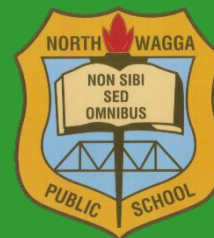




# NORTH WAGGA PUBLIC SCHOOL



*Building a Culture of Excellence*

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TERM 4, WEEK 1 2020



Searching for tadpoles  
@ REEC.

## PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

Welcome back! I hope you have had a relaxing and enjoyable holiday break and are ready for what will be a very busy Term 4.

Our students are about to commence their Gymnastics Program that will run for eight weeks. Nestled in the middle of that time we will be conducting our annual Athletics Carnival, Book Character Parade, a Colour Run, Cultural Enrichment Days, a 'COVID-19 version' of Kindergarten Orientation, all in the lead up to Year 6 Farewell and hopefully a Presentation Night!

Our P&C have generously offered to provide a sausage sizzle and a drink on the day of the Colour Run, for every child. It is bound to be a fun filled day. It would be fabulous if the students can keep fundraising up until the day. The students can wear mufti clothes but we ask that they wear a plain white t-shirt.

With the opening of two new schools in Wagga Wagga in 2021, we understand that some families may be looking to change their child's school next year. If your child/ren will not be returning to NWPS in 2021 could you please contact the school as soon as possible. This information is necessary to allow us to plan for staffing and class structures.

We have continued with the upgrading of the front of the school in the holidays with the replacement of the front path. It was becoming somewhat of a trip hazard and it has now been made the same width as the gate entry. I would like to thank ex-pupil and now proud NWPS dad, Dale Clemson, for the work laying the concrete. In the coming weeks a hedge will be planted either side of the path.

Have a fabulous week.

Trudy Standley  
Principal

## NOTES TO BE RETURNED

2020 Athletics Carnival - Friday 25 September 2020 - **Overdue**

Little Champions Gymnastics - Friday 16 October 2020

Our annual Athletics Carnival is on this Thursday at Jubilee park athletics track.

Please be aware that the students will need to bring their recess, lunch and drink bottles as there will be no canteen operating at the carnival. Students will be able to refill their drink bottles at the grounds.




Please also ensure your children have their hats and apply sunscreen before coming to the carnival, sunscreen will be available to re-apply during the day.

## ATHLETICS CARNIVAL



**Unfortunately due to the COVID restrictions parents and spectators will not be permitted to attend the carnival.**

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Term 4</b>					
<b>Week 1</b>	12/10/2020  School resumes for Term 4 for pupils and staff.	13/10/2020	14/10/2020	15/10/2020	16/10/2020  Cricket Coaching 
<b>Week 2</b>	19/10/2020  Book Week  Gym (Orange/Pink/Kinder/Navy/Black)	20/10/2020  Book Week  Book Character Parade	21/10/2020  Book Week  Gym (white/Red/Purple/Yellow/Blue)	22/10/2020  Book Week	23/10/2020    Book Week
<b>Week 3</b>	26/10/2020  Gym (Orange/Pink/Kinder/Navy/Black)	27/10/2020	28/10/2020  Gym (white/Red/Purple/Yellow/Blue)	29/10/2020	30/10/2020  Cricket Coaching 

## BOOK WEEK PARADE



**Tuesday 20 October**  
**Come dressed as your favourite book character.**



**Unfortunately due to the COVID restrictions parents and spectators will not be permitted to attend the parade.**



## ATTENTION YEAR 6: PHOTOGRAPHS NEEDED

### Attention: Year 6 Photographs

To create a virtual end of year display for our Year 6 students we would like them to bring in the following:

- baby photo
- kindergarten photo (if they didn't attend NWPS)
- an Online Home Learning photo

(Year 6 photos - will be taken in Week 6)

All photos will be scanned and returned home. Thank you for your assistance.

Atlanta Hilton

## COVID 19



### MINIMISING RISK OF COVID-19 TRANSMISSION: UPDATED ADVICE FOR NSW SCHOOL COMMUNITIES AND COMMUNITY SPORTS ORGANISATIONS

24 September 2020

I write to thank the NSW school and community sports communities for their considerable support in managing the risks of COVID-19 transmission following my advice of 14 August. This has helped protect the community and minimise impacts on students preparing for their HSC exams.

Schools should continue to exclude students and staff with even mild symptoms of COVID-19 and encourage them to seek testing immediately. Parents of symptomatic children will still need to provide evidence of a negative test result on their child's return to school.

In the case of seasonal allergic rhinitis or other condition that presents similarly to COVID-19 and in the presence of continuing symptoms, the child will need a negative COVID-19 test result and a letter from their GP confirming that the child should be permitted to return to school. If the child's symptoms change from their usual symptoms, repeat COVID-19 testing should be performed.

Non-essential adults should continue to be excluded from school unless involved directly in delivery of curriculum activities or health services. All teachers, coaches and volunteers should continue to ensure they maintain physical distancing during, before and after school or sporting activities. Good hand hygiene practices should continue to be supported along with the other measures outlined in the school and community sports COVID-19 Safety Plan.

Given the current level of community transmission of COVID-19 in NSW, I am pleased to advise the following changes to NSW Health advice for schools (and preschools run by schools) and community sports organisations, which may take effect from Saturday 26 September:

#### School and community sports activities

From Saturday 26 September, interregional community sporting competitions may recommence without restricting these activities to regions or zones, where there is a COVID-19 Safety Plan for the school or community sport activity in place. More than one parent may now attend community sporting activities if physical distancing of at least 1.5 metres can be maintained between people that are not from the same household. Ensure strict compliance with all other elements of the COVID-19 Safety Plan. Non-essential adults should continue to be excluded from sporting activities held during the normal school day.

# Friday October 23



**Students are able to wear mufti with a white T-Shirt**

## FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE & DRINK

**All students will be receiving a free sausage sizzle and drink on the day. Thanks to our P&C.**



Dear Parent/Guardian,

WELCOME BACK! We started our School Fun Run COLOUR DAY fundraiser in term one, and now we finally get to do it! Our event will be held on **23<sup>rd</sup> October 2020** and it is something fun we can look forward to after this very unusual and tough year, while continuing to raise money for **Chromebooks/Laptops**.

### After a storm comes a rainbow!

It has been a challenging year for all communities, so it's time to release some pressure and have some fun! Let's get excited for our Crazy Colour Day, giving our school community their rainbow to look forward to!

On top of having an amazing day, the event this year is our only major fundraiser. We're looking to improve the school by **purchasing more Chromebooks / Laptops** so we'd truly appreciate your support. If you are not able to donate yourself, keep reading, because you can still help at no cost!

### What is a Crazy Colour Day?

Your kids are going to run around a course and be hit with a rainbow of colours! We're hoping to boost school spirit while raising money to improve the learning experience for your kids. These days are incredibly fun for all involved and it will undoubtedly be one of the most exciting school days of 2020. This is for everyone, so please make sure they attend on the day and cheer the other kids on!

### Is it compliant?

YES! We can run it while still following current social distance restrictions. We hope that by the time our event goes ahead you will all be welcomed into the school, however if restrictions are still in place, we can hold our day and give the kids an amazing event.

*Note: We will keep you updated leading up to the event, so please ensure you keep an eye out in all correspondence.*



## How Does My Child Fundraise?

Firstly, go to [schoolfunrun.com.au](http://schoolfunrun.com.au) and create a student profile page. Everything to do with your fundraising revolves around this page.

We would suggest you only raise money online (meaning no cash) which is super easy, and you get to do it from the safety of your home. On top of raising more money, it's also safer and simpler than doorknocking and you don't have to worry about handling money. Plus, you can reach out to people all over the world!

### **Not in a position to donate? Just CREATE & SHARE!**

We know some of our families simply cannot donate given the current climate, however the Crazy Colour Day will still work for you:

1. All Children will be able to participate in the day, even if they don't fundraise, and
2. You can help our school just by creating your profile and sharing your link... that's right, without donating yourself, you will raise an average of \$90 in just three donations, simply by consistently sharing your fundraising page to your friends and family!

## What happens if I was already fundraising?

You just continue what you are doing! Simply login to [schoolfunrun.com.au](http://schoolfunrun.com.au) and your online funds will still be there from earlier in the year. If you try to login and you cannot see the money, please call 1800 386 786 and the School Fun Run team will be able to help.

## Ordering Prizes – ALL PRIZES MUST BE ORDERED ONLINE

Prizes MUST be ordered between the **23<sup>rd</sup> October 2020** and **26<sup>th</sup> October 2020**. Simply visit [schoolfunrun.com.au](http://schoolfunrun.com.au) to create / log into your Profile Page between these dates. Then click on the 'CLAIM YOUR PRIZE' button and follow the prompts. If you have any questions, please contact the *School Fun-Run* team on 1800 FUN RUN and they will gladly assist!

We can't wait for the Crazy Colour Day and we know your kids are going to love it!

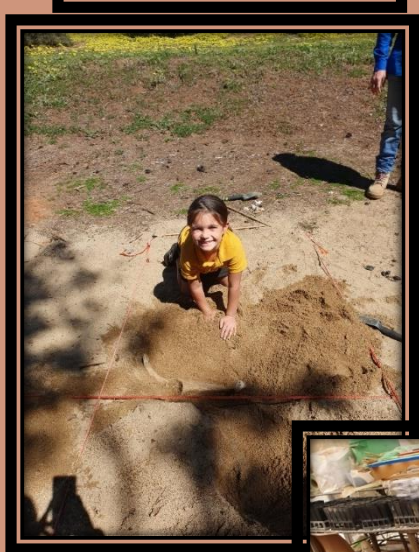
Thank you, good luck and happy fundraising!

## GYMNASTICS

Gymnastics Timetable 2020		
	MONDAY	WEDNESDAY
9:20 – 10:15	Orange 5/6	White 4/5
10:15 – 11:15	Pink 3/4	Red 1/2
RECESS		
11:40 – 12:25	Kindergarten	Purple 2/3
12:25 – 1:10	Navy K/1	Yellow 1/2
LUNCH		
2:10 – 3:10	Black 5/6	Blue 3/4



## REEC EXCURSION





# PURPLE class enjoying their 3D shape Stem challenge.





## PARENT CONTRIBUTIONS AND SUBJECT CONTRIBUTIONS

Statement of accounts will be sent home next week. Could you please ensure that the extra curricular activities have been paid so these programs can continue into the future.

Voluntary School Contribution is a voluntary contribution to the school and is set at \$35.00 per child for the whole year. We would greatly appreciate if this could be forwarded to the school office to assist with the planning of the school budget.

Each year we also request payment for "Subject Contributions". This is a specific request for books used in individual classes and a photocopy levy. The contribution is \$47.00 for each child.

Parents are able to make a payment via our school web site. Click on [MAKE A PAYMENT](#) to pay by credit card.



**You do not need to enter  
the Student Registration  
Number**

[MAKE A PAYMENT](#) | [ENROLMENT](#) | [NEWS](#) | [NEWSLETTER](#) | [GALLERY](#)

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### Welcome.

North Wagga Public School is known for its commitment to excellence in providing outstanding learning support for students.

## REMINDER P & C MEETING

**The P & C Meeting will be held tomorrow,  
WEDNESDAY 14 OCTOBER, 6PM at the  
Palm and Pawn**

# Canteen Roster

Wednesday	Friday
<b>14 October</b> Kate Plum Tabitha Fenton	<b>16 October</b> Angela Henderson Sarah O'Brien
<b>21 October</b> Jenny Chobdzynski	<b>23 October</b> Kylie Burns Emma Lowing
<b>28 October</b> Jane Chobdzynski	<b>30 October</b> Jane Wadley Jenny Currie



**Reminder – Please do not include recess items on lunch bags when ordering from the canteen**

<p><b>Sandwich Bar or Toasted</b> (If you want Toasted please request)</p> <p><b>Ham, Cheese &amp; Tomato</b> \$3.00</p> <p><b>Chicken Breast, Cheese &amp; Tomato</b> \$3.50</p> <p><b>Vegemite, Cheese or Honey</b> \$2.00</p> <p><b>Baked Beans</b> \$2.50</p> <p><b>Wraps</b></p> <p><b>Ham &amp; Salad</b> (Ham, Spinach, Tomato, Cheese &amp; Carrot) \$4.00</p> <p><b>Grilled Chicken &amp; Salad</b> (Grilled Chicken Breast, Spinach, Tomato, Cheese &amp; Carrot) \$4.00</p> <p><b>Drinks</b></p> <p><b>Bottle Water</b> \$1.00</p> <p><b>Flavoured Milk</b> (Chocolate or Strawberry) \$1.50</p> <p><b>Juice Cup</b> (Apple or Orange) \$1.00</p> <p><b>Juice Box</b> (Tropical or Apple &amp; Blackcurrant) \$1.00</p> <p><b>Glee Sparkling Fruit Juice</b> (Bubblegum, Tropical, Raspberry, Blackcurrant) \$2.00</p> <p></p>	<p><b>Hot Food</b></p> <p><b>Lasagne</b> Beef Lasagne \$4.00</p> <p><b>Butter Chicken and Rice (GF)</b> \$4.00</p> <p><b>Fish Fillets and Salad</b> Spinach, Tomato, Cheese, Carrot, Cucumber and Tartare Sauce \$4.50</p> <p><b>Grilled Chicken and Salad</b> Spinach, Tomato, Cheese, Carrot, Cucumber \$4.50</p> <p><b>Burgers</b></p> <p><b>Beef Burger</b> (Beef Burger, Spinach, Tomato, Beetroot, Cheese, BBQ sauce) \$4.50</p> <p><b>Chicken Burger</b> (Flame Grilled Chicken Breast, Spinach, Tomato, Cheese, Beetroot &amp; Mayonnaise) \$4.50 Add Pineapple for 50c</p> <p></p>	<p><b>Snack Items</b> (Availability Changes Daily)</p> <p></p> <p><b>Garlic Bread</b> \$0.50</p> <p><b>Popcorn</b> \$0.50</p> <p><b>Hot Chocolate</b> \$0.50</p> <p><b>Fruit Mini Muffins</b> \$0.50</p> <p><b>Pikelets</b> \$0.50</p> <p><b>Dip, Crackers &amp; Veggie Sticks</b> \$1.00</p> <p><b>Custard &amp; Fruit</b> \$1.00</p> <p><b>Fruit Salad Cup</b> \$1.00</p> <p><b>Fruit &amp; Yoghurt Cup</b> \$1.00</p> <p><b>Red Rock Deli Chips</b> \$1.00</p> <p><b>Grain Waves</b> \$1.00</p> <p><b>Frozen Treats</b></p> <p><b>Quelch Ice Blocks Assorted Flavours</b> \$0.50</p> <p><b>Orange or Apple Juice Cup</b> \$1.00</p> <p><b>Bulla Ice Cream Tub</b> \$1.00</p> <p><b>Strawberry Frozen Yoghurt</b> \$1.50</p> <p><b>Juicies</b> (Lemonade, Orange, Tropical or Wildberry) \$1.50</p> <p></p>
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**Presents**

**Breathe...you've got this!**

**with Dr Michael Carr-Gregg**  
**Australia's Leading Adolescent Psychologist**

Learn how you can improve communication with younger people,  
in times of change, including effective use of technology  
for mental wellness

**7.30pm (via Zoom link)**  
**Thursday 22nd October 2020**  
**A FREE INTERACTIVE EVENT**  
**Limited spaces - book now!**

- Option 1: Online 'live' webinar**  
Registrations are essential to receive Zoom link by email
- Option 2: In person in Wagga Wagga**  
The Range Function Centre  
308 Copland Street, Wagga Wagga  
Doors open 7pm for Covid-Safe reception process  
Limited to 200 guests - 'live' webinar audience

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, supper will not be provided

Covid-Safe Protocols Apply for IN-PERSON attendees

**Tickets: [expectme.com.au/events](https://expectme.com.au/events)**

Suitable for parents, carers, teachers, school P&C members, youth workers, counsellors, sports coaches and our wider community



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