My name is Nicole and I am the Canteen Manager at Dalmain Primary School. The canteen is operated under the control of the P&C and is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

For the canteen to remain viable volunteers are needed to help on canteen days. Working in our canteen is a lot of fun and not as hard as you may think. If you are unsure what volunteering in the canteen entails then please pop in and have a chat. Any time you can spare would be appreciated. If you can only help first thing in the morning sorting out the lunch bags for half an hour -- Fantastic! Your children also love to see you in the canteen and it is a great way to meet other parents and make new friends!

All Volunteers will receive a $5.00 Canteen Voucher.

With costs going up there have been some price increases. Our aim is to make the canteen affordable for all families. We will endeavour to hold back on any more increases for as long as possible.

A new recess item I have included is a savoury muffin with ham, zucchini, onion, carrot and cheese. Some new condiments have also been added, BBQ Sauce and French Vinaigrette.

I have changed our Pizza and Pasta supplier to Enrico Viscontini products which are tastier pastas with a regular 160g pizza product:

- Margarita Pizza.
- Hawaiian Pizza.
- BBQ Meatlovers.
- Macaroni Cheese
- Lasagna
- Twista Bolognaise

As well as our regular pasta there are some new rice items which include:

- Chicken & Fried Rice.
- Honey Soy Chicken & Rice.

Unfortunately the strawberry muffin and the ham and cheese slice were not popular items so they have been removed from the menu.

If you have any other ideas about items to be included on the canteen menu I am happy to discuss ideas. We are bound by the Department of Education Healthy Food and Drink Policy so we must ensure that we follow the guidelines accordingly.

Please note that the canteen does not run on credit.

Canteen lunch orders are to be taken to the canteen before the morning school siren. Children bringing their lunch orders in late will be offered a plain sandwich. Recess cannot to be pre-ordered. The children must line up with their money and purchase their own recess.

If you are new to the school and would like to view the food items, please come in and I will be happy to show you everything.

Looking forward to meeting you soon,

Nicole Hinwood

Canteen Manager