

DALLAS BROOKS COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS BULLETIN

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Vision: "For our students to be literate, numerate, creative, safe and happy"

Term 3 Number 4

Thursday 14th September 2017

Principal's Column

School Diary

State School Spectacular
16th September

School Market
21st September
2:30PM – 6:30PM

Last Day of Term 3
22nd September
2:30PM

**WOOLWORTHS
EARN and LEARN**
**Drop off your stickers at
the front office**
Wednesday 26th July -
Tuesday 19th September
2017

Parent Opinion Survey

Recently a random sample of parents were selected to participate in the Department's Parent Opinion Survey. This survey is very important in providing our school with the necessary feedback needed to evaluate current practices and culture with the intent to strengthen what we do at Dallas Brooks Community Primary School. Thank you to the parents who completed the paper and online survey. Your voice is important to us.

School Market 21st September

The School Market will be held on Thursday 21st September 2017 at the school from 2.30pm -6pm.

To make this event a success we are reaching out to the families and friends of our students to ask whether there is anyone interested in holding a stall at our Market. The cost of a stall is \$15 with proceeds going towards our fundraising total. All earnings made by the stall will go towards the stall holder.

If you are interested in being a part of our Market by holding a stall then please fill out the form at the schools front office.

Writing Exhibition

Last Friday, our students shared their writing at the Writer's Exhibition. The students based their writing on the theme 'Escape to Everywhere.' Our Literacy Team awarded prizes to each class using the Six Plus One Traits of Writing as the criteria.

1. Ideas
2. Organization
3. Word Choice
4. Sentence Fluency
5. Voice
6. Conventions
7. Presentation

Valerie Karaitiana
Principal

SCHOOL OFFICE NEWS

PREP Enrollments – 2018

Taking enrollments now - Please see office staff for a copy of the 2018 enrolment form for your child.

AROUND THE SCHOOL:

Chess News:

Chess tournament on Tuesday 15th August at DBCPS

It was a close competition and the Dallas Rookies came in second place.

In the girls section Irm came first, Saja second and Jessica, Aayah, Domarina and Anita equal third.

Rehan came second in the prep/grade 2 section.

Hunter qualified individually for the mixed state finals.

Next competitions are the mixed and girls state finals next term.

School Market

Stalls are available for rent at the Dallas Brooks Community Primary School Market.

Date: Thursday 21st September

Time: 2.30 pm to 6.30 pm

Cost: \$15.00 per stall.

Contact the school on 93091181 to book a stall.

Mindful Mornings

When: Mondays (with Tim our Social Worker)

Wednesdays (with Elly our Play Therapist and Maja our Speech Therapist)

Where: Stem building

Time: 8:30am for 15 minutes

Who can attend: Staff; Children; Families

Woolworths Earn and Learn

From Wednesday 26th July to Tuesday 19th September 2017, Staff and parents who shop at Woolworths can collect Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers for every \$10 spent. Once completed, simply place the Stickers in the Collection Box, located at the front office. At the end of the program, our school will be able to receive resources to go towards assisting our students.

KINDERGARTEN

The kindergarten children are expecting the chicken hatching program at the kinder for the last 2 weeks of term 3. They will get to see the chickens hatch from eggs and grow over the weeks. To extend upon this we will do a range of learning experiences to consolidate their learning. This includes art experiences, imaginative play opportunities and oral language activities including learning new songs. As the weather is still cooler, please remember to pack a coat every day.

KINDER TEAM

Prep

The prep students created wonderful puppets for book week. Many children won prizes for all their hard work. Just a friendly reminder to all prep parents that your child's swimming and medical notes need to be handed to your child's classroom teacher. Swimming is part of the curriculum and we strongly recommend that each child should participate. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask any of the prep teachers.

PREP TEAM

Grade 1

The grade ones have had an exciting week. It was great to see all of the different types of costumes at the Book Week Parade last week. The grade one winners for best Book Week costumes were Hafsah from 1A, Heshem from 1B and Marwa from 1C. We are also very excited about the grade one excursion to Ecolinc, which will occur on the 15th of September. As swimming is coming up next term, please ensure that all swimming medical and consent forms are filled out and given back to the classroom teacher as soon as possible.

GRADE 1 TEAM

Grade 2

Last week, students participated in science week activities. The Grade Two classes made animal puppets from reused materials. This week students celebrated book week. On Tuesday, they enjoyed a performance, 'Super Duper,' that introduced the Australian Book Council's shortlisted books for this year. The Grade Twos have also started writing stories for the writer's festival, following the book week theme, *Escape to Everywhere*. Students and their puppets are the main characters in their stories. They have been working on creating an attention grabbing orientation to hook their readers.

Grade 2 TEAM

Grade 3

The Grade Three students have had a busy few weeks working on their stories for book week. We have been focusing on the 6 + 1 traits of writing. The students enjoyed reading their stories to their parents on Friday afternoon. In Reading, we have been identifying different verbs in a text, such as, feeling, action and thinking. It is important that your child is reading each night. In Math's, we have been learning how to calculate change to the nearest 5 cents. It would be great for the students to count money at home and calculate how much change they would get if they went to the shop with \$10. We are looking forward to the market on Thursday the 21st September. Grade 3A are having a second-hand store with toys and books, if you have any of these you would like to donate that would be much appreciated. We hope the families had a lovely time celebrating EID last week.

GRADE 3 TEAM

Community HUB

Our Community Hub is running FREE English classes. The classes are being offered to anyone in our community as well as newly arrived migrants and refugees who is unable to access other government funded programs. The classes run from 9.15am to 12.15pm Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. New participants welcome.

The Hub operates three Playgroups, 10.00am-11.30am Monday and Tuesday and 12.30pm-2.00pm Tuesday. We also operate a Toy & Book Library on Monday and Tuesday from 11.30am to 12.00 noon and Tuesday from 2.00pm to 2.30pm. We are currently taking enrolments for Term 4.

Supported Small Talk Playgroup is held on Mondays at 1.00pm to 3.00pm. New participants welcome.

Breakfast Club is held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings from 8.15am to 8.45am.

Cake Decorating/Cake Making classes are held on Thursdays from 9.30am to 11.30am and Craft Club is held on Wednesday from 9.30am to 11.00am. New participants welcome.

We are running Certificate 111 in Education Support in Term 3. If you are interested in learning more about this course please contact the Hub Coordinator.

The Hub has started a Community Garden. Our winter vegetables and herbs are slowly growing. We are seeking volunteers to assist with this program. Please contact the Hub Coordinator if you are interested in joining this group.

The Community Hub has some seating available free. The seating is currently located on the Hub's veranda. If you are interested in having any of these seats please come over to the Hub.

On Wednesday 6 September 2017, we held a Jean Hailes Women's Health Forum at the Hub. We had guest speakers from the Centre for Multicultural Women's Health, TensCare and the Water Well. The forum was well attended and the ladies and children enjoyed the forum as well as the morning tea and lunch that was provided.

GAIL HART – HUB



Dear Parents / Guardians;

On behalf of Dallas Brooks Community Primary School, we are planning the School Market fundraiser. The Market will be held on Thursday 21st September 2017 at the school from 2.30pm -6pm. The funds raised will go towards purchasing resources that will enhance our teaching and learning program across the school.

To make this event a success we are reaching out to the families and friends of our students to ask whether there is anyone interested in holding a stall at our Market. The cost of a stall is \$15 with proceeds going towards our fundraising total. All earnings made by the stall will go towards the stallholder.

If you are interested in being a part of our Market by holding a stall then please fill out the form at the schools front office.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forwards to hearing from you.

Sayın Veliler / Bakıcılar (Carers);

Dallas Brooks Toplum İlkokulu adına, okulumuza gelir sağlamak amaçlı okul pazarı yapmayı planlamaktayız. Okul pazarı, 21 Eylül 2017, Perşembe günü saat, 14:30 - 18:00 arasında okulumuzda yapılacaktır. Pazarda elde edilen gelir, okul genelinde öğrenim ve öğretme programlarımızı geliştirecek kaynaklara katkı sağlayacaktır. Bu etkinliğin başarılı olması için, öğrencilerimizin ailelerine, arkadaşlarına ve ilgilenen herkese ulaşmak istiyoruz.

Pazarımızda tezgah (masa) alıp evde fazlalıklarını satmak isteyenler de \$15 dolara masa (masa) alabilirler. Sattıkları ürünün kazancını kendilerine, masanınki ise okulumuza kalacaktır. Okul pazarımızda masa almak istiyorsanız okulumuzun ofisinden forum doldurmanız gerekmektedir. Bu konuda sorularınız varsa, lütfen bizimle iletişime geçmekten çekinmeyiniz.

Sizden haber almak için sabırsızlıkla bekliyoruz.

الاهل / الاوصياء الاعزاء؛

قررت مدرسة مجتمع دلاس بروكس الابتدائية على إقامة سوق خيري لجمع التبرعات للمدرسة. وستقام السوق يوم الخميس 21/09/2017 في المدرسة من 2.30-6.00 ظهراً. الأموال التي سيتم جمعها من البيع ستذهب لشراء الموارد التي من شأنها تعزيز برامج التعليم والتعلم لدينا في جميع أنحاء المدرسة.

لأنجاح هذا السوق نحن ندعو جميع العوائل وأصدقائهم للمشاركة معنا حيث يمكن لهم أيجار طاولة للبيع في هذا السوق تكلفة إيجار الطاولة \$15.00 وستذهب جميع أرباح البيع من الطاولة المؤجرة الى صاحب الطاولة. إذا كنتم ترغبون في أن تكونوا جزءاً من سوقنا يمكنكم ملئ أستمارة الأيجار في مكتب إدارة المدرسة.

إذا كان لديكم أي استفسارات أخرى لا تترددوا في الاتصال بنا.

نحن نتطلع إلى سماع أخباركم.

**Last Day of Term 3 ~ Friday 22nd September 2017 at 2:30pm
Term 4 Commences - Monday 9th October at 9:00am**

Prep to Grade 6 students are **not** required to attend school during school holidays.



Dallas Brooks Community Primary School



MARKET

Thursday 21st Sept 2017

2:30pm - 6:30pm

26-36 King Street Dallas

Melbourne Victoria



- show bags
- games
- art show
- food stalls
- music and more

***Stall holders welcome
\$15 per site!***

(Stall holder keep their own profits)

Earn & Learn is on again

Start collecting today

Anyone can help our school earn amazing resources:

- Earn one sticker for every \$10 spent at Woolworths*.
- Complete Sticker Sheets.
- Drop Sheets in a Collection Box for our school†.

Runs 26 July to 19 September 2017.

Find out more at woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn



*That's why
I pick Woolies*



*From Wednesday 26 July to Tuesday 19 September 2017. Excludes liquor, tobacco and gift cards.
†By Tuesday 19 September 2017.

**FREE SHIPPING
FOR ORDERS OVER \$100**

Register online and receive a
**DISCOUNT ON YOUR
FIRST ORDER**

SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN

BROADMEADOWS AQUATIC & LEISURE CENTRE

MONDAY 25 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Paddle Power	\$20
1pm—3pm	Hume Tennis Clinic	\$7

TUESDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Break/Hip Hop Workshop	\$7
1pm—3pm	Koryo Taekwondo	\$7

WEDNESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Tea Party Treats	\$7
1pm—3pm	Acrobatics	\$7

THURSDAY 28 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Pool Inflatable	\$7
1pm—3pm	Fun Pool Time	\$7

MONDAY 2 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	Bat-up for Fun	\$7
1pm—3pm	AFL Clinic	\$7

TUESDAY 3 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	What's Cooking	\$7
1pm—3pm	Acrobatics	\$7

WEDNESDAY 4 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	Paddle Power	\$20
1pm—3pm	Pots & Plant it	\$7

THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	Pool Inflatable	\$7
1pm—3pm	Badminton & Volleyball	\$7

*HOLIDAY KIDS LUNCH DEAL AT BALC ONLY
\$7 Pie/Sausage Roll, Pastie or Sandwich of your choice and
Drink Order when enrolling in any activity.

LEARN TO SWIM

5 DAY INTENSIVE SWIMMING PROGRAM AT BALC

MONDAY 2 OCTOBER TO 6 OCTOBER 2017

Bookings are essential so please book in quick to avoid
disappointment. **\$72.50 per person**

CRAIGIEBURN LEISURE CENTRE

MONDAY 25 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Bat-up for Fun	\$7
1pm—3pm	Multi Sports	\$7

TUESDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Eagles Basketball Clinic	\$7
1pm—3pm	Zumba Kids	\$7

WEDNESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	AFL & Soccer Clinic	\$7
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THURSDAY 28 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Mix it up fun games & more	\$7
1pm—3pm	Pots & Plant it	\$7

MONDAY 2 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	Hume Tennis Clinic	\$7
1pm—3pm	Eagles Basketball Clinic	\$7

TUESDAY 3 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	Acrobatics Workshop	\$7
1pm—3pm	Mix it up Arts & Crafts	\$7

WEDNESDAY 4 OCTOBER

1pm—3pm	Taekwondo Just for Fun	\$7
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THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	Break/Hip Hop Workshop	\$7
1pm—3pm	Get Active Dance	\$7

FRIDAY 6 OCTOBER

1pm—3pm	Kite Making	\$7
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SUNBURY AQUATIC & LEISURE CENTRE AND BOARDMAN STADIUM

MONDAY 25 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Break/Hip Hop Workshop	\$7
1pm—3pm	Fun Pool Time	\$7

TUESDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Mix it up Arts & Craft	\$7
1pm—3pm	Bat it up for Fun	\$7

WEDNESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

10am—12noon	Zumba Kids	\$7
1pm—3pm	AFL & Soccer Clinic	\$7

THURSDAY 28 SEPTEMBER

1pm—3pm	Pool Inflatable	\$7
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MONDAY 2 OCTOBER

1pm—3pm	Get Active Dance	\$7
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TUESDAY 3 OCTOBER

1pm-3pm	Fun Pool Time	\$7
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WEDNESDAY 4 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	Tea Party Treats	\$7
1pm—3pm	Basketball Clinic	\$7

THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	Pots & Plant it	\$7
1pm—3pm	Pool Inflatable	\$7

FRIDAY 6 OCTOBER

10am—12noon	Kite Making	\$7
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Bat it up for Fun, AFL & Soccer Clinic, Basketball Clinic will
be held at Boardman Stadium. The remainder of programs
will operate out of Sunbury Aquatic & Leisure Centre.

LEARN TO SWIM

5 DAY INTENSIVE SWIMMING PROGRAM AT SALC

MONDAY 2 OCTOBER TO 6 OCTOBER 2017

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