From the Principal’s Desk

Dear Parents and Community Members

NATIONAL WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY
Last Friday, our students and their families participated in National Walk Safely to School Day. The teachers and education assistants were on site at 7:00am chopping fruit, making toast and setting up for the big event. Families arrived at 8:00am and were offered a hearty, healthy breakfast. It was gratifying to witness the wonderful manners of our students and the way they conducted themselves. Thank you to Mrs Menegaldo for organising the event and to the staff who supported it with their time and energy.

NATURE PLAY
Two years ago Amanda Wood approached the school with her vision of a Nature Playground at Dalmain, which was received with great enthusiasm from the school staff. Since that time she has worked tirelessly to engage the school community in the project and it is wonderful to see her vision come to fruition. A team of volunteers, with amazing synergy, managed to work magic in five hours and turn the barren landscape into a children’s wonderland. The play area is looking amazing with the kerbing going in today and the mulch being delivered tomorrow. Another Busy Bee is scheduled for Sunday 29 May at 11:00am - come along and be part of this wonderful project.

INTER-SCHOOL SPORT (Dalmain V Marangaroo)
Our soccer, football and netball teams travelled to Marangaroo for our second interschool game last Friday. The soccer team has shown improvement every week and under Mrs Menegaldo’s coaching, has for the first time ever had a win in A and B teams. The netball A & B team were equally successful winning both games. The football team enjoyed the participation and is looking forward to the game against Goollelal. See inside this newsletter for scores.

BOOKFAIR
The Monster Book Fair for 2016 commences on Tuesday 31 May and will conclude on Wednesday 1 June.
Parents are reminded that payments for school incursions and excursions (with the exception of School Voluntary and P&C Voluntary Contributions) must be handed in to the class teacher.

**GREENWOOD COLLEGE TRANSITION PROGRAM**
Today our Year Six students commenced the Science and Volley Ball program at Greenwood College. This program gives the students a “taste” of life at High School and an opportunity to meet students from other schools who will be attending Greenwood in 2017. This partnership has proved most successful over the past few years.

**ASSEMBLY**
Please join us in the under covered area for TA 7’s Assembly on Thursday 2 June.

Have a great week,

Eileen Buswell
Acting Principal

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**Interschool Sports Results Friday 20 May**
*Dalmain v Marangaroo*

- **Soccer**
  - A Team: 9-0
  - B Team: 4-0

- **Netball**
  - A Team: 22-11
  - B Team: 16-9

- **AFL:** 7-35

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**STUDENT ABSENCES**
0409 885 439

Parents are reminded that they can advise the school of their child’s absence by SMS. Failure to contact the school will result in your child/children being marked as UNEXPLAINED on their attendance record.

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**Direct Deposit Payments**
Bank: ANZ
BSB: 016-494
Account: 3408-18845
Reference:
Child’s Surname / TA

Please confirm payment by email, or send your lodgement receipt to the office with the reason for payment
dalmain.ps@education.wa.edu.au

**PLEASE NOTE**
Direct Deposit is not available for P&C payments (eg - uniforms, fundraisers). These items must be paid in CASH.

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**Incursion/Excursion Payments**

Parents are reminded that payments for school incursions and excursions (with the exception of School Voluntary and P&C Voluntary Contributions) must be handed in to the class teacher.

INCURSION AND EXCURSION PAYMENTS CANNOT BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE AT ANY TIME

Thank you.
School Uniform Shop
The Uniform Shop will be open:

Wednesday, 1 June 2016
8.45am - 9.15am

** NEW - Trackpants now available $7.50 ea **

Order Forms, Product Photos, Descriptions, Sizing Charts are available on the school website.

Uniform Coordinator
Mel McBride: mcbridemelanie@rocketmail.com

Enrolments are now open for Kindy 2017

Applications for enrolments of students entering kindergarten or changing schools in the 2017 school year should be made

BY FRIDAY 22 JULY 2016.

As schools are closed between Saturday 2 July and Sunday 17 July 2016, parents/persons responsible are encouraged to submit their application before the end of Semester 1 (1 July 2016).

Application for Enrolment forms can be obtained from the school’s website or the school office. Parents are encouraged to bring along their child’s Birth Certificate, Proof of Address and ACIR Immunisation History Statement when applying.

Lost Property
With the colder weather upon us we have had a number of School Jackets and Jumpers handed in to the office as lost property. Please ensure your child’s belongings are clearly labelled with permanent marker to ensure their return.

School Banking
School Banking is available in the School Library

Every Wednesday Morning
8.20am to 8.45am

Friday Maths
20 May 2016 - Addition Set 1

Best Class - TA 5 (41.68)
Runner Up - TA 6 (40.00)

Dalmain Dockets
Term 2, Week 5

Please remember to include your Faction and Class!

Star of the Week
Lewis Benton - TA 5

Junior Draw Winner
Finn Hensby - TA 2

Senior Draw Winner
Darcy Metcalf - TA 9

Lost n’ Found
Support-A-Reader Program - Term 2

We are still in need of more tutors to listen and encourage children to read each day. Without your help the program cannot continue.

Volunteer required to fill in on WEDNESDAYS for the REMAINDER OF TERM 1

Mrs Winterton (TA 8)
Hilary.Winterton@education.wa.edu.au
or 0434 210 609.
Thank you,
Hilary Winterton

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PLEASE NOTE:
Watermelon Pieces at recess have been Discontinued

Canteen Roster - Term 2

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Follow our Dalmain PS Canteen Facebook Page
Search Facebook for: Dalmain PS - Canteen

$5 Canteen Voucher
morning tea and refreshments provided for volunteers!

If you are able to help, please see Nicole Hinwood in the canteen or call 0419 005 490

** THIS WEEK’S SPECIALS **

NEW Banana Bread $1.00 ea (Available at Recess)

NEW Shepherd’s Pie $3.50 ea

Chicken Fried Rice $3.00 ea (Discontinued Product - Reduced price)

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Opening Hours
8.20am - 8.40am

Early Bird Lunch Orders
Please place in the locked box.

All lunch orders to be handed in BEFORE 9.00am

Icecreams are sold after 12:15pm

Many thanks to:
Megan Kummerow,
Julie Brown, Leah Blair,
Brooke & Donna Hansen
for their assistance this week.

Nicole Hinwood

** Menu can be downloaded from the ‘Canteen’ page on the school website: http://dalps.wa.edu.au/canteen/
The 2016 / 2017 Entertainment Memberships have officially landed and they are better than ever!

The popular Entertainment Memberships showcase over $20,000 worth of valuable 2 for 1 and 25% off offers across Perth, South West WA and now Bali!

Enjoy 70+ offers from Bali’s best restaurants, attractions and accommodation as well as welcoming new names such as Heirloom by Pete Evans, Bounce Inc, The Monk, Tropico, Low Key Chow House, Lawleys Bakery and so many more!

$13 from every sale contributes to our fundraising!

Follow the link to order yours: https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/8609v2

Click to preview this year’s edition >>
I would like to remind all students and their families about our Book Fair which is being held in the Library next week (30 May - 1 June). Monday will be viewing day for all the students and hopefully they will manage to find a few books to put on their wish lists.

Sales commence on Tuesday morning at 8:00am and our Family Event will be held on Wednesday from 6:00pm to 7:30pm.

There will be plenty of novelties and posters as well as a huge range of books for sale. Try and guess how many ‘Monster Teeth are in the Container’ or how many ‘Pieces of Monster Food are in the Bottle’ at 20c a guess. You can also try entering the raffle to win $50.00 worth of books and novelties of your choice. Credit card facilities will be available.

I look forward to seeing you there.

Kathy Melville
Library Officer

Free Dress Day - Favourite Animal Theme
Wednesday, 8 June 2016

Free Dress Day will commence on Wednesday 8 June. The theme is dress up as your favourite animal.

Please remember to bring a gold coin donation as all money raised will go towards Epilepsy Research.

We are sure this will be an event all students will enjoy.

- The Prefects -
Please come and join us from **11am this Sunday 29 May** to help spread mulch and gravel in the climbing logs area of the nature play space. Finishing this work will mean the children will be able to play in the area very soon.

If you are able to come please bring shovels, rakes and wheelbarrows (if you have them). Please wear enclosed shoes and gloves.

A sausage sizzle and refreshments will be provided throughout the day.

Register your interest so that we have an idea of how many people may turn up on the day. Any assistance would be greatly appreciated.

It will be another rewarding day that helps strengthen our school community with the ultimate aim of providing a fabulous play and learning opportunity for all of our children.

**Who to contact**

To register or for further information, please contact Dalmain.nature.play@gmail.com or phone Amanda Wood on 0409 994822.

Further information is also available on Facebook (Dalmain Nature Play & D.U.G. (Dalmain Urban Garden) or https://dalmainnatureplay.wordpress.com/
APPLY NOW
2017 SPECIALIST PROGRAMS
WANNEROO SECONDARY COLLEGE

SPECIALIST PERFORMING ARTS PROGRAM
Students will participate in drama productions, costume & makeup design, lighting workshops, backstage production. Dance genres covered - Acrobats, Ballet, Contemporary, Jazz, Tap, Irish, Hip Hop and Bollywood. Music: students partake in theory classes and are offered tuition from the School of Instrumental Music. Show Band, Popular Band, Glee Club and Classical Guitar Ensemble are also offered.

AUSTRALIAN FOOTBALL SPECIALIST PROGRAM
The Australian Football Specialist Program incorporates a variety of classroom and practical activities. The course works in conjunction with the West Perth Development program and includes matches against local and visiting teams, excursions, guest speakers, annual tours and interstate travel.

Information can be obtained by contacting Katrina Smith at Wanneroo Secondary College on 9206 6562 or via katrina.smith@education.wa.edu.au

Greenwood Dental Therapy
The Dental Therapy Centre is at
GREENWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL
12 Merivale Way,
GREENWOOD
Phone: 9203 5611
Parking from Ranleigh Way.

Before/After School & Vacation Care
Care for Kids provide care at Dalmain Primary School in a fun and stimulating environment - with qualified and experienced staff, the service is Accredited by NCAC. Childcare benefit and Government rebates apply.
kingsleyoshc@careforkidswa.net.au
Phone: 9309 2300 or call into the undercover area.

EXPERIENCE A NEW CULTURE
MAKE NEW FRIENDS AND LEARN A NEW LANGUAGE AT HOME
HOST FAMILY OPPORTUNITIES

In June and July 2016, students aged 15 – 18 years from over 25 countries will be arriving in Australia to study at local schools for 3-10 months. Opportunities are available to act as a host family in a volunteer/unpaid capacity. Hosting can be on a temporary, short or long term basis.

Host families help provide each student with the chance to study and experience life in Australia. This is a great way to practice your language skills, share your stories, learn about another country and culture, establish a lifelong link to a family in another country and contribute to international goodwill.

Our students bring with them their own spending money, health insurance and a wonderful attitude and desire to learn about their new host country. They are eager to try our local sports, traditions and food. Your whole family… and your relatives and friends… will grow and learn as you all get to know your new “son” or “daughter” from another land. If your family can offer a friendly, supportive and caring home environment, contact us today.

To learn more about this opportunity call Student Exchange Australia New Zealand on 1300 135 331 or visit our website: http://studentexchange.org.au/host-a-student