# INDALEE DOURNAL

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Week 5 Term 2: 18 May 2022

# JSS FAMILY CALENDAR

PLEASE NOTE: ACCESS TO THIS CALENDAR IS NO LONGER PASSWORD PROTECTED.

For more information regarding excursions/incursions/camps, please keep an eye out for letters that will be sent home from your class teachers.

The calendar below can be filtered by selecting from the following tags:

20 May	School Photo Day All day
21 May	2022 Australian Federal Election 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM
	Sausage Sizzle & Bake Sale - P&C Fundraiser 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
22 May	Week 6 Term 2 All day
23 May	Junior Band Rehearsal All day Recurring event
24 May	Senior Band Rehearsal 7:40 AM - 8:45 AM

	Recurring event
27 May	DUE: Yr 2 Queens Park Excursion - \$7 All day
29 May	Week 7 Term 2 All day
30 May	Junior Band Rehearsal All day Recurring event
	Cross Country: Prep-Yr3 (NEW DATE) 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
31 May	Senior Band Rehearsal 7:40 AM - 8:45 AM Recurring event
3 Jun	Yr 2 Queens Park Excursion All day
	DUE: Yr 1 Larrikin Puppet Show Incursion - \$6 All day
5 Jun	Week 8 Term 2 All day
6 Jun	Junior Band Rehearsal



	All day Recurring event
7 Jun	Senior Band Rehearsal 7:40 AM - 8:45 AM Recurring event
12 Jun	Week 9 Term 2 All day
13 Jun	Year 1 Larrikin Puppet show All day
	Junior Band Rehearsal All day Recurring event
14 Jun	Senior Band Rehearsal 7:40 AM - 8:45 AM Recurring event
	Junior Athletics Carnival 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
15 Jun	Senior Athletics Carnival All day
	Strings Workshop All day
16 Jun	Senior Athletics Carnival All day

# PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

We have had a fabulous Term 2 here at Jindalee State School. It was an extremely busy term with our students participating in NAPLAN online for the first time and our Year 6 camp.



We continue to have COVID-related absenteeism for staff and students which has proven challenging for staff. We are

working together to make the necessary adjustments to planning and teaching, so that the critical content for English, Mathematics and Science remains our core priority.

## NAPLAN Online Success

This year we transitioned to NAPLAN online which was a resounding success. Our students were extremely calm, thanks to the support of parents and how well our staff prepared students for this transition.

## **Report Cards**

Report cards will be emailed to families on Wednesday of Week 10.

## Infrastructure Update

It is great to have both the junior play equipment and senior play equipment fully operational. There is still some works to finalise where the old music block and tank was.

Our new solar panels have been installed which is fabulous. The senior toilets refurbishment commenced this week and should be about a 6-8 week project. I know that our senior students are looking forward to the upgrade of their toilets.

## **Prep Playground**

For those parents who are unaware, our Jindalee After School Care Program uses our Prep playground as part of their after-school care program. This means that this playground cannot be used after school, by children or students who do not attend this program.

#### School Uniforms

With the cooler months upon us, it is important for students to be wearing the correct winter uniform. Jumpers other than school-approved jumpers are not to be worn at school.

If your child does not have a school jumper, please organise one for them. At Jindalee State School we have high expectations around the wearing of our school uniform and expect all students to wear their correct school uniform.

I also ask that all parents do a check of uniforms and jumpers to ensure they are clearly named. Our lost property containers are spilling over with unnamed clothing.

## 2023 Prep Information

Enrolments for Prep 2023 are now being accepted. Please ensure all documents have been submitted to the school office and that your child's birth certificate has been sighted by a staff member at the office.

Important dates for Prep 2023 enrolments:

- Parent Information Evening will be held at Jindalee State School on Monday 20 June 2022 at 5.30pm
- Interviews will commence the week of 8 August 2022
- Orientation Day will be held on Thursday 17 November 2022

We look forward to meeting you and your family, if you have any questions please feel free to call or send an email.



#### P&C Meeting

Our next P&C Meeting will be on Monday 20 June at 6.30pm in the staff room.



## School Photo Day is nearly here!!

#### Friday 20th May 2022

- School photos are just around the corner! You can now order online, if you have not received a form, please contact MSP on 3848 3946 and you will be issued with your students shoot key.
- But hurry! Order by photo day to avoid a late fee.

#### We are here to help! Please call us on <u>3848–3946</u> if you have any questions.

• Year 6 students are to wear their senior shirts for class photos. If your child does not have a senior shirt, please contact your class teacher so we can arrange to borrow one.

• School Leaders, House Captains and Student Councillors will need their formal uniforms to change into for student leader group photos.

Whole School Event

# P&C NEWS



Next P&C Meeting: 6:30pm Monday 20 June

## Election Day - 21 May 2022

Sausage Sizzle - Volunteers Needed

We are holding an Election Day Sausage Sizzle to raise money for the School's P&C on Saturday 21 May.

On the day we'll need people to help cook, serve, pick-up supplies, set-up, and clean-up. Set-up will commence at 6:30 am with the BBQ running until 2 pm, and we should be all packed away by 3:30pm.



If you feel you could help out with any of this can you please contact James Lindley at electionsausage22.jss@gmail.com.

#### Music Support Group Bake Sale

The Music Support Group are holding a bake sale alongside the Election Day Sausage Sizzle and would love your help in helping raise some funds for the Music Department. If you or your child are keen on baking and would like to help us, **please bring some baked treats at 7am-8am on Election day** (and maybe vote early to avoid the crowds). If you can stick around for an hour or two, please go to this link to let us know: https://signup.com/go/NLHiPdb

We would love your help with either cooking or helping on the day. Please note we don't have access to a fridge for the day so nothing too delicate. Fudge, biscuits, cupcakes, brioche things, tarts, macarons, let your imagination go wild.

If you are cooking, please do not bring food in your best containers as the clean up afterwards is not fun and a return of the container is not guaranteed. Zippy bags or similar would be amazing and quite COVID safe. Happy cooking!

## JSS Family Disco - 17 June 2022



The P&C is hoping to host a Family Disco evening on Friday 17 June with food trucks, a DJ and a Bar for the adults! (Weather and all other obstacles permitting!!!)

To make this event a success, we need some assistance from our school community - please see

below and email events@jsspandc.com.au if you can help:

Bar Manager - to allow us to run a Bar, we need a volunteer to work with the Operations Manager to coordinate the preparations and execution of the Bar on the night. This includes purchasing of stock and organisation of volunteers for service. This person must have (or be willing to obtain) a RSA certificate (Responsible Service of Alcohol).

Raffle Coordinator - to assist us with fundraising, we have the opportunity to run raffles on the night. We often have numerous businesses willing to donate gifts/prizes, so we need someone to coordinate this as well as run the raffles on the night.

If you can't commit to one of these roles, but can help in any other way, leading up to or on the night, please also get in touch!

It would be great to be able to get together socially again and reconnect with our school community. The more assistance we have from our school families, the better this event will be!

## **Our Services**



## 2022 P&C Fundraising Campaigns

#### Containers for Change Recycling



Nominate JSS P&C to receive your funds from recycling when you take your bottles and cans to a recycling centre. Simply enter our Scheme ID: C10424145 or scan the QR code below:



Entertainment Book Memberships



You can now order online - memberships are valid for 12 months from activation (you have 3 months to activate). Simply purchase your package and download the app to instantly access substantial savings across dining, shopping, travel, car hire and more, with new offers being added weekly, for ongoing value all year round.

Click the link below to get your new Entertainment Membership today and support Jindalee State School P&C - 20% of each sale will go towards our P&C funded projects! If you have friends and family interested in purchasing memberships, please send them this link so they too can support our school!



https://www.entertainment.com.au/orderbooks/225x456

P&C Event

## MUSIC NEWS

#### Strings News

#### Westcent Auditions

Well done to the students (Julia, Annabelle, Yannick & William) who auditioned for the Westcent Workshop which will be held in Term 3. It takes much practise and dedication to prepare properly so we commend the students for their efforts and look forward to finding out the results in a few weeks!



Upcoming Date Claimers

Please make sure these important dates are in your calendar!

Election Day Bake Sale - Music Support Group Fundraiser! - Saturday 21 May - Please donated some baked goods to help raise funds for the music program.

Fanfare (Senior Strings) @ Centenary High - Thursday 2 June

Year 3 String Extravaganza (all Year 3's) @ Corinda SS - Wednesday 15 June

Winter Music Night Showcase - Thursday 23 June

# SCHOOL PROCEDURES

#### The Stop, Drop & Go Zone

We will be returning to normal drop off and pick up arrangements now that restrictions have been eased.

However, we have noticed that staggering the drop-off and pick-up times in the Stop, Drop and Go Zone have really worked towards assisting with the flow of traffic through this area, so we would like these to continue. Please see below:

- Stop, Drop and Go Zone Prep and Year 1 children
  - Please drop off your Prep and Year 1 child <u>between 8:40am and 8:50am</u>
  - If you have a child or children in another year level as well, please drop off your child <u>between</u> <u>8:40am and 8:50am</u>
  - Please pick up your Prep and Year 1 child <u>between 3:10pm to 3:20pm</u>
- Stop, Drop and Go Zone Years 2 6
  - Please drop your child off between <u>8:30am –</u> <u>8:40am</u>
    - If you have a child in Prep or Year 1 as well, please drop all children off at the Stop, Drop and Go Zone between 8:30am and 8:40am
  - Please pick your child off between <u>3:20pm and</u> <u>3:30pm</u> as this will allow our Prep and Year 1 students to be picked up from 3:10pm – 3:20pm
    - If you have a child in Prep or Year 1 as well, please pick all of your children up between 3:10pm – 3:20pm

Please note the following when you are using this zone:

- It is a 2 minute only zone
- In the afternoon, the orange cones at the entrance will be removed at 3:10pm so cars can enter the zone – this is so that our students have adequate time to leave their classrooms and walk up to the zone
- Drivers must stay with their car
- It is a stop, drop and go zone
- Move to the front
- This is not a parking zone

It is important that we use this area correctly to ensure the smooth flow of traffic. To assist with the 'stop, drop and go', especially in the mornings, it would be beneficial for children to have their bags, belongings, homework, notes, hair done, shoes on etc. ready to go and organised so that when you stop, children can get out quickly and safely.

## Sick Students

It is absolutely vital, that if your child is sick, they must remain at home.

#### Student Absence Notification Process

Please remember to call the school on 3725 5777 and leave a voice message (option 1), or email absent@jindaleess.eq.edu.au early in the morning if your child is going to be away, or late for school, so your child's absence can be recorded correctly.

Please ensure you state very clearly:

- Your name and contact number
- Child/rens name
- Reason for absence (ie> illness, holiday, appointment, etc)
- Duration of absence

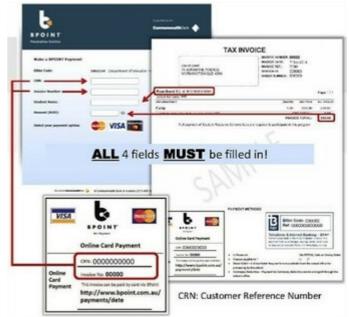
#### **Financial Procedures**

The office is no longer accepting cash payments, however EFTPOS is again available through the office payment window (Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 10:30am).

BPOINT is an online payment system and is the preferred payment method. This option is accessed through an internet weblink which appears on all invoices and statements.

When making payments via BPoint from the invoice or statement, please ensure to enter each payment separately using the invoice number and amount.

Payment will not clear if entered any other way.



Please be mindful when paying via BPoint for overdue invoices, as payments may take 48 hours to register in the system. To avoid any confusion, we strongly recommend you pay before the due date. We also encourage you to take a screenshot of the receipt and email to info@jindaleess.eq.edu.au.

If you are expecting an invoice for an excursion/incursion/camp or other school related program, please check your "Junk/ Spam Folder" or search your emails for "@eq.edu.au". Invoices are emailed on the day of/or day after circulars are handed to students. If you still cannot locate the invoice and need another copy, please email us on info@jindaleess.eq.edu.au or call 3725 5777.

NB: Our system can only allocate 1 parent/carer per household to receive invoices/statements (unless your children live between parents/carers - then we can split invoices 50/50 - on request only).

2022 Student Resource Scheme and current statements have been issued. As mentioned above, please search both parent/ carers emails & junk/spam folders, and if still having issues locating them, please contact the office to request another copy.

We appreciate payment of these as soon as possible. Whole School Event

# SUBSCRIBING TO THE NEWSLETTER



The Jindalee State School newsletter is produced every fortnight during the school terms (beginning week 1). It is the best way to stay up to date with what is happening within our school community.

If you would like to have the newsletter automatically sent to your email each fortnight, please subscribe via the link below:

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

To see flyers from our local community groups, please click on the following links:

## Extra Curricular Activities

VIVA LA MUSICA VOICES

https://jindaleess.schoolzineplus.com/\_file/media/762/ new\_kids\_community\_choir\_to\_hit\_our\_region\_community\_ver sion.docx.pdf

CENTENARY NETBALL CLUB



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