From the Principal’s Desk

Dear Parents and Community Members

TA 3 ASSEMBLY
Excuse the pun, but I have to wax lyrical about the splendid assembly this morning based on the book – “The Day the Crayons Quit” by Drew Daywalt. The colourful, crayon costumes set the scene but the star of the show was the confidence demonstrated by the children when they delivered their lines. They all memorised quite a lengthy script and their expressions and moves enhanced the production. The children also danced beautifully during the community song. Congratulations to Mrs Te Wheoro and Mrs Checksfield for a feel good assembly!

STUDENT REPORTS
Teachers are busily compiling student reports ready for distribution on Monday 27 June. Inside this newsletter is information on how to read and understand your child’s report. If you have any concerns, do not hesitate to contact your child’s teacher.

SCHOOL BUSINESS PLAN
A copy of the School Business Plan 2016-2018 will be sent home with the eldest child in each family on Monday 27 June. The business plan will be located in the envelope with the child’s report. Please take the time to read the plan, share our vision and know our direction for the next three years.

SOCIAL DANCE (Tuesday 28 June)
Tuesday 28 June is the final dance class in this term’s series of lessons. Warwick has worked his wonders with our students and they are ready to trip the light fandango and demonstrate what they have learned. Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend the demonstration lesson from:

Pre-Primary: 9.20am - 10.20am  Year 1 & Year 2: 11.00am - 12.00pm.

In the evening the students from Year 3-6 will have their social dance at the GREENWOOD COLLEGE GYMNASIUM 6.30pm - 8.30pm. Please come along and join in the fun - it is always an entertaining family evening.
STUDENT ILL HEALTH
During the last few weeks of this term and into next term we will be in the midst of the season where children often succumb to ill health. During the course of this week, our reception area has looked more like a doctor’s waiting room than a school office! Students who are sent to the office with mild symptoms are jollied along with some tender, loving care. However, if your child is obviously experiencing discomfort and is unwell, we ask that you make arrangements to have him/her collected from school and taken home to rest and recuperate. We ask for your support with this matter.

LIGHTNING CARNIVAL
Congratulations to the football, soccer and netball teams who played well last Friday in their games against Hawker Park Primary School. We next meet for the Lightning Carnival on Wednesday 22 June.

NATURE PLAY UPDATE
On Friday 24 June, the students will be involved in the planting of trees in our Nature Play area. Amanda Wood has sourced the plants using her extensive knowledge of West Australian flora. During the term break, the tree-house will be erected adding an extra element to the already exciting play area.

Enjoy your week!

Eileen Buswell
Acting Principal

**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.

Interschool Sports
Results Friday 10 June
_Dalmain v Hawker Park_

_**Soccer**_
A Team: 8-0
B Team: 5-2

_**Netball**_
A Team: 18-13
B Team: 20-4

_AFL:_ 0-32

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.

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.
Merit Certificates | Thursday, 16 June 2016

Congratulations to the following students who received Awards at today’s Assembly

**PP 1**  Jacob Straker, Aysha Putland

**PP 2**  Amy Thomas, Ava Adair

**TA 1**  Viyana Khodakaran, Aniela Zuccala

**TA 2**  Finn Hensby, Willow Johnson

**TA 3**  Tyler Kummerow, Laurentia Arjoko

**TA 4**  Charlie Tearney, Aeisha Kingston

**TA 5**  Hayley Van Wyk, Jack Roper, Nathan Minaides

**TA 6**  Caitlin Alp, Tongxin Sycamore

**TA 7**  Georgia McLean, Oscar Dingle, Kyle Connick

**TA 8**  Charlotte Hogan, Hayden Burt, Palak Arora

**TA 9**  Julian Roki, Amber Lothian, Maya Vardy

**ART**  Jasmine Peard, Lacey Hoy Poy, Mia Kapuralic

**LOTE**  Josephine Clark, Anson Lee

**PE**  Willow Johnson, Jared Lamont, Jake Harvey

**MUSIC**  William Austin-Crowe, Aden Wild

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**How to Read Your Child’s School Report**

Student Reports will be issued on Monday 27 June and we wish you to be aware of the following information to interpret the grade or achievement descriptors allocated to your child. Using the guidelines and exemplars provided by the Department of Education, teachers are compelled to allocate grades in keeping with this set of criteria. This may mean slight changes to your child’s grades this semester. It does not mean that your child has not performed as well as last semester – it just means some adjustments have been made to grade allocations in keeping with the department’s guidelines.

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<td>B grades or High achievement indicates that a student is performing well above what is expected at their year level.</td>
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<td>C grade or Satisfactory achievement indicates that your child is working at the expected level for their year group. This means that at this time they are making the progress expected of them and there is no cause for concern.</td>
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Hopefully this information will assist with your interpretation of your child’s report. If you have any concerns, do not hesitate to contact Mrs Buswell.
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.

Friday Maths
10 June 2016 - Addition Set 3

Best Class - TA 5 (47.03)
Runner Up - TA 7 (45.60)

Most Improved
TA 2

Runners Up
TA 6

School Uniform Shop
The Uniform Shop will be open:

Wednesday, 3 August 2016
8.45am - 9.15am

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

Uniform Coordinator
Mel McBride: mcbridemelanie@rocketmail.com

School Banking
School Banking is available in the School Library

Every Wednesday Morning
8.20am to 8.45am
We are still in need of more tutors to listen and encourage children to read each day. Without your help the program cannot continue.

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

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**Support-A-Reader Program - Term 2**

**Canteen Roster - Term 2**

**Weeks 8 - 9**

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**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)

**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**
sold after 12:15pm

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

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

**NEW Volunteers Needed - Training Provided**
Please contact Nicole 0419 005 490 or Donna 0410 636 930 (Canteen Coordinator)
School Disco - ‘Pyjama Party’ Theme
Friday, 24 June 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

JUNIOR DISCO
(Kindy to Year 2)
5.00pm - 6.30pm

SENIOR DISCO
(Year 3 to Year 6)
6.45pm - 8.45pm

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

Woodvale Secondary College School Band
Friday 10 June
Book Donations Wanted for P&C Book Fair (Term 3) - Children’s or Adult Books -

Please drop any book donations at the school office or call Kate on 0408 926 785.

Building Stronger Families - a course for the whole family

27 July x 8 weeks $80 per single parent family/$120 per family

This six-week course is designed specifically for families with children over the age of 10. Inclusion is the key, and any adult involved in the parenting process is invited to come along and learn the skills needed to keep your family healthy. Parents, learn how to be leaders and role models in your family. Children learn how to be special and also how to belong. This course is based on the work of George Doub and Florence Creighton, authors of Survival Skills for Healthy Families.

Please phone 6164 0200 for more information or click here.

PIT STOP - A Parenting Tune-up for Fathers

27 July x 8 weeks $130 per person

This course covers -
- Why Dads Matter To Kids
- Developing a Healthy Parenting Style
- Improving Family Communication and Closeness
- Steering Your Children Through Stressful Stages
- Disciplining the Kids Without Losing It
- Balancing Life, Work and Family
- Working as a Team (Partner’s Evening)

Please phone 6164 0200 for more information or click here.
Kingsley School Holiday Program
July 2016

Monday 4th July
Shepherds Bush Reserve
Today we will walk to the new playground in Kingsley! Your bikes, skates & scooters will be brought over on the bus and we will safely ride on the skatepark at Shepherds Bush Reserve! We will explore the new playground, play games and eat our lunch in the wonderful surroundings. Don’t forget your helmet & safety gear! Please arrive before 9am

Monday 11th April
Baking Day
Today we are going to bake an assortment of delights. Prepare yourself for a fun filled day of baking! We will be baking cookies, cupcakes and scrolls! Let’s have a “take off” between our little master chefs!

Tuesday 12th July
Grand Cinemas
Ice Age Collision
Today we are going to watch Ice Age Collision at Grand Cinema in Warwick! Before we venture out we will be making our own ice sculpture and when we return we will have a drawing competition! Please arrive before 9.30am

Tuesday 5th July
Crazy Day
Time to get crazy! We will be going crazy up everything and anything. We will be making our hair crazy with spray and clips, crazy face painting designs, and cooking some weird, crazy food, so get prepared for a fun filled day of craziness and wear your old crazy clothes!

Wednesday 6th July
AMF Bowling
Today we will go to AMF Bowling in Joondalup! We are going to have so much fun competing with each other and practising our bowling skills. During the day we will also play a few ball games like dodge, tunnel ball and skittles!
Please arrive before 9am

Wednesday 13th July
Premiership Party
Today we are having a footy filled day, wear your favourite team colours or jersey. Prepare yourself for a footy game and compete in the football trick competition!

Thursday 14th July
Rollerzone
Lets travel to Mahara to have a fun filled day rollerblading. We are going to improve our skills and learn some tricks. Throughout the rest of the day we will be making great creations using recycled materials.
Please arrive before 9am

Thursday 7th July
Scavenger Hunt
Prepare yourself to start searching, as we are going on a scavenger hunt! We will be hunting high and low for various objects and items. There will be clues along the way! Afterwards a celebration will be had to congratulate us on all our hard work!

Friday 8th July
High Flyers
Today we will travel to Warner and become a high flyer. We will perform gymnastic moves whilst having so much fun. When we return you can show off what we learnt with a talent competition.
Please arrive before 9am

Friday 15th July
Camping Day
Let’s set up camp and start the sing-a-longs! We will pitch our tents and roast marshmallows! We will then participate in some camp games and learn some camping tricks!

Monday 18th July
Disco Day
Let’s celebrate our last day with a disco. We will bring out the neon lights and glow sticks. We will spend the day dancing, singing and playing party games such as pass the parcel, pin the tail and limbo!

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.
The Wanneroo Giants Baseball Club
“Come and Try” Baseball Camps

All equipment will be provided and coaching is free of charge. This is a great opportunity for those currently playing teeball to see if they would like to progress on to baseball, and is also for those who have not played either sport before.

Our juniors begin with Machine Pitch Little League at 7 years old, then onto Little League (Under 13) and Junior League which is an Under 15 competition.

When: Saturday 23 July and Saturday 30 July
Time: 1.00pm - 3.00pm
Venue: Mateljan Reserve (in Kingsway Sporting Complex)

Further details: giantsregistrar@iinet.net.au

LIFEkids “BLAST OFF” School Holiday Program

Dates: TUESDAY 5th & WEDNESDAY 6th JULY 2016
Time: 8.20am-3.30pm
Ages: Pre-Primary to Year 6
Cost: $40 per day which includes lunch, drinks and snacks. Discounts are available for siblings.
Activities include: Games, Sport, Arts and Crafts, Music & Christian Values Lesson.
Venue: C3 Church Hepburn Heights | 31 Chadlington Drive, Padbury
For More Info | Phone Rachael on 9307 5000 | Email: rachaeld@c3hh.com.au