Dear Parents and Community Members

JOONDALUP FESTIVAL
This Saturday afternoon students from TA 5 and TA 9 will be representing Dalmain Primary School in the Lantern Parade being held in Joondalup as a part of the Joondalup Festival. The parade has been a combined effort between students, Mrs Menegaldo, Mrs Kaluzynski, Ms Wise (Art) and Ms Pinakis (Music). They have all created a dynamic visual and musical display of which everyone can feel very proud. Community members wanting to watch the parade are more than welcome. The parade will start at 6.45pm across from Collier Pass in Central Park and will move down along Grand Boulevard onto Boas Avenue and return to the starting point in Central Park by 7.30pm. Good luck to all of our parade participants.

ASSEMBLY
Next Thursday our very talented students from TA 5 will host the assembly. All parents are welcome to join us. Please note that at the end of this assembly we will hold the P&C Easter raffle draw.

PARENT-TEACHER INTERVIEWS
Just a reminder to parents that Parent-Teacher interviews are scheduled to be run in the final week of this term. Interviews will be conducted on Tuesday 5 April between 1.30-7.00pm. Parents please ensure that your interview slips are returned to your child’s class teacher by Wednesday 23 March. A copy of this note has been posted on our school web site.

P&C MEETING
Thank you to those parents who were able to attend the meeting held on Tuesday evening. A number of current and proposed school activities were discussed. These included the upcoming busy bee for the nature play area, canteen menu changes, fundraising ideas and uniform shop news. A copy of the minutes of this meeting can be viewed in the display area outside the school library or online at www.dalps.wa.edu.au

NATURE PLAY UPDATE
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.

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SWIMMING LESSONS
In-term swimming lessons begin on Wednesday, 30 March. Information regarding this was sent home a few weeks ago. Please ensure that you have forwarded payment and returned the necessary paperwork to school by next Monday.

An additional map of the proposed works has been included in this newsletter and is also pinned up on a display board outside TA 2 for parents to have a look at. If you are able to assist with the busy bee on Saturday 2 April, please let Amanda Wood know. See inside for additional details.

SCHOOL COMPUTER SYSTEM
Our school computer network is now back up and running again. Parents can once again use the SMS mobile number 0409 885 439 to advise the school about their child’s absence from school.

STUDENT ABSENCES
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.
We are in need of more tutors so children can read each day.

If you can assist with the Support-A-Reader program please contact Mrs Winterton (TA 8).

Hilary.Winterton@education.wa.edu.au or 0434 210 609.

Thank you,
Hilary Winterton

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**Friday Maths**

11 March 2016 - Multiplication Set 4

**Best Class** - TA 5 (40.60)

**Runners Up** - TA 6 (36.34)

**Most Improved**

TA 3 (3.85)

**Runners Up**

TA 5 (2.30)

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**Dalmain Dockets**

**Term 1, Week 7**

Please remember to include your Faction and Class!

**Star of the Week**

Ky Vardy - TA 5

**Junior Draw Winner**

Hayley Stopher - TA 3

**Senior Draw Winner**

Seth Wilkin - TA 9
Canteen Roster - Term 1, 2016


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Many thanks to:
Sarah Rice, Leana Kani,
Joanna Rochfort & Sharon Peard
for their assistance this week.

Nicole Hinwood

Great to see some new volunteers this week however more volunteers are still required. If you are able to help, please see Nicole Hinwood in the canteen or call 0419 005 490.

Quelch Icy Poles now available EVERY RECESS for Term 1

* Cheesies now $1.20ea *

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

* Opening Hours *
8.20am - 8.40am
Early Bird Lunch Orders Please place in the locked box provided
All lunch orders to be handed in to the canteen BEFORE 9.00am

Follow our Dalmain PS Canteen Facebook Page for Specials, Notices and Volunteers
Search Facebook for: Dalmain PS - Canteen

P&C Easter Raffle 2016

Once again it’s time for the annual P&C Easter Raffle. Please forward donations of Easter Egg and cane baskets to the school office.

Tickets are $2 each OR 6 tickets for $10 (extra tickets available at the office)

Tickets and money need to be returned by the morning of Tuesday 22 March.

Winners announced at the school assembly on Thursday 24 March.

DON’T FORGET!
Scholastic Book Club orders are due: TOMORROW!
TA 1 Gardening in the D.U.G.

The boys and girls from TA 1 spent the morning in the Dalmain Urban Garden (D.U.G) with Mr Cowey today. They had a great time digging up some sweet potatoes, as well as picking beans and chillies. They also took some cuttings from the sweet potatoes so that they can plant some more to replace the plants they picked.

The children in TA 1 are very excited to be selling their harvest outside TA 1 tomorrow, Friday 18 March between 2.45pm - 3.15pm. Don’t forget to bring some loose change to purchase freshly picked produce at their Vegetable Store!

Fresh vegies from the Dalmain Urban Garden (D.U.G.) will be on sale from

**2.45pm - 3.15pm**
**Friday, 18 March 2016**
**Outside TA 1**

Join us outside TA 1 to purchase some delicious home-grown vegies!
School Disco - ‘Anything Goes’ Theme
Friday, 1 April 2016

The discos are held in the school undercover area.
The canteen will be open and we will be serving Pizza.
Drinks, Snacks and Glow Products will also be available.
Parents, carers and siblings are more than welcome to enjoy all available foods and drinks at the canteen.
Individual Passes $5.00 available at the door

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VOLUNTEERS ARE REQUIRED to help with the Junior and Senior Discos.
If you are able to help, please contact: Melissa Verna - 0419 609 007

Free Dress ‘Career Day’
Free Dress Day was held on Wednesday 16 March with a ‘Career Day’ theme.
Thank you to everyone who participated!

We raised a total of $314.10 for The Bushfire Appeal and The Malala Fund.
The first busy bee to commence construction of the first phase of the nature play space - the climbing logs area and seating areas, is to be held from 10am on Saturday 2 April.

This first busy bee is site preparation and we will be using turf cutters in pre-marked areas to remove the existing grass. The grass will then be rolled and moved by a wheel barrow or mini loader (or similar) to a skip bin.

We will need assistance on the day with general labour, someone experienced in using turf cutters, an experienced operator of a mini loader, and a wicked barbecueur for the sausage sizzle we will provide.

Remember many hands make light work, so if you think you are able to assist with providing turf cutters, mini loaders, wheel barrows, shovels and spades and labour for the busy bee, could you please 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.

If the tools we require cannot be borrowed, then we will need to hire them.

Who to contact:
For further details about registering for the busy bee or offering assistance, please contact Dalmain.nature.play@gmail.com or phone Amanda Wood on 0409 994822.
Greenwood Dental Therapy

The Dental Therapy Centre is situated at GREENWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL
12 Merivale Way, GREENWOOD

Phone: 9203 5611
Parking from Ranleigh Way

School Banking

School Banking is available in the School Library

Every Wednesday Morning
8.20am to 8.45am

School Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop will be open:

Wednesday, 23 March 2016
8.30am - 9.00pm

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

Uniform Coordinator
Mel McBride
mcbride melanie@rocketmail.com

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.

Community News