

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents/Carers and Community Members

Hello and welcome back to another school year at Dumbleyung Primary School! I trust you are all well rested and have had some time out over the break after another record year of a long drawn out harvest. The students are excited to be back and it is wonderful to see them all catching-up on their holiday fun. Welcome to our three new teachers, Miss Amelia Dale in Year 4-6, Ms Pip Bennett in Year 1-3, and Miss Dita Page Kindergarten-Pre-Primary. Please extend a warm Dumbleyung welcome to them!

School staff have been busy preparing for the term ahead and are looking forward to the up coming year with your children. We are completing assessments at the moment to gauge where your child is and what they individually need. All assessment information will be shared with parents in Week 8 to 9, during parent meetings.

Swimming Lessons begin next week in Wagin due to the temporary local pool closure. Nichols Bus services will be taking the children over daily. Children will leave school at 9:45am and return from lessons at around 2:45pm, in time for buses home. Permission slips have been collected and nomination of swim stages. If your child has not returned the permission slip, they will be unable to attend. A big thank you to Mrs Tracy Taylor and Mrs Heather Bartram for providing these valuable life skills to our kids. Workforce shortage in this space is seeing many schools miss out, but not us! Thank you, ladies.

100 Nights of Reading is up and running again, please make sure your child is reading every night and getting a parent signature in their diary, to go toward their school rewards. Books and prizes will be awarded during Monday MUSTER with Mrs Ball.

It was wonderful seeing you all again at yesterday's 'Meet'n'Greet' Assembly.

Kind regards Mrs Melanie Ball Principal

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"Every child, every day, commitment to achieve!"

Dates to remember:

Term 1 2023

20 –24 February In term Swimming Lessons commence

> 6 March Public Holiday Labour Day Holiday

8 March International Women's Day

9 March Swimming Carnival

10-11 March Woolorama

15 –27 March NAPLAN

23 March Year 6 School Leaders GRIP Conference Albany

> 6 April ANZAC Assembly Last Day Term 1

Term 2

26 AprilWednesday
Students Resume

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Congratulations Merit Certificate Recipients



Congratulations Aussie of the Month



DUMBLEYUNG P&C 2023 AGM

Tuesday 20th of March EVE 9am School Library

-All WelcomeCome along and have a cup of tea, throw your \$1
into the cup and have your
membership recorded
-All Positions Vacant-