

# WASSUP

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Term 4 | Week 8 | 3 December 2019

## Principal's Report

### Busy finish to the year

As is always the case, at this time of year, the next few days and weeks will be extremely busy. Year 6 will be coming and going, with the Year 6 to 7 transition day today, Jamberoo and Year 6 Farewell on the horizon, along with other whole school events. Further Showcases for certain stages, along with the K-6 Picnic Day, Stage 2 Choir Performance, the Talent Show and much more will certainly see the remaining time at school fly by. Please make sure that you are across the events that are occurring, as it will impact many students across the school. Information has been distributed to those students involved and can also be found on our school website.

### Presentation Day Assembly

Next Wednesday, 11 December, we will be holding our annual Presentation Day Assembly where we celebrate the 2019 successes of Woonona Public School with our school community. The Assembly begins at 9:30am and is being held in Woonona High School hall. For those students that are receiving an award, an invitation has been posted to families last week.

### Library

The bookshelves for our Library turned up last week, making for a very excited Ms Lake! The room is certainly starting to take shape now and looks great. The tough task now is putting thousands of books back onto shelves, but we are excited to say that we are on track for our Library to be up and operational for the beginning of the 2020 school year.

### 2020 School Leader Speeches

Congratulations to Ava, Tyler, Millie, Evie, Imogen, Sophie, Marlon, Jai, Austin, Joseph, Jack and Xavier for presenting such quality speeches in their pursuit of a school leader position for 2020. It was fantastic to listen to the students reflect on their positive experiences at Woonona Public School and the qualities and values they have learnt. The high standard of presentations certainly made the selection process very difficult. All 12 candidates would make outstanding school leaders and I wish them all the best. The 2020 School Leaders will be announced at our Presentation Day assembly.

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## Academically Gifted class visit

Last Monday I was invited to the Academically Gifted class at Scarborough Public School to see what the attending students had been learning throughout the year. After a modified version of Shakespeare's "Hamlet", families and principals were able to meet with the Year 5 students as they spoke about the great experience of the AG class. This year we had six students accepted into the class, the largest number of students from any school. Feedback from families and students was resoundingly positive. We look forward to again providing students with the opportunity to apply for this class in 2020.

## "WICKED"

Tomorrow, all students K-6 will be heading to watch "Wicked", a stage production performed by students of Woonona High School. The show will run from 12:00pm until just before 3:00pm, with students and staff returning before the end of the school day. If you are yet to return your note and money, please do so ASAP. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students to experience what will no doubt be a highly entertaining event.

## Bust The Dust Rain Dance - Friday 13 December

Next Friday, 13 December we will be holding a fundraising event called "Bust The Dust Rain Dance". Students are encouraged to wear blue (the colour of rain) for a gold coin donation. Throughout the day we will provide students with a fun opportunity to do a rain dance, in support of the struggling communities out in the country.

It certainly has been a scary start to the hotter time of year with devastating fires and dust storms impacting a great part of the state. Next Friday will be our way of joining with other schools from all over Australia to show our support for those who are currently experiencing extreme conditions.

## School Enrolments 2020

In order to have accurate numbers for next year, it is important to notify the school office if you know your child will not be returning to Woonona Public School next year (other than Year 6). This information helps us to plan for 2020.

Alternatively, if you know of friends or family members who intend to enrol their children in Woonona Public School in 2020, please ask them to contact the school office to fill in the necessary documentation.

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## Final P&C for 2019

Wednesday, 11 December, is our final P&C Meeting of the year and I would like to take this opportunity to thank our P&C for their outstanding achievements in 2019. You should be very proud of what you have been able to achieve for our school not only with the fantastic fundraising, but for the opportunities you provide for our students, staff and community on a regular basis. There is no “meeting” as such, but rather an end of year dinner at Headlands Hotel, beginning at 6:30pm.

## Reports go home Monday, 16 December

Reports happen twice per year at all public schools in NSW. Our staff have written extensive reports that cover all Key Learning Areas. These subjects have all been assessed through a range of techniques, with students abilities compared to relevant syllabus outcomes for each Stage of learning.

### Remember:

- \* Teachers plan teaching and learning programs using syllabuses developed by the NSW Education Standards Authority.
- \* The syllabuses describe standards that apply across the state for each learning area.
- \* Your child’s teacher uses their knowledge of syllabuses and knowledge of the children in their class to plan their teaching and learning programs.
- \* Teachers use their professional judgement, internal and external data gathering about each child’s achievement against the statewide standards to award the grade.

**If your child has achieved a sound on their report then he/she has achieved what is generally expected. If your child has achieved an outstanding or high then he/she has achieved more than is generally expected. If your child has achieved a basic or a limited, then he/she has not yet achieved what is generally expected compared to other children of a similar age.**

Enjoy your week

Mr Tim Fisher

# Woonona Public School

## 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 4, 2019

Every Friday 8:30am - 9:30am

Tuesday 10 December 2:30pm - 3:10pm

Online orders received by 8:00pm on Thursdays are filled each Friday.

## 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](http://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 & Blackcurrant 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

Vegetemite	\$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](mailto: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](http://aquathon.com.au/walk)

ENTER  
NOW

4KM

★★ 30 YEAR CELEBRATION ★★

## City of Wollongong

# Bikers Toy Run

Memorial Run  
for  
IVAN  
ZGELA

- 📍 Bike Expo Displays include:
  - Joe Crider - Motorcycle Tours
  - Australian Motorcycle Museum
  - City Coast Motorcycles
  - NSW Police
  - and more...
- 🎨 Free face painting
- 🏍️ Best dressed bike
- 👤 Best dressed rider
- 🎪 Free Jumping Castle
- 🏍️ Motorbikes arrive at 11am
- 🎤 Live entertainment by The Record Breakers
- 🎖️ 30 Year Memorial Patch available on the day to purchase
- 🎁 Bring an unwrapped gift or gift card for children up to 16 years of age

City of Wollongong Giving Tree and Bikers Toy Run support two Wollongong charities, St Vincent de Paul Society and Anglicare. The Giving Tree Appeal plays an essential part in helping make Christmas a special day for all children.

Bikers Information Only  
Departs: 10.30am sharp from The Shellharbour Club  
Bikes Contact: Jeff on 0406 490 191 or Mick on 0491 154 165 | Event Contact: Wollongong City Council on 4227 7111

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# Giving Tree Appeal

2019

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Unwrapped gifts or gift cards for children 0-16 years can be received until 17 December at:

- 📍 Wollongong Central Customer Service Centre Desk (Level 1 Crown)
- 📍 Council's Customer Service Area and Council Libraries
- 📍 The Central, UOW Innovation Campus
- 📍 Figtree Grove and Warrawong Plaza Customer Service Centre Desks
- 📍 iHub Visitors Information Centre
- 📍 Port Kembla Golf Club
- 📍 WAVE FM, Warrawong
- 📍 Novotel Northbeach
- 📍 Wests Illawarra

Event Contact: Wollongong City Council on 4227 7111 or [wollongong.nsw.gov.au/christmas](http://wollongong.nsw.gov.au/christmas)

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