

Achievement

Promoting excellence in education

Community

Building responsible citizens

Resilience

Creating problem solvers ready to accept challenges

Respect

Developing tolerant, considerate individuals

Calendar

Term 2 2025

May

8 th	Mother's Day Stall
9 th	Country & Belonging Incursion
14 th	Bakery Lunch orders due by 9am
16 th	District Cross Country Bakery Lunch Day
19 th	Finance meeting 3.30pm School Council 7pm
21 st – 29 th	Smile Squad Dental clinics
21 st	PFA Meeting
22 nd	Open Day – Come & Play 2026 Preps
23 rd	Lightning Premiership
28 th	Margo's Lunch Day
30 th	Curriculum Day – no school

June

6 th	Open Day – Come & Play 2026 Preps
9 th	Kings Birthday
11 th	Thank a First Responder Day Margo's Lunch Day
16 th	Finance meeting 3.30pm School Council 7pm
20 th	Bakery Lunch Day

This week's value in focus is:

Respect

Understanding – Considering the feelings of others

Contact us:

Principal – Katie Lovel 5468 1111

dunolly.ps@education.vic.gov.au

Around school

MAIN BUILDING FLOOD

Over the last break we had a hot water pipe burst that has sent a considerable amount of water under the main building. If you've been in the office you would have noticed the sealed off areas to the first aid room and meeting room. Over the next few weeks, rectification works will be ongoing throughout the main building. To minimise disruption to everyday running of the school, the grades will be moved out temporarily one by one. For the next few days the year 1/2 class will be mainly operating out of the library space. We will keep you updated as the repairs progress. At this stage the office is open as usual.

CLUSTER CROSS COUNTRY

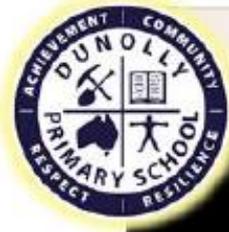
Firstly a huge shout out the amazing volunteers who spend hours during the lunch ordering process, those who were here on the day working tirelessly to ensure all orders were correct and delivered on time, and to those out on the course steering our students in the right direction !! We appreciate your support very much, always going above and beyond in helping and providing for not only Dunolly students but the Cluster ones too.

Congratulations to all students who competed on the day. So many stories of anxious moments, nerves and then with a little courage and resilience, those stories became success and achievement.

Well done to the age group winners. These students have qualified for the next level event at Castlemaine on Friday 16th May.

- Will Young & Jonas Smith (10 yr boys)
- Addi Thursby & Kate Hunter (11 yr girls)
- Ruby Redpath (12/13 girls)
- Elliott Hallworth & Anders Smith (12/13 boys)

Parents/carers will need to transport your own children on the day. Further details will be sent home in the coming week regarding the event along with the Compass approval.



Dunolly Primary School fundraiser

Before



Buy a brick or paver with your name engraved and help us update the school front gate!

Now



**Orders close
Friday May 9th**

Order forms can be picked up from the school office.

FUTURE



Orders close 9th May 2025



Examples of bricks vs pavers. Bricks will be used for gate pillars or similar and pavers for foot paths or other ground covering areas.



We are a child safe school; committed to the safety and wellbeing of all children and young people. We have zero tolerance of child abuse.

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/health/protect/Pages/default.aspx>

We have zero tolerance of any abuse of children.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Prep/1 – Ebony Peters

Grade 1/2 – Tom Bannan

Grade 3/4 – Troy Tansley

Grade 5/6 – Calyn White

Principal's – Savannah Romeo



EGG CARTONS WANTED

If you have any spare egg cartons, please send them to school.

SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

Finance meeting – Monday May 19th at 3.30pm

School Council Meeting – Monday May 19th at 7pm



The PFA annual Mother's Day stall will be held on **Thursday May 8th**. Gifts will be available for Mums, Grandmothers or that special person in your child's life.

Nothing over \$5.00.

Please send your child with their money in a named envelope on the day.

Helpers needed for the stall.

Helpers can choose between helping students choose a gift, handling the money or wrapping the items. If you have some spare time and are interested in coming along, please contact any of the members from the PFA.



The Smile Squad team from Maryborough District Health Service are coming back to our school again this year. They will be here from Wednesday May 21st until Friday May 30th.

Smile Squad is the Victorian Government free school dental program.

This means ALL students can get a free dental check-up, preventive services, and treatment at our school.

How to access free dental care

We need your consent before we can provide services. Consent is usually provided by a parent or guardian.

Sign up to Smile Squad at: <https://bit.ly/smilesquadvic>

OR use the below QR code:



Please complete and submit the consent form by **Friday the 2nd of May**.

Please note that it is preferred and easier for you to do the online consent form if you have access to the internet.

Paper copies of the consent form were sent home last term along with a photograph permission form. Photo permission is entirely optional. Our plan this year is to take and share more photos from our time at the schools to show the work we are doing in the community.

Smile Squad oral health packs

All children deserve a healthy smile, and the Smile Squad free school dental program is working hard to help make sure this happens.

Your child(ren) has received a free oral health pack to bring home today. The pack contains a toothbrush, full sized toothpaste, and an oral health brochure. Please take the time to read the brochure. It's full of helpful hints and tips to help your whole family eat well, drink well and clean well – for life.

Standard strength toothpaste

Smile Squad provides standard strength fluoride toothpaste that is generally used by ages six and over, unless recommended by a dental or trained health professional.

If your child is under six, please talk to a dental or trained health professional to find out if your child might benefit from using this toothpaste. You can also choose to put the toothpaste away until they turn six or give it to someone else in your family to use.

Do I need to attend my child's appointment?

No, you do not need to attend your child's appointment. You can attend if you would like to, and you can take your child to the community dental clinic if you prefer.

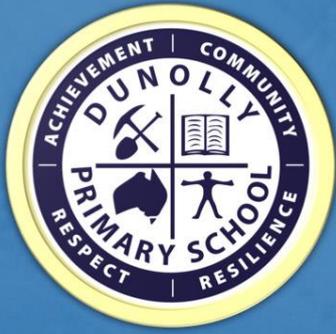
The Maryborough District Health Service Smile Squad look forward to seeing you soon.

Cluster Cross Country



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Save the date!

Community Trivia Night

Friday 1st of August

Details to come!

Fundraiser for Dunolly PS



Dunolly Kindergarten **OPEN DAY**

Wednesday May 21, 2.30pm - 4.30pm

94 Maude St, Dunolly

Visit us
where we
learn, grow
and play

Meet our
friendly
teachers

Experience
our indoor
and outdoor
spaces

Enrolment registrations are via Central Goldfields
Shire at centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au

Dunolly Kindergarten

p: (03) 4311 1598 w: ykinders.org.au

e: dunolly@ykinders.org.au



Kinders



TheirCare
Where Kids love to be!

Dunolly Primary School

- Social, enjoyable & fun experiences for children
- Develop creativity, life skills & confidence through play
- Qualified, caring & engaged staff
- Exciting & thoughtfully developed programs
- Healthy & Yummy food provided each day

Bookings now open!

	Monday - Friday Hours of Operation	Fees before Child Care Subsidy*	Out-of-pocket fees after Child Care Subsidy**
Before School Care (BSC)	7:00 AM to 8:45 AM	\$18.62	\$1.86
After School Care (ASC)	3:15 PM to 6:00 PM	\$24.09	\$2.41
Pupil Free Day	7:00 AM to 6:00 PM	\$60.23	\$6.02
Holiday Program***	N/A	N/A	N/A

*Standard fee costs before Child Care Subsidy | ** Standard fee costs after maximum Child Care Subsidy | *** Standard fee costs excluding Incursions/excursions

Cancellation Fees

(No Child Care Subsidy applied to Cancellation Fees)

- BSC/ASC** within 24 hours of session start time: **\$4.00**
- Holiday Program** within 5 days of session start time: **\$10.00**
- Same day cancellation fee is out-of-pocket session fee.**

Late Booking Fees

(Child Care Subsidy is applied to Late Booking Fees)

- BSC/ASC** within 24 hours of session start time: **\$4.00**
- Holiday Program:** book less than 5 days from the session start time fee is **\$10.00**

Late Pick-up Fees

(Child Care subsidy does not apply to Late Pick-up Fees)

\$1 per minute after service close time.

Service Phone number:
0499 855 565

Your service Coordinator will be available during session times.

Save up to 90% with the Child Care Subsidy!



To register visit theircare.com.au

TheirCare support team is available between 6.30am - 9pm weekdays (Eastern Standard Time) on 1300 072 410 or info@theircare.com.au

Week 2.....

This week our theme is "Under the Sea."

We have learned about the Titanic; learned all about sea creatures; created our own sea creatures and completed word finds!

Next week we will be working on our Mother's Day creations.



CONTACT SERVICE:

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dunolly@theircare.com.au

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More than **\$3.8 million** has been invested in the community!

- We are locally owned and operated by the community, for the community
- We return profits to help build thriving, sustainable and connected communities
- We are local business at its best, keeping money in local economies and employing local people

To learn more about partnerships and how setting up your banking and loans through Maldon and Dunolly benefits the community, visit one of our branches below.

**Community Bank
Maldon & District**

Maldon branch
81 High Street, Maldon 9.30am-4pm
Mon to Friday and Saturday morning
9am-12noon Ph 5474 1747

B Bendigo Bank

Dunolly branch
in the RTC on Broadway 10am-2pm
Monday to Friday Ph 5468 1596



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GOOD CLEAN FUN

PLAY.AFL/AUSKICK

Dunolly Auskick Centre
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 Thursday / 5.00pm - 5.45pm
 From April 24th
ross.pech@gmail.com



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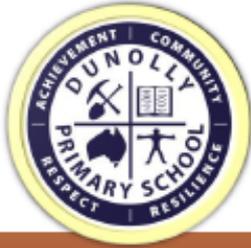

DUNOLLY FUTURE NETBALL STARS PROGRAM

FOR GIRLS & BOYS AGED 5-10 YEARS OLD
 COME AND JOIN THE FUN,
 LEARN NEW SKILLS,
 AND MAKE FRIENDS ON THE COURT!
 WHEN: EVERY THURSDAY FROM
 MAY 1ST - JUNE 26TH
 TIME: 4.15PM - 5.00PM
 WHERE: DUNOLLY NETBALL COURTS
 COST: FREE!!!!



H BLOCK
EARTHWORKS & CONSTRUCTION

FOR MORE INFO PLEASE CONTACT MELANIE SCHODDE 0417 089 444



CELEBRATING 150 YEARS OF EDUCATION

Dunolly Primary School 1875-2025

This is a perfect opportunity for you to celebrate your connection to Dunolly Primary School. Your name will be engraved on a brick that we will use in the update of our front gate. It will be a beautiful and welcoming upgrade to our school front fence and a perfect birthday present to our school that has stood the test of time.

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BRICK: \$40

Your donation of \$40 entitles you to have your name engraved into a brick as a lasting record of your valued support. The brick will be permanently installed at the front fence later in 2025.

Size: 230 x 76 x 110mm

ENGRAVING DETAILS

Please print clearly in block letters. Each box represents a character (letter, number, punctuation mark or space). Max 16 characters per line, three lines per brick. (No hand drawings.)

NAME BRICK	LINE 1	<input type="text"/>														
	LINE 2	<input type="text"/>														
	LINE 3	<input type="text"/>														

Simply fill out this form and return along with full payment by cash to the school's office by the 9th of May 2025. (or pay by direct deposit into the school's bank account BSB:063 093 Acc: 10002656 using reference: BRICK & your full name)

Dunolly Primary School
8 Elgin St,
Dunolly, VIC, 3472

Company/Contact Name

Street

City

State

Post Code

Phone

Email

Our Donation

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Offer closes on 9th of May 2025

Please copy and pass on to any friends & family.

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!

SIGNATURE
— ENGRAVING —

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HAND DRAWN PAVER: \$45

Your donation of \$45 entitles you to have your hand drawn image engraved into a brick as a lasting record of your valued support. The paver will be permanently installed at the front fence later in 2025.

HAND DRAWN DETAILS

Please follow the instructions below and overleaf to ensure your drawing details are not lost during the engraving process.

1. If you do not use the template over the page, keep your drawing within the dimensions of 190mm wide x 100mm deep.
2. ONE NAME PER PAVER.
3. Artline 70 'High Performance' permanent marker is the preferred and recommended marker to use.
4. NO colour pencils, colour textas, Biro's etc will be accepted.

See over for further instructions and template.

Simply fill out this form and return along with full payment by cash to the School's Office by May 9th 2025 (or pay by direct deposit into the school's bank account BSB: 063 093 Acc: 10002656 using reference: PAVER & your full name)

Dunolly Primary School,
8 Elgin St,
Dunolly, VIC, 3475

Contact Name	Phone	
<input type="text"/>	()	
Street		
<input type="text"/>		
City	State	Post Code
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Email	Our Donation	
<input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	

Offer closes on the 9th of May 2025

For engraving details please complete the form on the reverse.

Please copy and pass on to any friends & family.

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!

SIGNATURE
— ENGRAVING —

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HAND DRAWN PAVER

ENGRAVING DETAILS

PLEASE FOLLOW THESE SIMPLE STEPS WHEN CREATING YOUR IMAGE.

1. ONE NAME PER PAVER.
2. Draw your image using a good quality medium thickness black marker pen (about 2mm thick).
eg Artline 70 'High Performance' marker.
Do not use a ballpoint pen, coloured text or pencils!
3. Make sure you rub out any pencil lines as these will show up on the finished paver.
4. Do not include computer-generated or pasted pictures.
The hand drawn image engraving process is set up to engrave hand drawn images only.

SAMPLE 1



THIS IS OK ✓

- Good clean writing
- Simple illustrations

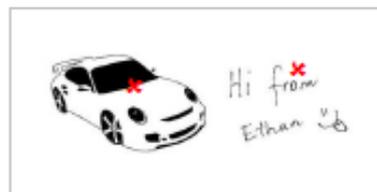
SAMPLE 2



THIS IS NOT OK ✗

- Too many names
- Illustrations too detailed
- Information gets lost

SAMPLE 3

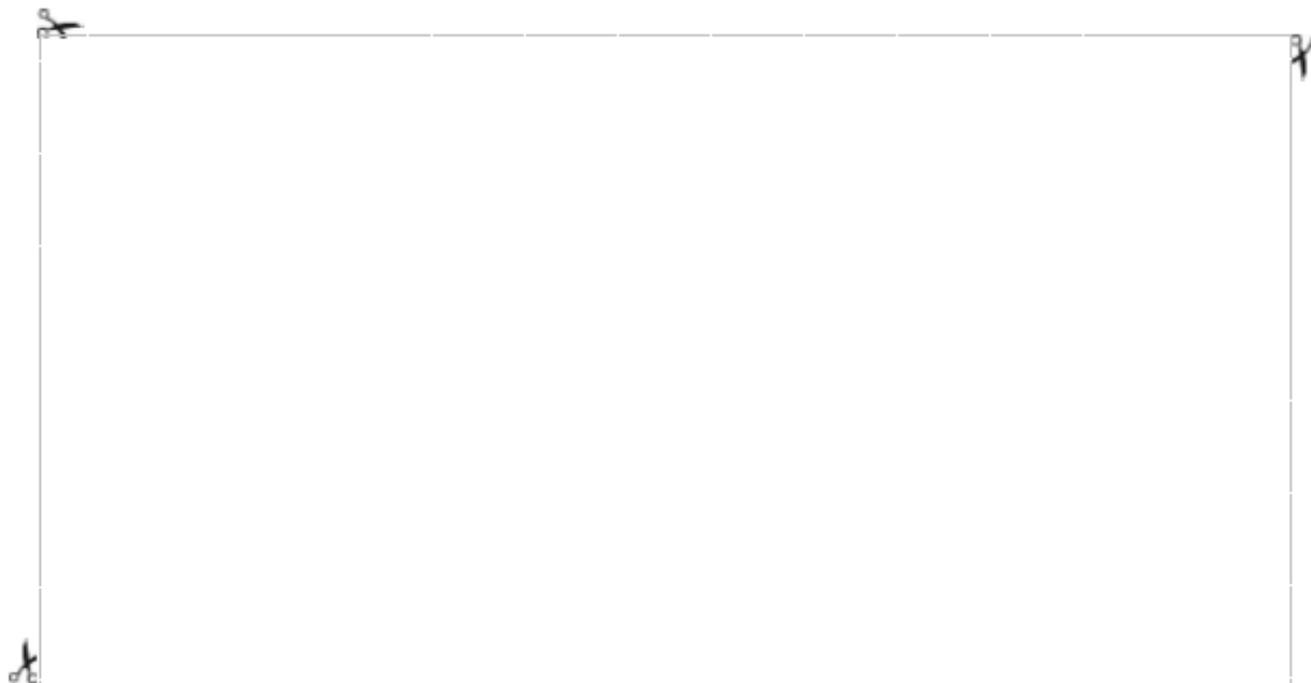


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Administrator note: Please photocopy this page for your records, cut out the drawing below and send the ORIGINAL to Signature Engraving.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR DRAWING DOES NOT TOUCH OR GO OUTSIDE OF THE BORDER



100mm high x 190mm wide