

DANDENONG PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Tuesday 22 August 2022

COVID Safety Reminders

Please be reminded that students and staff who test positive for COVID must isolate themselves for 7-days (i.e. stay home) and must inform the school.

The Department of Health currently strongly recommends the use of face masks for all individuals aged 8 years and over in indoor settings. As per Term 2, masks are mandatory for household contacts (formerly "close contacts").

However, schools are not required or expected to sanction students or staff who do not meet this expectation but are asked to communicate this expectation to the whole school community and seek community support for this collective effort.

لطفاً خلاصه‌ای از ماسک‌های COVID-19 و الزامات
ایزوله‌سازی را بعداً در این خبرنامه ببینید

Student Safety Concern for Early Arrivals

Last week we observed a small number of children arrive at school far too early (e.g. at around 8am). It is important to note that our playgrounds are not supervised before 8:45am and that our Breakfast Club does not open until 8:20am.

Children attending our Breakfast Club are welcome to arrive at our school hall from 8:20am and must not be left unattended on the streets around the school grounds.

We may look to review our Breakfast Club opening times for Term 4 to lessen any possibility of confusion around student arrival times.

محوطه مدرسه ما قبل از ساعت 8:45 صبح توسط کارکنان
نظارت نمی‌شود. لطفاً کودکان را بدون مراقبت رها نکنید.

Foundation Moonlight Sanctuary Excursion

This Thursday, our Foundation (Prep) students will participate in an excursion to Melbourne's award-winning Moonlit Sanctuary wildlife park.



The [Moonlight Sanctuary](https://moonlitsanctuary.com.au/) is located in Pearcedale and is home to more than 70 Australian wildlife species.

روز پنجشنبه، کلاس‌های "بنیاد" ما از "پناهگاه مهتاب" بازدید
می‌کنند که خانه بیش از 70 گونه از حیات وحش استرالیا است.

For more information, visit:

<https://moonlitsanctuary.com.au/>

Year 6 City Camp

Our Year 6 students and staff are busy preparing for their 12-14 September [Doxa City Camp](#). The City Camp offers opportunities for students to experience urban life and to explore all the fun things that Melbourne has to offer.

دانش آموزان سال ششم از 12 تا 14 سپتامبر در کمپ شهر
ملبورن شرکت خواهند کرد.



Dandenong Primary School's Kinder to Prep Transition Program Calendar

Our transition program has been developed to help make starting school a positive experience for all involved...



Session 1: Mon 15 August 8:45 - 10am

Session 2: Thurs 8 September 8:45 - 10am

Session 3: Wed 12 October 8:45 - 10am

Session 4: Thurs 10 November 4 - 5pm

Session 5: Mon 21 November 8:45 - 10am

Session 6: Thurs 1 December 9 - 11am

جلسه 1: دوشنبه 15 اوت 8:45 - 10 صبح
جلسه 2: پنجشنبه 8 سپتامبر 8:45 - 10 صبح
جلسه 3: چهارشنبه 12 اکتبر 8:45 - 10 صبح
جلسه 4: پنجشنبه 10 نوامبر 4 - 5 بعد از ظهر
جلسه 5: دوشنبه 21 نوامبر 8:45 - 10 صبح
جلسه 6: پنجشنبه 1 دسامبر 9 - 11 صبح

سत्र 1: सोमवार 15 अगस्त 8:45 - सुबह 10 बजे

सत्र 2: गुरुवार 8 सितंबर 8:45 - सुबह 10 बजे

सत्र 3: बुधवार, 12 अक्टूबर, 8:45 - सुबह 10 बजे

सत्र 4: गुरुवार 10 नवंबर 4 - शाम 5 बजे।

सत्र 5: सोमवार 21 नवंबर 8:45 - सुबह 10 बजे

सत्र 6: गुरुवार, 1 दिसंबर, सुबह 9-11 बजे।

அமர்வு 1: திங்கள் 15 ஆகஸ்ட் 8:45 - 10am

அமர்வு 2: வியாழன் 8 செப்டம்பர் 8:45 - 10am

அமர்வு 3: புதன் 12 அக்டோபர் 8:45 - 10am

அமர்வு 4: வியாழன் 10 நவம்பர் 4 - மாலை 5 மணி

அமர்வு 5: திங்கள் 21 நவம்பர் 8:45 - காலை 10 மணி

அமர்வு 6: வியாழன் 1 டிசம்பர் 9 - காலை 11 மணி

Scan our QR code to **enrol
your child** at DPS for 2023



For more information visit www.dandenongps.vic.edu.au

Kinder to Prep Transition

Last week saw the commencement of our 6-part Kinder to Prep transition program. Our next session will take place from 8:45am on Thursday 8 September in our Foundation 'BER' Building.

جلسه بعدی آمادگی مدرسه برای کودکان و والدین مهدکودک از ساعت 8:45 صبح پنجشنبه 8 سپتامبر برگزار می شود.

Dandenong Primary School Holiday Program

With thanks to our friends at CommunityOSH, we're very pleased to be offering a school-based holiday program on Tuesday,

Wednesday and Thursday of both weeks of the upcoming Spring holidays.

To register, visit: <https://www.commosh.net.au/> or visit our after-school care program in the school hall from 3:30pm for assistance.

مدرسه ما یک برنامه فعالیت تعطیلات مدرسه را در روزهای سه شنبه، چهارشنبه و پنجشنبه در طول ترم تعطیلات بهاری ارائه می دهد. جزئیات بیشتر در بروشور این خبرنامه موجود است. خانواده هایی که دارای "کارت مراقبت های بهداشتی" هستند ممکن است واجد شرایط تخفیف قابل توجهی باشند.

Teacher Aide Appreciation Week

Australian Teacher Aide Appreciation Week for 2022 will be celebrated during the week, 29 August – 2 September.

هفته قدردانی از دستیار معلم استرالیا برای سال 2022 در طول هفته 29 اوت تا 2 سپتامبر جشن گرفته می شود.



DANDENONG PRIMARY SCHOOL'S
Swimming
Program 2022
ON
WEDNESDAYS IN TERM 4
FROM 5 OCTOBER TO 23 NOVEMBER
FEATURING
WATER SAFETY, STROKE DEVELOPMENT, FUN & FITNESS

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Resume Help & Job Application Advice for Adults at Dandenong Primary School

در مورد رزومه و درخواست های شغلی کمک کنید

Do you need advice on any of the following...

- writing a resume?
- finding a suitable job?
- deciding on study options?

آیا برای درخواست شغل یا گزینه های تحصیلی کمک می خواهید؟

Dandenong Primary School now has a volunteer on
Wednesdays is to provide advice to any potential job
seekers

مدرسه ما یک مشاور شغلی داوطلب دارد که می تواند به متقاضیان
کار بالقوه کمک کند

If you would like some help, please email Amanda at
amandaoliver01@icloud.com with a brief summary of the
assistance you require



اگر مایل به کمک هستید، لطفاً آماندا را به آدرس
amandaoliver01@icloud.com ایمیل کنید. لطفاً در پیام ایمیل خود خلاصه ای
از کمکی که به دنبال آن هستید ارائه دهید

Queen's Jubilee Tree Planting

Our school has been successful in its application for a \$10,000 federal government Queen's Jubilee tree planting grant.

We are aiming to hold a tree planting day for students and families in October to assist with the planting of around 120 native trees on our school site.

Community-based tree planting events will be held across Australia to mark the Jubilee (70 years of service) of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II.

The program complements other initiatives occurring across the Commonwealth to mark The Queen's Jubilee, such as the tree planting initiative in the United Kingdom which is inviting people to "Plant a Tree for the Jubilee".

مدرسه ما با کمک 10000 دلاری دولت برای کاشت حدود 120 درخت بومی در سایت مدرسه ما ارائه شده است. روزی در ماه اکتبر روز درختکاری را برگزار خواهیم کرد.



Thursday 25 August is Daffodil Day.

Students & staff are invited to wear casual dress (some yellow where possible) and to bring along a gold coin donation for the Cancer Council Daffodil Day Appeal



Bring \$1 and wear some yellow!

این پنجشنبه 25 اگوست، از دانش آموزان دعوت می شود تا لباس های غیر رسمی بپوشند و یک دلار کمک مالی برای شورای سرطان استرالیا سالانه "روز نرگس" به همراه داشته باشند.



Daffodil Day 2022

This Thursday 25 August is Daffodil Day and we're inviting students and staff to wear casual dress (with some yellow) and to bring along a gold coin donation for the Cancer Council. On this particular day, our Foundation (Prep) students are participating in an excursion to the Moonlit Sanctuary so we would strongly encourage that our Foundation children continue to wear school uniform on this day. For more information about Daffodil Day, visit: <https://www.daffodilday.com.au/>

Dandenong Primary School's COVIDSafe Measures for Term 3 of 2022



Masks

- Strongly recommended by the Department of Health for those aged 8 and over when in indoor settings
- Mandatory for household contacts when attending school

ماسک صورت برای افراد بالای 8 سال برای محیط های داخلی به شدت توصیه می شود.



Testing

- Recommended for use by students and staff when symptomatic
- Household contacts required to test negative before attending school

آزمایش کووید برای افراد دارای علائم توصیه می شود. آزمایش روزانه کووید برای کسانی که در تماس نزدیک با یک مورد تایید شده کووید بوده اند اجباری است



Household Contacts

- Must notify the school that they are a household contact
- Are are required to quarantine
- Are required to test negative before attending school

افرادی که در تماس نزدیک با یک مورد تایید شده بوده اند باید هر روز قبل از حضور در مدرسه نتیجه آزمایش منفی دریافت کنند.



COVID Positive Cases

- Must notify the school by telephone or email
- Must isolate for 7-days

افراد مبتلا به کووید باید به مدرسه اطلاع دهند و باید 7 روز در ایزوله باشند (یعنی به مدرسه نیایند)

Year 3 and 4 State Library Excursion

Students in Year 3 and 4 had a wonderful experience last week at the [State Library Victoria](#). The visit saw students participate in the Story Talks initiative which aims to foster a lifelong love of stories and storytelling by connecting primary-aged children to their favourite authors.

In each program State Library Victoria interviews some of Australia's best-loved book creators, asking them the kinds of questions young children really want to know. *Where do your ideas come from? How do you develop unforgettable characters? When you were a kid, what did you want to be when you grew up? Why is storytelling important?*



Dandenong Primary Spring Holiday Program 20TH-29TH SEPTEMBER 2022



Families can claim Child Care Subsidy if you are registered with MYGOV and the Family Assistance Office.

7am - 6:15pm 174 Foster Street Dandenong 3175 www.commosh.edu.au

Tuesday 20th September Spring Carnival

The weather is finally warming up and there is a lot of fun to be had at our Spring Carnival. Choose from our craft projects such as colourful windmills, woolly weavings or make a wooden garden tag. In the afternoon Play Knock Em Down, Ring Toss and Balloon Pop together and win a prize.



Wednesday 28th Tunza Fun

Get ready for an action packed and super fun day at Tunza Fun! Everyone will be given their own tokens so you can test your skills on the arcade games and win yourself a prize to take home. As a group we will strap ourselves in at the 9D Cinema to watch a 3D animated movies with surround sound, coupled with "active motion" luxury seats.

Please arrive by 9.00am



Thursday 29th Move and Groove

The holidays are in full swing so let's get moving! Instructors from Footsteps Dance Company will be joining us today to teach us a group routine for all age levels, with a high emphasis on self-confidence and physical fitness. In the afternoon enjoy time on the Playground and make a shrinky key ring.



Tuesday 27th Movie Excursion

We are off to the movies today at Hoyts to see the latest Children's Movie. Sit back and relax and get transported to another world. Movie title to be confirmed and parents advised a week prior once session times are released.

Please arrive by 9.00am



Wednesday 28th September Mini Commonwealth Games

Make sure you have a big breakfast as we will be running, swinging and throwing all morning. In teams you will compete in our CommunityOSH Mini Games on the oval. We will be learning the fundamentals of shot put, long jump, relay races and hurdles to develop essential motor skills and team work.



Thursday 29th Reptile Encounters

During the Animal Reptile incursion we will discover how plants and animals are dependent upon each other as well as the difference between predators and prey. Find out what threats animals face and what humans can do to help protect their environment. Get up close to some birds, freshwater turtle, lizard, snake & crocodile.



Children need to pack morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

Please ensure children are wearing closed in shoes, weather appropriate clothing, hat and bring a refillable drink bottle.

**FRIDAY IS
ICY POLE
DAY**

Icy poles \$1 each



**EVERYONE
BELONGS
HERE**

**SCHOOL
BREAKFAST
CLUBS PROGRAM
BREAKFAST CLUB**



ALL STUDENTS WELCOME

DAYS: Every school day!

TIME: 8:20am - 8:50am

ROOM: The Hall

Community Hub

A welcoming place where migrant and refugee families, particularly mothers with young children, come to connect, share, and learn.

مکانی دلپذیر برای خانواده های مهاجر و پناهنده، به ویژه مادران دارای فرزندان خردسال، برای اشتراک گذاری و یادگیری.

Mondays • دوشنبه ها

English Class • کلاس انگلیسی



Time: 9am - 11:30am

Audience: Adults (Childminding Available)

Provided by: Keysborough Learning Centre

Thursdays • پنجشنبه ها

Bush Kinder • پیش دبستانی

Time: 9am - 11:00am

Audience: Parents & 2-4 Year Old Children

Supported by: Keery & Tania

Tuesdays • سه شنبه ها

English Class • کلاس انگلیسی



Time: 9am - 10:30am

Audience: Adults (Children Welcome)

Supported by: Keery & Tania

Fridays • جمعه ها

Dandy Pals Playgroup • مهد کودک

Time: 9am - 10:45am

Audience: Parents & 0-4 Year Olds

Supported by: Dandenong Primary School Staff

Wednesdays • چهارشنبه ها

Computer Class • کلاس رایانه



Time: 9am - 12pm

Audience: Adults (Children Welcome)

Provided by: Keysborough Learning Centre

Toy Library • کتابخانه اسباب بازی

Time: 9am - 10:45am

Audience: Parents & 0-4 Year Olds

Supported by: Toy Libraries Australia

Our programs are free and everyone is welcome!

برنامه های ما رایگان است و همه پذیرفته می شوند



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AUGUST 2022

COMMUNITYOSH NEWSLETTER DANDENONG PS



Some of our activities of the week, the children at Dandenong Primary have different choices to participate in free play activities such as Lego, colouring, board games, card games, painting, and craft.

With this wintery cold weather, we will try to have a quick outdoor play whenever we can. Last week the children decorated a love Commosh heart Cake. Prior to this experience, we had a very creative discussion on what and how the cake is going to turn out. They had a blast decorating it and help with the clean up as well. Everyone had a piece or two of the gorgeous cake, parents love it too. Next week is recycle art next week and muffin decoration requested by the children



TO ENROL & BOOK, LOGIN OR CREATE YOUR ACCOUNT AT
WWW.COMMUNITYOSH.EDU.AU OR EMAIL ADMIN@COMMOSH.EDU.AU



City of Greater Dandenong Auskick Plus Centre

AFL Victoria is offering an opportunity for **EVERYONE** to participate in more Auskick fun in 2022! Whether you missed out on this year's Community Auskick program or you just want to extend your Auskick experience, Auskick plus is for you!

When: Running for 6 weeks from 5:00pm - 6:00pm,
Wednesday, August 31st

Where: Ross Reserve, Noble Park

Who: Delivered by experienced AFL Victoria coaches

What: A fun, welcoming and inclusive AFL Auskick program
for kids aged 5 to 12 years old.

Cost: FREE including an Auskick pack!

REGISTER HERE!



This is a FREE program but to register, you will need discount code 61FFF3B9 at check-out

Important Dates for 2022

August

- [National Science Week](#) 13-21/8
- Kinder to Prep Transition 15/8
- [Semper Dental](#) 15/8
- [CBCA Book Week](#) 20-26/8
- [Musica Viva](#) Incursion 24/8
- Athletics Day 24/8
- [Daffodil Day](#)
- Teacher Aide Appreciation Week 30/8 - 3/9

September

- Indigenous Literacy Day
- Father's Day Sunday 4/9
- International Literacy Day 8/9
- Kinder to Prep Transition 8/9
- R U OK Day 8/9
- Year 6 [City Camp](#) 12-14/9
- **Term 3 Ends 3:30pm Thursday 15/9**
- Curriculum Day 16/9 - **School Closed**

October

- **Term 4 Begins Monday 3/10**
- Swimming Program Begins 5/10
- World Mental Health Day 10/10
- Kinder to Prep Transition 12/10
- Dad & Family Night Thursday 13/10
- Diwali Thursday 24/10
- Walk Safely to School Day (TBC)
- [Birth of the Báb](#) 25-26/10
- Prep 2022 Enrolments Due 28/10
- Teachers Day Friday 28/10
- Halloween 31/10
- Curriculum Day 31/10 - **School Closed**

November

- Melbourne Cup Tuesday 1/11 - **School Closed**
- Coach Approach
- Colour Run
- Kinder to Prep Transition 10/11
- [Remembrance Day](#) 11/11
- Professional Practice Day - **School Closed**
- Kinder to Prep Transition 21/11
- Swimming Program Begins 23/11
- Victorian State Election 26/11

December

- Kinder to Prep Transition 1/12
- Community Picnic 5/12
- Year 6 Graduation Lunch 10/12
- Year 6 to 7 Transition Day 13/12
- Year 6 Graduation 13/12
- Year 6 Excursion 16/12
- Semester 2 Reports 16/12
- **School Year Ends 1:30pm Tuesday 20/12**

Important Dates for 2023

January

- Lunar New Year - Year of the Rabbit 22/1
- School Office Opens 23/1
- Delivery of Supplies
- [Australia Day](#) 26/1
- **Term 1 Starts 9am Tuesday 31/1**

February

- Welcome to Country Ceremony
- [Pancake Day/Shrove Tuesday](#) 21/2
- Mother Language Day 21/2
- Meet & Greet 5pm Thursday 23/2
- Updated **Asthma & Anaphylaxis Plans Due 28/2**
- Enrolment Census 28/2

March

- International Women's Day 8/3
- [Holi](#) 8/3
- [Labour Day](#) Monday 13/3 - **School Closed**
- [National Day of Action Against Bullying](#)
- [NAPLAN](#) 15-27/3
- [Nowruz](#) 21/3
- [Harmony Day](#) Tuesday 21/3
- [Ramadan](#) Begins Evening 22/3

April

- [Autism Awareness Day](#) Sunday 2/4
- **Term 1 Ends 2:30pm Thursday 6/4**
- [Good Friday](#) 7/4
- [Easter Sunday](#) 9/4
- [Ramadan](#) Ends Evening 20/4
- Orthodox Easter Sunday 16/4
- **Term 2 Begins Monday 24/4**
- [ANZAC Day](#) Tuesday 25/4
- [Mother Earth Day](#) Saturday 22/4

May

- Mum & Me Friday 12/5
- Mother's Day Sunday 14/5
- [International Day of Families](#) Monday 15/5
- Education Support Personnel Day 16/5
- School Photo Day 22/5



**Dandenong
Primary
School**

**Excellence in
learning and
teaching in
Australia's most
culturally
diverse
community**

**Enrol now
& receive a free uniform**



OUR FRAMEWORK FOR SUCCESS...



Strong academic emphasis

Developing knowledge and skills in English, Mathematics, STEM, Health & Physical Education, Visual Arts & More

تاکید دانشگاهی قوی با تمرکز ویژه بر توسعه دانش و مهارت‌های غنی در زبان انگلیسی، ریاضیات، علوم، بهداشت و تربیت بدنی، و هنرهای تجسمی



Happy, healthy & resilient learners

Supporting students in becoming creative and confident individuals with a sense of self-worth, self-awareness and personal identity

حمایت از دانش آموزان برای تبدیل شدن به افرادی خلاق و با اعتماد به نفس با احساس ارزشمندی، خودآگاهی و هویت شخصی

OFFERING...

- Before & After School Care
- Onsite Kindergarten & Award-Winning Community Hub
- Program for Students with Disabilities
- Student Voice, Agency & Leadership

- خدمات مراقبت صبحگاهی و بعد از مدرسه
- کلاس های زبان انگلیسی مهدکودک و بزرگسالان در محل
- پذیرایی از دانش آموزان معلول
- صدای دانشجو، آژانس دانشجویی و رهبری دانشجویی

TO ENROL YOUR CHILD FOR 2023 & FOR MORE INFORMATION...

Scan our QR code for more information or visit www.dandenongps.vic.edu.au

کد QR ما را برای اطلاعات بیشتر در مورد مدرسه ما اسکن کنید



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