Welcome to Week 8 South Wagga Bulletin.

On Monday we had our Stage 2 Girls’ Oz Tag team compete in the finals of the Trent Barrett shield. Well done to all the girls on their sportsmanship and effort on the day. Also well done to the boys who trialled for the Riverina Touch Team. Six South Wagga students made the team, which is a wonderful effort. Our rugby union boys’ team also achieved success winning the McTaggart Cup for the first time in the school’s history. Bad luck to the Netball girls who went down in a close game to Tumut on Thursday.

On Thursday this week, South Wagga received a visit from a well-known children’s author, Cameron Stelzer. From all accounts the students thoroughly enjoyed their time with him and picked up new skills to use in their writing. Cameron was impressed with how many students ordered his books and looks forward to another visit in the future.

Included in last week’s Bulletin was a note informing you about; Data collection on school students with disability-2014. You only needed to sign and return the note if you did not want your child to be included in the collection of data. A disability can be classed as: learning disability (eg. dyslexia), learning difference (eg. glasses) or a learning difficulty (eg. social).

Well done to the hard working ladies who provided a wonderful soup and bread day for the students and teachers of South Wagga on Tuesday. The soup was delicious and by the smiles on the children’s faces they thoroughly enjoyed it. We look forward to the next one, this Tuesday 24 June.

In the last week it has been pleasing to see no parents dropping their children off in the car park. I thank all parents for putting the safety of South Wagga students first.

Thanks
Helen Cooper
Relieving Principal

STOP PRESS
New date for Riverina Athletics Carnival in Albury is Thursday 31st July. (Term 3, Week 3)
Note Reminder
Footsteps starts Mon 21 July, cost $12.00.
Kinder Gym starts Tues 29 July at a cost of $40.00.
Stage 2 Swim Program starts Tues 29 July at a cost of $60.00.

Canteen Roster
Week 9 Term 2
Mon 23: Help Wanted
Tues 24: Soup Day
Wed 25: Jenny
Thur 26: Jess
Fri 27: Help Wanted

Canteen Closure Tuesdays
The SWPS Canteen is closed on Tuesdays.

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Cost for soup and bread is a gold coin. Great value for this winter warmer.

Please note that other canteen foods will not be sold on that day.

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1/2J: Otis Irvin—Effort in journal writing
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3/4H: Owen Whalan—Always working hard in maths
Eliza Ross—Demonstrating deep thinking during reading groups
3/4L: Luke Barnhill—Commitment to learning
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3/4P: Amelia Mathews—Meaningful & well thought out Aboriginal art
Joseph Cole—On task in maths
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Empathy and Listening in KF

Here you can see how connected we are with our learning. We show empathy to each other and look after our friends when they need our help, both with their learning and when they are hurt. We concentrate by actively listening to Mr Ford and to our class mates. Here we are listening to one of Dr Cameron Stelzer new books.

Wagga Wagga PSSA Athletics Carnival

Last Friday, the SWPS Athletics team competed in the WWPSSA Athletics Carnival at Jubilee Park. The weather was not very favourable as it was cold and rainy the entire day. SWPS students put in many great performances on the day with the following students qualifying for the Riverina PSSA carnival in Albury on Monday:


As well as these individual performers, we also had our Junior girls and Senior boys relay teams qualify. Well done to all of these competitors. Unfortunately these great performances weren’t enough for SWPS to win the overall competition which was taken out by Kooringal PS.

Riverina PSSA Cross Country

Tuesday 10 June, three SWPS students travelled to Deniliquin to compete in the Riverina PSSA Cross Country carnival. This is a very competitive event with many great runners coming from all across the Riverina. Our students performed very well, achieving the following results:

- 11 yr Girls – Meg Senior 22nd (An improvement of 15 places on her previous best)
- 11yr Boys – Luke Fellows 5th
- 12/13 yr Boys – Zac Barnhill 6th

Luke and Zac’s results were good enough for them to qualify to represent the Riverina team at the NSW PSSA Cross Country in Sydney. Well done to all three of our competitors and their excellent achievements.

Last Excursion with Mr Ford to Canberra

We started from SWPS at 7.00am and then headed to Canberra. We reached Questacon at 10.30am and we all went exploring the interactive display. There was a different theme in every room and the human Robot and THE GIANT SLIDE were the big attractions. We ate lunch beside Lake Burley Griffin. What a beautiful view!

We then travelled to The National Dinosaur Museum. It’s a fantastic place to learn about dinosaurs and includes those found in Australia.

We all had a fabulous day and realised how much fun science is.

A very big thanks to Mr Ford and thank you for the many years of service to the science club at SWPS.

Mahek Jain 3/4L
**Community News**

**DINNER WITH LEX MARINOS**
Friday 4 July 2014, 6.30 pm start at THE COMMERCIAL CLUB, 77 Gurwood St, Wagga Wagga.
Tickets $50 from Collins Booksellers.
Phone 6921 8933

Lex Marinos is best known for his performances in Kingswood Country and, more recently, The Slap, as well as dozens of films and countless stage productions.

**AFL HOLIDAY CAMP - WAGGA**
Mater Dei Primary Hall, Plunkett Drive Wagga.
Thur 3 July, 2014, 9.30am to 3.00pm
Cost: $50.00 = morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea, AFL Pack, AFL skills & games - delivered by AFL staff.

To register contact AFL Wagga:
Karen Suckling (P) 5924 4600 (E) karen.suckling@aflnswact.com.au

**NRL HOLIDAY CLINICS**
This holidays we are running a large amount of Clinics, please follow the link below to find a clinic near you!!!

- **Paramore Park, Wagga Wagga**
  - 2nd July 9.30am – 11.30am Boys & Girls 5-9yrs $30 Link
  - 2nd July 1.00pm – 3.00pm Boys 10-13yrs $30 Link

http://www.playnrl.com/get-involved/play/find-a-holiday-clinic/

**The Child Dental Benefit Scheme**
provides dental services for children aged 2-17yrs.
The benefit is capped at $1000/child over 2 yrs and is available to families who receive Family Tax Benefit Part A.
If you would like to arrange a check up for your child under this scheme then please contact Greenapple Dentistry on 6921 6488.

**NSW Sport and Recreation**
have a number of fun and exciting holiday camps for kids aged 5-16 years.
For information contact:
Sport and Recreation
T 13 13 02
E sportrec@communities.nsw.gov.au

**Prostate Cancer Awareness Day**
On the 27th June, it is Prostate Cancer Awareness Day. On Monday 23rd, Tuesday 24th, Wednesday 25th and Thursday 26th June, Jacob and I will be selling some merchandise to support the day. These items include Pens for $1 each and Metal Ribbons for $1.50 each. All funds go towards the Wagga Wagga Prostate Cancer Support Group (WWPCSG). This will also be a Blue Mufti Day so wear anything blue! My grandfather has prostate cancer and he would love it if we could raise awareness starting at SWPS!

Thanks
Isaac Cornell, Minister for Functions.

**Pie Drive**
The SWPS P & C is running a Pie Drive again this year. Order form is attached to this week’s Bulletin and should be returned with your payment to the school office by Tuesday 15th July – the first day after the July holidays. Please make cheques payable to the SWPS P & C and encourage your extended family and friends to place an order. Your support for the Pie Drive is appreciated as all profits are used by the P & C to help fund school projects and events such as excursions, equipment and library resources.

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**South Wagga Public School App!**
Our app is available on both Apple and Android platforms and is ready for you to download free of charge from the Apple App Store, and Google Play store. For security purposes we have password protected the app:
Username: community Password: southwaggaps

**Making bread rolls for our Soup Day**

**RANK** | **TIPPER** | **AFL** | **NRL** | **TOTAL**
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3 | The Carroll Clan | 78 | 68 | 146
4 | Evan Robertson | 74 | 71 | 145
5 | Ezza | 76 | 68 | 144
6 | Principal Smith | 73 | 70 | 143
7 | Judd | 75 | 65 | 140
8 | Cornell Boys | 72 | 66 | 138
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18 | Seniors | 66 | 60 | 126
19 | Reuben Heine | 66 | 56 | 122
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21 | Max&Chewie | 61 | 53 | 114
22 | Crevatin Family | 58 | 44 | 102

http://www.playnrl.com/get-involved/play/find-a-holiday-clinic/
South Wagga Public School Fundraising Pie Drive    Supplied by: Dosser’s Quality Bakery P/L

Name: _______________________________ Phone Number: __________________________

Child’s Name and Class: ________________________________

Distribution Date (Cross Out Date Not Applicable): Thursday 24th July or Friday 25th July 2014

Please indicate preferred Distribution Method (Cross Out Method Not Applicable):
Collection from School Hall / Sent Home with your Child / Other (please provide details):

Return order form with full payment by: Tuesday 15th July 2014 to SWPS Office. Please make cheques payable to South Wagga Public School P&C Assoc.

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Thank you for supporting the Pie Drive.