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KEY DATES

Week 8

Friday 1st September Hooptime Year 5-6

Week 10

Tuesday 12th
September
School Council

Friday 15th September

Footy Dress-Up Hot Dog Day SALT groups (F-2) Last day of term Finish @ 2.30

TERM FOUR

Monday 2nd October

Term 4 - Day 1

*Artist in Residence under review

GOOD -BYE

We wish the Bannister family all the best with their move to Western Australia.

ALLANSFORD ALIVE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Camping Program (Term 4)

This year, under the new school's agreement, we are revamping our camping program into as much of a camp week as possible in order to pool all our resources.

Week 2 – **Foundation BBQ** School based Thursday 12th October

Week 2 - **Year 1 Sleepover** School based Friday 13th October

Week 3 – **Year 2 Sleepover** School based Wednesday 18th October

Week 3 – **Year 3-4 Camp**Brucknell Scout Camp
Monday 16th October
Tuesday 17th October
(1 night / 2 days)

Week 3 – **Year 5 - 6 Camp**Brucknell Scout Camp
Tuesday 17th October
Wednesday 18th October
Thursday 19th October
(2 nights / 3 days)

Week 3 – **Camp Time in Lieu** No students at school Friday 20th October

More detailed information will continue to be distributed to all parents.

Time in Lieu Explanation

Under the new teaching agreement, staff are required to be paid for additional time outside their normal hours of work if they perform required duties deemed by the school.

In the case of camps, direct payment for all 'Time in Lieu' would make the cost of camps too high.

In order to have camps, and keep costs at an acceptable level, staff have agreed, and School Council have approved *Friday 20th*October as a 'Time in Lieu 'day for all staff due to their involvement in

camp week activities.

Without the approval of a "Time in Lieu' day, our camps would not be viable.

Feedback from parent surveys strongly endorsed having a camping experience and endorsed costings being in an affordable range.

We have been able to provide this experience and now require your support with camp payments and supporting "Time in Lieu' arrangements.

This means no staff and no school program will operate on *Friday 20th October*.

Parents who are unable to supervise their children on that day can contact the school and the school will have to employ a teacher to run an alternative program.



WHAT AN AMAZING TIME IN AND OUT OF OUR CLASSROOMS

STUDENT LEADER

Congratulations to Cooper for running last week's whole school assembly. Cooper spoke clearly and concisely and stayed very much on time with his planning. Cooper enjoyed the chance to speak in front of his peers and a large audience. Due to privacy reasons, Cooper's photo is not displayed. Well done, Cooper!

THANK-YOU

Congratulations to our Year 2 students, Millar & Jordan for thanking Miss Wooles for her time at Allansford, completing her final teaching placement. We wish her all the very best!



GARDEN BEDS

Congratulations to our Environmental SALT for telling the school the science behind preparing the garden boxes for their first planting. We thank Rebecca and her team for all the work in preparing the garden beds. Well done!



OUR VALUES AWARD

Our "Values Award' is presented to a student who has been modelling our school values and is selected by a student leader. Last week's Values Award was presented to Ollie. He was recognised for his excellence when working with others, especially for being super friendly and positive to everyone. He's been noticed by staff and students showing a genuine interest and care towards others, which makes those around him feel valued and worthy. Well done, Ollie!



OUR MELO AWARD

Our "Melo Award' is presented to a student who models our school values, and as a result, often helps others around them. Last week, the Melo Award was given to Billy. He was selected for being an extremely kind and considerate person. He's been noticed by staff and students showing great empathy to others and being very caring and thoughtful. Billy also displays a strong desire to learn new things. Well done, Billy!



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

The students pictured below were selected for last week's "Student of the Week.' They all in some way shone brightly in front of their teachers and peers. Congratulations to you all!



BOOK WEEK

Congratulations to the many students who dressed up in character for last week's book parade. Also, congratulations to the students who were awarded book prizes for either their costume or from Mrs. McMahon's book week challenges.



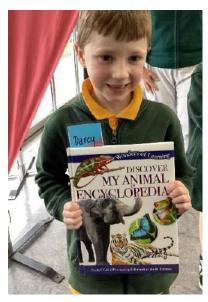




















HOOP TIME

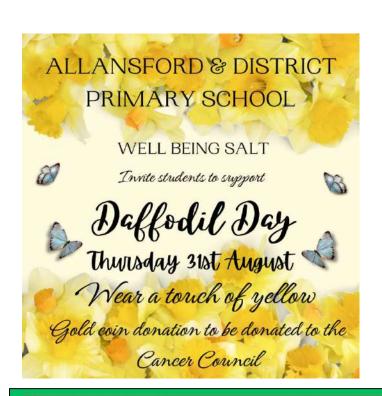
We wish our Year 5-6 Hoop-Time teams all the very best on Friday. We have four teams competing in this great event held at the Warrnambool Stadium.



Father's Day Stall

We thank Judy for running this week's Father's Day stall. All students had an opportunity to purchase a gift for their father. We hope that all fathers have a great day on Sunday. If your child was absent







We are excited to announce that the Allansford Playgroup is back!

WHEN: Tuesday 5th September & Tuesday 12th September 2023.

TIME: 10am - Noon.

WHERE: Allansford Kindergarten, 82 Ziegler Parade Allansford.

Please bring a piece of fruit to share and a gold coin donation is appreciated if you're able.



RENEGADES

The Renegades Regional Roadshow rolled into ADPS last week, as part of their campaign across regional Victoria to inspire the next generation of cricketers.

Our students were engaged in an information session, question and answer session and skills session. Each student was fortunate to receive a soft cricket ball, and have it signed by current Renegades player, Sophie Molineux. They also had the chance to meet the Renegades Mascot, Sledge!







ALLANSFORD AND DISTRICT PRIMARY SCHOOL

2024 ENROLMENTS NOW DUE







Enrolment Requirements:



Enrolment Form



Birth Certificate



Immunisation Certificate



Permission Forms

Pick up an enrolment form from our school office or download from our website

> Phone our office staff 55651 385



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