PRINCIPAL’S REPORT
School photos were taken today and our students looked fantastic wearing their uniforms and beautiful smiles.

Congratulations to our students who swam in Albury. All acquitted themselves well, but particularly Peter Naumann who will now travel to Sydney later this term to participate in the NSW Swimming Championships held at the Homebush Olympic Pool. He will participate in the Junior Boys 50m Butterfly. Well done Peter.

Congratulations also to Kai Watts and Peter Naumann on being selected in the Wagga PSSA AFL team, and to Molly Antone, Claire Junck and Emilia Campbell (shadow player) for being selected in the Wagga Girls Soccer team. Congratulations also to Oscar Willis and Peter Naumann who have been selected in the PSSA Cricket training squad.

We have 3 of our regular activities happening in the next 2 weeks. The first is Bandaged Bear Day where students will again run the WWPS District Hospital for sick Bears, this Friday. This is a fundraiser for Westmead Childrens Hospital. Students can come dressed in Mufti and donate a gold coin to raise much needed funds.

For new parents, Mufti means students come dressed in non school clothes.

On Thursday 21st Harmony Day will be held celebrating the many cultures we have in our school and tolerance towards all people. Please join us at 2.20pm on that day and watch some dancing from different countries.

Later the same day the school leaders will participate in the annual Town and Gown parade, marching down the main street, from Morgan Street to the Victory Memorial Gardens. This symbolic march showcases and promotes the wonderful educational opportunities offered by our city to students studying at all levels.

Jim Roworth
Principal

SCHOOL DIARY
WEEK 7
Wednesday 13th March
P&C Meeting 7pm

WEEK 8
Thursday 21st March
Harmony Day

WEEK 9
Thursday 28th March
Easter Hat Parade & Grandparents Day
A number of activities have been organised to raise money for the Westmead Childrens Hospital.

Mufti Day—students can wear mufti and donate a gold coin.

Bandaged Bear Hospital— for K-2 students. Children may bring their sick or injured teddy (or any soft toy) to the hospital to be treated by our dedicated doctors (our leaders). Donations of bandages, band aids and other medical supplies would be gratefully accepted. See Mrs Cesnik.

Bandage up your Buddy Competition— for year 3-6 students. This will be held in the hall 2nd half lunch. Students will need to bring their own newspaper and tape. Cost is 50 cents each.

No merchandise will be sold this year due to a lack of stock in their warehouse.

This spring all you need to start growing your own vegetable garden is a foam box! Foam boxes are light and easy for you and your kids to manage.

Step One: Cut six drainage holes in the bottom of the foam box.

Step Two: Elevate foam box by placing it on some old bricks and fill with potting mix.

Step Three: Plant seedlings or seeds, making sure not to over plant (aim to plant around 4-6 seedlings per box).

Step Four: Water and care for your seedlings daily.

Try planting tomato, pumpkin and zucchini seedlings this spring.

For more information about the Eat It To Beat It program please visit www.cancercouncil.org.au/eatittobeatit
Thursday 21\textsuperscript{st} March 2013

We have a fun day planned to celebrate the Harmony Day theme

**MANY STORIES - ONE AUSTRALIA.**

- From **recess to lunch** students will be issued with a passport and will travel 'around the world' learning about different countries.

- At **lunch time** students can enjoy a special lunch from the canteen. Lunch must be pre-ordered – a lunch order form will be sent home this week.

- **In the afternoon** parents and friends are invited to come and watch some dance groups from different cultures. The concert will start at **2.20pm** under the COLA.

Students are invited to wear clothing from their country of origin or something orange (the Harmony Day colour).

Please come along and help us celebrate.

Thank you to those parents who said they would be interested in joining our multi-cultural group. We will have a meeting before the end of term to organise future events.
MINI KITCHEN KIDS AT QUINTY BAKEHOUSE
WAGGA WAGGA
Cnr of Best and Forsyth St is now cooking with kids in Wagga Wagga during school terms.
TIME: Wednesday 3.45pm to 4.45pm
Thursday 3.45pm to 4.45pm
WHERE: At Quinty Bakehouse, 103 Best St Wagga Ph 69319931
START: SCHOOL TERMS AS PER EACH CALENDAR YEAR
Children will cook savoury from making pasta to baking cakes and through to ice cream. Each week we will develop a new skill in cooking. Please wear covered shoes for safety. We supply apron, bag and calendar for all children. At the end of each class the kids will take it home to share with friends or family.

CONTACT: Tania Gillanders 0419858366 or text.
E: qbakehouse@qbakehouse.com
Find us on Facebook: Quinty Bakehouse
We also do birthday parties cooking classes. Please wear covered shoes for safety.

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- Certificate IV in Outside School Hours Care CHC41212
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WWPS CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY