



# Wauchope Public School

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**Term 2 Week 9  
Newsletter**

**Thursday  
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### **Friday 3 July**

☀ Last Day of Term 2

### **Monday 20 July**

☀ School Development Day

### **Tuesday 21 July**

☀ Term 3 commences

## **Semester 1 Reports**

We have had a very tight time frame with designing and completing the Semester 1 reports. We have previously advertised that reports will be distributed on the last day of Term 2. However, as the WPS staff are ahead of schedule we are hoping reports will be distributed early next week. We will alert parents via Facebook and our Skoolbag App on the day they go home so you are aware. Hopefully, this will allow parents a couple of days to communicate with the class teacher if you require any clarification or want to discuss your child's progress.

## **Major Excursions**

As you are aware we made the decision to cancel the Year 5 Lake Keepit excursion for Term 3. After lengthy discussions we have decided to cancel the Year 4 Taronga Zoo and Year 6 Canberra excursions for Term 4. Our decision was based on the current health situation with COVID-19 and everyone's obvious concerns and the uncertainty what may lie ahead for us all. We are also very aware that many of our community have been financially affected. However, we are trying to lock

in for every grade a whole day excursion. Teachers are currently working on seeking quotes and information. I'm hoping to advertise what each grade's excursion will be early next term.

## **Robotics Room**



Thank you to Mrs Moore who has designed and set up our new robotics room for our students to access. Yesterday, Mrs Moore had students available to show the teaching staff all of the mind blowing robots and technology they have in the room. The room comes with a Green Screen for anyone who has ever wanted to fly like Superman or Harry Potter. Another exciting addition to our school. Well done boys and girls.

## **Birthday Treats**

This is another difficult concept particularly for our students to understand. Unfortunately, we can't have home cooked cupcakes etc coming in for birthdays during this time. Please



## Assembly Awards

### Kindergarten - Term 2 Week 8

Class	Student
KDB	Zoe S, Jukka J
KLF	Braxtyn T, Evan S
KLB	Addi S, Charlie D, Ayden R
KJL	April S, Axel O

### Stage 1 - Term 2 Week 9

Class	Student
K-6AP	James P-T
K-6BC	Jayziah T-C, Lilly P
1KB	Brock C, Lennox L
1PH	Charlotte L, Finn W
1JB	Dante S, Mackenzie I
1MT	Kaylalee H, Urijah N
1/2JH	Jessica C, Zain C
2MG	Mikiri A-S-D, Caitlyn H
2MM	Jordan M, Jason H
2LB	Mia F, Billie Jo T

### Citizen of the Week

Class	Student
1MT	Ivy P
2LB	Indi S
2MG	Riley C
K-6AP	Teisha-May B
1KB	Katya S
1PH	Jimmy K

send in treats with wrappers on them or some sort of ice block would be safe. Thank you for your understanding with this.

### Term 3 Canteen

Firstly, I'd like to thank and congratulate our canteen manager Ruth Thompson for single-handedly preparing lunches for our students. I'm pleased to announce that from Term 3 we will resume over the counter service. We strongly encourage and appreciate as many parents as possible to use our online ordering system. We will have a limited number of volunteers onsite.

### Demountables

Preparations for the removal of 14 demountables are well under way. All plumbing, electricity and internet cables have been removed. All we need now are

approximately 40 trucks and a crane to complete the job. We are hoping the first five will be taken on Monday.



### Last Day of Term 2

Friday 3 July is the last day for our students for Term 2. Somehow, together we have survived another amazing and very unusual term. Hopefully, Term 3 will be uninterrupted by any disasters. Students return to school ready for Term 3 on Tuesday 21 July.

**Cameron Osborne**

### Flag Poles



Our flag poles have been erected and look sensational. This morning our student leaders raised the flags for the first time in three years. It made me feel very patriotic doing this with our young leaders.

Stage 2 - Term 2 Week 8

Class	Student
K-6SR	Jorja C
K-6RF	Jayson B
3KD	Levi H, Ivy F,
3CD	Imogen H, Ruby H
3VM	Billy W, Tally S
3/4AD	William A, Harley L
4MJ	Tyson W, Mia F
4LR	Banjo M, Cassidy L
4HL	Cayden M, Charlotte L

Citizen of the Week

Class	Student
K-6RF	Izzabella H
3CD	Jack D
3VM	Harred T
3/4AD	Keeley W
4MJ	Sienna W
4LR	Eva C
4HL	Reese D

Stage 3 Term 2 Week 9






Class	Student
5NP	Kalan C, Alicia N
5EM	Dylan J, Olivia C
5CG	Cruz R, Flynn N
5/6CW	Ava C, Jeremy F
6SG	Summer S, Brett R
6MN	Lachlan L, Riley S, Billy A
6JF	Crystal D, Jesse H
3/6JG	Tye M








Citizen of the Week

Class	Student
5NP	Max S
5EM	Bella W
5CG	Summer E
5/6CW	Tommy G
6SG	Zac L
6MN	Sienna B
6JF	Jack SM
3/6JG	Nash J

WOOSH News  
Vacation Care Program

VACATION CARE PROGRAM JULY 2020

MONDAY 06/07/2020	<b>MARIA CRAFT DAY</b>  Loads of craft activities to explore and develop your imagination with Maria. 
TUESDAY 07/07/2020	<b>OP SHOP</b>  Today we are splitting into small groups of 10 to explore our local OP shops. Still abiding by social distancing rule's, we will be setting out in different directions to see what treasures the local OP shops have to offer.  Please send no more than \$10 with your child in an envelope with their name on it and handed to the staff upon arrival. This way it will not get lost or misplaces prior to shopping. If you have any restrictions to what your children are allowed to buy, please also write it on the envelope or advise staff upon arrival.
WEDNESDAY 08/07/2020	<b>MOVIE DAY @ WOOSH</b>  Being we can't take the children to the movies; we are bringing the movies to us. We are setting up a projector and will be streaming Disney + for the children to enjoy.   We will have popcorn & ice cream for your children, so bring a pillow or cushion for them to sit/lay on to enjoy the "flicks"
THURSDAY 09/07/2020	<b>RIVER WALK &amp; BBQ LUNCH</b>  Today we are heading out to the River for a walk and discover what the recent rain has done and what new surprises are to be discovered. We will take photos of what we find and make craft items from the photos.  Once back at WOOSH for a BBQ of meatball and sausages for lunch.
FRIDAY 10/07/2020	<b>ART DAY- ACRYLIC &amp; RESIN POUR DAY</b>  Today we are trying some art that we have not done before, Acrylic & Resin pouring. With the kits supplied we will be able to produce a number of different designs, let see how creative we can be. 

MONDAY 13/07/2020	<b>GAMES @ ANDREWS PARK</b>  Today we are going to venture to Andrews Park to play games and have races. We will take the cricket; volleyball sets and enjoy some group games and some extra challenges to keep the children moving. Lest enjoy the fresh air and freedom of the park. 
TUESDAY 14/07/2020	<b>BINGO</b>  We will be exploring Scary Bingo again these holidays. Let's see how many monsters we can match and what prizes you can win.
WEDNESDAY 15/07/2020	<b>KYARA CRAFT DAY</b>  Today Kyara will wave her magic craft wand and explore some new craft ideas with the children. What will it be this time??? 
THURSDAY 16/07/2020	<b>SCOOTERS @ BAIN PARK</b>  Today we are going to head to Bain Park to use the scooter track. This will be done in small groups of 10 children for 2 hours each, to abide by Social Distancing rules.  If you do not have a scooter or don't want to bring it, don't worry as we will have load of other activities at WOOSH to do as well.
FRIDAY 17/07/2020	<b>COOKING AT WOOSH</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Baking Anzac Cookies</li><li>Damper</li><li>Making Meatballs and cooking for lunch</li></ul>   <b>LEGO MASTERS CHALLENGE</b> Let use our imagination and you see what we can build.
MONDAY 20/07/2020	<b>PUPIL FREE DAY</b>  Chill out day at Woosh, playing games, finishing projects, watching movies or whatever else we can find to do before we go back to normal school tomorrow.

## WPS Robotics Room Grand Opening

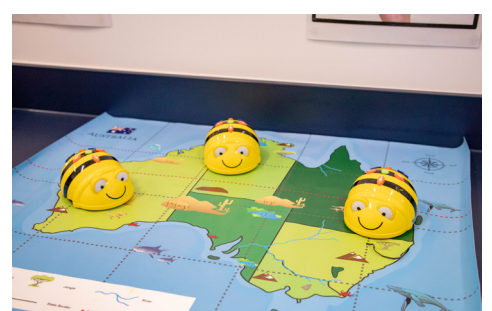
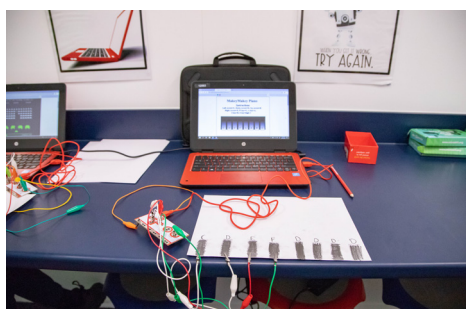
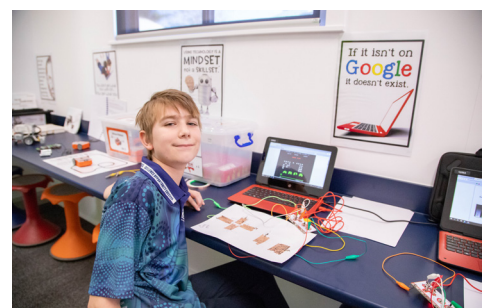
The excitement around our wonderful new learning spaces at WPS continued this week, with the grand opening of our Robotics Room and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) library! Teachers on our technology committee, together with some of our Year 6 tech experts, ran guided tours and equipment demonstrations throughout the day on Wednesday, showcasing the extensive range of equipment available at WPS.

We have recently purchased additional technology equipment to ensure suitable resources are available for use at all stages of learning, from Kindergarten to Year 6.

Equipment includes:

MakeyMakeys, micro:bits, Lego WeDo2.0 kits, Lego EV3 Mindstorms kits, Edison robots, Spheros, Code-a-pillars, BeeBots and a Green screen. This is in addition to the iPads, laptops and computer labs that are already in use at our school on a daily basis.

STEM education provides students with opportunities to develop critical thinking and problem-solving skills, and demonstrate their knowledge in creative ways. It also equips students with the skills and capabilities needed to participate in the workforce of the future. We are looking forward to exploring our new resources.



## Pepper our school dog



## Canteen News

**ONLINE ORDERS CUT OFF IS 8AM EACH DAY!**

### Reminder

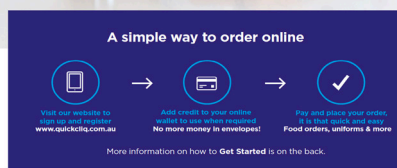
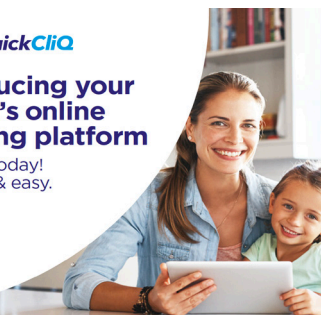
All children who are **Gluten Free** or have **Food Allergies** and order their lunch from the school canteen must use **Red Lunch Bags**. These bags can be picked up from the school canteen free of charge. Please state the allergy your child has and circle it on the bag. These lunches do not go out in the class lunch tubs. Your child has to pick it up from the canteen at lunch time. Any questions regarding this matter please ask for Ruth at the canteen to explain the procedure we use.

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- ✓ Tired of scrounging around for loose change every morning before your kids run off to school? With QuickCliq, lunch money is a thing of the past.
- ✓ We're giving control back to you over your children's diets. By ordering their lunch ahead of time, you can ensure they are eating healthy and balanced meals.
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## Nutrition Snippet



Let the kids choose and cook (or help cook) a healthy recipe. They will be sure to eat their own creations.

Check out the website for lots of quick and easy recipes.

[healthylunchbox.com.au](http://healthylunchbox.com.au)



**FREE fun program for kids to become fitter, healthier and happier**

### ARE YOU READY TO GO4FUN?

Go4Fun Online is a FREE program for NSW children aged 7-13 years who are above a healthy weight, and their parent or carers. The program offers expert advice about healthy eating and can help support you with setting goals for making positive health changes as a family. Run across 10 weeks during the school term, Go4Fun Online can be completed in the comfort of your own home. Highlights include:

- Fun games and activities
- Practical tools and tips to help with healthy eating, label reading and portion sizes
- Great resources to make healthier choices
- Earning tokens along the way to exchange for cool prizes at the end of the program!



**Term 3 registrations are now OPEN with limited places!**

For more information or to register, freecall 1800 780 900 or SMS 0409 745 645 for a call back



