

Darlington Point Public School



Striving for Excellence

Term 3 – Week 10
Tuesday, 22 September 2020



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Semester 2 Public Speaking Winners

Congratulations to all students who participated in our recent Public Speaking Competition which was in the form of prose reading. The winners were announced at last week's assembly:

KB – Fred
1/2S – Tahlia
3/4W – Violet
5/6G - Starlette

Premier's Debating Competition

Last Friday, our Debating team participated in round 3 of the Premier's Debating Competition. In this debate we versed Finley Public School and took the negative case. The topic for the debate was 'That Primary Schools should start each day with a 30-minute exercise class'. We won this debate, so now we have 2 wins and a loss. It is unlikely that we will progress to the next round; however, the team has enjoyed the experience and the new skills they have gained. Congratulations go to Dylan, Phoenix, Clancy and Jed on their performances in this competition.

Enrolling Kindergarten for 2021

We are now accepting enrolments for Kindergarten 2021. Children who turn 5 before 31 July 2021 are eligible for enrolment in Kindergarten. Please present your child's Birth Certificate, Immunisation Record and evidence of your residential address at the time of application.

If you would like to discuss readiness for school or any other matters regarding enrolling your child please contact the school office.

We are still waiting to see if the current restrictions surrounding Kindergarten Orientation will be changed for Term 4. Under the current guidelines, we are unable to conduct our normal orientation program.

Term 3 Week 10

Mon 21 Sep – Fri 25 Sep Footsteps Dance
Fri 25 Sep School Banking
Fri 25 Sep Last Day of Term 3

Term 4 Week 1

Mon 12 Oct Staff & Students Return
Fri 16 Oct School Banking

Term 4 Week 2

Fri 23 Oct School Banking

Hats

Please make sure that students are bringing and wearing their school bucket hat.

School Holidays

With the school holidays approaching, just a reminder to students that the school grounds are off limits during this period. If anyone does witness any suspicious activity, please contact the School Security Hotline on **1300 880 021** or the Police.

School will resume on Monday 12 October for both students and staff.

MERIT AWARDS

Term 3 Week 8

KB

Erhard – working hard during all Reading activities.

Joshua – an awesome detailed illustration of the slow sloth.

1/2S

Navaya – trying really hard during Maths warm up games.

Dallas – carefully drawing bug diagrams with lots of labels.

3/4W

Ivy – her love of writing and expertise on the Ninja Warrior line equipment.

Kyuss – helping others in class.

5/6G

Colita – persevering with the birds at sunset artwork to make thin, more defined lines.

Rusty – settling to work more quickly and for having a polite, well-mannered attitude.

Bidgee Bonus Awards



Term 3 Week 8

KB – Erhard, Tyler, Fred, Jonah & Tylen

1/2S – Brady, Hudson, Emma & Tyler

3/4W – Rodney & Ivy

5/6G – Daniel, Emily, Levi & Tiani

Term 3 Week 9

KB – Layhnee & Maysen

1/2S – Maggie, Navaya, Beau, Kiah, Dakota, Kian & Vanessa

3/4W – Violet & Rodney

5/6G – Jed, Rusty, Zane, Dylan & Jett

MERIT AWARDS

Term 3 Week 9

KB

Dusty – working hard to make great patterns during Maths.

Yuri – fantastic efforts when writing new words in Independent Writing.

1/2S

Isabella – using interesting facts to make a wonderful poster about bugs.

Brady – diligently bringing his sight word homework in.

3/4W

Siena – improved writing skills, using capitals and adjectives.

Jharal – outstanding effort with his Maths problem solving skills and explanations.

5/6G

Jett – a consistent effort in Mathematics, to understand concepts and answer questions correctly.

Tiani – working well, independently and as part of a team, to complete Literacy tasks.

Footsteps Dance Program

This week all students will be participating in a Footsteps Dance Program. This involves a 30 minute dance lesson each day which meets the outcomes of the Dance strand of the Personal Development, Health and Physical Education (PDHPE) syllabus.

There will be **NO** Footsteps Disco this year as there has been in previous year.

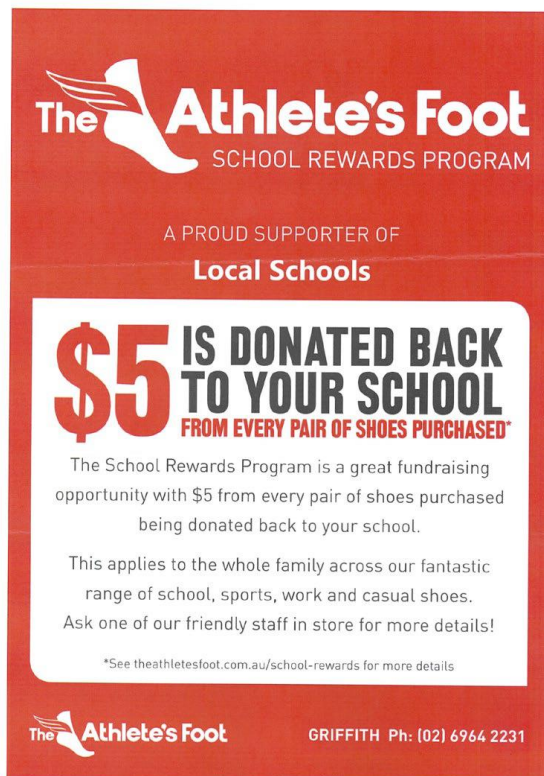
Riverina Children's Activity Van Mobile Preschool 2021 Enrolments

The Riverina Children's Activity Van (RCAV) Mobile Preschool is available for Preschool aged children to attend. They visit Darlington Point 2 days a week (Thursday and Friday) in Lander Street. They are currently taking enrolments for 2021. If you would like to enrol your child please fill out the Waiting List Enrolment form 2021. You can pick up a form from the school office. **Enrolments close on 20 November 2020.**

If you would like further information you can email them on rcavpreschool@bigpond.com or phone on 6962 4463.

The Athlete's Foot School Rewards Program

The School Rewards Program is a great fundraising opportunity with \$5.00 from every pair of shoes purchased from The Athlete's Foot Griffith being donated back to Darlington Point Public School. This applies to the whole family across their fantastic range of school, sports, work and casual shoes.



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*See theathletesfoot.com.au/school-rewards for more details

The Athlete's Foot GRIFFITH Ph: (02) 6964 2231

Swim & Survive Summer Holiday Program

Swim and Survive lessons will be held at Coleambally, Darlington Point and Jerilderie pools this January. Bookings open on 1 October 2020. The lessons will run from 11 January to 21 January 2021.

You can book online at <http://royalnsw.com.au/SWIM-AND-SURVIVE> or call 9634 3700



It's time to
DUST OFF THE SWIMMERS

SWIM & SURVIVE
SUMMER HOLIDAY PROGRAM

ROYAL LIFE SAVING AUSTRALIA
NSW GOVERNMENT

Play Cricket

Sign up today at www.playcricket.com.au if you would like your child to play in the 2020/21 cricket season. Only players registered online are covered by insurance for training and games. Don't forget to use your active kids vouchers.



