



# DUMBLEYUNG PRIMARY SCHOOL

## From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents/Carers and Community Members

Minister Buti has released a DRAFT 'Regional Education Strategy' that is currently open for feedback and comment until 20th September. A copy of the plan was emailed out to all members of the school community. Have a read and any suggestions on workforce attraction to the regions or incentives that could be offered, please send your comments through to: [regional.education.feedback@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:regional.education.feedback@education.wa.edu.au). We need to make suggestions on this platform to be heard!

Last week saw Science Week and a range of hands-on Science Activities were undertaken each day by our students. Children viewed some videos of robotics and discussed future career potential that incorporates the field of Science. The most important thing about Science is not the memorisation of facts at all, but rather the questioning, hypothesising, wondering, and most all investigating what happens if ?? This curious mindset has led to many discoveries and solutions to problems in our world around us. Future Workforce Shortage as identified by Premier and Cabinet, say we need our students taking Science and Mathematic pathways in high school and beyond! So parents keep encouraging your children in these vital areas of schooling! A huge thank you to Amy King for organising the Science Week Activities!



### The Disco!!

Well that is most certainly worth a mention! Thank you to all the families who attended and particularly a huge thank you to our neighbours from down the road, Kukerin Primary School, who made the trek. Estimate numbers, as no-one stood still long enough to get a 100% accurate recording, was 65 school aged children, and another 5 or so not quite at school! Great numbers anyway!! Well done to DPS staff and parents who assisted with food prep, rolling out all the fun games and the general great evening of fun! We will do it again!!



Kind regards  
Mrs Melanie Ball  
Principal



Edward Bartram  
Trophy Presentation for  
DPS Athletics 2024 Cross  
Country Champion

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

#### *Dates to remember:*

#### TERM 3

12 August - 22 August  
Book Fair

21 August  
Golf Megan Henry

22 August  
Book Week Dress Up

23 August  
CRC Road Safety Stubbs Park

30 August  
Tabloid Sports & Fathers Day  
Assembly

6 September  
Interschool Athletics Kondinin

9 - 13 September  
Year 4 - 6 Camp Depart

12 September  
R U OK Day

18 September  
Hockey Carnival Narrogin

20 September  
Last Day Term 3

TERM 4  
8 October  
Students resume

18 October  
School Photos

25 October  
Red Bull Tennis -Stubbs Park

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# Golf with Megan Henry

Dumbleyung Primary School was successful in receiving a Sporting School Grant for Golf lessons in Term 3. Megan Henry has been at DPS teaching students from PP – Year 6 new golf techniques every Wednesday afternoon from 31 July until 21 August 2024.

As a deliverer for both Tennis and Golf it's just so important to always have multiple wet weather programs ready to deliver at anytime in any space. So lovely to watch the students work together so well which resulted in some very accurate putting. Golf is for Everyone 🏌️



# BE SEEN BE SAFE

FRIDAY, 23RD OF AUGUST 2024

STUBBS PARK PAVILLION, DUMBLEYUNG

9.30 AM - 11.30AM



Join us for a talk about road safety and how to be safe around large vehicles.

With special guests Dave our Local Police &

Darren Bairstow from Flexitrans - who will be bringing along one of his trucks and road trains for us to look at.

A free Sausage sizzle will be provided and a gift for all the kids!



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EVERYONE WELCOME!



## BOOK WEEK DRESS UP

THURSDAY 22 AUGUST 2024

COME DRESSED AS YOUR FAVORITE BOOK CHARACTER

Reading is Magic



DUMBLEYUNG  
PRIMARY SCHOOL



# Dumbleyung Primary School Disco

Thursday 8 August 2024



## School disco

### By: Mia Francisco

On Thursday on August 8 The start of the disco all the leadership girls had greeted the Dumbleyung and most of the Kukerin kids. All the kids had some very cool dresses and spiky hair, and some kids had even had lipstick on and eye shadow. Every child had gotten one glow stick each. The entry fee was only ten dollars each child, but some parents had already paid online which had made the line much quicker. After we had greeted all the students and parents the kids got some hats and outfits to wear while Eloise and I had taken some awesome photos at the photo booth. After that the teacher had all the 3456 to play forty for homes so the little kids could dance and have fun without getting trembled by the older kids. While the older students played outside the junior kids played pass the parcel. After that we all came in to play limbo with some very flexible people. After that the teachers had given everyone a hot dog with a juice box. After we had eaten the hot dogs, we all had gotten one ice cream while playing **everyone's it. Then we all came into the library and chose a partner so that Mrs Ball could** explain how to play the floor is lava. The game is that you get one piece of paper to share with your partner. When the music played, we had to stand on the paper but when it stopped, we had to hop off and fold it in half. We did this until only three groups were left (congrats to them) there was a special request. For musical bobs which was a very good idea. **People who had awesome dance moves got a milky way chocolate from the teachers. Lara's** mum had made some delicious biscuits. Overall I think that the school disco was the best disco this school had ever had.

## School Disco

By: Eloise Bartram

On the 8<sup>th</sup> of August Dumbleyung had a School Disco.

The Leadership team greeted the guests in the entry and handed out glow sticks. At the disco we had a photo booth that had props and wigs so people could get pictures taken by Mia Francisco and me Eloise Bartram. Kukerin also came to the disco which was very fun since there were more people to play with. After we had done some dancing, we split ourselves into groups for year 3/4/5/6 were in one group and the KPs and year 1/2 were in the other group.

The year 3/4/5/6 went to play 44 homes. 44 homes is like hide and seek but one person's it and they have to get to a base they call home. The rest of the people have to try get to the home without the person saying found you. The person has to count to 44 and then look around while the rest of the people have to get to home. The decorations in the library were really good we had bunting shimmering streamers, disco ball, fairy lights and lots more. Faded floor is lava which you had to pick a partner then you'd stand on a piece of newspaper when music went. If the music stopped, you had to fold your piece of newspaper and then step back on it. The last person to stay on the newspaper without going off wins. The winners were Reeva Jeffress, Chloe, Eloise, Emmy, Grace and Vera.

## School disco

By: Bailey Cronin

On Thursday the 8<sup>th</sup> of August, Dumbleyung Primary School had our school disco. First, the leadership team greeted people at the door and gave everyone a glow stick. People had mohawks, green and red hair and a variety of different costumes. After everyone had arrived, we went into the library and played with the balloons as our favourite tunes were playing from the speakers. There was a shimmering disco ball on the roof, paper chains and streamers were also hanging from the fans.

There was also a photobooth with lots of funny props like big Sombrero hats, sunglasses and wigs. After everyone had settled in, the year 3 to 6 students went outside and played a game of 44 Home. The junior students stayed in and played Pass the parcel. Afterwards, we all came into the library and played Limbo. The winner got fidgets, yo-yo's, chocolates and other amazing prizes.

For dinner, we had hotdogs, juice and ice cream. During dinner, we played Everyone's It, and once that game had ended, we went into the library to play The Floor Is Lava. The game was challenging as you had to stand on newspaper, and fold it into smaller and smaller pieces, each time the music stopped. For our final game, we played Musical Statues and people with good dance moves got chocolates. It was a great night and everyone had a fun time.





# CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE

**DUMBLEYUNG PRIMARY SCHOOL  
CODE: C11109849**

Donations can be received at the DPS drop off point, located outside of Mr Stephen's workshop.

- Drive thru from Dawson Street entry (indicated below); or
- Walk from the carpark (indicated below); or
- Deliver to any Containers for Change Depot.




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Department of Education

**Shaping the future**

## Apply now to enrol your child in kindergarten

If your child turns 4 years old before 30 June 2025, they can be enrolled at your local public school or community kindergarten. Your child will need to have an **up to date immunisation history** statement at the time of enrolment.

Find out more:  
[education.wa.edu.au/enrol](https://education.wa.edu.au/enrol)




# 2024 TABLOID SPORTS DAY

FRIDAY, 30 AUGUST 2024



**1:00pm Start  
2:30pm Fathers Day  
Assembly**

**Dumbleyung Primary School Oval**

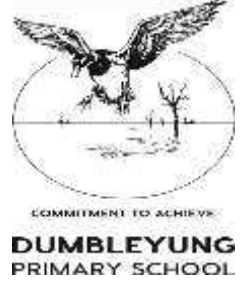
# INTERSCHOOL ATHLETIC'S CARNIVAL

K - 6 | KONDININ TOWN OVAL | 8:30AM START



**FRIDAY  
6  
SEPTEMBER  
2024**

# Term 3 – 2024



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	SAT	SUN
5	12 August Science Week  Book Week →	13	14 Golf	15 Yr 5/6 Excursion to KSHS	16 P&C Committee Meeting	17	18
6	19 August  Book Week →	20	21 Golf	22 Book Week Dress Up	23 CRC Road Safety Stubbs Park	24	25
7	26 August	27	28	29	30 Tabloid Sports Fathers Day Assembly	31	1
8	2 September	3	4	5	6 Interschool Athletics Kondinin	7	8
9	9 September Year 4 - 6 Camp Depart	10	11	12  R U OK Day	13 Year 4 - 6 Camp Return	14	15
10	16 September	17	18 CSBP Hockey Carnival Narrogin	19	20 Last Day of Term	21	22

# Term 4 – 2024

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	SAT	SUN
1	7 October SDD	8 Students Resume	9	10	11	12	13
2	14 October	15	16	17	18 School Photos	19	20
3	21 October	22	23	24	25 Red Bull Tennis	26	27