CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to our school representatives who competed at last week’s District PSSA Athletics Carnival. Some excellent results were achieved by our athletes and once again Wagga Wagga Public School was represented proudly. Special mention must go to Nathan Bloor and Will McCready who were named Senior and Junior Boys Champion. Nathan competed in High Jump, Long Jump, 100m, 200m and the Relay team and Will competed in Long Jump, 100m, 200m, 800m and the Relay team. As a result of their outstanding performances they were ranked highest amongst the competitors in their respective age groups and gained their champions title for the carnival. We are all very proud of you boys, well done!

WWPS WALK A THON

After the success of last year, there will be another Walk A Thon Reward Day in Week 10 of this term. Please have a think about if you will be able to assist in any way and have your children think about who they could ask for sponsorship. Information and sponsorship forms have gone home today. Please read the information carefully and return canteen and sponsorship forms by the nominated dates. If you are available to help with the BBQ, please let Ellise in the canteen know as soon as possible.

STAFF PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

Throughout this semester many teachers have been ‘off’ class and you may have heard your child saying they had a different teacher for the day. There are a number of reasons for this but one of the most significant is that our teachers are participating in Teacher Professional Learning events. In the past 2 terms alone, our teachers have been improving their capacity to provide the best quality learning experiences and programs across literacy, numeracy, well being and leadership. A quick snapshot of some of the courses attended include: L2 and L3 (Literacy), TEN and TOWN (Numeracy), Focus on Reading, Writing, Reading Recovery, Place Value, Classroom Management, Aspiring Leadership, Performance Development Framework, Accreditation, HOW2Learn, Growth Coaching, Communication, Brain Based Learning, Emotional Intelligence, Merit Selection and Aboriginal Education.

Each week the teaching staff have a staff meeting in which we come together to share knowledge gained and to put plans in action to improve the teaching and learning programs across our school. Our teachers work extremely hard to keep attuned of best practice and to ensure that the quality programs Wagga Public are known for continue to achieve the desired results for all our children.

Principal’s report continued.................
**CANTEEN NEWS**

HOT MILO WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM THE CANTEEN ON MONDAY’S, TUESDAY’S AND WEDNESDAY’S. IT WILL ONLY BE AVAILABLE BETWEEN 8.45AM AND 9.00AM. ONLY $1.

**PERMISSION NOTES AND MONEY**

COULD ALL PERMISSION NOTES AND MONEY FOR EXCURSIONS ETC. PLEASE GO TO YOUR CHILD’S TEACHER. NOT VIA THE OFFICE AS THE TEACHER NEEDS TO MARK PAYMENTS OFF THEIR LISTS. THANK YOU.

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**MERIT CERTIFICATES**

2-3H  No awards this week
2-3L  Tom, Naveera, Christopher, Hunter
2-3N  Baden, Zoe, Makayla, Austin
2-3P  Lily, Harry, Emily, Henry
2-3S  Sidney, Noah, Benjamin, Mylo

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**STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS**

Teachers are currently working extremely hard to prepare your child’s Semester 1 Report. These reports will provide you with a snapshot of where your child is achieving at this point in time. Reports will be sent home in Week 10 this term.

Have a great week.

Leanne Harvey
Principal

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**Medication and infectious diseases**

**PRESCRIBED MEDICATION**

A reminder for prescribed medication that needs to be administered at school. Departmental paperwork needs to be completed, forms are available at the school office. A hand written letter is not acceptable. Please send medication in the original packaging with the script details printed on the bottle or box.

Medication cannot be administered without the above requirements being adhered to.

Please see the school office to make arrangements for your child if needed.

Thank you.

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**IMPETIGO (SCHOOL SORES)**

There has been a reported case of School Sores within the school community. If your child has any of the symptoms below please act accordingly.

**Time from exposure to illness**

1 to 3 days.

**Symptoms**

Small red spots change into blisters that fill up with pus and become crusted; usually on the face, hands or scalp.

**Do I need to keep my child home?**

Yes, until antibiotic treatment starts. Sores should be covered with watertight dressings.

**How can I prevent spread?**

Careful hand washing.
KG Welcome Winter

In Kindergarten we have been learning about how seasonal changes affect people and other living things. We celebrated the first day of Winter by wearing our slippers to school.

Every Winter I go to Winter holiday. This year I am going to Melbourne and my dad will take me to the snow.

Mackenzie

Sometimes in Winter in other countries it would snow.

Oliver

In Winter animals hibernate in their burrows.

Logan

June 1st is the first day of Winter.

Isabelle

Some trees lose their leaves in Winter.

Alyssa

Winter means it is going to be freezing.

Josef

Winter is my favourite season.

Jess

I like Winter because my birthday is in it.

Daniel

I like Winter because my birthday is in it.
SRC EVENT REMINDERS

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Please note the change of dates for the middle and senior school discos (both a week forward).

CLOTHING POOL & NEW WWPS CLOTHES

Just a reminder that we have new items of clothing for sale in the office. Polo shirts, long-sleeved t-shirts, hats and bags. WWPS jumpers (not hoodies) are on order and will arrive soon. They cost $25 if you buy them through the school.

Prices for the items available are:
T-shirts - $15, long-sleeved t-shirts - $18, jumpers $25, Hats $5, Bags - $35

If anyone is interested in second hand clothing – there are items available for sale.
Please name your child/ren’s school clothing otherwise at the end of each term the un-named WWPS items of clothing are added to the clothing pool and all other items are taken to Vinnies.
If you have any queries – please contact Jackie on 0428 618 077 or see Mandy in the office.

THANK YOU

Thank you so much to the following people for helping out and contributing to the BBQ at the PSSA Athletics Carnival last Wednesday;


We had a successful day – selling close to 600 sausages and were fortunate to be able to raise $1,170. We couldn’t have done this without the help and assistance of the above volunteers so thank you again. Well done to all our Athletes – a great day all round!

Jackie Sellars
P&C
SPORTS REPORT

Wow, what a term we have had so far. Well done to all of our sporting teams that were able to take part in many exciting events representing our school. Our Athletics carnival in Week 1 was a fantastic day which saw the whole school take part in a range of novelty, track and field events. Well done to everyone that was involved on the day, and well done to all of the students for having a go!

Our Age Champions for Athletics included:

Junior Boy: William McCready
Junior Girl: Seisha Passlow
11Yrs Boy: Hamish Hart
11yrs Girl: Tallulah Brassil
Senior Boy: Nathan Bloor
Senior Girl: Phoebe Whiteman O’Brien

Last Wednesday 27th May, I had the pleasure of taking 38 students to represent Wagga Wagga Public School at the District PSSA Athletics Carnival. All students were extremely well behaved on the day, as reported by parents from our school and noted by other schools. We had a very successful day as a school team, and also achieved some amazing individual results. I am looking forward to seeing these students progress on to the Riverina PSSA Athletics Carnival.

Well done to Nathan Bloor and William McCready who were the Age Champions in both Junior and Senior Boys.

Some other events that took place in Week 6 included the District PSSA Cross-Country and the Mortimer Shield (Rugby League) Gala day. Wagga Wagga Public School had an amazing day at the District PSSA Cross-Country, with many of our participants making it through to Riverina to represent Wagga Wagga Public School and the Wagga Wagga District. Apart from retaining the perpetual school Cross-Country trophy, we had a number of brilliant individual performances.

Well done to the Stage 3 boys and girls who represented Wagga Wagga Public School at the Mortimer Shield Gala day. Mrs Elsley and I took a group of 45 students to participate in a Rugby League and League Tag knockout. We had a wonderful day and it was great to see the sportsmanship on display by all Wagga Wagga Public School Students.

Rhys Holloway
DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY

Last Monday Miss Birthisel took our Wagga PS Cross Country team to participate in the District event hosted at Ladysmith Public School. Once again all our students represented our school admirably and with wonderful sportsmanship. Several of our students were successful in advancing to the next level of Riverina Cross Country:

Harry Austin 3rd 8/9 Years Boys  
Georgia Cameron 1st 10 Years Girls  
Will McCready 1st 10 Years Boys  
Kobe Drummond 3rd 10 Years Boys  
Ethan Hart 4th 10 Years Boys  
Tallulah Brassil 2nd 11 Years Girls  
Hamish Hart 1st 11 Years Boys

This event will be held on the 11th June at Gundagai.

We were also successful in securing the Wagga PSSA Zone Cross Country Trophy for the second year in a row. Well done to all that participated in the successful day and best wishes to those students who are competing at Riverina level.

Erin Elsley
Community Announcements

WAGGA WAGGA PUBLIC SCHOOL
BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Times: 7.30am-9.30am
2.30pm-6.00pm
Location: On WWPS premises, corner of Simmons Street and Johnston Street.
In the demountable classroom.
The centre has positions available for children before and after school. If you would like to take advantage of this service, please contact the centre.

Contact person: Alissa

BRUMBIES HOLIDAY CLINIC

The Aquis Brumbies in conjunction with the ActewAGL are putting on holiday clinics in July and we would love for as many children to attend!
Forms are available in the school office.

Please email completed form to - development@brumbies.com.au OR fax (02) 6260 8591. Alternatively Post to Brumbies Rugby at LPO Box 5039, University of Canberra, Bruce 2671.

Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

...to work out how much fruit + veg you need.

Eating two serves of fruit and five serves of vegetables every day will help keep you and your kids healthy. But what does a serve look like?

A serve of fruit is 150 grams or:
- 1 medium fruit (apple/banana) or
- 1 ½ tablespoons dried fruit (apricots/sultanas) or
- 1 cup of chopped or canned fruit (fruit salad)

A serve of veg is 75 grams or:
- ½ cup of cooked veg or
- ½ medium potato or
- 1 cup of salad

Pack fruit and veg every day for school lunches – every bit counts towards your child’s daily total – plus healthy food gives them extra strength to concentrate longer.

For more information visit
www.eatittobeatit.com.au
or join us at facebook.com/eatittobeatit

Bidgee Theatre’s
Production of

MARY POPPINS
THE BROADWAY MUSICAL
A Musical based on the stories of P.L. Travers and the Walt Disney Film

Original Music and Lyrics by Richard M. Sherman and Robert B. Sherman
Music by Julian Fellowes
New Songs and Additional Music and lyrics by George Stiles and Anthony Drewe

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Choreographer Melissa Danges
Musical Director Nichole Ingram

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