



NORTH WAGGA PUBLIC SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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North Wagga Public School P&C Association meet 1st Thursday of each month at 6.00pm in the Library

Tuesday 1st December 2015

IMPORTANT DATES

Thursday	3 rd December	Primary students to WWHS Performance
Wednesday	9 th December	Presentation Night at 6.30pm
Monday	14 th December	SRC Water Fun Day
Monday	14 th December	Year 6 Farewell
Tuesday	15 th December	ANT Concert – 9.30am under the COLA
Wednesday	16 th December	Last day of term for students
Wednesday	27 th January	Teacher Development Day
Thursday	28 th January	Year 1-6 Students return
Friday	29 th January	Kindergarten 2016 commence school



Dear Parents and Carers,

Yesterday morning was a very exciting morning for some of our Year 5 students, who presented their election speeches for the 2016 School Captains and Vice Captains elections. I was extremely impressed with each and every student and all the speeches were well written and well presented. I was also very impressed by the positive and constructive ideas many of the students suggested to improve our school environment and culture. I thought that showed great responsibility and creative thinking. The 2016 School Captains and Vice Captains will be announced at Presentation Night. Good luck to each and every one of the candidates.

Last week I mentioned that our school is in a Bushfire Prone area. As such, we have reviewed our Bushfire Evacuation Plan, and I am required to communicate this plan the school community. To save printing this lengthy document out I have placed it on our school website. You can access our Bushfire Evacuation Plan by going to our school website and clicking on the "Our School" tab. Then click on the "School Policies" button which is at the bottom left. You will also find our school's Emergency Management Plan on this page. If you do not have access to the internet and would like a paper copy of either of these documents, please just ask at the office and we will happily provide these documents for you.

I came across this little picture recently, and I think it has a powerful message. I am currently reading through every student's report and what has really struck me is that every student has made progress either academically, socially or emotionally this year. It's important that we realise that learning is a journey, and that we are all at a point on this journey. Children need to be reassured that even when they have a long way to go, they have also come a long way on their journey. I am so proud of the achievements of all our students this year, and I hope you are too! As we come to the end of the year, there are a lot of things happening. Please keep an eye on the "Important Dates" section of the newsletter so that your child does not miss out on any activity or event. Don't forget the school's Presentation Night which will be held on Wednesday, December 9th at the Wagga Wagga High School Hall commencing at 6:30pm sharp.

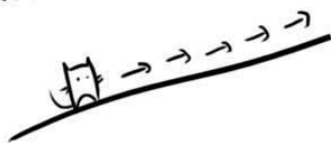
Enjoy your week.

Regards,

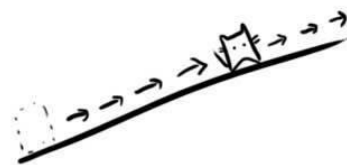
Kim Woodside

Relieving Principal

I STILL HAVE A LONG WAY TO GO



BUT I'M ALREADY SO FAR FROM WHERE I USED TO BE



AND I'M PROUD OF THAT.

YEAR 6 FAREWELL DINNER AND DISCO

The Year 6 Farewell Dinner will be held on Monday 14th December at the Commercial Club. Please return the orange RSVP slip along with payment, to the school office by tomorrow. All Year 5 students are invited to attend the Year 6 Farewell Disco following the dinner. This will commence at 7.30pm and conclude at 9.00pm.

PRESENTATION EVENING

Wednesday 9th December, 2015

This year's presentation evening commences at 6:30pm on Wednesday evening at Wagga High School. Students should be dressed in their school uniform and be seated with their class by 6:15pm.

All students must sit with their class and teacher in the seating at the front of the hall – special seating has been set aside for each class.

Parents will sit in the allocated area behind the students. Please do not sit in the area designated for students.

The evening commences with sports awards, then class awards followed by individual awards to selected students from K – Yr 6. Please do not remove your child/children until the conclusion as it detracts from the importance of the awards being presented to the students. Your child could also miss out on an award that is presented later in the evening. The entire presentation evening should take approximately one hour.

We look forward to seeing you there, Trudy Standley, Coordinator.

MERIT AWARDS

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- KW** Oliver Green – excellent progress with class reading
Gemma Ayton – enthusiastic participation in gymnastics
Harris Eyles – enthusiastic singing for the Kmart Wishing Tree
- KQ** Myer Mescia – always working hard
Alicia Patterson – being an engaged and interested student
Amelia Bowen – always being willing to 'have a go'
- 1/2M** Blake Campbell – developing a great work ethic
Tobi Grentell – writing detailed sentences
Elloise Doherty – trying to improve her handwriting
- 1/2S** Moses Farah – completing tasks on time
Charlotte Barnett – wonderful attitude and beautiful manners
Olivia Thompson – great answers during the 'Beach to Bush' presentation
- 1/2v** Summer Beresford – being a helpful and hardworking student
Joshua Patterson – having a positive attitude towards his school work
Bailey Crane – great effort with his spelling
- 3L** Jesiah Shaw – being a helpful and responsible classmate on our excursion
Jack Atkins – being a terrific participant with all activities at Borambola
Greg Ryan – demonstrating great persistence
- 3/4S** Edward Moore – great sportsmanship during sport each week
Hayley Beresford – always taking pride in her work
Alicia Orban – positive attitude towards her learning
- 4/5P** Madelyn Davis – improved application to complete tasks
Taniesha Ramsay – great effort in Mathematics
Nicole Philpott – always trying her best
- 5/6W** Tom Miegel – showing enthusiasm and drive in Mathematics
Zak Hopkins – showing enthusiasm and interest in our English Unit
Conrad Eyles – showing enthusiasm and interest in our English Unit
- 5/6M** Cody Barnett – working well on his narrative writing
Tiger Cox-Smith – impressive narrative writing
Jordan Delaney – working well in all reading and Mathematical tasks

WELL DONE

SRC WATER FUN DAY

Don't forget to come dressed in your favourite boardies and T-Shirt on our Water Fun Day next Monday, 14th December. There will be lots of great water activities and everyone will be given an ice block so come along and enjoy the fun.
PS....please remember to bring a labelled towel and to wear covered shoes.

PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

- KW** Isla Galloway – focused concentration on class activities
- KQ** Isabelle French – always being eager to contribute
Patrick Collins – following requests and participating in class activities
- 1/2M** Claire Feary – wonderful detail in her writing tasks
- 1/2S** Finlay Barber – always working well with others
- 1/2v** Cody Clayton – always giving his best efforts in all learning tasks
- 3L** Thomas Pampa – a kind and helpful classmate on the Borambola excursion
- 3/4S** Liam McCaig – effort and improvement in spelling
- 4/5P** Hallee McMahon- trying hard to finish her work
- 5/6M** Darcy Barber – good preparation and detail in his narrative writing
- 5/6W** Lillian Peacock – being a kind friend to all

URGENT REQUEST

If your child/ren will not be attending NWP\$ next year, please leave a message at the office to enable us to plan for the 2016 school year.

St Vincent de Paul Society Christmas Appeal Mufti Day

Wednesday 9th December, 2015

On Wednesday 9th December our school will be supporting St Vincent de Paul by holding a mufti day. We ask that on that day children bring a non-perishable food item and place it under a Christmas tree. These items will be collected and distributed to St Vincent de Paul Society to assist families in need over the Christmas season. We ask that you please check use-by dates on all donated items. The mufti day has been timed to coincide with our presentation night so that uniforms can remain clean and pressed to wear that night.

Remember that hats and sensible shoes are still required to be worn and no singlet tops.



LIBRARY BOOKS

It would be appreciated if all library books could be returned as soon as possible. Thank you

SPORTS TROPHIES

If your child has a perpetual trophy at home for swimming or athletics, could it please be returned to the school office by the end of the year.

Miss Moloney had been on KQ for the last five weeks. We all said good bye and thank you in typical Kindergarten style - by having fun! Everyone had a wonderful time during the water fun activities and then enjoyed yummy pizza for lunch.



NOTES TO BE RETURNED

NB If financial assistance is needed please contact Kim Woodside on 6921 3533

Year 6 Farewell RSVPs due back with payment by tomorrow

SRC K-Mart Wishing Tree Purchases – permission by Friday, 4th December

CANTEEN ROSTER

We are still in need of an extra helper in the canteen on Friday, 4th December. If you are able to come in, even if it is just for a few hours during the busy lunch period please call the school office on 6921 3533.

Wednesday, 2nd December

Jane Chobdzynski

Friday, 4th December

Maree Beresford, Sam Leah, **HELP NEEDED**

Monday, 7th December

Sam Leah, Emma Lowing



COMMUNITY NEWS



NORTH WAGGA RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION - CHRISTMAS PARTY 2015

Everyone is welcome to attend our annual Christmas party at the Albert Burgmann Park, William Street, North Wagga on Friday 4th December from 6.00pm till 8.30pm. BBQ and cordial free, BYO grown up drinks, chairs and your neighbours. Children's entertainment and good company assured.

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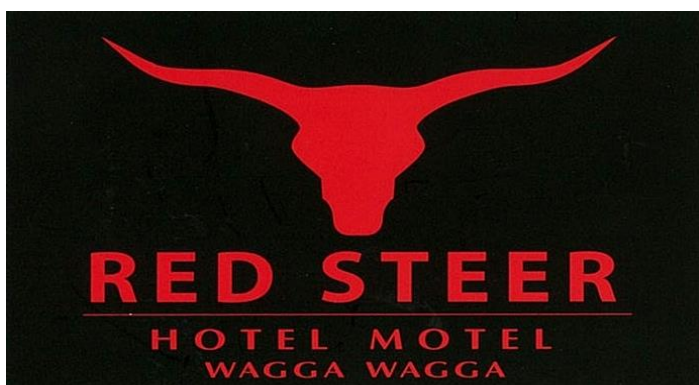
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