

Newsletter

Doonside Public School

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Term 3 – Week 10 Building strong learning partnerships for success

Friday, 27th September, 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 Mark your Diary



Term 3

26/09/2019 **CAMP**
27/09/2019 **CAMP**
27/09/2019 **LAST DAY FOR TERM 3**

Term 4

14/10/2019 **First day for Staff and Students**
25/11/2019 **Book Fair**
23/10/2019 **Science Fair**
28/10/2019 **Multicultural Day**

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.

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



Member for a Day: What would you say?

Free fun educational activities at Australia's oldest Parliament for children from 4 to 12 years.

Follow the children's trail; enter the guessing competition, participate in the arts and crafts; visit the historic legislative chambers and places rarely open to the public; give your first speech as a Member of Parliament in the chambers; be entertained by roving musicians.

FREE ENTRY

Activities 10.00 am to 3.00 pm

Location 6 Macquarie Street – opposite Martin Place

The public café will be open.

Sausage Sizzle \$3.00 per person



FREE ENTRY • All Welcome
E: dps.education@parliament.nsw.gov.au
www.parliament.nsw.gov.au
Parliament of New South Wales,
6 Macquarie Street, Sydney

GROUP BOOKINGS FOR 10 OR MORE ESSENTIAL 9230 2047

Find us on Facebook or Twitter.



School Website: Our web address is:

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.



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

CANTEEN

The canteen would like to encourage parents to order online through

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.

Parents/Carers there is strictly **NO CREDIT** given at the canteen. Please do not ask as refusal often offends.



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....

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Infants: Tiyan, Tyler, Anshika, Caleb, Lavenia, Rawiri, Sarah, Quinn, Ishaq, Piotr, Lyna, Axyz, Namana, Athisaya, Gurekam, Jessica,

Primary: Summer, Shelby, Zilin, Esther, Riha, Lara, Tevita, Nathaniel, Simran,



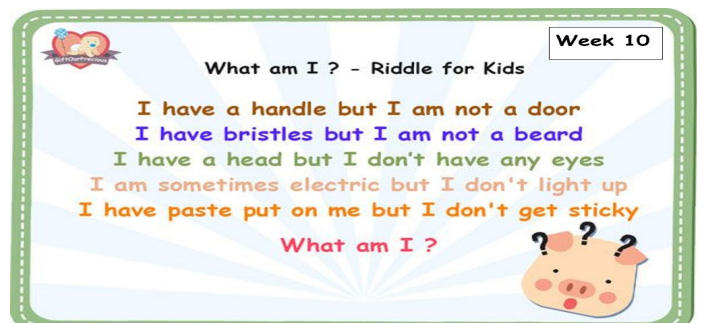
CARPARK

Parents/Carers Please Note:

All carparks are strictly out of bounds for both adults and children. This is a school policy and all students are aware of this.

Please help us keep your children safe by NOT using the car parks as a way in and out of the school. It is extremely dangerous.

For safety: Please use the pedestrian gates at the crossings or the bus gate.





WONDERS OF THE WORLD
School Holiday Programs

Passports at the ready, this season Holiday Club is taking you on a journey around the world. Wonders of the World brings to you a vast array of fun, interesting and educational activities aimed at putting the 'holiday' back into Holiday Club! We've got dance parties, huge sports events, cooking classes, arts & crafts, cultural excursions & heaps more. So get yourself travel ready and join us on a journey of a lifetime.

SCRATCH & DISCOVER
Craft your own scratch map!

PLANET PROTECTORS
Recycle old paper into a piece of art!

CLAY BAZAAR
Roll, mould and shape your own creations!

SLEEK SKYLINES
Light up the room with custom city skylines!

MOVIE MADNESS
The Secret Life of Pets 2

AND HEAPS MORE

CAMP AUSTRALIA
Use crafts. Make magic.

To find a location near you and to book, visit:
campastralia.com.au/holidayclubs
Government subsidies available for eligible families

We had a lovely visit from ex alumni Tarryn Trindall (Thomas) Currently living down south and playing awesome football for North Melbourne. Proud school and proud family.



Winners!!!! Thank you Cricket Australia for delivering our Prize. A brand new bag of cricket equipment.



A group of students accompanied our STEM partner primary schools on a visit to Google's head office in the city.

We were amazed by the unique working spaces, the welcoming Googlers and the career chats.



What's On at Penrith Observatory in October 2019

There are lots of fun things happening this holidays – Check the website for details.

BOOKINGS VIA OUR WEBSITE ESSENTIAL

Time: 10am – 12pm

Venue Address: Penrith Observatory (Building AO), Western Sydney University, Werrington North campus, Great Western Highway, Werrington 2747

Contact phone or website for public enquiries and bookings:

https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/observatorypenrith/penrith_observatory/whats_on

Facebook Event:

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2575389699373552/>

28 SEPTEMBER - 13 OCTOBER 2019

FEATHERDALE WILDLIFE PARK

THESE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS, FEATHERDALE WILDLIFE PARK PRESENTS

THE BIG TOY GIVEAWAY



BOOK ONLINE

Complete the entry form telling us why you love visiting Featherdale Wildlife Park and you could be selected to win daily prizes including weekend passes to the COATES 500 in Newcastle, RAGING WATERS SYDNEY, HOVTS BLACKTOWN, CALMBLEY CITY FARM, CUCINA LOCALE AND MORE!

ENTER TO WIN DAILY PRIZES

ZOOKEEPER FOR A DAY

BOOK NOW

Wednesday 9 October 2019 is now open for Zookeeper for a Day bookings! Some spots remaining on Monday 7 October 2019.

We'll be OPEN all through the long weekend and every day of the school holidays from 8am-5pm!

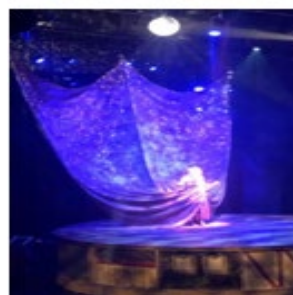
Come and pat a koala, see our mighty saltwater croc feed after his long winter fast and cuddle a baby croc! It's the best day out for your family!

A spot of Buddy Reading



Revolting Rhymes

Thanks to the Widening Participation Outreach program, we were honoured to take a wonderful group of students to a performance of Roald Dahl's Revolting Rhymes at the Seymour Centre. It was an outstanding and engaging performance which could not be dampened by the weather!!



If any families shop at woolies and won't be using their seedling kits we would love them for the "Green Team" to use in our garden beds.

Happy and Safe Break

Thank you for a wonderful Term.
Doonside Staff wish you all a wonderful and safe holiday.
Remember to take time during the holidays to read with your child. Show them they can go to wonderful places through books.
Return well rested and bright, ready for a busy Term 4