

Important Dates

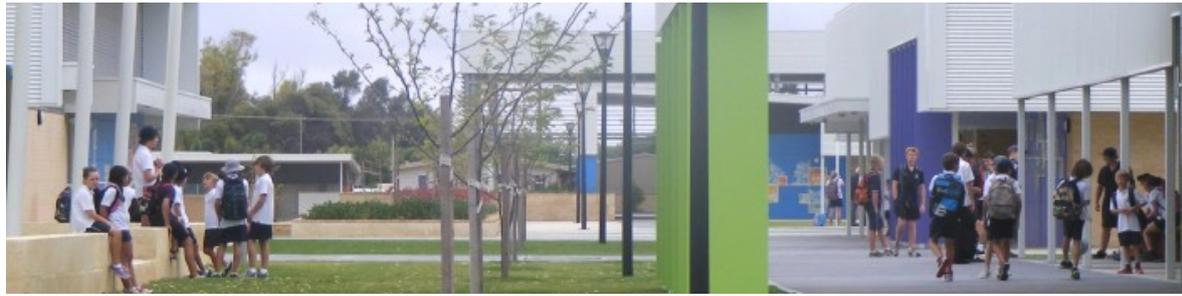
2nd June
WA Day
Public Holiday

3rd June
Yr 11/12 ATAR Exams

13th June
West Coast Fever
HS Netball Cup

17th June
Sec Curric Evening &
Expo Yr 6-9

18th June
Incursion Sean
Choolburra



DONGARA DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

An Independent Public School

NEWSLETTER 30th May 2025

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Thank you to everyone in our school community for your acknowledgment and support of **Sorry Day** and **National Reconciliation Week**. Our front lawn looked **magnificent** on **Monday** when our students and staff planted paper Native Australian Hibiscus flowers for **Sorry Day**.



SORRY DAY

Thank you everyone who dressed up for **"Dolly Day"** assisting the student council to fundraise over **\$300** for this very worth while cause.



Our year 11 and 12 Outdoor Education students and staff had a great week away with **Exmouth** as their outdoor classroom.



Congratulations to **Alannah Firmstone** from year 6 who received a **Highly Commended** award for her **YOH Fest Tote Bag** design.

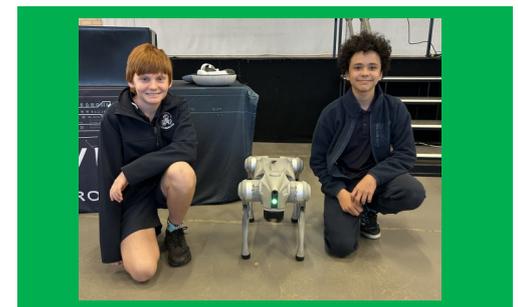
The year six class looked like they had a fabulous time on their **Broome Camp**.



Our year 4-6 Slam Basketball teams represented our school well at the recent **Midwest tournament**.



Our secondary students attended an exciting **STEM** incursion recently by the **AVISTA** group.



Our next assembly for year 1-12 is on **Wed 2 July** and will be hosted by **B1** and **B2**.

Enjoy you **WA Day** long weekend.

Kind Regards
Janine Calver

"Achieve with Honour"

At DDHS we... Choose Respect, Be Responsible, Achieve our Best

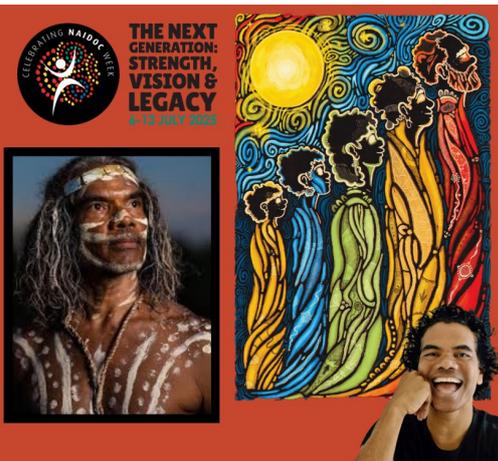
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IncurSION

As part of our **Term Two NAIDOC** celebrations, **Sean Choolburra** is visiting our school on **Wednesday 18th June** for all children from Pre-Primary to Year 12.

Using an array of artefacts from fishing nets to hunting shields, Sean's performance incorporates dance – stories – painting and didgeridoo playing. He fuses energy, historical facts and spiritual wisdom along with a depth of ancestral understanding and knowledge to engage his audiences.

The cost of this performance is **\$6.50 per child** and is required to be paid at the school office by **Wednesday 13th June**.



Aussie of the Month

Congratulations to the following **Aussie of the Month** certificate recipients. This month's value was **Perseverance**

Year 1-3: **Demi Staley**
 Year 4-6: **Hamish Wing**
 Secondary: **Isaiah Pio**

Yr 11/12 ODE

Year 11/12 Outdoor Ed students practising their **knot tying skills**. **Tyson** looking snug in this **rope stretcher**.



Certificate of Achievement

Congratulations to the following students who received **Certificates of Achievement** on **Wednesday 28th May 2025**.

- Year 1 Paige Thompson
- Year 1 Kai Wilson
- Year 2 Ava Redbond
- Year 2 Mila Colley
- Year 2 Sadie Botica
- Year 3 Kobe Gaunt
- Year 3 Flynn Brownsea
- Year 4 Zayn Criddle
- Year 4 Xeva Kingi
- Year 4 Jarrah Waters
- Year 4 Katie-Ana Gall
- Year 5 Malachi Morrison
- Year 5 Indiana Bailey
- Year 5 Rory Griggs
- Year 5 Benjamin Rose
- Year 5 Toby Edmonds
- Year 7 Violet Porteous
- Year 7 Koby Delane
- Year 7 Keesi Sadler
- Year 7 Shannon Pajic
- Year 8 Azaria Marsden
- Year 8 Trent Lewis
- Year 10 Shyannah Warren
- Year 10 Peta Bicker
- Year 11 Tiago Smith

Year 7-10 HASS

Students from **Years 7 to 9** at Dongara District High School have been busy breathing new life into our **school garden** as part of their **HASS** studies. After weeks of planning, clearing, and preparing the soil, all garden beds are now freshly planted with seeds, which have been kindly **donated by parents and careers**. This hands-on project has helped students learn about **sustainability, agriculture**, and the importance of caring for our environment—while also adding a beautiful, green touch to our school grounds!



Kindy Mother's Day

On **Friday 9th May** our Mum's and special guests came to **Kindy** to be spoilt. We gave our special guests a **big hug** followed by a **relaxing massage**, we made crowns and bracelet's, we painted portraits and painted nails. A yummy **high tea** of scones with strawberry jam and cream, biscuits and special treats was enjoyed by all. We showed our **special guests** all the activities that we had worked on at **Kindy** and even had some special photos taken in. We hope all the Mum's & Special guests had a wonderful **Mother's Day**.



Basketball School Slam

On **Friday 23rd of May**, we had three teams travel and compete in the **Basketball School Slam** series at the **GABA**. All players from Years 4-6 played with enthusiasm and teamwork, with each team coming away with some wins.





FOOTY FOR ALL GERALDTON

MONDAY 9TH JUNE, 2025 4PM - 5PM
RAILWAYS FOOTBALL CLUB

Join us for season 2 of Footy for All in the Midwest!
People aged 12 and above living with a disability are welcome to join in an inclusion football masterclass aligned with the WA All Abilities Football Association, Country Football WA, Railways Football Club and ATLAS.

SCAN ME TO REGISTER
NOW!



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