



TERM 1 *Week 4*

Monday 17th February
2020

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Clothing Pool

A Clothing Pool is available at the Front Office of WWPS.

Jumpers, hats, shirts, skirts, skorts, trousers and shoes are available, all at reasonable prices. Any unwanted clothing can also be donated back to the Clothing Pool which would be very much appreciated.

All funds go directly to school resources which assist all students of WWPS.

School Bags

School Bags are available at the Front Office for \$38-50.

From the Principal's Desk

A few reminders this week about drop off and pick up times. Our number one priority is the safety of our students and families. We are aware of how busy it is at pick up time and how difficult it can be to get a car park.

I would like to remind families that we ask that students leave the school ground at the gate near the school crossing or via the gate on Dumaresq Street. We have a teacher on duty at these gates to ensure all children are picked up safely. **Please do not have children walk out past the staff carpark, office or via the gate towards McAlister Oval. There is a lot of traffic along this road at the end of the school day.**

A friendly reminder from our local Police. Please make sure you don't leave your vehicle if you are pulled up in the 'pick up / drop off' zone on Dumaresq Street. I would hate anyone to get a ticket, so please make sure you follow the guidelines for this area.

3 Way Interviews / Student Learning Goals

Last year's parent feedback indicated that there was a need to have interviews earlier in the year to provide an opportunity for parents and teachers to talk. Therefore, over the next few weeks, we will be holding parent meetings to allow parents, teachers and students to set learning goals for Semester 1 and for parents to inform teachers of any important information that they might need to know.

Notes will be sent out requesting interview time with your teacher. I encourage you all to attend these meetings. If you are unable to make the day or evening interviews please see your child's teacher to make another time. We see this communication as a valuable partnership in your child's learning.

The P & C held their AGM last Tuesday 11th February. Thank you to all who attended. I would like to extend a huge thank you to Deanne Blackstock who has stepped down as Vice President and to Anne-Maree Barrett who has stepped down as Treasurer after many years serving in the executive team.

The 2020 executive team members are as follows:

President:	Leanne Cox
Vice President:	Sarah Maitland
Treasurer:	Holly Brooks
Secretary:	Belinda Miller

Congratulations to our new committee, we look forward to a great year working with you for the benefit of our school.

Have a good week,

Jodi Penfold
Relieving Principal

Dates for your Diary:

Tuesday 18th February

Primary Assembly

12:45pm in the MPU

Wednesday 19th February

School Canteen opens

Stage 1 Information Night

5:30-6:30 in the Library

Thursday 20th February

Kindergarten Information night

5pm in the Kinder rooms

Tuesday 25th February

Induction Assembly &

Infants Assembly 12:30pm in the COLA

Wednesday 4th March

School Photos

School Voluntary Fees

School Voluntary Fees for 2020 were set by our P & C at their AGM last week.

The fees have remained unchanged for a number of years and are set as follows:

\$40 per student
Maximum amount per family is \$75.

A discount of \$5 per child applies if fees are paid in Term 1.

West Wyalong Public School Photographs will be taken on
Wednesday 4th March 2020



ORDER NOW go to www.advancedlife.com.au and enter code
PPG 8XL 8DP

Dear Parents,

School photographs are scheduled to be taken by advancedlife. Whilst an envelope and flyer will be distributed shortly, if possible it is our preference that ordering be completed online to reduce administration and potential security issues related to the return of cash and envelopes on photo day.

Orders for packages and sibling photographs can be placed securely online at www.advancedlife.com.au using our school's unique 9 digit advanced order code. Portrait and group package orders are due by photography day.

Should you wish to purchase a sibling photograph online, the order must be placed no later than the day before photography day. Sibling photographs will only be taken if an order has been placed. Should you have any queries concerning school photographs or online ordering, please direct them via email to enquiries@advancedlife.com.au



Notes have gone home today for the

LIFE EDUCATION VAN

Which is visiting our school from

Monday 2nd March to Thursday 5th March.

All children will attend a session. The cost is **\$10 per child.**

Please return your child's signed permission note by Wednesday 26th February along with payment (Note that this payment can be made on-line).

If you wish to order merchandise please return the completed order form with the correct cash if possible. (Note that merchandise CANNOT be paid for on-line)



REMINDER-

Year 2/3/4 Theatre Excursion,

Wednesday 1st of April 2020, \$35

Get your notes and money in for

Aurora- Circus Oz

(financial assistance available- call the office for more details)



LIBRARY NEWS:



Why do students need a library bag to take their library book home in?

A library bag protects our school library books from food, drinks and dirt whilst being taken home to read.

What types of bags can be used as a library bag?

The reusable plastic or green bags from the supermarkets are fine to use as a library bag if you don't own a bag made out of fabric such as cotton. Library bags can also be purchased for 50c from Mrs Grimshaw in the library if you don't have a library bag.

INFANTS ASSEMBLY AWARDS

Tuesday 11th February 2020

Merit Awards



- KH: Ruby Ackland
Will Grimshaw
Jax McCartney
Ava Rowatt
- KW: Kadee Himsley
Jax Lange
Levi Shaugh
Bryenna Scealy
- 1 Red: Abbey Crowe
Hunter Hammond
- 2 Blue: Jarrod Ackland
Hazel Webster
- 2 Green: Stella Evans
Leon Sayers



Student of the Week



Sophie Blackstock, Sam Eyles,
Payton Fuller, Grace Halder,
Marnie Reid

Reading Award

Lana Cain, Suriyan Elamparathy,
Judd Pidgeon



Writing Award

Phoebe Wallis

Maths Awards

Lucas Charpentier, Charlotte Clay,
Liam Davies



REMINDER-

K/1 Theatre Excursion,
Tuesday 23rd June 2020, \$35
Get your notes and money in for

My Robot

(financial assistance available- call the office for more details)

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If you need to collect your child from school early please come to the front office where they will be signed out by the office staff.

If your child arrives late to school they need a "late arrival" slip from the front office.

Label EVERYTHING from school clothing, hat, school bag, lunch boxes and drink bottle.

Bell Times

8.45am – Teachers on duty: students are allowed into the playground
9.00am- Students move to their classrooms- toilet/drink on the way
9.05- All students need to be in classes "Crunch & Sip" The learning begins!
11.05- 11.30am Recess/play
11.30-1.30- Learning time
1.30-2.10 – Lunch (eating supervised by teachers/ playtime)
2:10-2:15 – Afternoon assembly in COLA
2.15-3.15- Learning time
3.15- end of day bell.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES

Infant's assemblies are held at school in the COLA beginning at 12.45pm every Tuesday of odd weeks.

Primary assemblies are held in the MPU beginning at 12.45pm every Tuesday of even weeks.

Parents will be notified by a SMS message if their child is receiving an award.

All parents are welcome to attend the assemblies.

When your child is absent from school you can inform the school by:

- ❖ A written note to the teacher
- ❖ Phoning the front office
- ❖ Sending an email

Parents receive a SMS message on the day their child is absent.

If you are interested in helping in the classroom, your assistance will always be most welcome. There are many ways in which a parent helper can be used!

Online Payments

Our school is able to accept online payments through the Paypop system, which is accessed through the school's website.

Every Monday a newsletter is distributed by Skoolbag, email or a hard copy if requested.

Check your child's bag each day for notes from school, pieces of work etc



REMINDER

Music Ensembles

Tuesday – 8:30 AM –Clarinet

Tuesday – Lunch- WWPS

Band

Wednesday-8:30 AM -Vocal

Group

Wednesday- Lunch- Trumpet.

Thursday- 8:30 AM- Recorder

Ensemble

Friday – 8:30 AM -Ukulele

Ensemble

Friday- Primary Choir- within school hours.



PAYPOP: Payments can be made on-line to our school by accessing PayPop through our school website.

West Wyalong Public School Canteen



The school canteen **will open** for Term One **this Wednesday 19th February.**



West Wyalong Public School **SKOOLBAG** app!

This year West Wyalong Public School is again using **Skoolbag**. If you download the app, you will be able to instantly receive regular information in a push notice (like excursion return times, changes in routine, reminders etc), submit absences, view permission notes and newsletters all on your mobile phone or tablet devices, both apple and android. It is great way to communicate quickly with the whole school community. If you need any assistance, please contact the front office on 69722157.

At West Wyalong Public School we value strong communication between our parents and community members. Each Monday of the term we issue a newsletter which can be accessed by: Email, a printed copy, Skoolbag (download the App) or on our school website.

Please complete the form below with your choice of communication and return it to school as soon as possible:



WEST WYALONG PUBLIC SCHOOL

Parents Name:.....

Child's Name:.....

Class:

Yes I would like to receive the newsletter by email.

My email address is:.....

OR

I would like a paper copy to be given to my child

OR

I will access the newsletter through Skoolbag or the website.



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Canteen Menu

2020

HOT FOOD	
Party Pies	\$1
Dino Nuggets	\$1
Chicken Nuggets	\$1
Sausage Rolls	\$3
Chicken Noodles	\$2.50
Pizza – Bacon & Cheese	\$3
Pizza – Ham & Pineapple	\$3
Chicken Goujons	6 for \$3
Chicken Burger (Lettuce, Cheese & Mayo)	\$5
Nacho Cheese, sour cream, salsa	\$5

PLEASE ADD 20C FOR SAUCE & BAG

COLD FOOD	
Salad Roll Chicken/ham	\$5
Crunch Lunch Chicken/ham	\$5

SANDWICHES (Fresh/Toasted)	
Cheese	\$3
Ham	\$3
Cheese/Tomato	\$3
Ham/Cheese	\$3
Chicken/cheese	\$4
Ham/tomato/cheese	\$4

DRINKS	
Chocolate milk	\$2
Strawberry milk	\$2
Fruit box	\$2
Water	\$2
Juice bomb cans (cola and raspberry)	\$2.50

FROZEN SNACKS	
Frozen yoghurt (mango or strawberry)	\$2.50
Frozen pineapple rings	\$0.80c
Moosies (chocolate or blue lagoon)	\$2
Quelch fruit sticks	\$1

SOME ITEMS SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY

SNACK FOOD	
Jatz & cheese	3 for \$1
Popcorn	\$1
Grainwaves	\$1.50
Sea salt chips	\$1.50
Banana	\$1
Apple	\$1
Grapes	\$1
Nectarine	\$1
Peach	\$1
Sultanas	\$0.50c
Carrot stick bags	\$1
Custard	\$1.50

CANTEEN IS OPEN EACH WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY