NORTH WAGGA PUBLIC SCHOOL



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Nude-food Superheroes!







Reducing rubbish at our school, one wrapper at a time!

What's on at NWPS...

Thursday	10 th November	P & C Meeting – 6pm
Tuesday	15 th November	Year 3 Borambola Sport and Recreation Excursion Kmart Wishing Tree Launch - Kindergarten
□ Tues-Wed	15 th -16 th November	Year 4 Great Aussie Holiday Park Excursion
🗆 Saturday	19 th November	Interschool Equestrian Challenge at Tumbarumba
🗆 Friday	2 nd December	Community Thankyou Morning Tea – 11am in Hall
Wednesday	7 th December	2016 Presentation Night
Tuesday	13 th December	Year 6 Graduation Dinner
🗆 Friday	16 th December	Students last day for 2016

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Wow wow wow! The majority of the school heard from an amazing group of Year 5 students today who put themselves forward as potential School Captains for 2017. Nineteen students, all of whom demonstrate natural leadership capabilities in their every day school lives, spoke to students, staff and parents about their individual qualities they would bring to such an esteem role in our school. What was obvious from each and every one of them was a genuine care and love for our school. We wish them all well, and remind them that with or without a badge, they are natural leaders already and should be very proud of who they are as people as well as students at our school.

We also had two caped-crusaders running around the school today taking notice of our whole-school attempts at becoming more "nude food" focused. Clearly this is our nude food day, but if we could extend this "special day" to be every day, we all know that it would make a significant difference to the cleanliness of our playground. We just don't need that many food wrappers in lunch boxes! Many thanks to the families who were able to get on board with this program in our school, and to Mrs Frogley and Mrs Standley who were instrumental in getting it going.

Once again I urge all families to keep checking out the calendar we have on the front page of the newsletter. It is always being updated to reflect events and happenings at our school. The newest date to be placed on there this week is our annual helpers' morning tea. If you are someone who has assisted our school this year we would love to invite you to a morning tea in our school hall on Friday 2nd December commencing at 11.00am. You may have been able to assist in reading groups, canteen, the fete, scripture, art and craft lessons, transporting children to excursions, coaching kids, washing team guernseys and the multitude of other jobs, big and small, that help us function as well as we do. If you have, please join us so we can celebrate your contribution and say thank you. Mark the date on your home calendars, let us spoil you for a change!

Have a great week,

MaslyCoole

Mandy Crocker

CANTEEN NEWS

A huge thank you to the parents who came forward to help out in the canteen over the last two Fridays. The extra help on these busy days was very much appreciated.

CANTEEN ROSTER

Wed 9th November Fri 11th November Mon 7th November

Maree Beresford Sam Leah, Jason Davis, HELP NEEDED Helen Clayton

HELP NEEDED!!

Extra help is still desperately needed on the following Fridays till the end of term:-

18/11/16 11/11/60 2/12/16 16/12/16 If you are able to help on any of these days please contact Jane Chobdzynski on 0409 926 836 or the school on 6921 3533

P&C MEETING

The next meeting is set down for this Thursday, 10th November at 6.00pm in the school library. It will involve a "fete debrief" at the beginning before we move to an ordinary P & C meeting at 6.30pm.

NOTES AND PAYMENTS TO BE RETURNED

Year 3 Borambola Excursion

- White permission note due 1st NOW
- ⊳ URGENT - please do medical & consent form online as per pink note sent today

Year 4 Great Aussie Holiday Park

- Green permission note and final payment \$100 due NOW
- Yellow "Conditions of Participation" form due NOW
- When making online payments, just go to our school website

http://www.northwagga-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/ and click on the MAKE A PAYMENT link.

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UNIFORMS

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GET READY FOR SUMMER!

- New sports shorts have arrived. \$25 each however the first 150 orders discounted to \$15 (Same price as the green ones) ≻ Sports shirts \$25 same pattern as the old one, just in polo material not nylon. Old ones have been discounted to \$15.
- SUMMER Gold Polos - \$22 Hats - \$5

WINTER Jumpers - \$25 Jackets - \$40

SECOND HAND Abundance of hats 50c each PLEASE label clothing or it gets washed and put in the clothing pool.

ASSEMBLY

The next school awards assembly will be held on Thursday 17th November at 2.30pm under the COLA with a presentation by the Tournament of Minds team. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The assembly roster for the rest of the term is as follows:-

1/12/16 - 1/2V 15/12/16 - Dance Group

CWA POSTER COMPETITION

Mrs Jenny Chobdzynski from the Oura CWA attended last Thursday's assembly to present certificates to the winners of the CWA poster competition on Mongolia. Congratulations to Fatima Khan and Conrad Eyles who were awarded equal 1st place for their entries and to Grace McMullen who was presented with a Highly Commended certificate. What a fantastic effort! Well done Fatima, Conrad and Grace.

SOCCER GALA DAY

The Stage 3 soccer team participated in the Soccer Gala Day last Friday which was held at Rawlings Park. The soccer fields were much smaller which is why the competition was 9 a side. Our first game was against Lake Albert Blue and we won 4-0. We then played a hard fought game against St Michael's Junee which we also won 2-0. After a long lunch we played a fun game against Coolamon. It was a tough game but that didn't stop us from winning 7-0. Finally, for our last game we tried out



new positions and we had our biggest win of the day scoring 11-0. A huge thanks to Mr Motton and Matt Owen for organising and coaching us on the day and special thanks to Darcy for saving all the shots and keeping a clean sheet. And lastly thanks to the team for proudly representing North Wagga Public School with a great day had by all.

by Conrad Eyles & Will Reberger-Guthrie





YEAR 7 SELECTIVE HIGH SCHOOLS PLACEMENT in 2018 (Students currently in Year 5)

If you're thinking of applying for a government selective high school for Year 7 in 2018, applications are now open and will remain so until November 14th, 2016. Information relating to the application process can be obtained from our school office. All applications are completed online at <u>www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplacement</u> The Selective High School Placement test will be held, across the state, on Thursday 9th March, 2017.

NUDE FOOD DAY from Mrs Frogley

WOW, the response was amazing! I'd like to give a very big thank you to all our wonderful families who participated in Nude Food Day today. And, congratulations to all our children who brought in a healthy, wrapper-free lunch. Raising awareness about these issues has really made an impact on our students. Our aim is to encourage all students to continue to bring in food that is healthy and non-packaged.



The winning class who had the most Nude Food lunch boxes will be announced shortly and they will be enjoying a very special treat. Watch this space for some more information. *Mrs Frogley.*

REMEMBRANCE DAY

Our students will pause this Friday to commemorate Remembrance Day in each of their classrooms. This year the teachers will be able to show some of community/family photos that families have shared with us. Many thanks to families who have already contributed. If you want to still send photos in, we can add them to our ANZAC Day plans, and also use them as we engage in learning with the new History curriculum.



Teddy and Josie Leah's Great Grandfather:

Flight Sergeant William Dodsworthy



Darnee Doherty's 3rd Cousin:

Private Raymond Edward Hurst



Alicia and Ben Orban's Great Great Grandfather:

John Cunningham

COMMUNITY NEWS

RIVERINA MTB ALL SCHOOLS CHALLENGE

This will be held on Sunday 20th November at Pomingalarna Reserve Wagga. There will be a 1 hour XC team relay for Year 5-6 students and a 4 hour XC team relay for Year 7-12 students. Registrations close November 12th. For more info check out <u>www.riverinaallschoolsmtb.com</u>

JOIN NORTH WAGGA PLAYGROUP

This is held at St Mary's Anglican Church, 15 William St on Wednesdays from 10.00am till noon. A great way for ages 0-6 to develop social skills and make friends.



