Week 7 and we are motoring on to the end of term. Don’t forget our Kindergarten Meeting this Wednesday night at 6pm. If you know of anyone intending to or looking for a fabulous school please let them know about our evening. Two senior students have represented us well over the past week: Jasmin Barker-Brieley has been selected as a finalist in the Little Sydney Lives photographic exhibition: [http://www.artandabout.com.au/festival-program/little-sydney-lives/](http://www.artandabout.com.au/festival-program/little-sydney-lives/)

Luana Marosszeky competed in the NSWPSSA Touch Football trials in Wagga last week and she has been commended for her participation and inspiring teamwork, congrats girls!!!!

**STAR STUDENTS:**
Each week a class will update their page on our website this week the Frilled Neck Lizards class have done a wonderful update for you to view: [http://www.darlington-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/our-school/our-classes/frilled-neck-lizards1](http://www.darlington-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/our-school/our-classes/frilled-neck-lizards1)

While you are there, check out the “Artist of the Week” on the homepage

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

Dear Parents
We have noticed a number of children being left at school on their own at 8am. **Please note there is NO SUPERVISION for children before 8:30am.** In the bulletin this bulletin I am asking for interest from parents wanting before school care at Darlington as your child’s safety is paramount and unsupervised children are AT RISK!

Please indicate below & return to the office, if you would be interested in before school care for a small fee:

**YES, I am interested in Before School Care**

Name: __________________________

Child/class: ____________________

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DARLINGTON FETE VOLUNTEER FORM
Can you help? The Darlington Fete is on Saturday 25th of October and we need as many hands on deck as possible to make it all work! Please complete the form to indicate your availability and what you can do.
Do you have a preferred time when you are available?
  Yes
  No
Please indicate which time you prefer...
  Set up 8.00 – 10
  Morning 10 – 12
  Peak 12 – 2
  Afternoon pack up 2 - 5
  Any time
  I’ll be there all day
Can you help in the week before the fete? Jobs include wrapping prizes, printing silent auction sheets, making signs for stalls, picking up supplies etc
  Yes
  No
Are you available on the afternoon of Friday 24th October to help set up?
  Yes
  No
Do you have a preference for a stall you would like to work on?
  Yes
  No
I would like to volunteer on...
  The BBQ
  Amusements (selling tickets)
  Drinks stall
  Karaoke
  Other

_____________________________________________________
Your name: _____________________________________________________________

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Your preferred contact details: _____________________________________________________________

Thanks for letting us know!
Please put in the Darlington Volunteer Form Box in front office.
Darlington Public School
Transition to
Kindergarten 2015

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Enrolling now for 2015: Preschool & Kindergarten—Year 6

Phone: (02) 9516 2300
Fax: (02) 9550 4587
Website: www.darlington-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/
Email: darlington-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
SAVE THE DATES:

- **PIZZA AND PYJAMAS FRIDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER**
- **WORKING BEE HERE AT SCHOOL ON SATURDAY 13TH AND SUNDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER**

HELP US MAKE DARLO SHINE!!!!

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**DARLINGTON FETE POSTER COMPETITION**

Hey Darlington kids...the Halloween fete is not far away and we need your help! We need a poster to advertise the fete. The poster will be made into A3 posters to go in shops around Darlington and Newtown and A5 flyers for a letterbox drop in the neighbourhoods around the school.

*What we want you to do:*

Create an A3 poster for the Darlington Halloween Fete.

If you plan to use software to create your poster on your computer please contact us before you start so we can let you know the best format for printing.

If you draw or paint, please make sure your colours are nice and bright so your poster can be scanned and printed.

*When and how to submit*

Submit your poster by Friday the 5th of September. Put it in the **P & C Poster Competition** box at the front office. Write your name on the back of the poster.

The posters will be judged and the winner announced in the second week of September.

You can enter as an individual or group!

*The Prize*

4 tickets for unlimited rides, and lunch and drinks for 4 people at the fete.

*Conditions*

Once selected the winning poster becomes the property of the Darlington P & C and we reserve the right to make edits to the poster (in consultation with the creator) in order to promote the fete.

*GOOD LUCK!*

_Darlington P & C_
PHOTOS FROM
BOOK WEEK 2014

Sydney’s heavy downfall on Thursday the 21st of August 2014 did not stop children from dressing up as their favourite book character and having lots of fun in the school hall, while showing off some great costumes.
At 9:00am, students came dressed up as Batman, Harry Potter and so many more book characters. Justin Cooper, the current librarian, explained the importance of Book Week and reading as classes paraded across the stage, before lining up at the front for a photo.

Have a great week and remember:
“Education...is painful, continual and difficult work to be done in kindness, by watching, by warning,... by praise, but above all -- by example.” -- John Ruskin

Liz Sinnott
Principal

PLEASE VISIT OUR P&C:
Darlington Public School P&C Association on
Facebook:  https://www.facebook.com/groups/253101788067191/
Email:  darlo.parents@hotmail.com
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