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From the Principal's Desk

Issue 1 2022

Welcome to our first Newsletter for 2022.

While we had a very disruptive start to the term with the staggered start for students it has been pleasing to seeing all the students return happy and engaged in their learning. Throughout this time the staff at Darlington school have worked tirelessly to ensure that



there has been continuity of learning and to ensure that no child will be left behind. I am highly appreciative of the work that they have done. In addition to this, it has allowed us time to get to know our new receptions who are settling in well to their new school. Thank you to all the families and students for taking on the challenge of remote learning.



We continue to look at processes that the school can put in place should we have a lockdown or go to remote learning. All classes have set up ClassDojo accounts, please make sure that you join up. This will be the first point of communication for class teachers.

We have had a number of staff changes for 2022 and welcome the following new staff to Darlington; Demi Ross year 5/6, Ben Warne year 2 and Casey Herrick year 3/4.

We have added a number of Intensive English Language classes this term and we welcome Isabel Bayford, May Han, Amelia Castellucci, Alison Esselbach and Athan Markos.

We also welcome back Thia Ly, Lachie Trumble, Katie Evans, Sam Smith, Sam Jeffery and Sheena Lee. Mrs Tragaras is taking leave for Term 1 and Mr Manning has taken on the role of Wellbeing Leader. Janice Symes has taken on the role of the Aboriginal Education teacher for 2022.

I would also like to welcome the many new students and families that have started at Darlington Primary School in the mainstream and Intensive English Language Classes. We hope your time at Darlington is one filled with great learning, joy and a strong sense of community.

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Governing Council

Governing Council AGM - Wednesday 11th May at 5:30pm.

This year we sadly farewell some of our long-time members because their children have gone onto high school. Therefore, we are looking for a minimum of **5 NEW MEMBERS**.

Our governing council meets twice each term (usually in weeks 5 and 8) from 6:15pm.

We discuss:

- · New school facilities and planning
- · Updates for staffing and school policies
- School finances

As a member on the Governing Council you will have opportunities to be involved in whole school decision making and discussion. A **nomination form** is available at the front office. If you are interested in this amazing opportunity, please complete the form and return it to the front office. If you have any questions I am always more than happy to have a chat when on morning or after school yard duty.

Kindest regards,

Linda Fox

Principal



C04 ARTWORKS



The students in C04 have been very creative. They made these abstract artworks using painting, cutting and pasting skills.







Hola everyone

Welcome to 2022. I am grateful to be back at Darlington after taking some time off to work on my yoga and massage teachings and have my beautiful son.

It is great to be back in such a diverse community of cultures and learners and I look forward to what the year brings! My hope is for connection, communication and understanding in whatever languages we speak.

Hasta pronto

Señora Katie



Come and join us for a FREE BREAKFAST!

Every

TUESDAY & THURSDAY MORNING

8.10am to 8.40am outside the Hall



Please check the lost property bins for any items of clothing etc. The bins are located under the stairs in the front office.





SCHOOL FEES 2022

Last years polling for school fees was successful, therefore school fees for 2022 will be \$305.00 this amount will be legally recoverable.

Invoices will be sent out soon.

DIARY DATES TERM 1

Monday 14th March

Public Holiday (No School)

Monday 21st March

Bullying No Way! + Harmony Day





Thursday 14th April Sports Day









Monday 2nd May First day of Term 2

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