

# Newsletter

Doonside Public School

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Term 3 – Week 4 Building strong learning partnerships for success

Friday, 16th August, 2019

**Just a reminder to all Parents/Carers, please do not send nut products, such as Nutella or Peanut Butter in your child's lunchbox. Thank you....**



## Doonside Dates



### Term 3

- 28/08/2019 Mt Druitt PSSA Zone Athletics
- 29/08/2019 Tree Planting Excursion
- 02/09/2019 Baby Chicks Arrive
- 05/09/2019 Incursion – Recycling
- 11/09/2019 Open Day 2-4pm
- 12/09/2019 Soccer Gala Day
- 25/09/2019 **CAMP**
- 26/09/2019 **CAMP**
- 27/09/2019 **CAMP**

**Due to the upgrading of the Library our annual Book Fair has been postponed until Term 4 Week 7 25/11/19. We apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.**

Find us on Facebook or Twitter.



School Website: Our web address is:  
[www.doonside-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](http://www.doonside-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

Whilst we endeavour to keep social media updated, please do not rely on them. Refer to your newsletter for your diary updates.

### FRIDAY MORNING

If you need to see someone in the office on Fridays please wait until the bell at 8.55 am as

during this time our staff are at our weekly meeting. Thank you.

**Just a reminder the morning bell goes at 8:55am. Afternoon bell at 3p.m. Parents it is unsafe for your children to be school before 8.30am as there is no duty teacher until 8.30am**

Thank You DPS Administration Team.



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18<sup>th</sup> October 2019

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REORDER PHOTOS

Please find below, a list of all the sports/special photographs available.

These can be viewed and ordered online at [www.theschoolphotographer.com.au](http://www.theschoolphotographer.com.au) using the Online Order Code below:

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Cash orders can be made using an Order Envelope – complete details, enclose payment and return to school before the due date

The photo prices are: \$16.00 each, 2 for \$30.00, 3 for \$42.00, 4 for \$52.00 or 5 for \$60.00 SPORTS BOOKLET \$30 Any additional photographs are \$10.00 each. This discount is only available per family order. NOTE: Online orders do NOT require an order envelope Orders due by 26 <sup>th</sup> August 2019
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### Permission notes

When returning notes, please ensure they are **completed in pen** and **signed** before returning them to the office. Just leave them in the letterbox at the back window, in a sealed envelope. Thank you



### Remember.....

- \* No smoking on school grounds
- \* No adults in student toilets at any time!
- \* No alcohol on school grounds.
- \* No dogs on school grounds.

### Reading Nook

A Massive thank you to Wendy from Classroom Catering for her generous donation towards our reading nook.

Our reading nook is out on the playground for the students to sit/lay quietly and read a book during their Recess or Lunch break.



Parents/Carers there is strictly **no parking** in the school grounds at any time. This includes the Preschool carpark. This is for safety reasons.

## Excursions

### Full School uniform is to be worn please...

Attention parents if you have more than one child attending an excursion, can you please fill out a permission slip for each child. This would be of great assistance for class placements of excursions.

**Also the correct money should be enclosed in a sealed envelope. Please don't place loose money in the letterbox at the office it might get misplaced.** Thank you.



**Camp is this Term!!!!**

**Make sure you are remembering to make your payments. Full payment due on the 6<sup>th</sup> September. More information will follow at a later date.**

**Early is on time.  
On time is late.  
And late is inexcusable.**

## CAS Reward Afternoons



CAS coupons are given out during the week to children that have been following school rules, doing their best and having a go, within the classroom and school yard. All CAS coupons are placed into a box in the office, ready for the lucky draw. Every week a



number of infants and primary students are lucky enough to have their name drawn out in the CAS rewards draw. This is a chance to acknowledge children that have been doing

the right thing. Children will be listed below each fortnight if they have received a CAS award. Congratulations to the following children....



**Infants:** Cohlene, Shylah, Jasmin, Elizabeth, Namana, Anshika, Aryan, Athisaya, Shandy, Mariah.

**Primary:** Riha, Patience, Annie, Zilin, Patience, Jacob, Nikita, Reymarc, Summer, Jeremiah, Udyza, Zilin, Gabriel.

**Please label your child's belongings, it helps them find their owner if lost ..**

## CANTEEN

The canteen would like to encourage parents to order online through

[www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au)

It's a great way for parents to make healthy choices when ordering lunches and students are not bringing money to school.

## Well Done Ava



On the 8<sup>th</sup> August 2019, Ava Masic attended NSWPSA Athletics State Trials for Shot Put and came 1<sup>st</sup> with an outstanding throw of 11.52m!

She has now been selected and will represent NSW in September in the School Sport Australia Athletics Championships in Darwin NT.

To help support Ava with the cost of attending the event, there are raffle tickets "NSW PSSA Guessing Competition No 2." for sale from the office. 1<sup>st</sup> prize is an IPAD and other prizes include a Nutri-Bullet, Fitbit Tracker and Sony Blue Tooth Speaker. Each ticket costs \$5 and the ladies at the office are able to help you to purchase tickets. We will also be holding a Gold Coin Mufti Day on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August and all money raised will be utilised to bulk buy raffle tickets. A Note will be sent home regarding this. As a community let us support Ava!!



## Sick Children....

Please be aware, if your child is sick in the morning before school please keep them at home. We are not trained Medical Doctors and do not have the facilities to care for sick children properly.

If your child has a contagious illness: such as impetigo, conjunctivitis, ring worm, mumps, chicken pox, whooping cough, measles please ensure you have a clearance from the doctor before they return to school.



Please also contact the school so we can send a note home to other families to watch out for signs and symptoms.

## Education Week 2019

### “Every Student, Every Voice”

It was a great celebration of students expressing a voice during their own educational journey and as engaged global citizens.

Students engaged in STEM, CAPA and PDHPE activities throughout the week. Showcasing their talents during the concert and proving that “Every Student, Every Voice” is what helps shape Doonside Public School.



## Concert Day 2019

### “Every Student, Every Voice”

Our Education Week concert was an excellent display of talent and creativity by all students and staff. Hard work and dedication resulted in wonderfully creative learning experience and performances.

