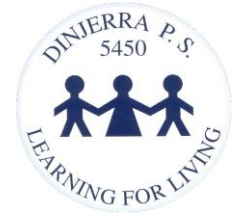




Dinjerra Messenger

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From the Principal

Dear Parents and Guardians,

At the close of nominations for the 2018 Dinjerra Primary School Council election, we received 3 nominations for 3 vacant Parent Representative positions and 2 nominations for 2 vacant Department of Education and Training (DET) positions.

The successful candidates are:

Parent Representatives:

- Hina Hussian
- Saravana Kumar Narayanan
- Tania Jorquera

Department of Education and Training Representatives:

- Ivy Leach
- Catherine Leahy

'Carry over' Council members are Parent Representative, Vesna Frisina and DET Representative, Michael Voulgarellis.

I congratulate them all and look forward to working with them as we ensure that Dinjerra is the best school in the district.

On behalf of the school community, I would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank Magz Tunui and Dat Do, retiring Council members for their many years of service to our school. Both spent time as President and were regulars at fund-raising and other school events.

At our assembly last Friday our new School Captains and their Vice Captains were awarded their badges. I would like to congratulate in no particular order, Leo, Alnour, Laura and Nhial on being elected to this most important job. Badges were also awarded to the Sport's Captains, the Class Captains and the Digital Leaders. The Gate Monitor remained the same.

Providing leadership roles for our students ensures that the student voice is always heard when we make decisions that impact upon them.

Graeme Smith
Principal



Kelly Club Dinjerra
 Program Phone: 0466 665 941
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KELLY CLUB DINJERRA

Get along to Kelly Club Dinjerra OSHC program for loads of fun, sports, games, cooking, craft, arts, free time and healthy, yummy breakfast and afternoon tea provided for all children!

Opening times: **Before School Care 7.00am - 8.45am** and **After School Care 3.30pm - 6.00pm**

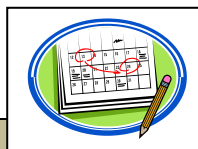
Prices start from **\$3.00 per session** with your CCB/CCR rebate connected with Centrelink. Our programmes are approved, with government rebates and subsidies available.

Weekly themes for Term 1:

- Week 4** - Road Safety Week
- Week 5** - Clean Up Australia Week
- Week 6** - Healthy Eating Week
- Week 7** - Animal Week
- Week 8** - Harmony Week
- Week 9** - Celebration Week

Contact the program phone/email to book! 0466 665 941 dinjerra@kellycluboshc.com.au

Calendar of Events



Date	Event	Time
Monday 12 th March	No SCHOOL – Labour Day	
Tuesday 13 th March	Health & Human Development Education 4,5 & 6	
Friday 16 th March	Sunshine College Transition Day Grades 4, 5 & 6	9:00 – 3:30pm
Monday 19 th March	Harmony Week 19 th – 23 rd March	
Tuesday 20 th March	Health & Human Development Education 4,5 & 6	
Wednesday 21 st March	Recycling Incursion Grades Prep - 3	
Friday 23 rd March	Recycling Incursion Grades 4 – 6	
Monday 26 th March	School Photo Day	
Thursday 29 th March	TERM 1 FINISHES	2:30pm

On the Noticeboard

- BRAYBROOK COMMUNITY HUB – Kids Art Term 1 2018
- Commonwealth Bank – Student Banking
- Winter Baseball
- Footscray Rugby Union Club

Scholastic Book Club

Our Second issue of Scholastic Book Club is going home today with the Newsletter. All money and order forms are due back on **Thursday 22nd March 2018**. The more orders we get, the school earns bonus points and it goes towards books for our library.

CSEF

The State Government has financial assistance to help with paying for sports activities, camps and excursions. If you hold a Health Card or Pension Card or concession card you may be eligible for the \$125 government payment which helps towards the cost of your child's excursions and camps.

To apply for this assistance, please bring your current Health Care Card or Pension Card to the office and sign an application form (CSEF) as soon as possible. If you have already signed this application but have not supplied the office with your card, please bring it in as soon as possible as we must sight every card.

Thank you

The Office Staff

Bikes and children - Find out about the rules on riding with children.



Child in a bike seat and wearing a helmet

Do children have to wear helmets?

All children – whether they are riding a bike or they are a passenger – must wear a properly fitting and fastened helmet that meets Australian safety standard AS/NZS2063.

Where can children ride?

Children can ride on the road, but it may be safer for them to ride on the footpath. Children under the age of 12 can ride on footpaths, bike paths, shared paths and separated footpaths. If you are an adult (18 years or older) supervising a child under 12 you can ride with them on a footpath.

What are the rules on child seats?

Your child can be a passenger on your bike if you have fitted a properly designed child seat. Unless the bike is parked, your child must remain in the child seat. Make sure you get a safe child seat.

For further information, call the Safety Centre at The Royal Children's Hospital on (03) 9345 5085.

