



Dural Public School Newsletter



25th June 2020 ~ TERM 2, WEEK 9

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DATES TO REMEMBER

THIS
WEEK
AT DURAL

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AT DURAL

FRI 26 JUN

MON 29 JUN

TUE 30 JUN

WED 1 JUL

THU 2 JUL

FRI 3 JUL



Sausage Sizzle

Last Day
of Term

MON 20 JUL

Staff
Development
Day

TUE 21 JUL

Students
Return

Principal's Report ~ Milly Stone

Updates on activities from the Department of Education

At this stage excursions, camps, and school-based activities that involve large gatherings of adults, are still not permitted with decisions being made later in Term 3 by the Department.

It is important to note that parents and visitors are still not allowed on school grounds and should keep to social distancing measures when waiting outside of the school. As we have seen in the media over the past week, transmission of this virus to children appears to be quite low risk but it is still high for adults. We need to continue to practice good hygiene measures and ensure that the school remains safe for all staff.

I would like to thank our community for the excellent job you have been doing in regards to these protocols to ensure that we all stay safe.

Work Health and Safety

As part of our mandatory training and Emergency Management planning the school will conduct an emergency evacuation. This should occur sometime next week. The students will be informed in regards to this to ensure they are aware that this is just a drill to avoid any anxiety.

How parents can continue to support their child's learning

No matter what the age of your child, the following tips may be helpful:

- Communicate the importance of learning and talk positively about school and learning.
- Play with your child! Use this time to learn about their interests and look for teachable moments that can be found through play.
- Read to and with your child every day. It is one of the simplest activities that can make such a difference to your child's literacy development and is also a great activity to bond over.
- Let your child play often and use their creativity. Unstructured play is one of the most important ways for a child to develop critical, emotional, cognitive and physical skills they need to be successful at school and in life.
- Make learning fun by engaging in activities that your child enjoys. Activities such as cooking together, doing puzzles and playing board games.

Reports

Reports will be emailed out on Thursday 2 July. Please notify the office if your email address has changed to ensure that you receive the Semester 1 report.

Last Day of Term 2

The last day of Term 2 is Friday 3 July. Staff return to school on Monday 20 July and students return on Tuesday 21 July in full winter uniform.



- Strive for Success -



The Dural Diamonds
Respect Responsibility Success
Congratulations
to our **Diamond Pin Students**

BLUE	RED	GREEN
Holly B 4S		Sophie M 3A Olivia M 3A
PINK	ORANGE	YELLOW
Matilda M 4S		
WHITE	DOUBLE BLUE	DOUBLE RED
	Maddison K 3A Kera B 6S	
DOUBLE GREEN	DOUBLE PINK	DOUBLE ORANGE

CANTEEN

Exciting news! On the last day of this term Friday 3rd July, the canteen will be hosting a sausage sizzle! The cost is \$3 and orders can be placed via:

1. Flexischools
2. Over the counter at the canteen prior to or on the day
3. At the front office

Condiment choices with the sausages are onion, tomato sauce or BBQ sauce.

The full sushi and drink menus will also be available to order on Flexischools, as will normal recess and lunch over the counter items.

Volunteers for the coming week are:

Fri 26 June - Liz Zeaiter, **one more helper needed!**

Mon 29 June - Ashlea Cassidy

Wed 1 July - Alison Stevens, **one more helper needed!**

Fri 3 July - Maria Guiffre, Selina Mate

Thank you to all our wonderful volunteers!

Shelley & Diana
duralcanteennews@gmail.com

Buddy Reading Tutors



Dear parents and carers,
next Monday the 29th of June our enthusiastic Year 6 Buddy Reading tutors will receive their Tutor badge at the morning assembly.

As parents are currently not able to attend assemblies, a photo will be uploaded onto Class Dojo.

Kind regards
Jacqui Tilbrook & Kelly Frost
😊😊😊

6A Tutors

Charlotte C
Zoey
Anastasia
Ayla
Rubi
Scarlett
Nicolas

6H Tutors

Melanie
Emily

6S Tutors

Katie
Emily
Vanessa
Ava
Madeline
Miley
Jemima
Megan
Eloise
Zac C
Zac C
Giuliano
Luke
Lachlan



Dural Public School P&C 2019/20 Tax Deduction School Building Fund Donation

It's almost the end of the tax year and you can contribute to improving the resources and facilities of the school by making a tax deductible donation to our School Building Fund.

2020 has been such a difficult year for so many people in so many ways. The P&C have been mindful of this, so fundraising activities this year have been restricted. If you are still able to contribute it is much appreciated.

Our school's P&C volunteers work hard to provide our children with a great range of services and facilities which benefit the students, teachers and parent/carers of the school. These activities include operating the Canteen and Uniform Shop, running the biennial Dural Country Fair, Mothers' and Fathers' Day stalls, BBQs & cake stalls and Working Bees.

Some recent examples of how Building Fund gifts have been spent, along with other funds raised by P&C activities are:

- the new playground
- artificial turfing of the top oval
- contribution to new shade sail on top oval
- electronic sign board in front of school
- classroom iPads, laptops and C-pens
- replacement of expired classroom air-conditioners



Thank you for your support.

Dural Public School P&C - Building Fund Donation 2020

Please return the completed form to the school office or email to duralpspandc@gmail.com.

Parent or Carer's Name (for receipt): _____

Email address (for DGR receipt to be sent to): _____

Eldest Child's Name & Class: _____

Building Fund Donation Amount (Please circle your donation amount):

\$25 \$50 \$75 \$100 Other: \$ _____

Payment can be made by direct deposit, cash, cheque or credit card.

BSB number: 633 000 (Bendigo Bank) Account Number: 124892746

Account Name: Dural Public School P&C Assoc Building Fund

Please make cheques payable to: Dural Public School P&C Building Fund

For Payment by Credit Card -

Cardholder name: _____

Credit card number: _____

Expiry date: _____ CVV number: _____

Cardholder signature: _____



- Strive for Success -



The children have been busy revamping their recycled hanging herb gardens. We have been busy planting out parsley, thyme, oregano and Asian greens. The recycled gardens were made from empty juice bottles and you only need to water the top as the top one waters the ones below. This is a great water saving tip the children have learnt about wasting water.

We will continue with our gardening as we have bought some more bush tucker trees to go in our bush tucker garden.

You still have time to book in for vacation care so make sure that you let us know as soon as possible. All bookings can be done through 'My Family Lounge'.



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SEASON 2020

HAVE YOU BEEN MISSING OUT ON EXERCISE DURING COVID19? WANT TO GET BACK TO THE BEAUTIFUL GAME OF FOOTBALL??

PROBLEM SOLVED!

Hornsby Heights Football Club have limited spots available for girls to join our Women's All Age team! If you are a player looking for a new team or someone looking for a challenge, then come join us at Hornsby Heights Football Club!

For more information, please email: girlsfootball@hhfc.org.au



CASTLE HILL RSL GARAGE SALE

We are looking forward to our Garage Sale this week from Thursday June 25 through to Saturday June 27, from 1pm to 9pm daily.

There will be a great range of wine, beer and spirits, as well as glassware, plates and more - all available to purchase at cost, or below.

Drop in to our Keno lounge at Castle Hill RSL and grab yourself a bargain... and please tell your family and friends!

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Sunday 10am

Galston Public School Hall
School Road, Galston

KIDS ALIVE!

Primary age program combining sports, craft and a bible-based message.

For more information contact Meri Byrne
0414487264

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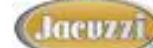
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WESTFIELDS
SPORTS
ATHLETICS
PROGRAM

TRIAL DATE
Term 3, Weeks 1&2
Register for more details

LOCATION
Westfields Sports HS

AGE
Year 7, 2021

CONTACT DETAILS

Director of Sport
Joanne Kenny
Athletics Director
Dan Suchy
Athletics Coach
Brett Mathison

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westfields-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au

APPLICATIONS DUE

Wednesday 1 July, 2020



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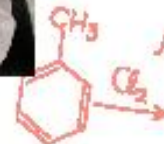


Junior
SCIENCE ACADEMY

BLAST OFF INTO THE WORLD OF
STEM at MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY

Join our exciting science, technology, engineering and maths programs for Years K- 7 during the July school holidays.

- Class topics include robotics, learning about dinosaurs, astronomy, DNA, and many, many more.
- Our classes are designed to teach concepts through experiments, art, drama, physical activity, craft & other hands-on activities.
- New courses are always added & all-time favourites are rotated each school holidays.
- Procedures for COVID-19 are in place and arrangements made for full refunds in the case of illness so parents don't lose money. Book with confidence.



Creative Kids vouchers (value \$100) can be claimed for any robotics or coding class. Apply through ServiceNSW for your child's voucher.

Drop off	9.30am - 9.30am
Activities	9.30am - 4.30pm
Pick-up	4.30pm - 5.30pm
Cost	\$126.50

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