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Term 4 | Week 10 | 17 December 2019

Principal's Report

Presentation Day Assembly

The highlight for last week, and for me the year, was our Annual Presentation Day Assembly. I was so proud to sit in front of a huge audience, share my thoughts and reflect on our school year and then share the successes of many students who received recognition across a diverse range of disciplines. Well done to every recipient, but also to all students in our school, who have certainly achieved success throughout the year in many areas.

A big part of our Assembly was the announcement of our 2020 School Captains and Prefects. I want to again congratulate all nominees. However, only four people can be elected to be School Captaincy and Vice-Captaincy and four to the Prefect role. I congratulate Xavier and Evie, our new Captains, Austin and Millie, our new Vice-Captains and Jai, Jack, Sophie and Tyler on being elected to the Prefect role. I believe that these students will be excellent leaders for Woonona Public School and we look forward to them growing into their role in 2020. Well done!



Picnic Day

Last Tuesday was our school Picnic Day and despite the smoky conditions, students and staff had a fantastic day celebrating a successful year. Lots of different activities were planned for different classes, years and stages, with lots of very positive feedback from everyone involved. Thank you to our teachers for organising such a fun, engaging day, to our students for celebrating in style and to our parents for supporting the various plans throughout the day.

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Year 6 Jamberoo

Last Tuesday also saw our Year 6 students off to Jamberoo and I congratulate them on their behaviour throughout the day. The teachers were very complimentary of our students who were responsible, mature and reliable. More than this they had a great time! Well done Year 6 and thank you to all Year 6 teachers who co-ordinated the organisation of this day.

Year 6 Farewell

Last night was our Year 6 Farewell and what a night it was. Our graduating class of 2019 have had a huge last few weeks, with last night being the pinnacle of their celebrations. Transitioning to high school is a huge, daunting time for our students but they have done a fantastic job, working closely with our teachers, and are ready for this next big step.

I would like to again thank our wonderful parent helpers who made the hall look emojiingly amazing, planned little gifts for our students and helped serve food and clear and clean. Your support for our students and staff in ensuring an amazing day is truly appreciated. In addition, so much fundraising occurred to make the night a reality, so thank you to all parents who have helped throughout the year.

I would also like to thank our Year 6 staff, led by Mr Arguet, who brought together the night. The night ran beautifully and was such a fantastic way to celebrate a huge milestone for our students. Congratulations and thank you for giving Year 6 such a fitting farewell.

Bust The Dust Rain Dance - Friday 13 December

Last Friday, we held a fundraising event called "Bust The Dust Rain Dance". Students were encouraged to wear blue (the colour of rain) for a gold coin donation. Throughout the day we provided students with a fun opportunity to do a rain dance, in support of the struggling communities out in the country. We even had a go at creating our own thunderstorm that we wanted to send out to the country to the areas that need it the most.

Students had a fantastic time, but more than that they have a greater understanding of our current extreme conditions and how they can show their support for those who are currently finding life very challenging. The day also raised just over \$700 and will go directly towards supporting those communities most in need. Thank you for your support of this great initiative.

Stage 2 Choir

Yesterday our Stage 2 students visited the IRT and Chesalon Home, to sing for the very excited residents. Staff have spoken highly of the students' attitude and behavior as well as their enthusiasm to sing. I also spoke with many students who expressed their happiness and pride in bringing a smile to so many faces. I know that the residents' day would have been so much better because of this small gesture and that our students and staff were filled with great energy throughout the day, knowing that they had done something that has brought such joy.

A post that was made online reflects the impact in which the day had that I'd like to share: "Woonona you should be so proud of your kids. They were very polite, sang beautifully and had a 'Merry Christmas' for everyone as they came in and left. All our residents had a smile on their face throughout the whole concert. Thank you for coming".

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2019 Draws To An End

I want to remind parents that students' last day for the school year is Wednesday 18 December (that's tomorrow!). Students will resume school on Wednesday 29 January 2020. We look forward to seeing our Year 1 to Year 6 students on this first day. Our Kindergarten students will begin Big School on Monday 3 February after their Best Start Assessments have been conducted.

As this will be the final newsletter for 2020, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support throughout the year. I wish you and your families a happy and safe holiday. Merry Christmas!! I hope Santa is good to you!!

Enjoy your week

Mr Tim Fisher

November Citizens of the Month

Congratulations to our outstanding November Citizens of the month Abbey, Maia, Isaac and Jayden.

Thank you for displaying kindness, respect for our school, peers and teachers and for being friendly and happy students.



CO-OPERATION - RESPECT - EFFORT - RESPONSIBILITY

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Events Calendar 2019

Date	Title
22/11/2019	PSSA Round 4
26/11/2019	Year 6 into 7 Parents Information Evening
29/11/2019	PSSA Round 5
3/12/2019	Yr7 2020 Orientation Day
3/12/2019	Stage One Showcase
4/12/2019	Wicked at WHS
9/12/2019	Stage 2 Showcase
10/12/2019	Jamberoo Y6
11/12/2019	P&C Meeting
11/12/2019	Presentation Day
16/12/2019	Year 6 Farewell
16/12/2019	Reports Go Home
18/12/2019	Last Day of Term 4 for Students
29/01/2020	Students Return to School

Calendar subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances.

Please visit the website to view all events, permission notes and information.

<https://woonona-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

Uniform Shop Opening Hours Term 4
Tuesday 2:30pm - 3:15pm (odd weeks)
Friday 8:30am - 9:30am

Uniform Shop Opening Hours Term 1, 2020

Tuesday 28 January 8:30-9:30am

Wednesday 29 January 8:30-9:30am

and every Friday 8:30-9:15am during term.

All online orders made by 8:00pm Monday 27 January will be filled on Tuesday 28 January.

Every week during term, online orders made by 8:00pm Thursday will be filled on Fridays.

Canteen

Woonona Public School

CANTEEN MENU

TERM 2 2019

YOUR CANTEEN IS RUN ENTIRELY BY VOLUNTEERS

Themed Days

- **Baked Potato Monday \$4.00**
 - Ham & Cheese OR Mexican (meat-free)
- **Pizza Tuesday \$4.00**
 - Canteen-made
 - Ham & Pineapple OR Ham & Cheese
- **Super Sushi Wednesday**
 - Various flavours available
 - See QuickCliq for options and prices
- **Pizza Thursday \$4.00**
 - Canteen-made
 - Cheese OR BBQ Chicken
- **Burger Friday \$4.50**
 - Beef OR Chicken
 - Served with lettuce, tomato & cheese
 - Tomato or BBQ sauce optional

Order online...

www.quickcliq.com.au

It makes ordering lunches quick and easy!

NOTE: Cut off for orders is 9:00am on the day.

CANTEEN FOOD

Available over the counter and for ORDER

Fresh seasonal fruit - whole	\$0.70 each
Fresh fruit salad cup	\$2.00
Fresh fruit salad cup with yoghurt & granola	\$2.00
Fresh fruit salad cup with dairy-free yoghurt & granola	\$2.00
Frozen watermelon wedge	\$0.20
Toasties	\$0.50
- Bread with tomato paste & melted cheese	
Popcorn - Freshly air-popped	\$0.50
Cheerios in bag	\$0.50
Bread Sticks (grissini)	\$0.20

FRESHLY MADE TREATS

When available, over the counter ONLY

Freshly baked fruit muffins	\$1.00
Bliss Balls - 2 bliss balls for...	\$0.50
Other various canteen-made treats daily	

FROZEN TREATS

Available at lunch only, over the counter ONLY

Frozen watermelon wedge	\$0.20
Frozen fruit cups	\$0.20
- Frozen orange juice	
Large Fruit Cups	\$0.50
- apple & blackcurrent or apple	
Frozen Juicies	\$1.00
- Lemonade, Tropical, Wildberry or Orange	
Vanilla Ice Cream Cup	\$1.00

DRINKS

Available over the counter and for ORDER

Water 600ml	\$1.50
Flavoured Milk	\$2.00
- Chocolate or Strawberry	
Poppers (Juice Box)	\$1.50
Apple, Orange, Apple & Blackcurrent or Tropical	

Available over the counter ONLY

Warm or Cold Milo	\$1.00
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LUNCH

Available everyday for lunch - ORDER ONLY

HOT FOOD

Chicken Chippies - 3 pack	\$1.50
Chicken Chippies - 5 pack	\$2.50
Chicken Wrap	\$3.50
Flame-grilled chicken breast tender	
Optional lettuce and mayonnaise	
Sausage Roll	\$3.00
Sauce - tomato or BBQ	\$0.20
Beef Lasagne (GF)	\$3.00
Vegetable Lasagne (GF)	\$3.00
Macaroni & Cheese (GF)	\$3.00
Twista Pasta Bolognaise	\$3.00

SANDWICHES - all made on wholemeal bread

Bread - Includes 2 slices	\$1.00
Roll	\$1.50
Wrap	\$1.50
Toasted (sandwich press)	\$0.50
With butter	\$0.00
Without butter	\$0.00

Fillings

Vegemite	\$0.50
Honey	\$0.50
Cheese	\$1.00
Ham	\$1.00
Tuna	\$1.00
Chicken Flame Grilled Tender	\$1.50
Egg - boiled	\$1.00
Salad- choose 4 salad items	\$1.60
Lettuce	\$0.40
Cucumber	\$0.40
Carrot	\$0.40
Tomato	\$0.40
Beetroot	\$0.40
Mayonnaise	\$0.10



If you have any suggestions, ideas or you are able to volunteer please contact canteen admin at canteen@wppc.com.au. Please check the current roster regularly for any planned closures. This is sent weekly with the term planner or newsletter and is also on the Facebook parents page.



Please be aware that there are students in our school with allergies to nuts. We ask that you give consideration to voluntarily agreeing not to send nut products, in particular peanuts and peanut butter, to school.

Community News



Warrigal WALK, RUN, ROLL

WOLLONGONG HARBOUR
Sun 26 January 2020
aquathon.com.au/walk

ENTER NOW 4KM



THE SALVATION ARMY *Salvos* Kids in the Kitchen

A hands-on Cooking Program for kids in Years 3-6 in primary school

Run by The Salvation Army

REGISTER NOW
 For
Term 1, 2020
4th Feb—7th April

Places are limited each
 Term!

Tuesday 4-6pm

Kids will learn to cook:

- Bacon, Eggs & Toast
- Mini Pizzas
- Macaroni Cheese
- Chicken & Corn Soup
- Hamburgers
- Sausage & Vegie Rolls
- Chicken Noodle Stir Fry
- Sausage & Vegie's
- Spaghetti Bolognaise
- Fried Rice

Cnr Caldwell Ave & Meadow Street
 Tarrawanna.

Cost \$50 per school term

For more information or to
 register phone

4283 7331

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Come & try FootGolf

School holiday fun

FootGolf is ideal for all ages and played just like golf, but with a football being kicked over 9 holes. It's loads of fun and is ideal for a casual game, social, school groups, kids parties and team building activities.

- Bookings recommended ph: (02) 4283 5322
- Ages 5+
- Enclosed footwear (strictly no football boots) and t-shirts essential
- Bring your own ball or book ours

Cost
 Adult: \$14 • Under 16: \$9.50
 Pre-booked groups (10+): \$7.50 ea

Times
 Monday to Thursday, 3-6pm
 Sundays 12 noon - 6pm



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