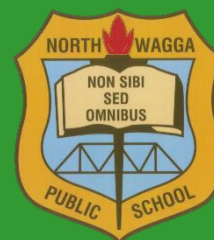




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What's on at NWPS.....

<input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday	18 th December	Students Last Day
<input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday	28 th January 2020	Staff Professional Development Day
<input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday	29 th January 2020	Years 1-6 Students return
<input type="checkbox"/> Thursday	30 th January 2020	Swimming Carnival
<input type="checkbox"/> Monday	3 rd February 2020	Kindergarten 2020 Students start

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

What an amazing way to end 2019! We had our Presentation Evening last week at Jock Currie Hall and as always, it was very well supported by our school community. I would like to congratulate our award winners on their outstanding efforts and to all the students for their encouragement and support of their classmates. Mrs Quilliam announced that I was the successful applicant in the recent merit selection process to appoint our Principal. On a personal note, I am thrilled to be able to take the 'Acting' off my Principal title and lead our beautiful school beyond 2019.

Last week we also had our annual helpers' morning tea, but in reality, the fantastic helpers who were able to make it were just a smidge in numbers of the people who are always quietly in the wings giving 110% to our students and staff. Thank you again to all of our wonderful helpers.

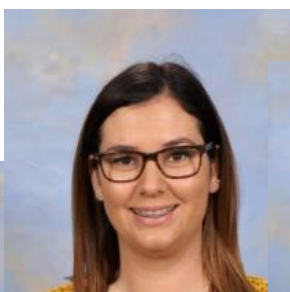
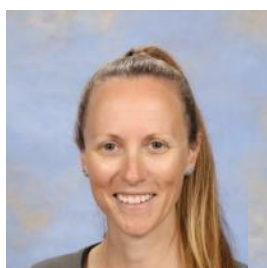
Yesterday we acknowledged and celebrated the achievements of our Year 6 students with a whole school assembly held at the North Wagga Football Clubroom and a farewell dinner last night in our hall. We have had fantastic feedback about our new format, it was all about the students and they loved every minute of it! I would not have been possible without the help of the following people and I would like to thank:

- Mrs Hilton for her organisation of the entire day;
- Mrs Bolitho and Mrs Langfield for setting up the clubroom;
- Mrs Grieve for making the slide show;
- Mrs Grentell for the cake and sandwiches for the morning tea;
- Mrs Plum for the cake for the dinner;
- Josh and the boys from JM Entertainment for the disco and awesome photo booth;
- the staff for providing food at the morning tea;
- North Shore Café for catering for the dinner; and of course
- Mrs Baker and Mrs McLachlan for decorating and turning our hall into something truly special exactly what our Year 6 students deserved!

A big thank you and well done to our whole school community for the amazing and unreserved support and commitment to all of us here at North Wagga Public School. I would like to wish you a wonderful holiday. If your family celebrates Christmas, I hope you have a very joyous and festive season. Above all else, though, I hope everyone has some time to recharge the batteries, spend quality time with people you love and care about, and somewhere in the middle of it all, find some quiet time for yourself. See you all in 2020.

Trudy Standley
Principal

Farewell to our staff who will not be returning in 2020. Thank you for your dedication and commitment to NWPS.





**Congratulations
to all of our
Presentation
Night award
winners!**





Presenting our new
School Captains and Vice
Captains for 2020.

Reece Plum and Ava
Chobdzynski (Captains)

Nate Evans and Milla
Duncan (Vice Captains)

Congratulations!!

Congratulations Year 6!!

Yesterday we farewelled our Year 6 class of 2019, with feelings of many mixed emotions. Year 6 will finish their schooling at NWPS on Wednesday. We wish all students the very best as they proceed to high school in 2020.



WATER FUN ACTIVITY AFTERNOON



A huge thanks to all the 2019 SRC Reps for organising our colouring in competition and Water Fun Day - it was a huge success! Thanks also to the Peer Support Leaders for helping the younger students get involved and enjoy the afternoon. I would also like to thank all the teachers for helping with the smooth running of the activities and to our parents who helped serve up the Zooper Doopers!

Wishing you all a very Merry Xmas and happy holidays, Mrs Walker

ANT CONCERT- THANKS HARRY DUDE!!



KMART WISHING TREE

On behalf of NWPS, the SRC Representatives went to K-Mart on Wednesday, 11th December with Mrs Frogley and Mrs Walker. We were given \$30 between two people and were to buy presents for children who are less fortunate, and may otherwise not get any gifts for Christmas. We really enjoyed doing something good for others.

Thank you,
The SRC Reps



ST VINNIES CHRISTMAS APPEAL

A huge thank you to all families who donated items for the St Vinnies Christmas Appeal. Goods have been collected and it's nice to think that we have made a small contribution to the Appeal.

KAITLIN STAINES CUP

Amelia, Isabella, Preston, Harris and Cooper competed at the Kaitlin Staines Cup on Thursday 12th December. Kaitlin is a star tennis player who is at college in Tennessee on a tennis scholarship. She is in Wagga visiting her family so we had the opportunity to meet her. We all played really well and had a fun day out. Congratulations to Mater Dei Primary school who were the champions on the day.
Mrs Johnson (Co-ordinator)



STEM

This week we went to STEM and we did coding on little tablets using Tinker and Scratch Jnr, it was fun. We used different backgrounds and different characters.

By Gemma Tyndall & Emmerson Green



NOTES TO BE RETURNED

GREEN 2020 SWIMMING CARNIVAL NOTE - Permission note and \$6 payment overdue

YELLOW 2020 SWIMMING CARNIVAL NOTE/ EXTRA INFORMATION - Overdue

**Just a reminder that all 2020 Swimming Carnival notes
need to be returned ASAP!!!**

SKOOLBAG APP

We have included information about our school App, provider, Skoolbag. Please if you haven't already downloaded the App, please follow the steps to ensure you don't miss out on any important information over the Christmas holidays.

CANTEEN NEWS

Wednesday 18th December : Jane Chobdzynski

(Canteen will operate as normal, lunch orders available)

As we are losing some of our very valuable canteen helpers, with their children going to high school, the canteen is needing some new canteen helpers for 2020.

If you can spare any time please contact

Jane Chobdzynski on 0409926836.

**Please remember the CANTEEN CAN NOT OPERATE WITHOUT
VOLUNTEERS!!**

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BLACK SHOES

Please ensure any footwear purchased for school over the holidays involves black shoes for any days where students are not having their formal sports day. I noticed the efforts many families went to on presentation night which was greatly appreciated! Well done, NWPS families!



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NEWSLETTER

December 13, 2019

A message from our president

To promote respect in the community is something Respect Awareness strongly believes in.

Why is it so important? And what is respect? The bottom line of respect is to 'treat each other as you want to be treated'. It's as simple as that and the great part is that it costs nothing.

If the lack of respect you might show to other people - whether it be to their person, their rights or their property - is something you would not like being done to you, then don't do it. What a wonderful community we could have if we all showed respect to one another. It is summed up in one of our slogans we use and is recognised by many people, young and old, in the community.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Ronda Lampe,

President - Respect Awareness

plant
RESPECT
and watch it
grow...