Fourth priority** - A child residing outside the local-intake area for the school, does not have a sibling Enrolled at the same school for that year, and who lives nearest to the school.

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Compulsory years of schooling (Pre-primary to Year 7)

DEANMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL CALENDAR – Term 2 2019



WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	29 th April School Development Day	30 th Students 1st Day	1 st May	2 nd	3 rd Newsletter
2	6 th P & C Meeting	7 th	8 th	9 th Farm Busy Bee 3pm	10 th K4 Assembly
3	13 th Kindergarten Applications Open	14 th School Board Meeting 4.30 pm	15 th	16 th Year 3 ICT Parent Meeting	17 th Newsletter
4	20 th	21 st	22 nd	23 rd	24 th D3 Assembly
5	27 th P & C Meeting	28 th	29 th	30 th	31 st Newsletter
6	3 rd June Western Australia Day	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th M3 Assembly School Disco
7	10 th	11 th	12 th	13 th	14 th Newsletter
8	17 th	18 th School Board Meeting 4.30 pm	19 th	20 th	21 st M4 Assembly
9	24 th	25 th	26 th	27 th EDU Dance Concert	28 th Newsletter
10	1 st July	2 nd EDU Dance Concert	3 rd	4 th	5 th D1 Assembly

2019 Term Dates

Term 1	Monday 4 th February – Friday 12 th April
Term 2	Tuesday 30 th April – Friday 5 th July
Term 3	Tuesday 23 rd July – Friday 27 th September
Term 4	Monday 14 th October – Thursday 19 th December

P&C News



The next **P&C Meeting** will be an **online meeting** on Monday the **6th of May @ 7.30pm**. This meeting will not be held at the staff room. The secretary will email details to P&C members on how to connect to the meeting prior to the meeting.

Email secretary@deanmorepandc.org.au to register your interest to attend if you currently do not receive meeting agenda emails.

News from Janina, Jenny and Barbs in the Canteen

The updated menu is out and if you didn't get one they are available at the canteen, or you can view it online on the school website.

A big thank you to Just Pizza Company, canteen suppliers and great supporters of Deanmore. We were lucky enough to win their first term promotion, a much needed cash prize for the canteen.

The Canteen is open each Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.

One volunteer on each Thursday and Friday is very much appreciated on those busier days. Please add your name to the roster by the canteen window, or if you've got a free moment just drop in after drop off and offer a hand.

Any amount of time helping out is wonderful.

The P&C will also be holding a cake stall and sausage sizzle for the federal election on 18th May between 8am and 5pm. We will need volunteers to help out during the day. Follow the link to sign up.
<https://signup.com/go/PuDkGmT>



Perth Entertainment
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Support Deanmore Primary School!

Get your new Entertainment Membership today.

The 2019 | 2020 Entertainment Memberships are here, with exclusive offers for everything you love to do. It's our best Membership yet, packed with amazing offers for activities, attractions, shopping, travel and all kinds of tasty treats - from cool cafes to fabulous fine dining.

With Entertainment there are thousands of experiences you can enjoy, while raising funds for our school.

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

Mother's Day stall

@Deanmore

The Deanmore Mother's Day stall 2019
Held Lunch Time in the Undercover area.

Thursday 9th May

Friday 10th May

(Kindy and Pre Primary held independently)

A great opportunity to grab a cool gift or a sweet treat for Mum

Prices from \$2 to \$13

Something to suit every budget

Volunteers to help run the Mothers Day stall are required Thursday and Friday before school 8.15 - 9.00am and Thursday and Friday lunch times 12.15 - 1.30pm.

Please contact Clare 0426201221 or Amanda 0417961788.