

Vision Statement

At Delacombe Primary School we are a community of learners working in a warm, positive, friendly and engaging environment where all members proudly display the values of:

Respect

Responsibility

Enjoyment

Consideration

Integrity

Personal Best

in order to produce happy, competent, resilient community minded individuals who are able to live productive lives.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Zane B, Oliver M, Arjun K, Ilesha T, Ella C, Dylan T, Brodye O, Eli M, Indi H, Ramon B, Xavier F, Kelsie B, Isabelle G, Jasper C, Tanner E, Lily Mc, Leo S, Perth W, Remy P, Jack W, Charlotte M, Jayden R, Amarli B, Marshall M, Jessica D, Tylah S, Kayla L, Chloe W, Audrey M

STUDENT FREE

Day

THURS 7th NOV

&

Ballarat Show Day

FRID 8th NOV

Delacombe Primary School



Newsletter No. 18

Wednesday 6th November, 2019

110-120 Greenhalghs Road, Delacombe Vic 3356

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From The Principal's Desk

Dear Parents and Carers,

Last Friday we celebrated our fourth Writers' Festival with the presentation of awards and the recognition of student writing on show throughout the ceremony. It was wonderful to see so many parents attend the event and wander through the hallways and read a number of stories not just their own child's. I would like to acknowledge all of the staff for their support and in particular the work of the Literacy leaders, Mrs Stephanie Lindsay, Mrs Jacinta Fitzpatrick and Ms Tess Steenhuis for setting the scene and vision of this year's Writers' Festival. I would like to thank the Art team for the addition of the artwork.

I would like to thank all the parents who attended the Writers' Festival and participated in the activities.

On Tuesday of next week we will hold our third session of the Prep transition program. Last week's transition saw our future students spend some time with our Grade 3-4s in the Kitchen and Garden. I would like to acknowledge the Prep team and in particular Ms McDonald for all her work in preparing this program for 2020 Preps.

KENDRA—TOUCH STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Congratulations to Kendra S in Grade 5 who was selected to play for the Victorian Rugby team in Canberra. She competed last week in the event and the Victorian team placed 4th in the competition. Kendra was the only Victorian member to receive an achievement award for outstanding performance.

BUILDING NEWS

There are a number of exciting projects that are underway and about to commence.

1. We have commenced our painting of the kitchen and office spaces. This will extend to the classrooms on the north side and will disrupt them slightly over the next few weeks.
2. We have agreed at School Council to spend \$125,000 on the Prep to Grade 2 area. This area will get a new cubby house a synthetic pitch for football, basketball and soccer. The playground edging and mulch will also be attended to. I have added a picture on the following page.
3. Our student kitchen will get a makeover in the holidays with new ovens and cabinetry included.
4. We also have a new portable classroom arriving in the next few weeks. This will provide an extra space for our ever increasing numbers.
5. On Wednesday 13th November at 9.00am we will be unveiling the aboriginal flag at the front of the school. Parents are welcome to attend.

We have some news regarding the gymnasium on the following page,

Our teachers will soon be working on placing students in classrooms for next year. There are range of processes they consider from academic to social to balance a class. If you feel strongly that your child will not work productively with another student, we would require this request in writing before November 8th. We all want the best for our students and provide the best education possible.

Have a great week
Scott and Mark

Masterplanning School Community Workshop on the School Gymnasium

Wednesday 20.11.19 – 5.00pm to 6.00pm

On Wednesday the 20th of November we invite members of the school community to take part in a one hour workshop in the CHINESE ROOM as part of the master planning process for the school. This is the first in a series of workshops designed to get input from all school community members on development priorities. The purpose of the workshop is to get input from the school community on the existing campus including priorities to be considered as part of the master plan process. It will cover the following areas:

Outdoor Spaces – how well do the existing outdoor spaces, including landscaping, play areas and car parking currently work, and what could be improved?

Access – feedback on access issues in relation to the school including drop off and pick up points, vehicle access, and accessibility generally within the school grounds

Safety and Security – are there any safety and security aspects that should be considered as part of the masterplan?

Buildings – how well are the existing buildings operating, and how can these be improved, including considering future developments, to better serve the school community.

Please register your interest in attending by emailing phillips.scott.a@edumail.vic.gov.au *please register by Friday 15th November 9.00am.



Professional Learning Team Foundation (Preps)

Last week we had so much fun celebrating our very first Writers' Festival. The students loved seeing our hallway transformed into Zootopia and were so proud to show off their hard work. We started off the day at the Writers Festival Assembly where PLT F got to perform our Zootopia concert piece for our special visitors and other students. We loved hearing the writing from the other PLT's and enjoyed celebrating the award winners. Later in the day we had the chance to go on a Scavenger Hunt throughout the rest of the school and marvel at the writing and art work from other year levels. We hope our visitors enjoyed it as much as we did!

This week is the first of our Assessment Weeks so we have been working very hard and are making sure we give everything a red hot go. Our teachers are already so proud of how far we have come!

Just a reminder that as the weather is getting warmer we need to make sure that all jumpers are clearly named and drink bottles are filled up.

Professional Learning Team 1 (Grades 1 & 2)

What a busy Term 4 we are having in PLT 1!

Last week our students were involved in a science incursion where we were able to learn lots of new and exciting things about the topic 'mixtures'. The team at Fizzics allowed us to experiment with lots of different materials and observe the changes that occurred. We all had a blast being scientists for the day! We also had a very special day on Friday with our Writers' Festival being held. We were so excited to showcase our fantastic writing and share our pieces with our family, friends and the school community. We all enjoyed walking the corridors and seeing every PLT's writing and Art pieces and having a go at the school wide Scavenger Hunt!

We look forward to commencing assessment weeks, this week. It is a very busy time of the Term and we remind parents to please ensure that students are bringing a fruit snack and a full water bottle. This is also important with the warmer weather approaching.

In Reading, we have been learning to make connections in texts to ourselves, the text and the world around us. We have been reading texts about 'Rainforests' and students have been using their prior knowledge to infer directly stated information from the text and have been leaving lots of T-S, T-T and T-W tracks in our Reading Evidence Books.

In Writing, we have been writing narratives about the African Savannah where students were able to create imaginative stories about what occurs in this setting. Our students were able to use lots of their knowledge from the Writers' Festival to create their own orientations, sudden shifts and resolutions. Our students are so very creative!

In Numeracy, we have been studying the use of money. Students have been counting collections, ordering money, adding money and calculating change. Students have been using resources including catalogues to complete these tasks.

A very quick reminder that this Thursday is a Pupil Free Day for our students and Friday is Ballarat Show Day. Students are not required to come to school on these days, although we will be excited to hear about their extra long weekends on Monday. Enjoy!

Professional Learning Team 2 (Grades 3 & 4)

Writers' Festival

We had a blast last Friday showing our beautiful writing pieces to our school community. A humongous magic lamp hung above the bookcase, gorgeous artwork was attached to adorned walls and the magic carpet flew around us! Our parents were over the moon completing the scavenger hunt and absolutely loved hearing us sing *A Whole New World*. Congratulations to all students who utilised their figurative writing strategies to produce amazing writing that was out of this world!

Assessment Weeks

We have begun assessing students this week and will continue for another two weeks. This is an important time where teachers collect data and information to assess accurately and to inform us of further teaching and learning of students. Some assessments are one-to-one with the teacher while others are completed independently. To ensure they don't miss any vital information at the beginning of the day, students need to be at school by 8:50am after a good night's sleep. As it has been quite warm recently, students need to stay well hydrated with their own water bottle.

Professional Learning Team 3 (Grades 5 & 6)

What a busy start to the term we have had!

All 5/6 classes have now had 2 health lessons, discussing the changes that occur throughout adolescents and how we can cope with these, as well as touching on the correct terminology that should be used. Last week we sadly had our last session of Passport to Success.

Throughout this program I have seen students' attitudes to high school change dramatically and those nerves, although not completely gone, have become a little more manageable. Given students enthusiasm for the topic, we spent last week writing and arguing about whether high school or primary school was the superior choice.

We would also like to say a very big thank you to all that attended our Writers Festival on Friday and took part in our scavenger hunt.

We have had a great start to assessment weeks with students already displaying a fantastic work ethic and eagerness to show us everything they have learnt this year. I look forward to seeing some more amazing results! But don't forget getting a good rest, having lots of water and eating a filling breakfast will help give you the best opportunity to excel.

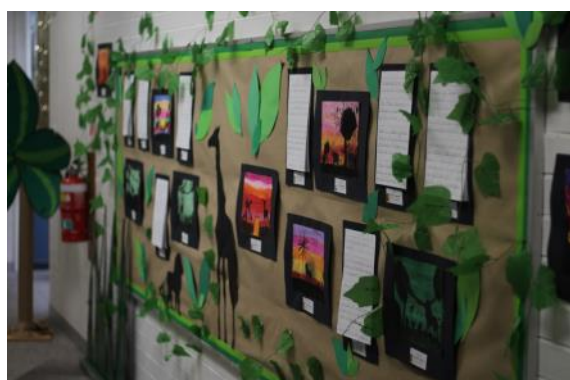
Woolworths T20 Blast Cup

Students from grade 5/6 represented our school in the annual cricket carnival, now known as the Woolworths T20 Blast Cup. It was a fantastic day with the small grounds assisting high scoring games and bumpy pitches making things interesting for the batters. Although being outgunned on the day, we had a BLAST and thoroughly enjoyed playing.



Writers' Festival 2019 Disney

Congratulations to all students on your participation in our 2019 Writers' Festival! Our hallways look amazing decorated with your descriptive writing and artwork. Our writing and artwork were linked to our concert theme "The Wonderful World of Disney. Our hallways will remain decorated for the next few weeks if you missed the festival.



Our award winners for the festival were:

	Most Outstanding	Most Improved	Best Presentation	Sally Morgan Art award
Prep	Leon R	Rory A	Bella O	Allirah H
One	Amy S	Eli Mc	Lily W	Ryan D
Two	Lacey A	Adrianna H	Arjun K	Jasper W
Three	Jesse C	Jayden R	Dilav K	Jack W
Four	Will S	Ruby O	Maddysn S	Ben T
Five	Mia B	Ella C	Hollie B	Lilah P
Six	Bailey D	Paige R	Isabella V	Sophie B

I am sure we all cannot wait to see where our next festival takes us!

Koorie Champions Club



We have started a Koorie Champions Club this year and our Aboriginal students are having a wonderful time celebrating their heritage and working together to make some important changes.

One of these changes is the repositioning of our Koorie Flag to the front of the school. This celebration will occur on **Wednesday 13th of November**. Grade Prep to 2 will be attending from 9 - 9:15 and our grade 3-6 students from 9:15 - 9:30. We invite all of our school community to attend and hope to see you there. Our Koorie Champions and School Captains will be running this event.

As well we have begun a Koorie Garden filled with plants indigenous to our area in between the grade 3/4 and 5/6 play area. The students have done a wonderful job planting and watering these plants and they are excited to smell the chocolate lily flower that really does smell like chocolate. We will be adding our handprints to our garden soon and making a display to go up in the school corridors so keep a look out. We have plans to make a bigger garden in the undercover area which will be accessible to all students. We will be decorating pots and making some totem poles to decorate this area in the coming months.

Our Koorie Champion Boys have been lucky to be participating in a special program called The Burrong Guli Program which is run by the Aboriginal Cooperative. It focusses on building healthy relationships and celebrating culture. From all reports they are very excited to be designing their own shoes which they will be able to keep and wear. They have also been learning a song using one of the Aboriginal languages which is very exciting.

Thank you to our families who have donated Koorie items for display in the front office. The painted emu egg is an outstanding piece of art. If anyone has any other items they would be most appreciated and can be left at the office or given to Maree Demeye.

Art News

Term Four began with an enormous pop of colour in the Art room, as students across the school began creating their artwork for the Writer's Festival.

Using their excellent planning and editing skills, students drew on their creative talents and knowledge of Art principles to create their exceptional pieces of artwork.

From block colouring to sketching, students demonstrated many of our school values; persistence, personal best & enjoyment, as they developed their work from draft stage to completed finished copy.

The evidence of everyone's exceptional work is clear to see, as you wander through our corridors; such a spectacular delight for all to enjoy.

"Art is a place for children to learn to trust their ideas, themselves and to explore what is possible." ~ Maryann F.

*Ashley & Brooklyn from 5/6C helping Mrs. S paint props
for the PLT 3 gallery.*



Congratulations Delacombe Chinese Fandancers



On Tuesday October 29th,
Delacombe Primary School's Chinese Fan dance team performed at Ballarat Town Hall as part of the Ballarat China Challenge. The members of our team: Krystal C, Dylan T, Sophie P, Sukhi K, Sophie D and Violet B did an amazing job!

The team received many compliments from the crowd attending, who praised the effort, coordination and the flair of their performance. It was wonderful to see the consistent effort of our team acknowledged and praised by the wider Ballarat community.
Well Done!!!



恭喜恭喜
Delacombe
太极功夫扇子表演队

Running/Walking Club News

With finer weather returning, it has been pleasing to see more numbers out on the track, either walking or running a lap or two. As a result we have a couple of students recently clock up 10kms. Congratulations go to both Amber C 5/6D and Simone TB3/4E, as this is a great effort. Also a big well done goes to Lachie A 3/4A for completing a total 20km's this year. A reminder that Running/Walking club runs during the second half of lunch on Monday and Tuesday and both Tuesday and Thursday mornings, 8:20-8:40am. Everybody is welcome.

For those who are extra keen to there is extend their running, you may be interested in Run for a Cause which is held here in Ballarat on the 17th of Nov. Please find the link below:

<https://run4ac.org/school-challenge/>
Mrs O'Brien & Mr Storey



SAKG Volunteers

We realise it is a few weeks away, but anybody who would be interested in providing a holiday resort for our guinea pigs or willing to come and feed the chickens over the summer holidays, could you please contact either Mrs Ruddick or Mrs O'Brien. The care for the chickens does pay in terms of eggs and the guinea pigs are sure to repay with plenty of cuddles. Thanks to Nicole Simmons for offering to look after the chickens this long weekend and we would also like to acknowledge Rebel Anwyl for her continued support and willingness to help out with any job, be it big or small.



Student of the Week

PLT 2
Lachlan A Jyles B
Amaya H Angus SC
Jai A Lachlan W
Tayla W Marshall Mc
Judd B Chloe D

PLT 1
Trip B Ava H
Braxton W Gabriel R
Alex G Reid B
William T Matilda T
Samson L Eli T
David N Isabel R

PLT F
Jeremy C Piper H
Maci M Allirah H
Harrison S Stella C
Shyan H Aaliyah S

PLT 3
Chris B
Charlie J
Rani A
Bridie C
Krystal C
Oliver P
Olivia W
Isabelle B

Chinese Stella H & Gabriel R

Digi Tech Rashelle H & Jai W

P.E. Brock J & Carly S

Art
Brooklyn D & Ashley L

Delacombe Primary School

Act of Kindness

Award To

Imogen M



Imogen is receiving the Act of Kindness award due to her initiative in taking personal responsibility for the environment. Imogen has regularly been collecting rubbish in the school yard and binning it. She even started to bring her own rubbish bags! She has been a great example to others in how to be proactively looking after the environment and that it is everybody's responsibility. Thanks so much Imogen for keeping DPS a great place to be.

Scott Phillips - Principal

and

Jessie Winter — School Chaplain

Delacombe Primary School

Act of Kindness

Award To

Amy S



Amy is receiving the Act of Kindness award due to her initiative in taking personal responsibility for the environment. Amy has regularly been collecting rubbish in the school yard and binning it. She even started to bring her own rubbish bags! She has been a great example to others in how to be proactively looking after the environment and that it is everybody's responsibility. Thanks so much Amy for keeping DPS a great place to be.

Scott Phillips - Principal

and

Jesse Winter — School Chaplain

Term 4 Calendar 2019

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5 November	4	5	6 Assembly	7 Student Free Day	8 Ballarat Show
6	11	12 STAFF Kinder Transi- tion Session 2.20-3.20	13	14 <u>Book Fair- Buy 1 Get 1 Free</u>	15 <u>Book Fair- Buy 1 Get 1 Free</u>
7	18	19	20	21 Energy Breakthrough Kinder Transi- tion Session 2.20 -3.20	22 Energy Break- through
8	25 Prep/1/2 Swimming starts	26	27	28	29
9 December	2	3	4	5	6
10	9	10 Orienta- tion Day Preps 9-12.30 & Grade 6	11	12	13
11	16 Orientation Gr1 -6 2019 11.30am - 12.30pm	17	18 Graduation booked 1pm- 9pm	19 Picnic day Final assembly Gr 6 walkthrough Last day for students	20 PUPIL FREE DAY

Zooper- Doopers

We will start selling Zooper Doopers on Wednesday 13th November. They will be available every Wednesday for \$1.00 .

Kitchen Garden Calendar

*** Kitchen

*** Garden

Term 4 7/10/19	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5 Beginning 4/11/19	1 1/2B 11:20	5 Prep A/B 8:50 – 9:55 5/6C 11:50	6 5/6B 8:50	7	8
	5/6B 2:15	1/2D 9:50 3/4A 2:15	3/4E 12:25		
6 Beginning 11/11/19	11 1/2F 11:20	12 Prep C/D 8:50 – 9:55 1/2C 11:20	13 3/4C 8:50	14 3/4B 8:50 3/4E 11:20	15 3/4A 8:50
	5/6D 2:15	1/2E 9:50 3/4D 2:15	3/4B 12:25	1/2F 12:25 3/4C 2:15	No Garden Classes
7 Beginning 18/11/19	18 1/2A 11:20	19 Prep A/B 8:50 – 9:55 5/6C 11:20	20 5/6B 8:50	21 3/4D 8:50 5/6D 11:20	22 5/6A 8:50
	5/6B 2:15	1/2B 9:50 3/4A 2:15	3/4E 12:25	5/6A 5/6C	No Garden Classes
8 Beginning 25/11/19	25 1/2E 11:20	26 Prep C/D 8:50 – 9:55 1/2D 11:20	27 3/4C 8:50	28 3/4B 8:50 3/4E 11:20	29 3/4A 8:50
	5/6D 2:15	1/2C 9:50 3/4D 2:15	3/4B 12:25	1/2A 12:25 3/4C 2:15	No Garden Classes
9 Beginning 2/12/19	2 1/2B 11:20	3 Prep A/B 8:50 – 9:55 5/6C 11:20	4 5/6B 8:50	5 3/4D 8:50 5/6D 11:20	6 5/6A 8:50
	5/6B 2:15	1/2D 9:50 3/4A 2:15	3/4E 12:25	5/6A 12:25 5/6C 2:15	No Garden Classes
10 Beginning 9/12/19	9 1/2F 11:20	10 3/4D 8:50 1/2D 11:20	11 5/6D 8:50	12 3/4B 8:50 3/4E 11:20	13 Morning Tea
	5/6D 2:15	1/2E 9:50 3/4D 2:15	3/4B 12:25	1/2F 12:25 3/4C 2:15	No Garden Classes
11 Beginning 16/12/19	16 No Classes	17 No Classes	18 No Classes	19 No Classes	20 No Classes



CONGRATULATIONS

Kendra S who represented Victoria playing Touch Footy in Canberra last week. Her team came 4th overall. Kendra scored some amazing trys and was awarded an Achievement Award from School Sports Australia for her outstanding performance on the field.

Important Dates for Term 4

7th November— Curriculum Day, Pupil Free Day

8th November— Ballarat Show Day, Pupil Free Day

21st-23rd November— Energy Breakthrough

24th November— Kinder Transition day 2.20-3.20

18th December -Grade 6 Graduation

19th December - School Picnic at Kirks Reservoir

- LAST DAY OF TERM 4

Thursday 14th November 3:30pm - 4:00pm

Friday 15th November 8:15am - 8:50am & 3:30pm - 4:00pm

**GREAT SUMMER
READS**

at our

Scholastic
Buy 1, Get 1
FREE*
Book Fair!

*All free items must be of equal or lesser value than the ones you buy.

Delacombe Primary School have become aligned with the SunSmart advice of wearing hats when the UV rating is above 3. Children will be notified daily whether their hats are required to be worn.

Students will still be required to wear their hats everyday during Term 1 and 4. Please ensure your child's hat is named and is at school at all times.

Sun Smart!!

Sunscreen is vital for safety,
protection and your wellbeing. WOW!



When the **U.V.** rating is over 3 it is essential to put on sunscreen and a hat.

Slip



Slop



Slap



Seek



Slide



FOR A HEALTHY LUNCHBOX

PICK & MIX

SOMETHING FROM EACH GROUP

1-6!

FRUIT 1

FRESH FRUIT

- Apple
- Banana
- Mandarin
- Orange quarters
- Passionfruit halves (with spoon)
- Watermelon, honeydew, rockmelon chunks
- Pineapple chunks
- Grapes
- Plums
- Nectarines, peaches, Apricots
- Strawberries
- Cherries
- Kiwifruit halves (with spoon)
- Pear

MIXED FRUIT

- Fruit salad
- Fruit kebabs

DRIED FRUIT

- Dried fruit, nut, popcorn mixes*

TINNED FRUIT/SNACK PACKS/CUPS

- In natural juice (not syrup)



VEGETABLES 2

FRESH CRUNCHY VEGIES

- Corn cobs
- Carrot sticks
- Capsicum sticks
- Green beans
- Cucumber sticks
- Celery sticks
- Snow peas
- Tomatoes (e.g. cherry and Roma tomatoes)
- Mushroom pieces

Can serve with either:

- Hummus
- Tomato salsa
- Tatziki
- Beetroot dip
- Natural yoghurt

SALADS

- Coleslaw and potato salad (reduced fat dressing)
- Mexican bean, tomato, lettuce and cheese salad
- Pesto pasta salad*

BAKED ITEMS

- Grilled or roasted vegetables
- Wholemeal vegetable muffins or scones
- Vegetable slice (with grated zucchini and carrot)
- Popcorn

SOUP (In small thermos)

- Pumpkin soup
- Potato and leek soup
- Chicken and corn soup

MILK, YOGHURT AND CHEESE 3

- Milk
- Calcium-enriched soy and other plant-based milks
- Yoghurt (frozen overnight)
- Custard

Tip:

- Freeze the night before to keep cool during the day

- Cheese cubes, sticks or slices
- Cottage or ricotta cheese
- Cream cheese
- Tatziki dip

Can serve with either:

- Fruit
- Wholegrain cereal, low in sugar
- Vegetable sticks
- Rice and corn cakes
- Wholegrain wheat crackers

MEAT OR MEAT ALTERNATIVE 4

- Tinned tuna or salmon in springwater
- Lean roast or grilled meats (e.g. beef, chicken, kangaroo)
- Falafel balls
- Lean meat or chicken patties
- Tinned tuna or salmon patties
- Lentil patties
- Lean deli meats (e.g. ham, silverside, chicken)
- Boiled eggs
- Baked beans (canned)
- Tofu cubes
- Hummus dip
- Lean meat or chicken kebab sticks
- Peanut butter*

Can serve with:

- Wholegrain sandwich, roll, pita or wrap bread with salad
- Rice and corn cakes
- Wholegrain wheat crackers
- Side salad

- Vegetable frittata
- Skinless chicken drumsticks
- Savoury muffins or scones (e.g. lean ham, cheese and shallots)
- Homemade pizzas with lean roast or deli meats and vegetables

Can serve with:

- Side salad
- Steamed or roasted vegetables

GRAIN AND CEREAL FOOD 5

MAINS

- Wraps
- Sandwiches
- Rolls
- Toasted sandwiches

Tip: Use breads such as wholemeal, multigrain, rye, sourdough, pita, flat, corn, mountain, lavash, white fibre-enriched, soy and linseed, herb, naan, bagels, foccacias, fruit bread and English muffins.

- Pasta dishes
- Rice, quinoa or cous cous dishes
- Noodle dishes
- Sushi

SAVORY BAKED ITEMS

- Homemade pizzas
- Wholemeal savoury muffins or scones (e.g. ham, cheese and corn muffins)
- Vegetable based muffins
- Pasta or noodle bake

SWEET BAKED ITEMS

- Fruit loaf
- Wholemeal fruit based muffins

SNACKS

- High fibre, low sugar cereal (e.g. muesli)
- English muffins
- Crackers
- Crisps/spreads
- Rice cakes
- Corn thins
- Wholemeal scones
- Pikelets
- Crumpets
- Hot cross buns (no icing)

WATER 6

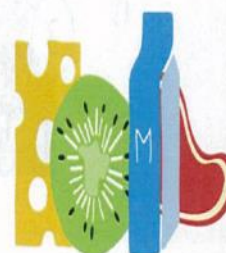
- Take a water bottle (for refilling throughout the day)

Tip:

- Freeze overnight to keep foods cool in lunchboxes

Sweet and savoury snack foods (e.g. muesli/fruit/nut bars, biscuits, crisps, cakes, muffins, slices) should be limited in lunchboxes. They can lead to excess energy intake if consumed in large amounts.

Sugar sweetened drinks and confectionery should not be provided in lunchboxes. They can lead to excess energy intake and tooth decay.



*Check your school's policy regarding the use of nuts and products containing nuts.

THE STUDENT LEADERSHIP TEAM PRESENT
TO YOU

DELAcombe's GOT TALENT

ALL TALENTS WELCOME

FIRST ROUND COMMENCES IN
WEEK 1 OF TERM 4

WINNERS PROGRESS TO THE NEXT
ROUND

FINALISTS PERFORM AT ASSEMBLY IN
WEEK 5

ENTRIES FOR ROUND 1 CLOSE ON WEDNESDAY 9TH OCTOBER



Volunteers required for our SAKGP



We have a number of vacancies for volunteers in our SAKG Program, across all year levels, particularly Grades 1 & 2.

If you are able to help out in a kitchen or garden class, please call by the PE office (next to the library) and chat to Mrs O'Brien (Monday/Tuesday) or leave your contact details at the front office. You will need a Working with Children Check (Volunteer Card – free) which is available online before you are able to participate in any class as a volunteer.



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Step 3 Find our school

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Step 4 Register your children

When first accessing our school you will be prompted to add a student profile for your child. This allows you to make orders and payments for them.

If you have made a purchase you can select our school from 'Previous Location'

If you're within 10 kms of the school, you can select our school from 'Nearby Locations'

Search for our school name





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Add your children's details in Student Profiles

Select
'Add student profile'



Add each
child's details



Manage each
child's details in
Student Profiles



Order meals

Select a menu
from our canteen



Tap the green
box to view
your receipt
or to cancel
an order



Select a date
for a child and
order a meal

Tap 'Repeat
order' to
copy all paid
orders from
one week to
the next



Tap to change
the date you
are ordering for

Tap to change
the child you are
ordering for

Tap 'Checkout'
then confirm and pay

Making payments

Add up to 5 cards to your wallet



At checkout select which card to
pay with.

Pay with any cards accepted
by the school.

Once your payment is approved you
can continue to the home page, or
view your receipt.

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2020 Enrolment and transition details



We extend a warm invitation to interested students and their families who wish to experience the fantastic educational opportunities available at Delacombe Primary School.



Transition for school sessions in Term 4

Thursday October 24th - 2.20 – 3.20pm – Technology/PE

Tuesday October 29th - 2.20 – 3.20pm – Craft/Garden

Tuesday November 12th 2.20 – 3.20pm – Craft/Garden

Thursday November 21st - 2.20 – 3.20pm – Technology/PE

Orientation Day – Tuesday Dec 10th 9.00 – 12.30pm



Enrolment Sessions

School Tour & Parent Information Session

Parents are invited to discover and learn about our wonderful school.

Friday 26th April 9.30am (Please book in)

Friday 3rd May 9.30am (Please book in)

Enrolment packages are available at this session, individual tours can be arranged.



Shop & save for Christmas

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Styles and colours may vary from store to store.

No rain checks. Please choose carefully, exchanges and refunds only with docket. Includes existing 5% discount.

Offer ends midnight (AEST) 14/11/19. Must use Zero or Rewards card to receive discount.



Delacombe Salvos Coffee and Conversation

Thursday 1pm to 3pm

17th October

31st October

14th November

28th November

12th December



**Delacombe Salvation Army
Corner of Warrina Drive and Greenhalghs Road,
Delacombe, 3356**

MUMSNEXT: Find Your Fire

- Connecting with other Mums who have primary school, teenagers or older children
- Chats, discussions, craft activities, guest speakers, program designed by you for you.
- Coffee and Cake

Contact Kelly: 0427 436 381
or Alison: 0437 028 256
for more information.





Family Connections

LEARN, PLAY, GROW

at

Delacombe Salvation Army



Every Thursday



9 am to 11 am

Cnr of Greenhalghs Road and
Warrina Drive, Delacombe.



Morning Tea Provided

Facilitated by an Early Childhood Educator

Monthly Guest Speaker



Social Interaction for children and their families

Fun learning activities for all ages of children

Everybody is Welcome

Need more information.

Call Alison on: 0437 028 256

Email:

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Sing, Play, Move

with

CoCo Sounds



Join Stella from CoCo Sounds in a singing, dancing interactive play session. After the singing and dancing, there will be time to explore the garden, sandpit, tee-pee and street library.



Term 4

Friday at 9:30am to 11 am

Flo's Place

702 Pleasant Street South,

Redan 3350



Please note: In extreme weather this event will be cancelled.

Stay up to date by following the SalvoConnect Family Connections Facebook page.

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EVERY MINUTE COUNTS

Just a little bit late doesn't seem much but.....

He/She is only missing just....	That equals....	Which is....	over 13 years of schooling. that's....
10 minutes per day	50 minutes per week	Nearly 1.5 weeks per year	Nearly HALF A YEAR
20 minutes per day	1 hour 40 minutes per week	Nearly 2.5 weeks per year	Nearly 1 YEAR
Half an hour per day	Half a day per week	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 AND A HALF YEARS
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 weeks per year	Nearly 2 AND A HALF YEARS



Did you know your child's best learning time is the start of the school day?

That's when every minute counts the most!

