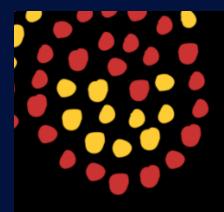


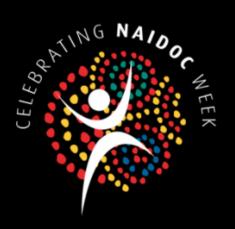
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FOR OUR ELDERS

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IMPORTANT DATES

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Mondays	Lunch Orders via Flexi Schools
	Lunch Time Club: Outdoor games with James
Tuesdays	Lunch Time Club: Garden Club with Miss Gooding
Wednesdays	Lunch Time Club: Art Club with Ms Height & James
	Preps do not attend Wednesdays in February
Thursdays	Lunch Orders via Flexi Schools
	Lunch Time Club: Technology Club
Friday	Assembly (Undercover Area) @ 2:50pm
	Lunch Time Club: Craft in the Art Room
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Thu 22nd JUN	Prep & Year 1 Coal Creek Excursion 9:00am-2:00pm
Fri 23rd JUN	Last Day of Term 2 2:15pm Finish (Last day for CSEF applications)
Fri 23rd JUN	Reports available to view on Compass @ 4:00pm
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Don't forget! If you have a sibling to enrol for Prep 2024 you must submit your paperwork by the 28th of July.

Attendance reminder: If your child is absent, please let us know by phoning the school or adding an attendance note directly into Compass.

DROUIN WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL

Now is the time to submit Prep Enrolment paperwork for 2024!



THE ENROLMENT PROCESS HAS CHANGED

Here is what you need to know...

- Grab a DWPS Enrolment pack from our school office or website.
- 2
- Gather all the required documents and submit the Enrolment paperwork by Friday the 28th of July.
- 3
- We will contact you via email on **Friday the 11th of August** to confirm the outcome of your Enrolment.

Please contact our office on **5625 1971** to organise a school tour.





Dear Families,

It's been another fabulous week at DWPS and we continue to see our students grow in many ways. Whilst the weather is testing us and the winter air is challenging, it has been fabulous to feel the buzz in the school yard. Our students have again enjoyed playing in our Oak tree leaves and our new sandpit has certainly been a hit.

Thank you to families for coming in for parent/teacher interviews over the past two weeks. It was tremendous to see so many families take advantage of the opportunity. Hopefully the discussions had regarding your child's individual growth brought a smile to your face. Your child's reports will be available on COMPASS on Friday at 4pm. This report will indicate your child's achievement as measured by our Victorian Curriculum. Our curriculum is a developmental continuum and we all develop at different rates.

Don't forget it is a early finish next Friday, students will dismissed at 2.15pm to embark on school holidays. I would like to thank everyone for another wonderful term at DWPS, our students continue to make me so proud and seeing them develop brings a smile to my face every day. We are a fabulous community here at DWPS and thank you for continuous partnership with your students education.



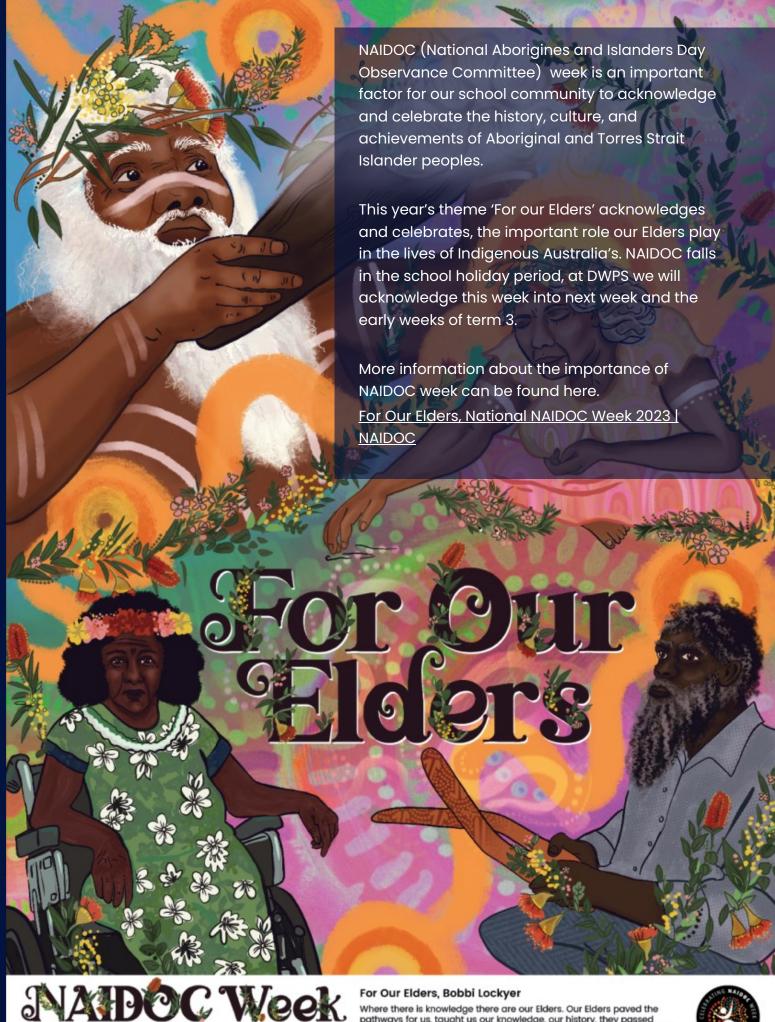
We do say farewell to our Jen in the office at the end of this term.

A big congratulations for securing a new role at Albert St Primary School.

We thank Jen for all she done in her time at DWPS, she will certainly be missed and we wish her the very best in the new venture!

Have a nice weekend and take care,

Kelly Halliday.



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#NAIDOC2023 #ForOurElders







pathways for us, taught us our knowledge, our history, they passed down their art, stories and wisdom. Our Elders are the foundation of our communities and role models for our children. With this poster I wanted to showcase how important our Elders are in passing down traditions and culture to our children and future.





DWPS School Uniform

A reminder that we have a school uniform policy that families are asked to observe, it can be viewed on our website <u>here</u>.

'A school uniform creates a sense of collective and individual pride in students, strengthens school community spirit and prevents bullying and competition based on clothing, allowing all students to feel equal. It ensures that students are dressed appropriately for school activities taking into consideration their health and safety.'







Congratulations Super Bees!

Back Left to Right: Kaiden B, Ainsley B, Bailey W, Lily E, Jasmine B, Mason F, Caeden C, Jensen C, Reid W, Macey G.





CSEF (Camps, Sports and Excursion Funding)

Applications close at the of this term (23rd June). Please contact the office if you think you may be eligible. More information can be found here: Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund | Victorian Government (www.vic.gov.au)

CSEF Application form - 2023 (education.vic.gov.au)