



# Newsletter 2018

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## Crossing Fingers!!!

### Dates to Note:

- Fri 30th Nov  
P & C AGM 6:30pm  
Dinner -Delhi Heights  
7pm
- Mon 10th Dec  
Visit to Hillside P.S  
Pantomime
- Tues 11th Dec  
Presentation Evening  
7pm
- Wed 12th Dec  
Yr 6 Farewell/Disco
- Fri 14th Dec  
Carols at Bendigo Bank  
9:15 to 11 am
- Tues 18th Dec  
Putt-Putt
- Wed 19th Dec  
Last day of school for  
students



**Pedestrian Crossing:** I have contacted the RMS regarding a crossing facility on Old Northern Road to enable us to access Dooral Early Learning Centre for before and after school care. I also sent copies of this letter to Ray Williams MP and Matt Kean MP in support of my request. I have received a response from Mr Williams who has supported our request by forwarding it on to the Minister for Transport—Ms Melinda Pavey . As stated in our last assembly, any support through correspondence may also help push our cause before the start of the 2019 school year. We all will benefit from this! We need your help!

**Swim Scheme:** It's the final week of this program and I am quite amazed at the significant progress made by all students. Their behaviour and perseverance is to be commended. **Thank you to all parents who have offered assistance with transport for tomorrow's swimming. We actually have now secured the bus for tomorrow as it has become available again...which gives you back your time! Thank you all for having made yourselves available.**

**Presentation Evening:** Please lock in the date for this year's Presentation Evening. It will be held on Tuesday 11th December commencing at 7:00pm. It is a night for all of our students and families where we recognise the many achievements at this beautiful school. The night usually concludes at around 9:00pm.

Our students will be performing a play for you on this night. Costume information has been discussed with the children. Notes coming home this week where assistance is required.

**Our AGM will be held on November 30th at 6:30 before the parent dinner being held at Delhi Heights Dural.**

**Yr 6 Farewell and End of year Disco:** This will be held on the afternoon after presentation night, Wednesday 12th December. It is a night for the whole school to farewell Yr 6 and to celebrate the end of another year together. Our P&C provides a lovely dinner for all students before we dance the night away in the senior classroom. The night is run by our P&C and supervised by teaching staff. Dinner commencing at 5:30, Disco at 6:30. The night concludes at 7:30. Teachers will be supervising on the night.

**PUTT-PUTT:** As an end of year fun activity, we have organised a day at our local Putt-Putt. A lovely walk to and from the venue, along with 2 rounds of mini-golf all washed down with a nice ice-cream treat....all for just \$10 per child. This event will be held on Tuesday 18th December for all students. Please see note attached.

**Hillside Pantomime:** We have been invited by Hillside PS to attend a dress rehearsal of their bi-annual pantomime performance. This will be on Monday 10th December. Notes to come home soon. We will be asking for parent assistance for this event.

**Bendigo Bank Carols:** Our annual performance at Galston shops will be on Friday 14th December commencing 9:30. We ask that parents drop off their children at 9:15 at Galston Shops. We will meet at the grassy area near the Local collective and Bendigo Bank. We hope parents will stay to watch. Children will be performing until 10:30, after which we have a treat provided by Bendigo Bank— Hot chips and a popper. Children then will then travel back with parents to school (approximately 11:00am). Anyone needing assistance with this please let us know.

## **Our School Day:**

The morning bell rings at **9:00am**, giving students time to prepare and assemble for a **9:05** start in the classroom.

Recess commences at **11:05am** and concludes at **11:30am**.

Lunch is from **1:05pm** to **1:55pm**. The school day concludes at **3:05pm**.



**Don't forget our P&C**

**Presentation Raffle**

**Please consider visiting your local businesses to support our school**

**Donations**

**welcome**



**P&C AGM on**

**Friday 30th November at 6:30pm**

**in the school library.**

**PRODUCTIVE!!!**

We would love you to join us to help keep this school the amazing place it is and to ensure your children gain the benefits that previous years have been able to experience through the many efforts of P&C participation and guidance.

Why not come along to be a voice to be heard. Share your thoughts. Maybe offer some assistance in some small way. We would really enjoy your company.

*Parent & Staff Dinner*

*Friday 30th November*

*7pm*

*Delhi Heights*

*Cnr Old Northern Rd & Quarry Rd*

*Dural*

*Come and join us*

*"fine food & great company"*

*\$40 per person*



**EVERY**

***Accomplishment starts with the decision to***

***TRY***

An important reminder to parents that if you have any concerns at all regarding your child, their work or an issue with another child in the school, we ask that you please speak to the class teacher to clarify the situation. Sometimes things are not quite as they seem.

Do remember that in a small school, teachers are extremely busy, covering anything from 3 to 4 duties a day as well as preparation and marking. It may be, therefore, better to make an appointment to ensure satisfaction all round.

*Ann Mills*

*Principal*

*Middle Dural PS*