

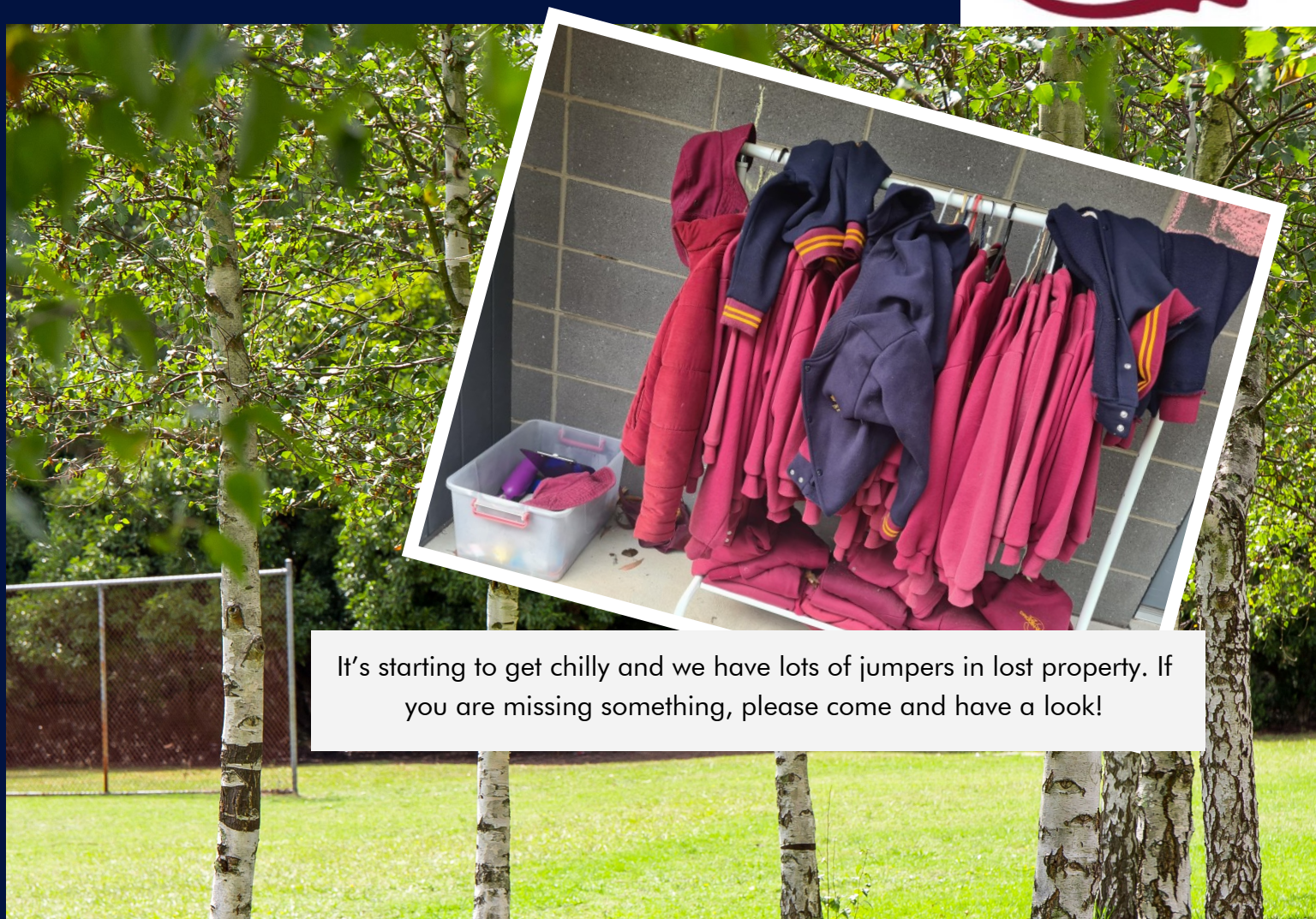


Our hours of supervision are 8.45am-3.30pm

Newsletter

Drouin West Primary School
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TERM 1
2022



It's starting to get chilly and we have lots of jumpers in lost property. If you are missing something, please come and have a look!

IMPORTANT DATES



Mondays	Lunch Orders— Flexischools App
Tuesdays	Breakfast Club 8:30am—8:45am (Free to All) (Starting WEEK 4) Library Open to students at lunch time
Thursdays	Lunch Orders - Flexischools App Breakfast Club 8:30am—8:45am (Free to All) (Starting WEEK 4) Library Open to Students at lunchtime
Fridays	Outside Assembly @ 2:50pm Parents & Friends—1st Friday of the month @ 9:00am (after drop off)
Mon 4th & Wed 6th APR	Parent Teacher Conferences
Wed 6th APR	Student event <i>Shave for a Cure!</i> - Ellis P @ 1:35pm Donate here! Ellis P(leukaemiafoundation.org.au)
Wed 6th APR 2:45-3:15pm	Gr 1A & 1B Class Museum Day
Fri 8th APR	Last Day of Term One - Easter Raffle Drawn Pyjama Day (Gold Coin) - 2:15pm Finish <u>No Assembly</u>
Tues 26th APR	Student free curriculum day
Wed 27th APR	First Day Back for Term 2
Thur 28th APR	Drouin Secondary College Information Day for Gr 6 students
Fri 6th MAY	Mother's Special Other's Stall (Page 4)
Tues 10 - Fri 20th MAY	NAPLAN Testing
Wed 25th MAY	National Simultaneous Storytime
Wed 10th - Fri 12th AUG	Waratah Bay Beach Adventure Camp
Mon 15th - Wed 17th AUG	Grade 5/6 Urban Camp



Hats required in Term 1 for outside play! \$10 @ the office.

From Mrs Halliday



Drouin West Primary School

'Be Safe, Be Kind, Be Respectful, Be a Learner'



Dear families,

Term One is quickly coming to an end and WOW, what a great term it has been!

It has been so long since we have had a full term of learning onsite. The past two years have continued to make us think differently and wonder what's next. The 'match fitness' required for full days back onsite has been a challenge for some.

We have appreciated the ongoing support of our families, the students have had to adjust to many situations during the interrupted past couple of years. The social world is a little new and the demands of sports, extra curricular activities and after school events are back.



Our annual Easter raffle will be drawn on the last day of Term by our student leaders. A big thankyou to those who have donated items!

Next Friday, we are wearing our PJ's to school as a part of a fundraiser organised by our SRC for the Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal. A reminder that the last day of Term has an earlier dismissal time of 2.15pm.

Children return for Term 2 on the Wednesday 27th of April.

Tuesday the 26th is a student free day, our staff are involved in a mathematics professional learning day. DWPS is always improving our knowledge and keeping up with the best research.

WELL DONE to our students who competed in the district athletics day yesterday, you always represent yourselves and our school so well. Mrs Gardiner was very impressed with the efforts!

Take care and enjoy the weekend,

Mrs Kelly Halliday

From Mrs Ronalds

School Chaplain



Hello everyone,

Thanks to those families who have returned permission notes for our Seasons for Growth program.

All those students who returned a signed permission form have been allocated a group and these groups will start in term 2. I'm really looking forward to sharing this special time with the students.

In the meantime, I hope you and your families are going along ok. I love this reminder from the pathway2 success reminding us of the strategies to build resilient and teens. It's a good reminder for us as parents and carers too. I wonder which one captures your attention today?



STRATEGIES TO BUILD RESILIENT KIDS AND TEENS

Practice coping strategies when calm.

Practice with brainteasers and riddles.

Reframe struggles as challenges.

Teach problem-solving skills.

Teach self-compassion.

Teach positive self-talk.

Let kids make mistakes.

Develop SMART goals.

Teach that perfection isn't real.





Drouin West Primary School
Mother's and Special Other's

Mother's Day

2022 STALL



The Mother's Day stall is an annual event that gives the children a chance to select a gift for their Mum or Special Someone from a selection of quality gifts for only \$10 each.

Payment for the gifts can be made via QKR, cash or eftpos by Wednesday 4th May. Due to limited number of gifts purchases are limited to 2 per student and no orders will be accepted after Wednesday the 4th of May.

Gifts will be chosen by the students on
Friday 6th May.

Cash payments cannot be made on the day of the stall.