



Hello Parents and Caregivers,

It appears that the news is spreading about the outstanding programs and teachers that we have here at Djidi Djidi ... we have enrolled six new students in the last two weeks! If you have or know of anyone who has a child who will be turning Four before 30th June 2020, please enrol them in our Kindy program now. Applications for Enrolment can be picked up from Terrina in our front office.

Last Friday night we held our Djidi Disco and we had over 70 students attend. It was a night of fun, fluoro colours and many deadly dance moves! We raised \$640 that will go towards subsidising the costs of the Year 5/6 Camp in 2020. A BIG thank you to all our teachers who gave up their Friday night to volunteer and also to Hannah Rodgers, Anna Williams and Uncle Rob Williams who assisted with the DJ duties and sausage sizzle. I'm hoping the kids didn't wake up Saturday morning as sore as I was from all the dancing.



Bookweek is next week and this years' theme is – **Reading is My Super Power** - and we are asking that students dress up next Wednesday 21 August as their favourite book character. We will be having a Bookweek Parade at the assembly which starts at 2:00pm and prizes will be awarded for the best dressed.

ABSENCES FROM SCHOOL

On a more important note, if your child is absent for any reason, we would appreciate either a text via our SMS, phone call or hand written note to the school with a reason why they are away. Keep in mind, it is a legal requirement not only by the school but also by yourselves as parents/carers to keep the school informed as to why your child/children are not at school.

Thank you
Mrs Goodlad

2019 TERM 3 – CALENDAR OF EVENTS

| WEEK | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
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| Term 3 4 | 12th AUGUST | 13th | 14th NEWSLETTER 12 | 15th | 16th |
| 5 | 19th BOOKWEEK→ | 20th BOOKWEEK | 21st School Assembly @ 2-2:30pm BOOKWEEK | 22nd BOOKWEEK | 23rd BOOKWEEK |
| 6 | 26th | 27th | 28th NEWSLETTER 13 Winter Carnival @ LLC (Yarloop PS) 10am | 29th Yirra Yaakin Djinda Kaatijin 11am | 30th |
| 7 | 2nd SEPTEMBER | 3rd | 4th Earbus Clinic Visit | 5th Footy Clinic Yrs 3-6 | 6th |

OLD WAYS, NEW WAYS

Last week Wetj class spent the afternoon with Jason and Caroline exploring bush tucker and collecting materials to make their own resin and watching Jason mold the resin to make tools. There is a photo below KindiLink news. **There will be an Old Ways, New Ways day of exploration and fun at the Djidi Djidi Community Science Exchange on Saturday 31st August 2019 from 10am-3pm here at the school.**

KINDILINK NEWS



Last Thursday, KindiLink families were greeted by Amber at the Bunbury Regional Art Gallery. They were taken on a tour of the Noongar Country Exhibition where they were able to see their own artwork on display.

Last Friday, Suzanne came to KindiLink for a visit, teaching the children how to brush their teeth and offering a fluoride varnish to protect their precious teeth. Thank you Suzanne!



Wetj Class with Jason



LITTLE YORGAS

Little Yorgas had a special visit from Ms Kye McGuire, a local Noongar artist and recently newly graduated Nurse. Kye spoke about her family background and the inspirations in her life. She is a very talented Noongar yorga and we hope to see her visit Djidi Djidi again. Kye also visited our Dermokalitj class and the students saw her work on YouTube and she showed us her stethoscope.



WETJ CLASS and SUPERFLEX

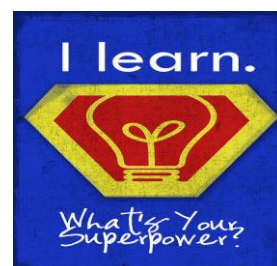
Wetj class and Superflex are taking on the Unthinkables. Wetj class has been learning about Superflex strategies to encourage a growth mindset rather than a "Rock Brain". Rock Brain is an Unthinkable that gets you stuck on one

topic/idea and stops you from learning or following instructions from the teacher at school or parents/carers at home. Jett in Year 6 created a fantastic comic to illustrate this and there is a picture below.



CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK – 19th TO 23rd AUGUST

The bookweek theme this year is "Reading is my Super Power". There will be various activities going on all during Week 5, specially our **School Assembly on Wednesday 21st August from 2pm to 2:30pm.**



Students get to come to school dressed up as their favourite book character and show off their 'super power' and costume at the assembly. Prizes will be awarded for the best dressed.

WHAT'S COMING UP ON OUR CALENDAR

AUGUST

Wednesday 21st – Bookweek School Assembly @ 2:00pm in the undercover area.

Wednesday 28th – Winter Carnival @ Leschenault Leisure Centre starting 10:00am and hosted by Yarloop PS.

Saturday 31st – Djidi Djidi Community Science Exchange from 10am-3pm here at Djidi Djidi. FREE event for all ages. Sausgae Sizzle provided.

SEPTEMBER

Thursday 5th – Footy Clinic for Years 3-6.

Wednesday 11th – Dermokalitj (PP) class hosting the School Assembly from 1:45-2:30pm.

NEXT TERM

Starting Week 2 – Monday 21st to Friday 25th October, Interm Swimming Lessons commence. The cost per student is \$25.00. There is only one bus with 53 places available. Families can start paying off the lessons now. Sorry, No Centrepay available for payment.