Welcome to the Week 3 South Wagga School Bulletin

I would like to start this week’s Bulletin with congratulations to the following students who were elected by the students to the Student Parliament for 2015. Minister for Education: Oliver James, Ministers for the Environment: Luke Fellows and Lachie Fitzhenry, Minister for Safety: Josephine Wakeling, Minister for Functions: Alex Read, Minister for Health: Inigo Bardos, Minister for Recreation – Ethan Weidemann.

I am certain that they will all fulfil their duties to the highest level and represent the students to the very best of their ability at all times.

This week has seen the Parent Information Nights take place for all classes. The nights were well attended and supported by the parents. Parents who were unable to attend the sessions can contact their child’s teacher for a copy of the information sheet handed out on the night.

Next Wednesday 16 students (8 boys and 8 girls) along with Mrs Shaw and myself will be attending the middle session of the Sheffield Shield cricket match being played at Robertson Oval, during the lunch break in the cricket game the students will be playing a game of modified cricket. It should be a great opportunity for the students to see some quality cricket and hopefully meet some of the NSW team.

Next Friday the Stage 3 students will be travelling to Borambola to take part in team building activities as part of their Personal Development curriculum. The day is always a very rewarding day for all participants and staff. My great disappointment is that I will not be able to attend the day this year as I will be attending a Wagga Wagga Principal’s meeting.

In closing I would like to congratulate all the parents who have taken my advice in last week’s bulletin with regard to crossing at the lights on Edward Street and staying out of the car park with their children. Keep up the great example to your children.

Until next week

Greg
Achievement Awards

**KG:** Arthur Ruwald—Always being ready to learn

**KJ:** Fletcher Bradley—A great start to Kindergarten

**CA:** Caleb Warild—A happy start to Kindergarten

**1J:** Angus Banks—An awesome effort at Stage 1 swimming

**1R:** Yasiru Perera—Great organisation with home readers

**2D:** Marvel Rorrison—Always being a delight

**2H:** Olivia Clarke—Challenging herself to have a go at everything

**3/4C:** Abby Henman—Participating in class discussion

**3/4P:** Masyn Pavitt—Enthusiasm and attitude

**5/6B:** Merissa Smith—Her great sense of humor

**5/6C:** Harriet Soanes—Discovering meanings of words

**5/6S:** Saffron Robertson—Neat and organised work

**Library:** Lilly Benson 1J, Annabelle Barnhill 3/4L

Special Awards: Ginger Lyons 1R

How 2 Learn Awards

**KG:** Jax Knight—Managing distractions

**KJ:** Gus Reyment—Listening to instructions carefully

**1J:** Jesse Steed—Displaying perseverance at Stage 1 swimming

**1R:** Marlee Richards—Helpfulness and leadership

**2D:** Otis Irvin—Being a great team member

**2H:** Jacinta Bracken—Starting to ask for help and be resilient

**3/4C:** Cameron Measday—Being absorbed in her learning

**3/4P:** Ellesha Macaulay—Perseverance and resilience

**5/6B:** Charlie Quinn—Maturity in class

**5/6C:** Carter Diessel—Perseverance in class

**5/6S:** Milla Daly—Empathy and listening and (Great reading teacher)

Special Awards: Blaine Middleton 1J

Volunteers

Help Wanted in Canteen Friday’s.

We are always looking for help in the canteen anytime you can offer. Come and enjoy a chat, a cuppa and meet new people.

Our canteen environment is warm and friendly, not to mention our outstanding students.

Please contact the school office.

Foundation Day

Tuesday 24 February

Sausage Sizzle

$2— sausage sandwich

$2— chicken sausage

$1— fruit box

The canteen will be closed for any other food, except crunches and sunny boys.

Order forms attached.

REMINDERS

Stage 1 Swim Program - $60

Notes & money overdue

Stage 3 Borambola - $50

Notes & money overdue

Stage 3 T-Shirt - $33

Notes & money due Mon 23 Feb.

Health Kids Fruit Slushies available-$2.00

Stage 3 Borambola - $50

Notes & money overdue

Stage 3 T-Shirt - $33

Notes & money due Mon 23 Feb.

Canteen Roster

Week 4 Term 1

Mon 16: Tracey

Tues 17: CLOSED

Wed 18: Tracey

Thur 19: Tracey

Fri 20: Jenny

LOL’s are available from the canteen, they are approved by the Healthy Kids Association.
This week 3/4P have been learning about how we can collaborate with each other to enhance our own learning. We have discussed what it takes to be an effective group member, how to listen and respect other students' opinions - even when they differ from our own!!! We are beginning to become confident in sharing our ideas and are enjoying learning with others.

This week in Spelling we collaborated with each other during a variety of hands-on activities to practise our words including writing with wet paintbrushes on the walls, using magnetic letters and scrabble tiles, finding our spelling words in music books, writing poems, singing and miming our words.

REMINDER - Online Payments

Payments for the South Wagga P & C Association, for Fundraising, Fete, Canteen, Special Lunch and Mufti Days, Chocolate Drives, Calendars cannot be paid in by the Parent Online Payments as they hold different bank accounts.

Please pay cash for small amounts of less than $5.00 eg mufti days, events, Cross Country, Swimming Carnival and Athletics Carnivals.

Student Information, Medical and General Permission to Publish Forms

Forms were given out yesterday and are to be returned as soon as possible. These forms contain information of vital importance in emergency situations or when students become ill while at school. The emergency contact information is vital especially if a student is predisposed to situations such as asthma attacks, or allergic reactions.
Northcott Fundraising Committee invites all Bookworms to join us at a Literary Dinner with veteran political journalist, Barrie Cassidy when he introduces his new book, *Private Bill: In Love and War* in which he shares the private battles of his father, a WWII prisoner of war, and his mother, Myra, who, believing her husband dead, was also a prisoner of sorts with her own secrets.

**IT’S ON AGAIN! WAGGA’S MONSTER GARAGE SALE**

Saturday 28th February 2015 - 7am to 3pm
Thousands of items all at bargain prices
Books, Clothes, Furniture, BBQ, Coffee shop, Bric-a-brac, Valuables, Cakes, Plants, Toys, Shoes, Silent Auction, Car wash, Camping & Sports Gear … AND SO MUCH MORE
Don’t miss out. 154 TARCUTTA ST WAGGA Phone 0409 607 657

Girls MiniRoos Soccer/Football Competition
Girls can now participate in the hugely popular MiniRoos Football.
Two age divisions: Under 8/9 and Under 10/11 combined.
Girls turning 7 and older are eligible to participate. Games will be played @ 1pm on Saturdays at Duke of Kent fields.
Please contact Jenni Riethmuller (mother of Nina 3/4P) on 0421277717 if your daughter is interested in playing in this competition.

**PLAY RUGBY—Wagga Crows Jnr Rugby Union**
**2015 Information and Registration Days**
Sat 28 March, 10am to 2pm — Sportsmans Warehouse
Sat 2 May, 10am to 2pm — Farmers Home Hotel
Come and “Try Rugby/Training—Wed 5-6pm Mar 25, Apr 1, 22, 29 & May 6. Conolly Rugby Complex. Under 7s, 9s, 11s, 13s, & 15s Friday Night Rugby SIRU Fortnightly Sunday Gala Days, Training: All players welcome to attend.
For more info Tim Sides 0437 295 387 or www.waggajuniors.rugbynet.com.au

**“Physie”**
With the Wagga Wagga Physical Culture Club
Have you tried Physie yet?
“Physie” is all about health, fitness, fun and friendships and offers dance & choreographed exercise routines to music.
It’s a fun Dance Sport for girls from 3 years to ladies of all ages!
It’s time for a healthy start Physie way!!
NEW MEMBERS—FIRST LESSON FREE!
Phone 0402 236 857 for further information

**PCYC KidzCare offers After School Care (3-6pm)& Vacation Care (8:30am – 5:30pm)**
For Children in years Kinder to Yr 6. We offer a range of structured and free play activities, homework, social, sports, arts and crafts that vary daily.
Call Hannah on 0400 090 155, waggacc@pcycnsw.org.au, or drop in and see us at 228 Gurwood St Wagga Wagga

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