



Newsletter 2022

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Tuesday 8th March 2022

Fancy Footsteps

Dates to Note:

- **Tues 8th Mar**
Footsteps Dance
P & C Meeting 7pm
- **Wed 9th March**
Galston High Open Day
- **Tues 15th Mar**
Footsteps Dance
- **Tues 22nd Mar**
Footsteps Dance
- **Thurs 24th Mar**
Assembly 2:30pm
- **Tues 29th Mar**
Footsteps Dance

Footsteps: So impressed with our students as they have fun participating in this very worthwhile and highly organised program happening every Tuesday afternoon until the end of term. Yrs K/1/2 dance from 2:00pm to 2:30pm; Yrs 3/4/5/6 dance from 2:30 to 3:00pm.

Canteen: Thank you to our wonderful mums for getting our canteen up and running. I know students are quite excited every Monday at recess and lunch. Please remember to have your lunch orders (written on the bags) with correct money inside each Friday, allowing time for collation of orders and shopping before Monday.

Japanese: All students are enjoying Japanese language and culture lessons each Friday. Mrs Meyers takes the K/1/2 children every Friday while I have an office day. Mrs McLennan takes the K/1/2 for some computer skills on this day also, allowing Mrs Meyers time to share her knowledge of Japanese with the 3/4/5/6 students.

Leadership Course: This full day program for our Yr5/6 students has had to be postponed due to the severe weather conditions. We are waiting on a suitable date to be shared.

Assembly: We are working on a COVID safe approach to an assembly for students and parents on Thursday of week 9 (March 24th) at 2:30pm. More information will follow shortly.

Parent/Teacher Interviews: We will be holding interviews with parents to discuss the progress and support for your children at this stage of their learning and how you can help at home. Dates and times to be announced.

Galston High School: GHS will have an Open Day on Wednesday 9th March. All students in Yrs 5 and 6 are encouraged to attend with their parents to have a look around to see what GHS can offer. It is important to register online to book a school tour.

Mrs Moss: Mrs Moss is on leave for 3 weeks from Monday 7th March to 28th March. Mrs Lewis will be in the office on Mondays, Thursdays and Friday morning. Ms Watson will be in the office on Tuesday and Wednesday. Please make them welcome.

Cross Country: Once our grounds "dry out" our students will be training and developing their long distance running skills in preparation for our combined cross Country race to be held at the beginning of Term 2 on our grounds. This will be shared with Hillside PS this year. Date to be determined.

Next P&C Meeting: *is tonight, Tuesday 8th March at 7pm in the school library. Parents attending are required to be vaccinated.*



Days to note:

Mondays = K-2 PE, Canteen

Tuesday = 3-6 PE

Wednesdays = Scripture, Library K-6

Thursdays = Assembly every 2nd week

Friday = Sports day



STUDENT HEALTH: Any child suffering cold or flu like symptoms, runny nose, sore throats or headaches should not attend school. They are also required to have a COVID test. Students are not to return until the school has been given evidence of a negative result and is not experiencing any symptoms. This still applies until further notice. I thank all of you for your continued vigilance in this area.



Register NOW to secure your school tour booking.
galston-h.schools.nsw.gov.au



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Our P&C will be meeting on

Tuesday 8th March

In the school library!!

7pm ALL WELCOME!

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.

We have found that enormous tasks have fallen on but a few. It's time we all shared the load a little.

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



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Be strong, but not rude.

Be kind, but not weak.

Be bold, but don't bully.

Be humble, but not shy.

Be proud, but not arrogant.

A small 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 2 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