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**Term 1 Week 6
 Newsletter
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Friday 8 March

- ☀ HCH Soccer trials
- ☀ Clean Up Australia Day

Monday 11 March

- ☀ Young Leaders Day - Sydney

Tuesday 12 March

- ☀ Official Special
 Education Cubby House
 Opening - 10:30am

Wednesday 13 March

- ☀ PSSA Girls cricket vs
 Telegraph Point PS

Thursday 14 March

- ☀ LNC Cricket trials
- ☀ Thelma the Unicorn
 High School performance
- ☀ P&C AGM - 6:30pm followed
 by General Meeting

Friday 15 March

- ☀ LNC Tennis trials

Wednesday 20 March

- ☀ NSW Netball State Cup
- ☀ LNC AFL trials

Thursday 21 March

- ☀ LNC Soccer trials

Friday 22 March

- ☀ Stage 1 Glasshouse Excursion
- ☀ HCH Rugby League trials

Monday 1 to Friday 5 April

- ☀ Year 6 Canberra Excursion

Student Representative Council



Year 5/6 SRC Members

Each class in Years 3 - 6 have elected two class members to represent them at various meetings throughout the year. The SRC discuss ways to improve our school and organise various fundraisers to support charities. Year 5 and 6 were presented with their badges at the Stage 3 assembly on Monday and Year 3 and 4 will receive their badges at tomorrow's Stage 2 assembly. It is an honour to be selected by your peers. Congratulations to the following students:

Class	Student
3VM	Pamela D & Wyatt T
3KD	Lucy L & Charlee P
3VH	Luke A & Alicia S
3/4AD	Ava C & Flynn D
4DW	Coby A & Tahniesha D
4LR	Luke C & Hayley J
4MJ	Oilivia H & Riley C
5NP	Shelby H & Zoey S

5EM	Taj G & Chloe M
5MG	Chana M & Riley B
5/6CW	Tyler D & Mikayla H
5/6CG	Ava N & Emily B
6SG	Isabella T & Evie G
6MN	Tayha H & Jack M
6JB	Calleigh P & Tahny P
3-6JG	Tim H
K-6SR	Paul L

Whole School Reward System Reminder

This system involves students earning a stamp/tick/sticker on a chart/booklet each week for following our School Expectations:

Follow Instructions
Show Respect and
Be Safe

All WPS students are expected to engage in learning, display positive behaviour and attend school regularly. We want to reward positive attitude and behaviour.

The Student Reward System is designed to progress during the year with students attaining levels of achievement.

Students will be presented with certificates of achievement at various stages of the year usually Week 1 of each term. Term 4, Week 9 is the ultimate



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International Women's Day

This day is celebrated on 8 March each year. It is a day to celebrate the contribution women have made across the world to their communities and the progress that has been made for equality. It is a time to raise awareness about the unjust treatment that many women and children are still facing around the world and in Australia.

International Women's Day was first declared in 1910 with the first event held in 1911.

Commonwealth Day

Commonwealth Day is celebrated every year by 53 Commonwealth countries on the second Monday in March. This year it falls on Monday 11 March. The aim of commemorating Commonwealth Day is to promote understanding of global issues, international co-operation and the work of the Commonwealth of Nations to improve the lives of its citizens.

Young Leaders Day

Good luck to our student leaders who will attend a leadership conference in Sydney on Monday 11 March. We look forward to hearing about their experience. Mrs Daly and Mrs Moore will look after the children at the conference.

High School Taster Day

Our Year 6 students had an enjoyable time at our local high school on Tuesday.

Book Club News

Book Club Issue 2 due back to school by 20/3 No late orders will be accepted.

reward with Wauchope Stars being presented.

Once a student has earned 10 stamps (one per week) they will receive a Bronze Certificate. Some children may take more than ten weeks to earn this certificate. Once they have achieved Bronze they then work towards Silver, Gold and then a Wauchope Star.

North Coast Swimming

Congratulations once again to Axel P, Noah L, Flynn D, William N and Toby N for competing at this carnival yesterday. Axl P and Flynn D have qualified to compete at the State PSSA swimming carnival in Homebush, Sydney. A brilliant achievement.

Our superstar Junior Relay team came 4th by 0.12 of a second.

National Assessment Program - Literacy and Numeracy

The National Assessments for students in Years 3 and 5 will once again be online at WPS. The assessments will occur during a nine day window between 14 May and 24 May. More information will be sent home in the future.

2020 High School Forms

High School enrolment forms were distributed this week. Please return all High School forms to our front office by 15 March. It doesn't matter if you change your mind at a later date but it is important to have your child enrolled in a school.

Cubby House Opening



This special opening will be held

on Tuesday 12 March commencing at 10:30am.

Thelma the Unicorn

Good luck to the members of our senior choir who will be participating in this production on Thursday 14 March. Thank you Miss Taylor for supporting the students.

PSSA Sport

Good luck to girls cricket team for their game against Telegraph Point PS on Wednesday 13 March respectively. The boys game was postponed due to wet weather

Good luck to Ben H and Nash M who will trial for a position in the LNC cricket team on Thursday 14 March.

School Supplies and Voluntary Fees

Please make these payments promptly. All families should have received invoices. While the School Fees are voluntary contributions we would love to have as many families as possible pay these fees. The P&C collect the voluntary fees and the school collects the School Supplies fees.

P&C Easter Raffle

The P&C are hoping to be in a position to make as many Easter Raffle prizes as possible so more of our children have a chance to win. Please consider donating some sort of Easter treat to the front office. Any child who makes a donation receives a free ticket in the raffle. Thank you in advance.

P&C AGM and General Meeting

The AGM is on next Thursday at 6:30pm in the staffroom followed by a General meeting. All are welcome to attend.

Cameron Osborne

Assembly Awards

Stage 1 - Week 4

Class	Student
K-6RF	Brock S, Tyrone B, TyjahlaT-C
K-6BC	Reece L, Kasper B
K-6KD	Kyla B
1KB	Joshua M, Savannah S, Lexie D
1PH	Annalie D, Jackson H, Olivia C
1MM	Sienna P, Anna H
1MT	Peytyn D, Mikiri AS-D, Deklan G
2CD	JJ N, Tully S, Alyssia C
2HL	Evie D, Liam C, Daniel P
2JH	Oliver B, Amira G, Violet B
2LF	Jamie L, Shakiylah C, Jasmyrn M

Citizen of the Week

Class	Student
1MT	Koki W

Stage 1 - Week 6

Class	Student
K-6RF	Brock S, Zoey H, Lily O
K-6BC	James P
K-6KD	Belinda P
1KB	Vienne M, Harry E, Lola K
1PH	Jakyi C, Angus A, Isla M
1MM	Indi S, Ariarnah A
1MT	Emmi L, Noah S, Jecinta C
2CD	Lailani C, Flynn M, Mollie A
2HL	Ruby A, Max H, Billy W
2JH	Laura B, Riley M, Alli K
2LF	Amelia D, Ayekeya M, Rian N

Citizen of the Week

Class	Student
1PH	Ellie C
1MM	Sophie S

Term 1 Update

Positive Behaviour for Learning Team

Being good isn't magic, it is a skill.

Just like anything else kids learn!

At Wauchope PS, a safe and orderly school environment is important to learning.

Most children start school with the social skills they need for success. They have learned these socially valued behaviours from their parents, families, carers, early childhood learning experiences and their social networks. Children learn behaviours very quickly, but often they also learn "misrules" or behavioural errors.

The Science of Behavior has taught us:

- Students are not born with bad behaviors.
- Students do not learn better ways of behaving when only given aversive consequences.
- To learn better ways of behaving, students must be directly taught the expected behaviors.
- To retain new behaviors, students must be given specific, positive feedback and opportunities to practice in a variety of settings where the behaviors should be used.

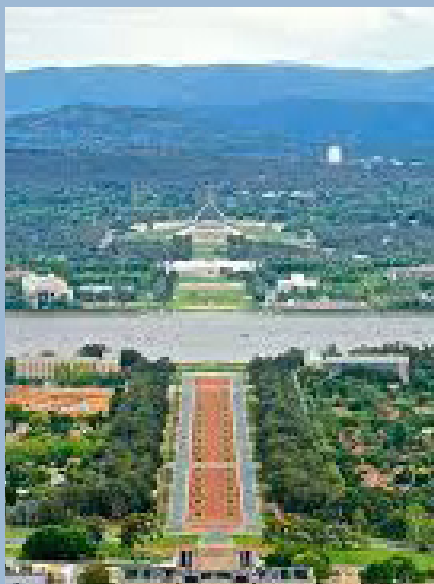
The fastest way to turn problem behaviour around is by teaching our students acceptable and appropriate ways to get what they need.

At the end of last year, some of our PBL team developed a year round scope and sequence to help teachers help students learn the expected behaviours around the playground.

All teachers follow a 'recipe' for teaching, demonstrating, encouraging and monitoring behaviours we want to see our students engage in at WPS.

These behaviours are reinforced through our Wauchope Wonders that any staff member can give out when a child displays positive behaviours!

Canberra Excursion



Our Year 6 students will be visiting Canberra in Week 10 this term. They leave very early on Monday 1 April. We need all outstanding payments to be finalised by 22 March 2019. Please don't wait until the last minute. Feel free to pay weekly or fortnightly amounts.

It is uncomfortable for school personnel to ring and ask for money. I can promise you we don't like doing it. However, if you know your child is not attending now please let us know ASAP. Otherwise we still will have to pay bus prices, some entry fees and accommodation.

Please note all medical notes need to be returned as soon as possible. The logistics of organising this excursion is huge. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

P&C News

Notice of 2019 AGM For Wauchope Public School P&C Association

The AGM will be held in the staffroom at 6.30pm, March 14 2019. All positions will be declared vacant including:

President
Vice President K-2
Vice President 3-6
Treasurer
Secretary

Woosh Representative (must be office bearer)

Canteen Representative (must be office bearer)

Book Club Coordinator

Fundraising Coordinator

Please submit any apologies to the secretary at wauchopepspandc@gmail.com or if you cannot attend but would like to be considered and would accept any of the above positions, please also submit this in writing to the above email address.

If you would like further information on position roles please email the above email address for position descriptions. Please remember all positions are voluntary and are vital for the running of our P&C, Canteen and WOOSH.

We look forward to welcoming everyone next week!

Sarsha Walker

Canteen News

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☺ Scrunchies \$4 at Uniform Shop

☺ *Slushy's \$2 each –

Our Slushy's are approved by Healthy Kids Association and are School Canteen approved. 99%

Term 1 Week 6 Newsletter

Fat Free, No added sugar, 99% fruit juice with a 4.5 star rating.

There are many new guidelines for school canteens to meet now so you will notice a lot of changes happening. Any questions please contact Ruth at the canteen.

Lunch Specials

- ☺ Tuesday – Nacho's
- ☺ Wednesday – Spaghetti Bolognaise
- ☺ Thursday – Stuffed Spud

All homemade \$5 each

WOOSH News

April School Holidays

WOOSH is running the vacation care program from Monday 15 April to Thursday 18 April.

We are closed Good Friday - 19 April and Easter Monday - 22 April.

Opening Week 2 Tuesday 23 April, Wednesday 24 April and Friday 26 April, closed Thursday 25 April.

We also offer the pupil free day Monday 29 April.

Please give Alex a call on 0412 852 441 to place your child's name on the required days.

- 6:30am - Centre opens
- Children are signed in by parents/Carers
- 1 Educator to greet and settle the children into the centre, Coordinator to discuss any current concerns with the parents/ Carers then assist the Educator.
- Children will remain inside during the early hour
- Morning ABC Kids TV programs available to the children or passive indoor activities provided.
- Prior to breakfast, Woosh will acknowledge country paying respect to the Birpai people present on which the Woosh centre takes place.
- 1 Educator will prepare breakfast for the children whilst the 2nd person will supervise the children at the tables.
- A "Basic Breakfast" will be provided; consisting of cereal, toast with basic spreads of butter/margarine, vegemite, honey or jam. Glass of milk, juice or water on offer.
- Washing up and cleaning of the kitchen carried out whilst children continue with indoor activities.
- Educators to supervise children in dental care:- cleaning their teeth and washing their hands.
- 8:00am any child wishing to play outside can do so from 8am.
- All Woosh children will be supervised up at the 3-6 play equipment/basketball court area.
- 8:20am children to return to the Woosh room, Wash their hands, toilet.
- 8:30am children released to their specified areas of the school to start their day.



Mobile phones

are no longer just a way to make voice calls when you're out and about.

You can send text messages via **SMS**, **pictures**, **sounds**, **video** via **MMS** (multi-media messaging), access **email**, **IM** (Instant Messaging), and **chat**, as well as **surf** the net.

Many mobiles include cameras, sound recording capability, and can also track where you are! While most content and services will be suitable for everyone, some may be unsuitable – even dangerous – for kids.

Bullying, people making inappropriate contact, as well as the possibility of kids accessing unsuitable 'adult' content – the 'always on' nature of mobile services means that these risks are always present.

They can happen at any time, anywhere. And because parents can't always be there to supervise, it is more important than ever to teach kids how to protect themselves.

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KIDS ONLINE

Tips for KIDS and YOUNG PEOPLE

Do you REALLY know who you're talking to?

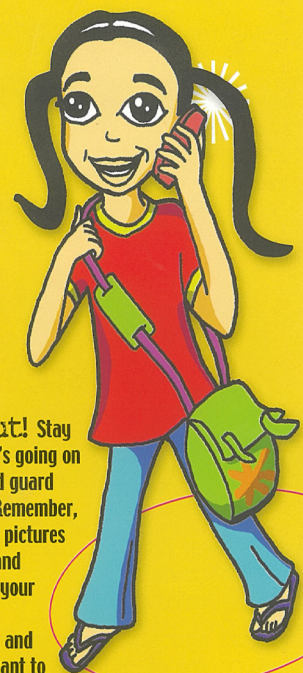
Keep secrets – don't tell anyone your personal details. This includes your name, address, your current location, credit card details and school. Be very careful about giving out your phone number too.

Check with your Mum or Dad or carer before you give anyone this information, particularly to people who you may have only just met.

Remember – the person you meet in a chat room may not be who they say they are. And if you give out personal information or send pictures, the person you send them to may not be the only person to see them!

Take someone with you – if you want to meet someone you haven't met so far in person, ask a parent or another adult to go with you and always meet in a popular public place, preferably during the day.

Say NO! Don't accept any offers that seem too good to be true – they probably are. And never accept the offer of a free mobile phone from someone without asking your Mum or Dad first!



Watch out! Stay aware of what's going on around you and guard your privacy. Remember, if you can take pictures of everything and everyone with your phone, so can other people ... and you may not want to be the subject of their photos!

Be considerate – only send the kinds of messages and pictures you would be happy to receive.

Tell – if someone sends you nasty or bullying messages, or asks you to do something that makes you feel uncomfortable, don't respond. Make a note of the number it came from, and the date and time of the call, save the message and tell your parent or another adult you trust.

Remember always to be Phone Smart and stay safe.
Protect your privacy.

Comboyne Show

Saturday 16 March and Sunday 17 March from 9am-3pm

A wonderful family day out – well worth the drive up to the gorgeous Comboyne Plateau! Pavilion exhibitions of art, craft, photography, baking, preserves, flowers, fresh produce, home brew beer; on all day both days.

Very entertaining variety of horse events in the show ring over both days

Agricultural equipment displays. Demonstrations of setting up a bee hive, hand churned ice cream making (with free samples for the kids) spinning and felt making, cheese and sourdough bread making, preserving vegetables just on Saturday.

Pony rides, face painting, amusement rides, poultry, dog championships just on Saturday. Coffee cart - Great food – ploughman's lunch, barbecue, freshly made salad rolls, Devonshire teas, Asian food, famous Comboyne homemade cakes and slices.

\$5 per adult. Children under 16 free. Free parking.



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PRIZE

\$10,000

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February 4 - March 29
to go into the draw. Enter as many times as you like.

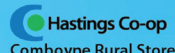
Drawn at Timbertown SUPA IGA's
10th Birthday on April 5

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