

Issue 1 2021

Darlington Primary School



NEWSLETTER

K-7 School

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Developing Expert Learners

From the Principal's Desk

Welcome to our first Newsletter for 2021. We are all hoping that we will have a better year than 2020 and that the world will return to a new normal. We continue to look at processes that the school can put in place should we have a snap lockdown. All classes have set up Class Dojo accounts, please make sure that you join up. This will be the first point of communication for class teachers. We will shortly be surveying families to determine how many families have laptops or tablets and Wi-Fi in the home environment that is not reliant on your mobile phone. We will have a small number of old devices that can be sent home on loan should we need to.

We have had a number of staff changes for 2021 as we have been fortunate to establish 2 new classes. We welcome Lachie Trumble and Michael Wilson who are taking the year 4/5 classes, Kate Byron-Scott and Deb Fisher in the Intensive English Language Program. We welcome back Simon Manning, Samantha Smith, Amy Ramminger, and Lucy Chipperfield. Linda Fox is currently working as the Curriculum Leader for the Noarlunga 2 group of schools. She will be there until the end of term 2. Lisa Sims has taken on the role of Deputy Principal for terms 1 and 2, as well as managing the IEL Program. James Papai has taken on the role of the Aboriginal Education teacher for 2 days a week.

It was wonderful to see the large number of families that attended our Come and Meet the Teacher morning. This highlighted the importance of families and schools working in partnership with each other. We have planned a number of events for term one that will be open to families including Harmony Day and Sports Day. Due to the size of the school hall we will be limiting the number of families who attend assemblies. Families of the classes who are running the assembly will be invited to attend. This will allow all families the opportunity to attend at least one assembly a year.

All schools now have QR Codes that families are asked to use when they attend an event at school or enter any of the buildings. Everyone who enters a building needs to use the QR code or to complete the contact tracing sheets, including staff. We are also asking that all families who attend any functions to please use the QR Code, even when the event is outside.

The Annual General Meeting for the Governing Council will be held on 3rd of March, we invite all families to attend and learn about the working of the council in 2020. We are always looking for new members for the council, please consider this. We have the capacity for 12 members on the council.

Claire Loades
Principal

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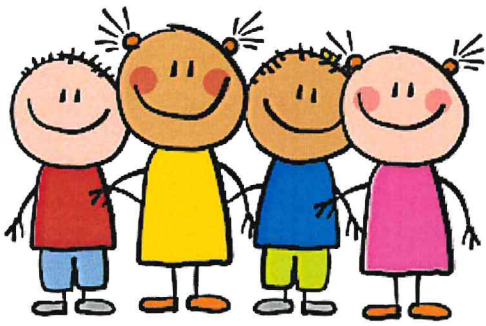
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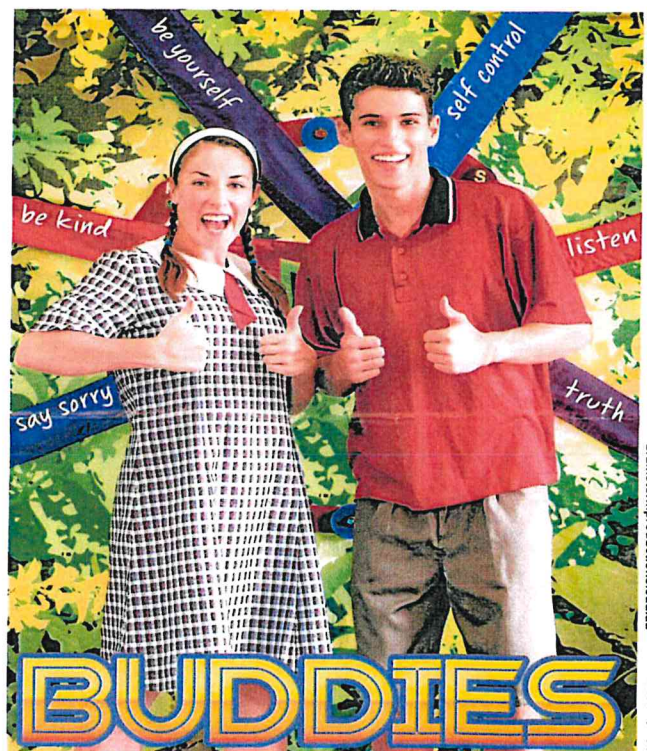
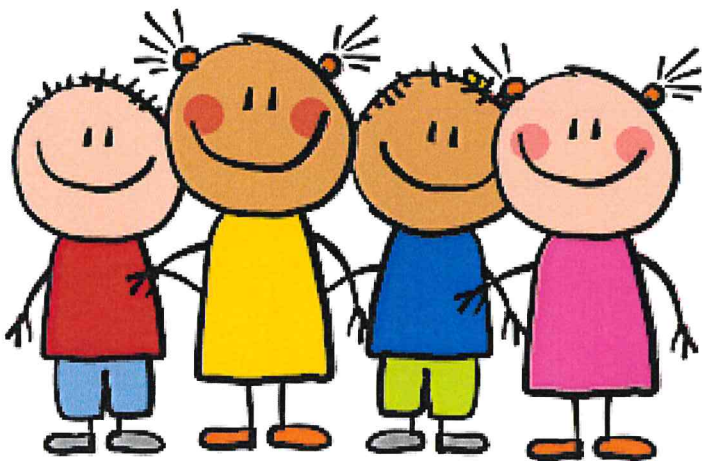
Wellbeing News

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope the new school year has started well for your children. On Monday, the 1st of March, our school is going to host a live theatre performance by a respected education theatre company "Brainstorm Productions". The performance will be presented by professional young performers. The show will touch on topics such as anti bullying, cyber safety and student wellbeing. The program will inspire and empower students to build resilience and positive connections. Students will be given the opportunity to ask questions. There are also resources available for teachers to continue the learning with students on these very important topics. It would be great to have a chat with your child/children after the performance.

Warm regards,

Pip Tragaras
Student Wellbeing Leader
Darlington Primary School



Monday 1st March **Brainstorm**
Productions

Information for Year 6/7 Students



HAMILTON SECONDARY COLLEGE

Open Day

17 March 2021

Open Day Principal Tours by appointment:
Prospective Year 7 students - 9:30am to 10:30 am
Prospective Year 8 students - 11:30 am to 12:30pm

Open Evening College Tours by appointment at:
4:30pm, 5:30pm and 6:30pm

For more information and to book a tour, please call 8275 8300

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Open Day

Wednesday 24 March 2021
4.00pm-5.00pm
and
6.00pm-7.30pm

Principal's Tours 9.00am-10.00am

~~Wednesday 31 March 2021~~ (Booked out)
Monday 3 May 2021
Friday 21 May 2021
Wednesday 9 June 2021

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inquisitive
imagination

267 Daws Road, Pasadena SA 5042
Please phone 8152 6800 or email dl.0975.info@schools.sa.edu.au
to register your interest



Government of South Australia
Department for Education

Information for Year 6/7 Students



Brighton Special Interest Music Information Evening for Years 6 & 7

*Everything you need to know about auditioning for the
Brighton's Special Interest Music Program*

Tuesday 30 March 2021, 5.30 to 6.30pm
Brighton Secondary School Concert Hall
Followed by a free short concert on the front oval
(bring a picnic dinner and chairs)

For all enquiries please call Pam Parsons 8375 8215
email: pamela.parsons939@schools.sa.edu.au

SEAVIEW HIGH SCHOOL

School Information Sessions

For families of Year 6 & 7 students who reside in the SHS zone

Weekly during March 2021

Tues & Thurs 9.00am to 10.00am at the school

Bookings Essential!

For virtual tours and bookings please see website
www.seaviewhs.sa.edu.au



SEAVIEW
HIGH SCHOOL



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Coffee morning

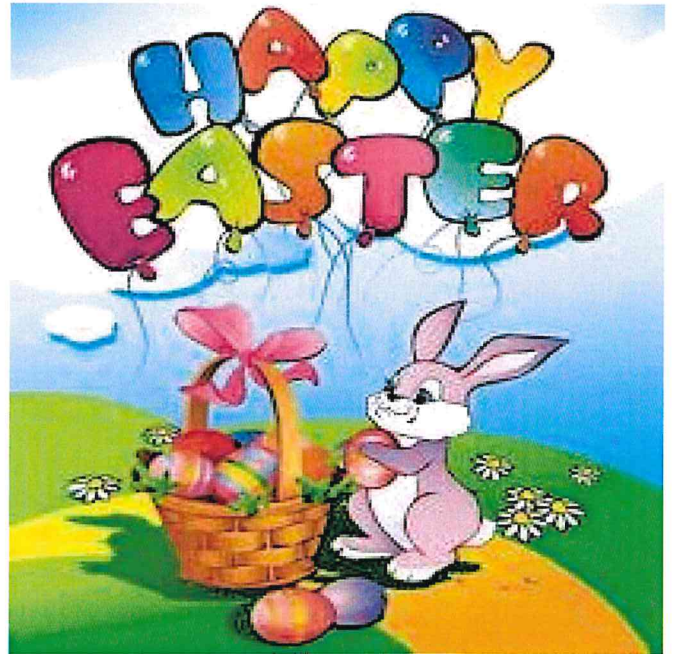


Coffee mornings on Tuesday & Thursday at 9.00am until 10.00am in the Community Room

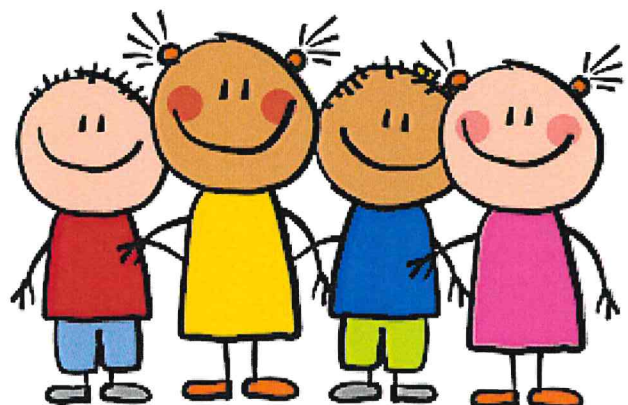
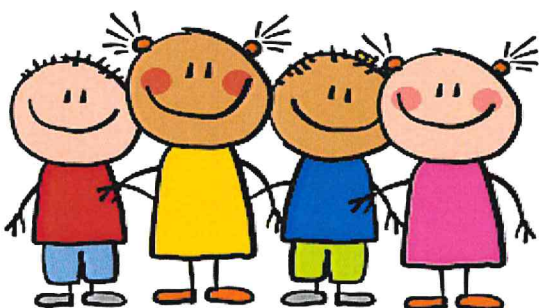


Easter Raffle

Coming Soon



Head lice happens often in schools. We ask that families check their child's hair regularly. If you find eggs or lice please treat and also wash all bedding and clothing. Please inform the school so we can let other families know.





Come and join us for a
FREE BREAKFAST!

Every
TUESDAY & THURSDAY MORNING
8.10am to 8.40am
in the Hall



**Please check the lost
property bins for any
items of clothing etc.**



**SCHOOL FEES
ARE DUE
NOW
FOR 2021**

DIARY DATES TERM 1

Monday 1st March

Buddies/Wellbeing Performance

Wednesday 3rd March

Co-opera Workshop Performance

Friday 5th March

Assembly

Monday 8th March

Adelaide Cup **(No School)**

Mon 15th to Thurs 18th March

Parent Teacher Interviews

Wednesday 17th March

Student Voice in Learning

Co-opera Performance

Governing Council

Thursday 18th March

Harmony Day

Friday 26th March

Sports Day

Friday 2nd & Monday 5th April

Easter long weekend **(No School)**

Friday 9th April

Last Day of Term

Early Dismissal 2:05pm



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