

WARRAWONG Public School NewsLetter

Term 4

Week 5

14 November 2018







Lots happening at WPS this term

It is a busy time of the year at Warrawong Public School. Students have been lucky enough to be offered a number of interactive learning experiences which take them outside the grounds of Warrawong Public School and give them the opportunity to experience the wider world around them.

Stage 1 Killalea State Park

Our stage 1 students were gifted a beautiful sunny day to accompany them on their trip to Killalea. From all reports, there were a lot of tired legs, but a lot of happy students by the end of the day. Kindergarten and the Support unit will also visit Symbio Wildlife Park this week. It is such a great opportunity for everyone involved to go and see the animals and experience learning in a new way.



Stage 2 Aquarium and Sydney Tower Darling Harbour

Stage 2 students were lucky enough to travel to Sydney and Darling Harbour to the Sea Life Aquarium and the Sydney Tower. It was a huge day for everyone with the kids leaving at 8:00 am and returning at 4:30 pm but the students and teachers had a great day. It was fantastic to see everyone still buzzing with excitement when they returned to school.

Swim Scheme

Next week School Swim Scheme will begin, giving a fantastic opportunity for some of our students to learn and practise an important life skill. Every year we have a number of students who forget to pack their swimmers, towel or whatever else they need. If everyone could remind their children about being responsible and organised with their belongings, it would be much appreciated and avoid potential issues in the following two weeks.



Important Dates To Remember

Thursday 15 November Classroom Visits Kindergarten Orientation

Monday 19-30 2-6 Swim Scheme

Wednesday 28 November Wollongong Illawarra Coal Science Fair

Wednesday 21 November
Wacki Film Festival
Night Presentation

Friday 23 November Wacki Film Festival Excursion

Tuesday 27 November 2018 9.30am P&C Meeting

Thursday 13 December
Warrawong Plaza Choir Performance

Tuesday 18 December Year 6 Graduation Dinner

What's Due		
Activity Payment	Amount	Due Date
Swimming	\$25	Fri 16 Nov
Wacki Film Festival	\$1- \$5	Tues 20 Nov
Yr 6 Graduation Dinner	\$23	Mon 3 Dec

Award Winners

AAA Award

Sara G, Oisin R, Keenen M, Selina W, Henry M, Chloe H, Jordan G, Eleanor V, Puna T, Myleigh C, Te Arai W, Mereana W, Jahnga R

AA Award

Keone M, Clementine N, Nicolas D, Bailey A, Letayah W, Latoya A, Darby W, Saphina A

Warrawong Way Award

Whole School Atendance

Class Assembly Award 3/4C

Attendance Award Tyrese L

PBL Awards

Zayden I, Osman Y, Lleyton I, Saige P, Jovana K

Foyer Display 3/4R

Assembly Item

Week 6
Captain Speeches

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Mathematics Focus

Addition & Subtraction Mass

Playground Focus
Right Time

Parent Online Payment (POP)

POP allows parents to make online payments though the school's webpage. The payment facility will be accessed on the front page of our website by selecting \$ MAKE A PAYMENT. This is an additional service; you will still be able to make payments over the counter.

When making a POP payment please clearly indiate on the permission note, the receipt number.

If you require further information about this please see our office staff, they will be more than happy to assist.

Being Safe, Respectful and Responsible

A huge congratulations to all the students for being Safe, Respectful and Responsible on the various excursions that have occurred. I would also like to extend a huge thank you to the office staff and teachers who organised and supervised the excursions so that all students of Warrawong Public School have the opportunity to gain new learning experiences.

In addition, I would also like to say a thank you to all the parents who ensured the children were ready and organised for the excursions.



Message to students through the day

There are a growing number of parents/carers calling the school with messages to be given to their children during the day. At times these messages are taken late in the day which makes it very difficult to pass on before home time. To avoid disappointment, please give your child/ren messages before school.

School banking every Monday

As an incentive for school banking, our banking officer, Sandy Fitton is offering a prize to those students who bank next Monday. So get in and collect your prize.



Year 6 Audition Applications for Wollongong Performing Arts

The audition applications for Year 6 (2019) into Year 7 (2020) are submitted through the Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts website.

The application will be available for your parents to access in Week 2, Term 1 in 2019.

The auditions will be held in the last 3 weeks of Term 1, 2019

Quality education in an innovative and supportive environment

Sports Star in the making

As they say, shoot for the stars and one day you will get there. Rhiannon Gregorio who is a sibling of one of our current students and also a past student of Warrawong Public School has certainly done that.

Rhiannon starting playing oztag at age 15, and set her goals to be the best she can be.

Rhiannon's oztag achievements include:

- . State Cup 2015, 2016, 2017
- . National Vipers 2015, 2016, 2017
- . Australia 2018 and claimed the world championship prize.

Not only does Rhiannon play oztag she is also playing rugby league in the Tarsha Gale Cup for the Canterbury Bulldogs.

Rhiannon is an example of if you put your mind to a goal you can achieve anything.

Well done Rhiannon, you have done yourself, your family and Warrawong Public School proud.



Kinder Enrolments 2019

We are still taking enrolments for Kinder 2019 and our Kinder Orientation days are fast approaching. If you or anyone you know has children who are from our local area ready to start Kinder next year then now is the time to enrol at our school. Warrawong Public School provides a comprehensive curriculum to suit students of varying needs and we are more than happy to assist you in this very important step in your child's life. Please contact the office via telephone on 42741399 or call in.



Thought of the Week

When people are determined they can overcome anything.

Nelson Mandela (Former President of South Africa)

Next P&C

The next meeting of our P&C will be held on Tuesday 27 November at 9:30am in the Parent's room.

Have a great week!

Greg Mineeff

Relieving Principal

Assembly Awards

KD

Savahnah K, Sowar Al, Aleki H

KB

Parani W, Kaihautu M, Tiger D **K1T**Summa G, Connor C, Lincoln M

1/20

Tyren W, Maryam Y, Frankie S

1/20K

Clementine N, Kaden B, Selina W

2/3B

Umayah N, Oliver L, Jay P

3/4R

Jonah S, Viki F, Gary H

3/4C

Ethan E, Ezra G, Mohamad Al

5/6K

Maggie T, Daniel M, Mele F

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Caitlyn M, Saliha O, Jacob M

5/6L

Muneer El, Mohamad A, Briyanna De

K/6K

Stefan P, Tia W, Gizelle A, Alex D

K/6G Lleyton I

3/6K

Latoya A, Jake K

It's Cool to be at School



Achieving Personal Best



2018 Orientation & Information Day Warrawong High school

Date: Tuesday 4th December 2018

Time: 10:00am

Location: School Hall, 127 Cowper Street, Warrawong NSW 2502

The information day will provide parents and students with information regarding local enrolments.

Information for students in Years 6 to 7

Register your interest with the front office by calling: 42 740707 or emailing:

warrawong-h.schools@det.nsw.edu.au