CALENDAR

OCTOBER
Reminder to pay remaining money for Stage 2 Camp
Wed 14th- Senior School Assembly, due to no assembly in Week 3
Wed 14th- Years 4, 5 & 6 Swimming @ 9.30am-11.00am
Wed 14th- P&C AGM @ 7pm in the library
Thurs 15th- Kinder Swimming @ 9.30am-11.00am
Friday 16th- CHORDS Choir to Tolland PS 11.40am-3.00pm
Fri 16th- Kindergarten 2016 transition day 9.30am-11.00am
Mon 19th- Middle School Gymnastics commences
Tue 20th- Year 1 Gymnastics commences
Mon 26th until Wed 28th- Stage 3 Canberra Excursion
Thurs 29th- CHORDS at Civic Theatre

NOVEMBER
Thur 5th until Fri 6th- Years 3 & 4 Great Aussie Holiday Resort

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PRINCIPAL’S REPORT—WEEK 2

BRUCE AND DENISE MORCOMBE VISIT

Next Wednesday 21st October our Year 2 to 6 students have been invited to the Daniel Morcombe Foundation Child Safety Presentation at Bolton Park Stadium.

This presentation will be presented by Denise and Bruce Morcombe, the parents of Daniel who was tragically taken in 2003. They established the Daniel Morcombe Foundation as a legacy to Daniel’s memory and to educate and support the community to strengthen the message of Keeping Kids Safe.

The Morecombe’s presentation will cover content including:

- Recognise, React and Report
- Children’s rights
- Why obeying rules is important
- Safety strategies
- Getting lost
- Safe internet use

There will be a cost of $2 for all students to attend with all money going straight to the Daniel Morecombe Foundation. Any Year 1 or 2 students who would like to contribute to this fundraiser would be greatly appreciated.

Next week (19th to 23rd October) we will be celebrating I Heart You Week at Wagga Wagga Public School.

Each afternoon children will be engaged in a rotation of creative activities in which they will make or create some keepsakes to share with their loved ones.
This is a great time for us all to look at the diversity of families and support networks which are unique and special to each person.

Have a great week

Leanne Harvey
Principal

P&C Fete

The WWPS P&C are well underway planning our school’s 2016 Fete. Funds raised with go towards the construction of our Infants COLA.

If you would like to volunteer to help with planning, please email wwpfsfete2016@gmail.com or contact Petrea Pollock 0418979065 or Sharee Walker 0427218065.

Our first planning meeting will be held on Friday 16th October at 2pm in the school staff room.

Inter-schools Gymkhana

Congratulations to Annabelle, Chloe and Mekenzie who proudly represented Wagga Wagga Public School at the Tumbarumba Inter-schools Gymkhana on Sunday 11th October.

The girls had a wonderful day and were very successful, winning ribbons in every event they contested.

A big thank you to everyone involved.

Liza Byrnes
Welcome to Kindergarten!
the year so far in KT...

We made puppets in art... Georgia

The best thing about coming to school is learning to write sentences... Zara

We love having dress up days at school... Mia and Max

We got our balance on a board at Gymnastics... Felicity and Alice

Bus Safety Talk

Ordering and recording numbers to 20

Book Parade

Clean Up Australia Day
Proud and Deadly Awards

On Thursday 8th October students attended the award ceremony for The Proud and Deadly Student Awards.

These awards are a partnership between the Department of Education and Communities, local and Riverina Regional Aboriginal Education Consultative Group (AECG). They celebrate and recognise the achievement and excellence of Aboriginal students from Preschool to Year 12 in Public Education in the Wagga, Cootamundra, Albury, Griffith and Deniliquin Principal Networks.

Students are nominated for the awards for academic achievement, citizenship, outstanding sport achievement and encouragement. The students who received an award were Bronte, Kodie, Diego, Joel, Senna-Rosa, Mikai, Jada, Layla, Harmony and Chaise.

Miss Clarke
Year 5-6 Teacher

Cancer Council Snippet

The simplest way
...to create a healthier brekkie.

Choose these simple, tasty swaps for your family’s brekkie: they’re fruit and vegie rich and will give you the energy to get through the day!

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Dear Families and Friends of Wagga Wagga Public School,

It is again that time of the year when we are all working hard to produce an amazing school magazine showcasing all of the wonderful happenings throughout the school during 2015.

Wagga Wagga Public School has published "The Crow", our school magazine since 1926; a fact of which we are truly proud. The magazine has been printed in various forms since its first edition including the school photocopier and commercial printing in both black and white and colour!

It was with the help of our P&C, local businesses and families that we are able to provide an outstanding magazine at an affordable cost to our families.

This year we are again asking families and businesses to sponsor "The Crow" so that we can continue to produce a high quality magazine, of which we can be proud and which remains affordable for our families.

We would be grateful for any donations to help us cover costs.

As a thank you to all those that help us out with sponsorship, we will in return acknowledge your kind donation and/or promote your business through the magazine in the following ways.

Level of sponsorship

FAMILIES

1. $10 Page Sponsorship- Families can sponsor one page of the magazine. Their name will appear on the bottom of a page in the magazine. This does not get you a free copy.

BUSINESSES

1. Up to $49.00- Business Card sized ad (please provide business card for scanning)
2. $50.00 - $99 – Business Card sized ad and own copy of the school magazine “The Crow 2015” (please provide business card for scanning)
3. $99 and above- Larger ad and own copy of school magazine “The Crow 2015”

Thanking you in anticipation

Leanne Harvey
Principal

WAGGA WAGGA PUBLIC SCHOOL
THE CROW MAGAZINE SPONSORSHIP

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NB Remember to attach a business card to provide important information about your business. We will scan it and add details for The CROW Magazine.

We would appreciate response to this letter before Term 4 Week 3 – 23rd October, 2015

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR KIND DONATION
Keeping Children Safe

3 Session Program:
Thursday 19 November 2015
Thursday 26 November 2015
Thursday 3 December 2015
10:30am to 2pm
Mission Australia
Unit 2, 36-40 Gurwood St,
Wagga Wagga

To help parents understand:
- The importance of creating a safe home environment for their children
- The need to protect children and young people as they grow and develop
- What to teach your children to keep them safe

Bookings are essential please contact your
Case Manager or RSVP by emailing
ParentingRiverina@missionaustralia.com.au
or contact Stacey on 6942 8001

A light lunch will be provided.
(Please advise of any special dietary requirements at time of RSVP).
Please note child care is not being provided.

Fusion 15
98 COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN
99 LANGUAGE GROUPS
67 FAITHS
1 COMMUNITY
SATURDAY 17 OCTOBER
4PM TO 5PM
FREE ENTRY
CIVIC CENTRE PRECINCT
BETWEEN MORRIS & JOHNSTON STREETS
wagga.nsw.gov.au/fusion

EAT LOCAL THURSDAY

Opportunities for children to learn about where their FOODS come from

The Riverina is regarded as the Food Bowl of Australia yet, very little, if any, of the produce grown and products made in this region are easily found in supermarkets.
Connecting consumers with how and where their food is grown results in increased food literacy which becomes a sound base on which to make informed decisions on optimum health, well-being of self, and our precious landscapes and environment. When this behavior commences as a child, life-time habits of personal responsibility is the delicious outcome.

Having a weekly Farmers Market in Wagga with chemical and genetically modified organism-free produce and products direct from the passionate and clever growers and makers from 36 smaller towns across the region, is the perfect learning place for children.
Every dollar spent at EAT LOCAL THURSDAY then returns to those smaller towns and keeps those smaller economies thriving while we Happy Hungry Eaters enjoy fresh foods from the REAL fresh food people.

EAT LOCAL THURSDAY is on every week at the Wagga Race Course from 2.30 until 6.30pm. There is an ATM on site and some traders now have EFTPOS!
Once you’ve tasted the flavor and freshness of the fruits, veggies, paddock-raised meats and a host of other foods, you will be a very happy participant in the EAT LOCAL MOVEMENT — and your children will become articulate advocates for proper foods!
Community Announcements

Interested in singing?
If your child is interested in singing, joining one of our age appropriate choirs is a great place to start.

Junior Choir (ages 5 years-12 years)
Tuesday afternoon 4:30pm – 5:30pm

Please contact:
Riverina Conservatorium of Music for further information on 6925 8522 or go to the RCM website www.riconmusic.org.au and submit an online enquiry.

Nutrition Snippet

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ErinEarth Open Garden
Saturday 17 October 2015
9.30 am – 2.00 pm
1 Kildare Street
Wagga Wagga

Spring in all its glory

- 10.00—11.00 — Garden Tour
- 11.00—11.45 — Peter Orchard: Launching an exciting new book on Native Plants within 100 km of Wagga
- 12.00—12.45 — Keeping chooks and caring for chooks in summer

Children’s activities: Seek & discover nature’s secrets

Join us for our annual Walk to d’Feet Motor Neurone Disease Wagga Wagga
Sunday, 25 October 2015
10am Start
Wagga Boat Club
Plumpton Road, Wagga Wagga

The Walk is a 5.5km round route returning to the Wagga Boat Club

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Or register on the day
higher rates apply

For further information
Call 1800 777 175
Or email kymn@mndnsw.asn.au