

# DONNYBROOK DHS

We CARE

## Interschool Athletics Carnival

On Friday 30 May, 66 students from Year 2 – 6 boarded a bus headed to Hay Park Athletics Track to represent Donnybrook District High School at the South West Primary School Interschool Athletics Carnival. The weather was a bit worrying but this did not dampen the spirit of our competitors, they were bursting with excitement.

Looking very professional in our school singlets we arrived to run, jump and throw against Australind PS, Dardanup PS, Clifton Park PS, Maidens Park PS, Picton PS and Capel PS. It was a privilege to see our students trying there absolute hardest whilst demonstrating outstanding sportsmanship. Hearing students congratulating other competitors at the end of each event, it's what makes this day so special.

Every single student needs to be congratulated for the way they represented our school, demonstrating our school values of CARE. Thank you to each and every one of you.

Medal Winners on the day were Lily Sands, Emmerson Tysoe, Cohen Cross, Hayden Blackledge, Joshua Lowe, Jojo Koroivawai and Haylee Read

We came second in our division, with Capel coming away as the winners.

A big shout out to all the parents who made the trip to Bunbury to support our team. It makes it even more important and special for the students to have you there for moral support and encouragement throughout the day.

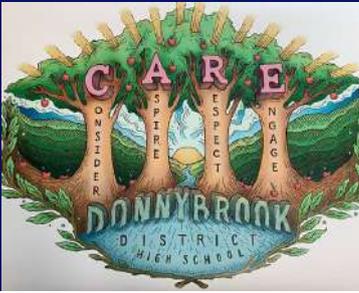
Special mention to our parent helpers Anna Gardiner, Rachael Bourne, Iswari Rose, Melissa Hands and Kiri Errey. Days like this do not happen without your input. Well done Mr Armstrong for organising and training the students. Also thanks to the staff who also attended on the day.



Lily Sands, Emmerson Tysoe, Cohen Cross, Hayden Blackledge, Joshua Lowe, Jojo Koroivawai and Haylee Read with their medallions.



Maitland Khan running to the finish line.



# PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

## Louise Davidson



Dear Parents, Carers, Friends and Members of our School Community

I continue to be in awe of the positive relationships that embody the Donnybrook District High School community. These relationships permeate through everything and everyone; from students, staff, and parents, right through the wider community. The school has a strong reputation built upon these relationships and this is well deserved. I feel honoured to greet our school community in the morning and to witness first hand, how excited our students are to come to school. I also really enjoy waving good afternoon to all the students on the bus and the families who drive past. It warms my heart.

### Student Representative Councillors

Our Student Representative Councillors at the Senior Campus are a very cohesive group. With the assistance of Mr Duncan, they organised an Anzac Day Service to honour the sacrifice and acknowledge those who served. I was very proud to see how many community members attended, highlighting how important a role we play in Donnybrook. This continued with the participation in the Donnybrook Community Anzac Service on Anzac Day. Our student leaders attended in their own time to march throughout town and participate in readings during the Anzac Service. We then enjoyed a community breakfast, where we listened to stories of family members who had served in the war.



### Assembly

Didn't the Year 1 / 2 students do well in their assembly? The individual dances on the different seasons allowed our students to shine and then the cross curriculum information was very interesting. Well done students and Miss Place, you did brilliantly.

### Brilliance

It has been my honour to present Principal Awards at our assembly and this assembly Mason Baker and Hera Ranger won the awards for brilliance in their learning and interpersonal relationships. As a new addition to the awards, we are looking to purchase bumper stickers for the family's cars that state, "I received a Principal's Award from Donnybrook District High School." Please display these on your car loud and proud as we need to show everyone what awesome students we have.

### Diaries

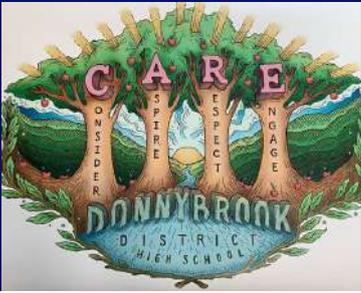
As you know we are working on improving our communication with our parents and students. We have provided every student in the Junior Campus with a diary. This allows teachers and parents/carers to write notes to each other, show and tick off homework and to open our communication.

### Developing Relationships with Students

As a school we are working hard to develop strong relationships with our students to ensure they feel connected with school and as parents there are a number of things you can do to help promote this:

1. Encourage your child to talk openly with you, teachers, and other school staff about his or her ideas, needs, and worries.
2. Find out what Donnybrook District High School expects your child to learn and how your child should behave in school by talking to teachers and staff and reading information the school sends home.

Principal's Report Continued .....



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3. Help your child with homework, and teach your child how to use his or her time well.
4. Encourage your child to help at home.
5. Read school newsletters, attend student learning journeys and check out the school's Web site.
6. Encourage your child to participate in school activities.
7. Meet regularly with your child's teachers to discuss grades, behaviour, and accomplishments.
8. As your schedule allows, help in your child's classroom, attend afterschool events, or participate in a school committee, such as The Board or P and C.
9. Offer to share important aspects of your culture with your child's class.

Together we are important allies providing guidance and support to ensure the students feel connected with Donnybrook DHS, so they have that wonderful impetus to show improvement in their grades, attendance and social skills.

Thank you.

Louise Davidson  
PRINCIPAL

I am always very excited when students come and show me their great work.  
Congratulations to the following students:



Mason Baker



Jorja Watson



Evie Martella

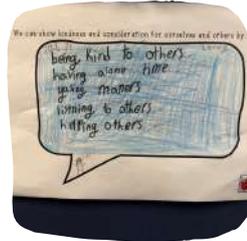
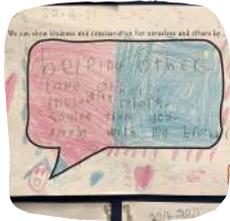
## School Board

We will be conducting an election to elect a school board member in the parent category. Each registered parent/carer with students currently enrolled in our school is eligible to vote in the election. Can you please send an expression of interest to [Louise.Davidson@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Louise.Davidson@education.wa.edu.au)

# CONSIDER

## Whole School Focus - We are kind and considerate of others

On the Junior Campus, our younger students have been reading books as a class that teach us not to wrongly judge people on the way they look. Students have also been using positive self talk and positive thinking to change the way we are feeling about something or someone. The older students have been watching videos about the impact of empathy and further developing their ability to be empathetic towards others. On the Senior Campus, we have included kindness acts in our daily form notices. An example of these acts of kindness, is for students to hold a door open for others. We have also linked our 'Fairest and Best' player criteria in PE to being considerate of all team-mates and their ability. We have also created a 'Most Improved' award at each lesson which is nominated by the students. The Year 8 Textiles class sewed Lavendar bags and oven mitts as kindness gifts for their mums and nannas for Mothers Day, the Year 8 Home Economics class made rocky road for their special kindness gift and the Year 8/9 Home Economics class made key rings as their kindness gift.



keep  
CALM  
& be  
KIND

Baxter Tysoe, Erika Barnsley-Turner, Harley Dickson and Marlee Khan from 2 IH are working as part of a team to complete a describing activity.



Students from 4 MH and 5/6 MT letting others learn by working quietly and independently on their tasks.

## Interschool Athletics Carnivals

Over the last 2 weeks, students from both the Junior Campus and Senior Campus have competed at their respective Interschool Athletic Carnivals. All students represented Donnybrook DHS fantastically, showing **consideration** for each other by working as part of a team, demonstrating sportsmanship and encouraging others. Please see the following page for photos of our students showing **consideration** at the Interschool Athletics Carnival.

# INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

## Junior Campus



# ASPIRE

## REPRESENTING DDHS

Our Student Representative Council did a marvellous job of Seeking to Aspire by representing the school during the town Anzac Service. They showed true community spirit by attending in their own time to epitomise our school in the march through Donnybrook.

## HIGH TEA IN DONNYBROOK

The Year 9/10's participating in the Catering Course planned, made, served and cleaned up a fantastic high tea. They invited guests to the high tea, decorated the room and made a three tiered, delightful degustation of goodies.

They had a variety of roles where some students worked behind the scenes to prepare the food. They students set a high standard to ensure that each tier had the same quality and quantity of food. The consistency and presentation of the high tea across all the tables ensured that everyone was catered for.

The first impression that guests received as the restaurant itself. The room was set up beautifully to enhance the overall experience and ambience and the students who interacted as front of house were courteous, positive and very helpful when questions were asked.

Once the drinks orders were placed, they arrived quickly and on time. The most unique features of this wonderful pop up restaurant was the ambience and service. It is definitely a ten out of ten. I would recommend it.

The Catering Course run by Mrs Robertson prepares the students for life skills, allows them to practise front of house and behind the scenes and at the end of the course they are able to gain a barista's certificate.



Kiara Fabry stated, "I hope you liked it when I served you and I hope you liked your cup of tea."  
Kiara, I certainly did.



Bianca Chilcott said, "My hot drink was fantastic."  
Bella Mattysen said, "The food was delicious."



# RESPECT

## Respect, what is it?

At our school we CARE for each other and our environment by demonstrating Respect; we use good manners, we talk respectfully to others, we care for our environment and we share play areas and equipment.

## Why is it important?

Respect - means you care enough to think about how you impact others.

Be Respectful – by using manners like sharing, waiting your turn, saying please and thank you and sharing resources - only taking what you really need.

## What does it look like?

When you give and show respect to yourself and other people, you automatically feel it reflecting in your life. The people around you start to react peacefully and in a respectful manner. You start to develop a better understanding of yourself and the people around you. Showing and practicing respect for yourself and other people allows you to have better connections as well.

A fantastic example of showing 'Respect' happened at the 1/2JP Assembly last week. I was so impressed with how the students on stage listened to each other as they performed, and showed their support of each other by working together to give us a great performance.

The audience showed 'Respect' by watching and listening carefully to the performance, listening to each Merit Certificate awarded, then showing their enjoyment and congratulations by their loud and enthusiastic applause.

Well done on giving us such a fabulous assembly Miss Place and the 1/2JP students!

At Donnybrook DHS we show Respect by:

- Accepting differences.
- Allowing people to express and to be themselves.
- Using good manners.
- Being polite and courteous.
- Listen to what other people have to say.

## What you can do.

There are things you can do to show Respect at school:

- Care for our buildings, grounds and property.
- Talk respectfully to others.
- Show pride in our school.
- Act responsibly.
- Thank community members.
- Respond and interact positively with everyone in the school community.



Be kind - kindness is really just showing respect. When someone is in need, we can show kindness which will result in them feeling respect.

# ENGAGE

## NAPLAN

With NAPLAN testing occurring this Term, students on both campuses have been preparing using a range of methods. At the Senior Campus, this has involved using our online platform Education Perfect.



## HOME ECONOMICS CELEBRATION

Our Year 6 students have been refining their culinary skills in Home Economics this term, finishing their Term 1-2 program with a Weetbix Recipe Challenge. The students invited family members to try their unique creations with them at school. This was a fantastic demonstration of representing our school with pride. Great work Ms McLoughlin and Year 6's.





## PBS Acknowledgements Junior Campus

Friday 21 May

All factions will receive an extra 20 minutes at recess to acknowledge the students reaching Target 1

All factions will also have a free dress day and receive an ice cream to acknowledge the students reaching Target 2





# NEWS and UPDATES

## 2021 Easter Raffle and Hat Parade

A wonderful way to end Term 1. All the creative headwear creations and visit from the Easter Bunny at the Junior Campus.



A MASSIVE Thankyou for all the Easter Donations towards Raffle Prizes.

An AMAZING

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was raised and will be invested back into DDHS to benefit our children.

### P&C Contact Information 2021

**President: Karen Martella-**  
**0437171082**

**Secretary: Tammy Horlock-**  
**[donnybrookdhs.p.c@gmail.com](mailto:donnybrookdhs.p.c@gmail.com)**

## FUNDED!

In collaboration with DDHS P&C, DDHS, support from Donnybrook-Balingup Shire and a local family contribution the Junior Campus Stage was constructed.





**This Could be YOU!**

FUNDRAISING CO-ORDINATOR NEEDED

Contact President Karen Martella

0437 171 082

Position is well supported by P&C  
Committee and previous Fundraising  
Co-Ordinator

**TERM 2 MEETINGS- EVERYONE WELCOME –**

**Year 1 / 2 Common Area 2:40pm**

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2021**

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2021**

**HOW TO SUPPORT YOUR P&C**



Share Codes with Family and Friends

**SCHEME ID: C10271073**

**Donate your containers at any exchange location by quoting above code.**

**ORDER SCHOOL UNIFORMS ONLINE**

**[www.donnybrookdhsuniforms.square.site](http://www.donnybrookdhsuniforms.square.site)**



**School Ponytails**

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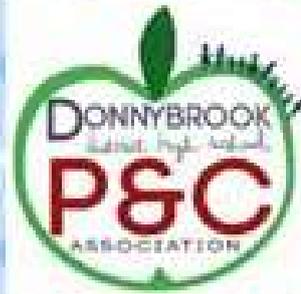
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**DDHS P&C operated  
CANTEEN**

**WELCOMES  
VOLUNTEERS**

**Please contact  
Canteen Manager  
Wed to Fri  
0466873758**



**PIC-COLLAGE**



**CANTEEN REQUEST  
Seeking Donations of**

**FRUIT**



**These donations help provide a free healthy snack to students**

**PIC-COLLAGE**

**Term 2 and 3 Winter Canteen Winter Menu**

**Now Available**

# ACTIVE KIDS ARE SMARTER KIDS



## FRIDAY 28 MAY 2021

Keep your eyes on the DDHS Facebook page and Newsletter for more information  
**Until they're ten, children must always hold  
an adult's hand when crossing the road**

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# 2021 CALENDAR - TERM 2

2021

Term Two

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat	Sun
1	19 April SDD	20 Students Start School	21  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	22	23	24	25 ANZAC Day
2	26 April ANZAC Day Public Holiday	27	28  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	29	30 JC - Interschool Athletics Carnival	1 May	2
3	3 May	4	5 Assembly 9:00am Jnr Campus 1JP  SC - Interschool Athletics Carnival  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	6 Kindy 1 - Celebration of Mums and significant women in our life - 1:50	7 Kindy 2 - Celebration of Mums and significant women in our life - 1:50	8	9
4	10 May NAPLAN testing	11	12  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	13  Board Meeting 4:30pm	14	15	16
5	17 May NAPLAN testing	18	19  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	20 Understanding Learning Difficulties....a presentation for parents 5:00-7:00pm	21 Jnr Campus - PBS Rewards	22	23
6	24 May Yr 10 Science & Engineering Challenge	25	26 Assembly 9:00am Jnr Campus 2BH  Yr 10 Immunisations  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	27 Yr 6 Discovery Day	28	29	30
7	31 May	1 June	2  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	3	4	5	6
8	7 June WA Day	8	9  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	10  Board Meeting 4:30pm	11	12	13
9	14 June Yr 9 & 10 Exams	15	16 Assembly 9:00am Jnr Campus 5/6MT  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	17 Jnr Campus - Faction Cross Country	18	19	20
10	21 June	22	23 Interschool Cross Country @ Adam Road PS  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	24	25	26	27
11	28 June	29	30  <b>EARLY CLOSE</b>	1 July	2 Students last day	3	4
H	5 July	6	7	8	9	10	11
H	12 July	13	14	15	16	17	18

Start and End of Term
Public Holidays
School Holidays (students)
School Development Days