



Wallaby Flyer

The newsletter for Wallabadah Public School & its community

“Excellence in Learning”



Term 4 - Week 3 — 1st November, 2024

Musica Viva

On Monday we were extremely lucky to have the musicians from Musica Viva come to visit Wallabadah Public School. It was a wonderful performance that all of the children really enjoyed.



MUSIC IN MY SUITCASE

We would like to welcome the Litchfield family to Wallabadah Public School. Kenzie, Maycee and Carter all started at school this week.



A very big congratulations to Henry Rees, Troy Balint and Cheyenne Fardell who were awarded prizes at the Blackville Art Show. Henry was awarded 1st prize in the K-2

section, Troy placed 2nd in the 3-6 section and Cheyenne placed 3rd in the 3-6 section. What a fantastic achievement.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy birthday to Owen who celebrated his birthday this week.



Kindergarten Orientation.
Wednesday 13th November—9:30am 3:15pm

COMING UP EVENTS IN WALLABADAH.

- 5th November, 2024 - Wallabadah Branch of Red Cross meeting at 11 am followed by Melbourne Cup luncheon at the Wallabadah Hotel.
- 8th November, 2024 - Meat Raffle at the Wallabadah Hotel
- 12th November, 2024 - Wallabadah Playgroup – Wallabadah Community Hall – 10am -12 noon.
- 15th November, 2024 - Meat Raffle at the Wallabadah Hotel
- 16th November, 2024 – Felt Making at the ArtShack, Wilgabah
- 17th November, 2024 – Ceramic/Clay plate & ornaments making at Art-Shack, Wilgabah.
- 26th November, 2024 - Wallabadah Playgroup – Wallabadah Community Hall – 10am -12 noon.
- 29th November, 2024 - Meat Raffle at the Wallabadah Hotel
- 5th December, 2024 - Wallabadah Red Cross Branch selling [Christmas Hamper](#) Raffle at IGA
- 6th December, 2024 - Meat Raffle at the Wallabadah Hotel
- 10th December, 2024 - Wallabadah Playgroup – Wallabadah Community Hall – 10am -12 noon.
- 13th December, 2024 - Meat Raffle at the Wallabadah Hotel
- 14th December, 2024 – Wallabadah Community Christmas Party – venue & time to be announced.
- 20th December, 2024 - Wallabadah Red Cross Branch selling Christmas Hamper Raffle at IGA
- 20th December, 2024 - Meat Raffle at the Wallabadah Hotel

If you know of any events coming up in your community, someone who is having a big birthday – e.g. 75th, 80th, 100th or an important wedding anniversary such as 50th, 60th or 70th or, there is something important that you would like to be included in the Wallabadah Roundup just email this through to me on glynis.wheeler@bigpond.com so it can be printed. Also, to welcome new comers to the Village

Peaceful Parents 4 week workshop



Parents discover strategies for themselves...

- Mindfulness strategies
- Slowing life down & being more in Flow
- Enjoying parenting more & reducing stress
- Resilience building exercises & strategies
- Mindful parenting strategies
- Self Care & Wellbeing Boosters
- Positive psychology strategies to boost wellbeing

And to support their children...

- Mindful listening & responding
- Effective Coping Strategies
- Managing children's feelings & worries
- Problem Solving strategies



Dates:
4 Thursday's
21st Nov, 28th Nov, 5th Dec & 12th Dec 2024
(Note: You need to be able to attend all 4 workshops to receive a completion certificate)

Time:
10am-12noon

Where:
TFSS 'Jumbuck' Office
62 Gunnedah Rd, West Tamworth.
Transport within Tamworth and Childminding available on request.

Please register by scanning the QR Code and completing the form or by calling 1800 073 388



Reminders/Save the Date

- Monday 4th November– 3-6 excursion , please arrive at school at no later than 5:45am.
- Wednesday 6th November– Healthy Harold for K-2.
- Thursday 7th November– K-2 excursion to Newcastle, please arrive at school no later than 6:15am.
- ASCA Examinations–Thursday 14th November. Payments are due Monday 11th November.
- Wednesday 13th November–Kindergarten Orientation 'Open Day in our beautiful oasis'.



ABOUT US

Farming for Kids Inc. – Liverpool Plains Charity

- Mission: Support children's health and well-being in Liverpool Plains Shire (NSW), where there is a clear need for assistance
- Founded: December 2013 by Charles Hill and local farmers.
- Funding: Grow and sells crops on leased land near Quirindi airport.
- Achievements: Over \$260,000 donated to local children and schools.
- Operations:
 - o All crop costs donated by farmers and contractors.
 - o Partnerships with local businesses for chemicals, fertilizers, and marketing.

FUNDING GUIDELINES

- Aims: Clearly address the first four aims of FFK; Emergency/Compassionate requests need only meet the first aim.
- Eligibility: Requests can come from educational institutions, community groups, organizations, or individuals.
- Need Identification: Specify a community need related to Farming for Kids' rationale.
- Budget & Plan: Include a detailed budget and project plan.
- Contribution: Demonstrate significant contributions (cash, materials, volunteer hours). If not possible, show significant need.
- Fund Usage: Grant funds must be used for the specified project within the timeframe. Prior approval is needed for any changes.
- Acknowledgment: Recognize Farming for Kids in promotional materials and reports.
- Reporting: Submit a brief report and expenditure statement at project completion. Projects over six months require progress reports every three months.
- Staffing: Grants typically do not cover staff salaries; they should support existing services rather than create new ones.
- Consultation: Discuss applications with the Farming for Kids Committee.
- Funding Limitations: Show that external funding is limited and that FFK funds won't replace existing services.

FUNDING AIMS

- To support children/students in need from the Liverpool Plains Shire Council (LPSC) area.
- To directly support children from the LPSC area in their capacity to access an equitable and successful education at all stages.
- To improve the quality of life, independence and wellbeing of children within the LPSC area through the productive use of appropriate Farming for Kids assets.
- To promote the importance of farming to our community and the national economy.
- To support and partner with other community organisations to achieve the above aims and rationale.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Form: Use the Farming for Kids Inc. Grant Application Form [Click here – or go to www.farmingforkids.org](#)
- Submission: Email completed applications to info@farmingforkids.org
- Attachments: Include any necessary additional information and supporting documents.
- Timing: Applications can be submitted anytime; to be considered at the next committee meeting, submit two weeks in advance. Meeting dates are on the website homepage.
- Guidance: A video demonstration for completing the application is [available here](#). Or on our FB page.

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Wallabadah Public School 2024—Term 4

WEEK:	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT/SUN
Week 4 November	4 3-6 excursion	5 3-6 excursion	6 3-6 excursion Healthy Harold	7 K-2 excursion	8 General Assembly	9/10