DSC Junior Cricket Team

Back row from left: Brett, Brody, Chase, Sean, Justin, Will G and Mr. Sherman
Front row from left: Nathaniel, Brayden, Nash, Josh, Will F. and Tom. (Lachlan Glen absent in photo)

Congratulations to the DSC Junior Cricket Team achieving a comfortable victory and displaying outstanding sportsmanship and grit during the Eureka Cricket Competition

COMING EVENTS
Year 11 Exams 21 – 23 November, 2016
Report Writing Day 25 November, 2016 – Students not required at school
Kickstart Week 28 November to 2 December, 2016
Principal’s News - Mr Graeme Holmes

**Last Half of Term 4**
We have entered the second half of term four. It is a time of intense teaching, learning and assessment followed by preparation for 2017 then less intensive programs around hands on learning and activities week. We are currently deep into formal testing using the On Demand program and many classes have teacher prepared assessments underway. This is a time when students need to fully attend, be fully present in their classes and perform to their very best ability. It is a time to show they have achieved a full year’s learning for a year spent at school.

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As you can see from this table, there is a lot to do and time is running short. I would really like to impress upon you that students need to be at school, focused on their learning and fully participating in the final weeks of schooling.

**The Changes Continue; another update**
In the last newsletter I noted that we are working on clearing out B-Block in readiness for hand-over to the successful contractors. The Year 9 and 10 students have now vacated their lockers in B-Block and have relocated to the senior centre (Year 10 students) and the locker shed (Year 9 students). Parts of B-Block are closed down and some of the fittings and furniture are being relocated. As soon as the 5MOD portable becomes available we will be instigating the next step in the move – relocation of the library, integration and special programs. This will be followed by the relocation of wellbeing staff to what is currently the temporary library or, as some know it, C6. Meanwhile teaching and learning continues and, despite the phased relocation, the students and staff are coping well with the alterations.

**Fundraising**
We have had an active committee in operation for part of 2016 where they set out to raise funds to assist in our fire recovery program. There have been trivia nights, car boot sale, New Year’s eve parade, a music gig at Old Hepburn Hotel, GoFund Me and the Farmers Arms Friday Night raffles. We have raised much-needed funds for the College which we are using to purchase replacement equipment. It was with pleasure that I welcomed Mitch from the Farmers Arms to the College earlier this week. He handed over a cheque for $5,000 which was the proceeds from the raffles plus a generous donation from Mitch on behalf of the Farmers Arms. On behalf of the College I would like to thank Mitch for not only allowing us to run the Friday night fundraising raffles, but also for his donation towards our fire recovery.

Principal’s Report Continued….p/4.
DSC College appreciates Farmers Arms Support a wonderful $5,000 Donation - thank you.

On behalf of the College Mr Holmes, Principal of DSC thanked Mitch for not only allowing us to run the Friday night fundraising raffles, but also for his generous donation on behalf of the Farmers Arms towards our fire recovery.

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**Students are not required at school on:**

- **Reporting Day - 25th November**

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**KICKSTART**

Commences 28th November to 2nd December 2016

It is essential all 2017 Year 8 – 12 students attend during this week. Students will get to know their teachers and find out what is expected of them in their particular class. Specific holiday homework will also be given to help them ‘kickstart’ their 2017 studies for a successful year.
Planning for 2017
Considerable work has been undertaken in preparation for the 2017 school year. Miss Ellis, Miss Gill and Miss Morrissey have visited most of the primary schools, enrolments have been lodged and bus loadings are being organised. Subjects for 2017 have been selected and staffing and timetables are being organised. We are currently going through the process to appoint new staff for next year and we are reappointing staff as well. Course counselling for 2017 is well underway and is completed at most year levels. We have encouraged next year’s Year 10 students to consider acceleration into higher-level courses for 2017. If they have shown high levels of attendance, a positive attitude towards their studies and high achievement this year then they have been given the opportunity to apply to enrol in a Year 11 (VCE) subject. Quite a few students have taken up the offer. It is important to note the three A’s – attendance, attitude, and achievement – as these are critical for acceleration. Indeed, they’re important considerations right from the minute students start here in Year 7.

- COLLEGE NOTICES -

Food Technology

Kind reminder that food fees are now due,
Costs are still the same as last semester.
If you have any enquiries, please contact the
general office on 5348 2367.

Senior Community News

Year 11 Exam Period
Year 11 Exams will be held from Monday 21st November. The schedule for this week will be as follows:

- Monday 21st November: Exams
- Tuesday 22nd November: Exams
- Wednesday 23rd November: Exams
- Thursday 24th November: No scheduled Year 11 classes
- Friday 25th November: Report writing day

As the exams will be taking place in the Senior Centre, students whose lockers are located in the Senior Centre will only have access to them in the morning before school and at the end of the day when exams are taking place.
## 2016 Unit 2 Exam Timetable

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There will be no unit 2 exams held for the following subjects during the formal exam period. Both the practical and theory component of this subject are assessed as the unit progresses. Students are assessed on their folios and projects.
- Systems Engineering

There will be no end of year exams held for the following VET subjects. They are assessed as the Unit progresses.
- VET Music
- VET Auto
- VET Building construction

The following exams will be held in class prior to the exam period.
- Unit 2 Food & Technology – Wednesday 16th 1/2 lunch & Periods 5&6
- Unit 2 Biology – Friday 18th Periods 1&2
- Unit 2 Foundation Mathematics – Friday 18th Periods 1&2
- Unit 2 History – Friday 18th 3&4
- Unit 2 Digital Interactive Media – Friday 18th Periods 5&6

### Kickstart

Kickstart will be held from Monday 28th November – Friday 2nd December. During this week, students will attend the classes that they will be studying in 2017. It is a great opportunity for students to get to know their teachers, what will be expected of them in their particular classes. They may also be given any specific holiday homework to help them ‘kickstart’ their 2017 studies and set them on the best path towards success for next year.

### Last day for Year 10 & 11 students

– Friday 2nd December.
Eureka Cricket Competition

The DSC Junior Cricket Team displayed outstanding sportsmanship and grit during the Eureka Cricket Competition. We went in as underdogs against Ballarat High’s Year 8 team in our first outing. The opposing opening batsmen were well contained by opening bowlers Brayden Yanner and Will Glen. Tom Macklin broke through with the opening wicket with the help of an inspiring catch by Justin McKeone. The Ballarat batsman set a formidable, but not unbeatable, total of 2/117.

Brayden Yanner was a standout with the bat, top-scoring with a valiant and intelligent 22. Although we were unable to create batting partnerships, it is worth noting that this was the first official game of cricket for a majority of our team. Our debutantes, Lachlan Glen, Nathaniel Straka, Wil Greenock and Brody Thomas, came out to bat with intent and either scored their first ever runs, or went out swinging bravely. We managed a highly respectable 49 in reply.

Our batsmen had better opportunities to score in our second game against East Ballarat. Again, Brayden (12) made a valuable contribution early on, while Brett Clarke (23 n.o.) unleashed towards the end of his innings with a massive six. The combination of our fearless leaders, classy captain Nash Robinson (21 n.o.) and resilient vice-captain Josh Wade (21) helped us to put on a total of 2/109.

Tom Macklin and Brayden Yanner put us in a strong position by taking early wickets against the East Ballarat top order. Sean Gervasoni came on to bowl a wicket-maiden in first over, while Brody and Nathan also showed some promise and snared their first official scalps. Although the opposition middle order rallied, we fought out the game to achieve a comfortable victory.

Both during training sessions and the games, the team’s commitment, comradery and display of school values were outstanding. Nash, Josh, Will Glen and Brett showed excellent leadership skills by organising training sessions and doing a superb job of encouraging their teammates. Overall, I was immensely proud of all of the lads and predict that Ballarat High will be knocked off their perch in 2017. Carn’ DSC.

Mr. Sherman

Greater Western Region Volleyball

On the 25th October the Year 7 and Year 8 boys and girls teams journeyed to Horsham to compete in the Greater Western Region Volleyball Finals.

The Year 7 girls team were Runners Up overall and only missed out on winning the competition by a few points. The Year 8 girls and Year 7 boys teams played exceptionally well and won their respective divisions. This now progresses them through to the State Finals in Melbourne on the 22nd and 23rd November.

The teams consisted of:
(8) Romy Streat, Andromeda Bell, Lily Fox, Anna Santurini, Keely Meade-Sweet, Holly Scoble, Brooke Turnbull, Brooke Cowan, Zarli Downing and Abbey Olver.

Many thanks to Colin Priest and Gemmeh Gill for their assistance on the day. We wish the 2 teams all the very best in Melbourne.

Greater Western Region Tennis

Last Wednesday 5 Year 7 students competed in the Greater Western Region Tennis Finals in Ballarat. All students played extremely well against very strong opposition. The team members were Luke Hallett, Rennie Saunders, Josh Wade, Brayden Yanner and Taron Malter

Martyn Nettleton – Sport Co-Ordinator
On Thursday, 10th November the Daylesford Secondary College Concert band toured around the countryside and performed for students at Bullarto PS, Trentham and District PS and finally Myrningong PS. A small and attentive audience at Bullarto PS appreciated our small ensemble groups and were shown each of the instruments in our concert band. We then all had a lovely time looking at the baby goat and fluffy hens. After playing to our Trentham audience we were made very aware of the very active music program they have at their school. We spent some time in the main street having lunch before heading to Myrningong. Having played at this school on a number of occasions, many of our students remembered their running track and wonderful play equipment. Our students performed beautifully and the music they shared, was enjoyed by all.

Susan Verbyla – Music Co-Ordinator
Year 9 – A day at ACU Ballarat Campus
Our Year 9 students have been invited to a day on a university campus. Ms Cattanach will come around to classes and take registrations.
The day will be interesting for all students who are considering university as an option but will be particularly focussed upon Nursing, Para medicine, Teaching and Early Childhood Education.
Cost – FREE – lunch provided, bus provided.
When – Tuesday December 6th (during ‘Hands on Learning Week’).

Career as a Criminologist
Many students consider a career in the legal industry yet only know of a lawyer or judge. Many have heard of, but do not know, what a criminologist does.

The Good Universities Guide 2016 states that criminologists examine the systems by which people accused of crimes are brought to justice, attempt to explain the reasons for criminal behaviour and suggest ways crime might be reduced.

Criminologists may perform some of the following tasks:
study the ways certain criminal justice agencies operate including the law courts, police services, prisons and community-based correction centres
• provide information about crime and the ways in which people are processed by the criminal justice system
• compile crime statistics and develop ways in which crime solving resources can be best used.
Criminologists may specialise in organisational research, victimology, corporate crime, adult corrections and/or juvenile justice. They may work in the legal field, which tries to make sure that laws keep up with changes in society. They may also work in the social/psychological fields, which study the effects of the criminal justice system or the factors which contribute to offending behaviour by individuals.

So, what type of person becomes a criminologist?
Someone who has analytical ability
• Someone with personal integrity
• Someone interested in welfare and human behaviour
• Someone interested in working with disadvantaged groups

Find out more at Good Universities Guide - Criminologist and visit Australian Institute of Criminology for other interesting information.

Careers in Retail
Students often ask about the range of careers in retail, which is one of the largest industries in Australia! What qualifications does one need to have? What opportunities are there? Retailworld Resourcing has an excellent website - Retailworld Resourcing – and features useful information about the range positions out there.

What’s the Right Health Job for You?
Are you considering a career in the health industry but are undecided about the range of careers you may be suited to? Health Heroes and browse the various videos and numerous jobs in the health industry from acupuncturist to youth worker and many in-between!
Career as a Veterinarian
Students keen on a career as a Veterinarian might like to browse the following very useful links - Career as a Veterinarian (shared with us by Essendon Vet Clinic) and a virtual tour of the Veterinary Hospital at the University of Melbourne - University of Melbourne Veterinary Hospital

Careers in the Rail Industry
The rail industry has much to offer…more than you imagined! There are many careers in rail, including:
- Mechanical, Electrical & Civil Engineering
- Design, Drafting & Logistics
- Safety, Security & the Environment
- Customer Service, PR, Sales and Marketing
- IT, Systems, Project Management
- Signalling, Communications, CCTV
- Accounting, Commercial Management
- Human Resources and People Management

For more information about the many careers in the Rail Industry, visit Rail Careers.

Jump into summer fun with VCA & MCM's 2017 intensive summer schools
A summer immersed in the Arts!

COSTS APPLY: Join in on a summer immersed in arts with a variety of performing and visual art summer school programs at the Victorian College of the Arts and the Melbourne Conservatorium of Music in the Southbank arts precinct.
Working with industry professionals in state of the art facilities, the summer programs are immersive learning experiences. Share your summer with like-minded, passionate performers and artists while developing your fundamental skills and building your confidence in a relaxed and stimulating environment.

2017 Summer school intensives available in: Numbers are limited, so book your place now!
- Acting
- Film and Television
- Pop Song Writing
- Music Theatre
“Insights & Inspiring” Quotes

- The difference in winning and losing is most often not quitting. Walt Disney
- Never forget WHY you started.
- Be strong enough to stand alone. Smart enough to know when you need help and brave enough to ask for it.
- Life is too short to be the same day twice.

daylesford S.C. Fire Recovery fund

GoFundMe

All donations large or small are very much appreciated. For further information how to donate, use “control” key and click on the link.

https://www.gofundme.com/5hthk5g4?utm_source=internal&utm_medium=email&utm_content=campaign_link_t&utm_campaign>Welcome
SRC Planner Term 4

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Full SRC meetings are held at fortnightly lunchtimes in C1. All students are welcome to attend!

The SRC Executive comprises the President, Vice President, Secretary, etc., who meet on Monday at recesses in the Senior Centre. If you would like anything specifically discussed/raised at as SRC meeting then please raise it with one of the executive in person, via email, or drop into an exec meeting!

The first full meeting of term 4 will be in week 2 and the main agenda items at this stage are;
- Planning casual dress days for term 4
- Providing feedback for Lola and Bethany to take to school council the following week

If you have any other ideas that you would like SRC to pick up to help improve the school then please let the executive know.

Feedback: If you have any feedback or enquiries about SRC please email:
Lola Jackson, (President) jaco0111@daylesfordsc.vic.edu.au
Ceilidh Wratten, (Communications) wra0003@daylesfordsc.vic.edu.au
Lola, President

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Student Support - Lunch Time and After School

**After School MATHS Help**
Maths teachers are available to help students with their homework or other maths work after school every **Tuesday 3:30 to 4:30**. Students should bring their maths work and necessary equipment to **B4**.

**Tuesday Night SENIOR STUDY Sessions**
Senior students are invited to attend our senior school study nights on Tuesdays after school. Some senior staff will be available to assist students with their study during this time.
Mrs Angela Olver & Mr Campbell Ackland – Senior LC Managers

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**D S C School Uniform**
SALE ON NOW 20% OFF
Daylesford Clothing is currently taking 20% of all School uniform until sold out.
COMMUNITY NEWS

LAUNCHING THE WOMBAT FOREST INDIGENOUS GARDEN WEBSITE
12 NOVEMBER FROM 5PM – ALL WELCOME

Yay it's the...Wombat Forest Indigenous Garden Website Launch!

Animations, models and illustrations documenting the 4.6 billion year history of the reclaimed road reserve being reborn as the Wombat Forest, created by the kids at Bullarto Primary.

Performance by Moira Finucane & Claire St Claire
Baked potatoes from our garden
Live Music from Cat & Clint
Paleontologist talk and fossil-making
Twilight walk in the Wombat Forest
Stories around the campfire and puppet show

Cosmic Retort by Rebecca Morton, Amanda Hills, and Michael Gray

FREE!
5pm ‘til late
Saturday 12 November
Bullarto Primary School
131 Bullarto South Road, Bullarto

Volcano artwork by Jack O’Leary

See it at: wombatforestindigenousgarden.weebly.com/

Successful Kids – for every child at home and in our schools
by Julie Kleinhans

Experience interviews with leading experts as they show you how to empower yourself and your kids to lead happy successful lives

Go to www.SuccessfulKidsRevolution.com and www.FindFocusGeneration.com

AUSTRALIAN CHILDHOOD FOUNDATION

Bringing up Great Kids
Tue 15th & 22nd Nov
11am-3pm
$5 per session per family

Created by the Australian Childhood Foundation, to build supportive parent-child relationships. Facilitated by Centacare.

Daylesford Neighbourhood Centre| 13 Camp Street, Daylesford 03 5348 3569
daylesford@ourneighbourhood.org.au
The Daylesford Community Fair is a volunteer-run event to celebrate and connect our community. It is on Sunday 20 November at the Daylesford Community Park (skatepark) between 12noon and 3pm. Entry is free and everyone is welcome. Poster next page designed by a student of Daylesford Secondary College with mentoring from a local designer.

Kind Regards, Fiona Robson, on behalf of the Daylesford Community Fair organising group.
Attention all budding musicians -

Are you interested in a compact, gig ready Marshall amp MG100DFX? Please contact Ms Woodrofe at the school if you think this might suit you and we can negotiate!

New Daylesford Community Market!
Call out for Producers!

WHEN: Friday afternoons 3.30pm to 6pm, from 4 November, 2016 weekly for 26 weeks to April 28, 2017
WHERE: Stanbridge St Daylesford Community Playground and Skatepark.

Our vision is for a thriving market that supports local food producers and crafters, providing the community with direct access to fresh local food and local crafts, and to create a social atmosphere of inclusion, food awareness and festivity.

The market can provide a connection point for producers. As well as selling direct from stalls, the market may be a collection point for pre-ordered goods to the public and for local businesses. CSA, produce boxes, on-farm sales and workshops can be promoted.

With affordable and flexible stall models we can support small, new, seasonal and well-established growers and makers at our market.

We are hoping stall holders will commit to the first 2 weeks to help the market gain momentum quickly!

To apply for a stall, for any questions, or for copies of the Market Guidelines, Registration or Transparency Checklist, please contact Mara Macs at maramacs@gmail.com, or by phoning 0477 499 342.

SECOND HAND UNIFORM for SALE
Seniors: 1 x V-Neck Black Jumper in very good condition. Size 18 - $35.
Contact Irene at DSC ph. 5348 2367 or 0427 213 63
Perma Pleat Black long school pants 2/72cm (unworn) $20
Sports top $5
Contact Treasure Dennis on 0401 334 412 for further information.