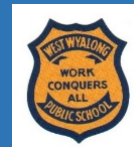


West Wyalong Public School

TERM 3 Week 6

Monday 24th
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NEWSLETTER



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From the Principal's Desk

Welcome to Week 6.

Last Monday, additional safety measures for school activities were put in place to minimize the risk of COVID-19 transmission in schools for the remainder of Term 3. Due to these safety measures our Middle School program has been cancelled for the remainder of the term. We have also cancelled choir and interest groups on a Friday afternoon.

In accordance with advice from NSW Health, parents and carers are reminded NOT to send children to school if they are unwell, even if they have the mildest flu-like symptoms. Schools will make arrangements for students who present as unwell or have flu like symptoms to be sent home.

NSW Health have requested that schools encourage anyone who is unwell or has even mild flu-like symptoms, to arrange to be tested through their local medical practitioner or one of the COVID-19 clinics.

Students and staff with flu like symptoms will need to provide a copy of a negative COVID-19 test result before being permitted to return to school.

Further advice for families can be found - <https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/advice-for-families>

Thank you all so much for your time with Parent Meetings. We value your input and support with Semester 2 Student Learning Goals. We still have a few classes this week so if you haven't made a time please call the office and we will organise a time for you.

Timetable for phone meetings

	Date	Class	Teachers
Week 6	Tuesday 25 th August	6 Yellow	Miss Brash
	Thursday 27 th August	3/4 Pink 1 Red	Mrs Brown Mrs Pidgeon
	Friday 28 th August	6 Orange 5 Red	Mrs Fealy Mrs Worland

Have a great week!

Jodi Penfold
Acting Principal



TERM 3 REMINDERS:

PLEASE make sure students bring a water bottle every day.

Please do not send students who are unwell to school. If students are sick for 3 days they need to return with a medical certificate for absent days.

Please drop students off and pick them up outside the school gates. Remember to social distance yourselves while waiting. We are asking that staff and students are the ONLY people on the school grounds at this time. If you need to speak to your child's classroom teacher, please ring the front office and we will organise this for you.

Three actions you can take to help manage the spread of COVID-19:



1. **Wash your hands** regularly and thoroughly.
2. **Sneeze into your elbow** or a tissue, disposing of the tissue straight away and then washing your hands.
3. **Stay home if you are unwell** we will send home staff or students who show signs of being unwell through the day.

Week 8 Library NEWS

There is only 4 days left for Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 students to complete the 2020 NSW Premier's Reading Challenge. Students are able to read 10 personal choice books and 10 books off the Premier's Reading Challenge booklist to complete their reading challenge log. Keep up the great reading!

ICAS Assessments



On Thursday 20th August, 9 students from Year 2 to Year 6 sat the University of New South Wales Science Assessment.

This week (Week 6) we have 2 more tests.

Tuesday Morning - Digital Technologies with Mrs Grimshaw

Thursday Morning - English with Miss Nutt.

Next week (Week 7) on Thursday morning we will run our final test - Mathematics with Miss Nutt.

All tests will commence after students have roll call in their rooms and then make their way to the library.

Changes that parents/ care givers need to be aware of are:



- If a student has been absent due to flu like illness or develops flu like while at school, they are not to return to school until they have a negative COVID-19 test and are symptom free. The negative COVID-19 test result must be sighted and received by the school before the student returns to school.
- For the remainder of term 3 all singing groups as well as the use of wind instruments in group settings are not permitted.
- Middle School and Friday *Interest* groups are cancelled until the end of term 3.

We are now accepting
Kindergarten enrolments for 2021.



INFANTS ASSEMBLY AWARDS

TERM 3 Week 5

Merit Awards

KH: Kara-Lee Cattle
 Lachlan Reid

KW: Lexie Byrnes
 Jax Lange

1 Red: Keaton Cattle
 Ruth Halder

2 Blue: Liam Davies
 Olive Norton

2 Green: Matilda Cox
 Stella Evans



SILVER BAR AWARD

Amelia Hurley



Student of the Week



Miller Green, Jasper Campbell-Pike,
Charlotte Clay, Riley Pope,
Halle Turner.

BLUE AWARD

Izac Larden

Maths Awards



Lirah Dolan, Grady Lemon,
JJ Pursehouse, Maicey Maitland,
Atlas Moxon, Buster Wilmot.



SMILEY BADGES



Jarred Ackland, Miller Green,
Sam Eyles, Maicey Maitland,
Jax McCartney, Olive Norton,
Jessie Penfold,
Hunter Shaugh,
Levi Shaugh, Ned Wheatley,

Reading Award

Madison Darrington,
Addison Hopper, Brumby Johnston,
Mason Leane, Quade Penfold,
Bryenna Scealy.

WRITING AWARDS

Lucas Charpentier,
Grace Halder,
Levi Shaugh, Noah Turner.

BOOK AWARDS



Keaton Cattle, Max Crowe,
Payton fuller, Chevy Steele.



Week 5

Infants Assembly



Congratulations to
Amelia Hurley,
who is the first
Silver Award
recipient for 2020



2020



Recorder

2020 has been a challenging year for musicians worldwide, but despite all the interruptions and restrictions caused by the Covid19 pandemic, our WWPS musicians have achieved great things and should be congratulated on their efforts! We look forward to performing for you all again when permitted!



Trumpet



Primary Choir



Clarinet



These musicians have continued to grow despite the challenges, Mrs Charpentier thinks you are all amazing!



Ukulele and Guitar



Vocal Group



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