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Parent handbooks are available online or as a hard copy from the office
From The Principal’s Office

Special School Assembly this week!
We would encourage families to come along to a special assembly this week where we will showcase some extra performances.

Our students in Foundation and Year 1, who are learning Japanese this year, will be performing two very special Japanese items at our assembly this week.

Our school choir is also ready to perform a new song and are keen to share some exciting news with our school community about an upcoming event.

Come along and be part of this special assembly which will start promptly at 3.00pm!

Next week, as we will be finishing school at 2.30pm, our assembly will start promptly at 2.15pm.

Special Religious Instruction
A reminder to families in F/1A, F/1B and 2/3A who have indicated they would like their children to participate in S.R.I. this year, to bring along $10 to enable the materials for the program to be ordered. Programs will start at the beginning of term 3.

Celebrating Learning at Drouin West
We are all very proud of the individual achievements so many of our students have made in their learning this year. Following on from the feedback of our school review last year, we will be inviting parents to come and visit their child’s classroom to see the things of which students are particularly proud.

Students will have sent letters of invitation home which will indicate the available times your child’s classroom and teacher is available.

I would encourage all families to find the time to come and visit their child’s classroom, enable their child to show them some samples of learning from semester 1 and have a quick catch up with the teachers to clarify information in student reports.

Drouin West CFA Visit
Next week we have organised with the Drouin West CFA education officers to run the Fire Safe Kids Program. We are able to offer a session for each class which includes a classroom presentation and discussion, an opportunity to experience going through the Smoke House and a chance to have a close look at the fire truck.

If parents have any concerns about students entering the Smoke House (eg Asthma, anxiety) please let us know.

It is great to have this strong community link between the school community and the local CFA.

Do you have time to volunteer and support your community?
Would you like to learn new skills and help your community?
Drouin West Fire Brigade is looking for members of the community that could spare some time during the day particularly during school hours. Drouin West Fire Brigade has a shortage of members that are able to respond to emergencies as well as other non-firefighting roles during the day and are hoping that you can help.

You will receive first class training and be supported by skilled and experienced members. All your clothing and equipment is provided free, you don’t need to supply anything.

Would you like to know more?
Contact your Captain, Bruce Jewell on 0418 329826 or captain@dwrfb.org.au

Camp, Sports & Excursion Fund
Eligible families can apply for the CSEF by completing an application form and returning this to school by the end of term 2. Please collect a form from the office or download a form from www.education.vic.gov.au/csef.

Leaves! Leaves! Leaves!
We are coming to the end of our supply of leaves around the school ground. Thank you to families who have taken the many bags of lovely, crunchy, golden leaves and enriched our environment by composting these into gardens. Thank you for the return of the plastic bags which we are happy to recycle!

School Website
Have you missed the newsletter? Do you want information about the school? Please take the time to visit: www.drouinwest.vic.edu.au
We have nearly made it to the end of this very long term. Well done to everyone! Some sunshine on the weekend was lovely and in particular to see some blue sky. I think the washing may have even got dry!!

We have had some families in our school community who are going through some very hard times. Some have lost loved ones and some have needed unexpected surgery or who have family members significantly unwell.

I was wondering if there was anyone in the Drouin West community who would be willing to make a meal for those in our school community who may not have the support they need at this difficult time.

Meals would need to be provided in a throw away container
Labelled with the ingredients
With the date printed on the container to show when the meal was cooked

Meals would be handed into the office to be placed in the freezer at Drouin West Primary and would be distributed to the family at an appropriate time. Ideas for meals could include but is not limited to:-

- Soup
- Cakes/Muffins
- Meal for tea

Have a think about whether this is something you would like to be involved in and please come and talk to me if you have any questions.

“Even the smallest act of caring for another person is like a drop of water—it will make ripples throughout the entire pond.” Jessy and Bryan Matteo

I am generally available on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays if you would like to catch up.

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It’s that time of year when the leaves are falling off the trees and the front teeth are falling out of the children’s mouths. If this keeps up the tooth fairy will be broke. Meanwhile the boys had fun making man buns for crazy hair care.

Don’t forget all accounts must be paid in full by the end of term on Friday 26th June to ensure places are held for term 3.

If you would like more information about OSHC or the activities children participate in please do not hesitate in contact Peta Watson OSHC co-ordinator.

Our OSHC program runs in the mornings from 7am to 8:45am and in the afternoons from 3:15pm to 5:45pm sharp.

Please note we are currently heavily booked for our morning sessions, so please make all bookings 24 hours in advance to ensure there is a place available.

Talon, Chayce, Harry, Keegan, Ashden, Beau, Zach and Blake. Nice hair boys!!
Happy Birthday !!!!!!

Happy birthday to the following students who celebrate their special day during the week of Monday, 15th June to Sunday, 21st June.


Don’t forget to come to the office and collect a birthday sticker.
Could we please not have an alligator for a classroom pet?
By Joab Ferguson F/1A

I’m as silly as a baboon knocking his chest.
By Thomas Dennis 3/4B

It is clearly obvious that the legal driving age should be 14.
By Spencer Clark 1/2A

Crack! As the rusted gate opened.
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Super ‘B’ Award Winners
Super ‘B’ award winners for week 9, term 2:

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