



Wallaby Whisper

The newsletter for Wallabadah Public School and its community.

“Excellence in Learning”

Term 3, Week 7 ~ 29th August, 2014

We look smart in our full school uniform.

It was great to see everyone in FULL school uniform yesterday on morning assembly!! Ties and badges! Well done Wallabadah.

The staff and I have noticed a number of children who have been a little slack with their appearance as the odd jumper has been creeping in and coloured joggers also.

We realise the season is still cold, and some children have “sprung up” quickly over the last few weeks, but the P&C does have an excellent uniform pool with lots of stock both second hand and brand new. Please let Mrs Barnett know if you want to have a look.



We take a great deal of pride in how we look, so wearing the full school uniform each day is an important part of Wallabadah Public School.

We believe that wearing school uniforms develops a sense of belonging and community in our school. It contributes to a safer school community because the students enrolled at the school can be readily identified.

Congratulations to our Touch Football team who have made it through to the State carnival to be held in Sydney on Thursday 18th September. Mrs Godden was extremely pleased with your sportsmanship and overall performance on the day. There will be a meeting early next week deciding on parent involvement for this event.

Christopher Jackson
Principal

Small school “BIG” Opportunities!

Coming Events

TERM 3 **September**

Musica Viva 'Makukuhan'	2 nd
Goldilocks Rocks	4 th
Chess (Tamworth)	5 th
Sydney Excursion	8-11 th
Dubbo Excursion	9 th
P & C meeting	15 th
Life Education van	17 th
Last day of term 3	19 th

Lunch Orders

Thank you Megan Hall for making lunches this week. Delores Nankivell is rostered on for lunches on Monday 1st September.

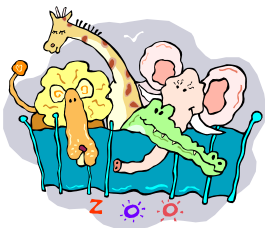


Wallaby Awards

Congratulations to Alanamae Abbott-Blundell for receiving her first Wallaby Award and Sophie Tacon for receiving her second. Well done girls!

Touch Football Meeting

There will be a parent meeting next Tuesday, 2nd September at 3:30pm. Please come along to the meeting because we need to make a decision about the finals in Sydney.



Sydney and Dubbo Excursions

I bet all the children are getting super excited about our major excursions in week 9. Not long now! Please ensure permission notes and final payments are returned before **Wednesday 3rd August.**



Thank you

We would like to thank Mrs Dawn Cronin for always going above and beyond. Due to Mrs Cronin's kindness and generosity a substantial amount of money was raised from the raffle she organised. The beautiful quilt she made, was won by Mrs Peggy McBeth. A large amount was taken from the Sydney excursion and the K-2 Dubbo trip. Thank you Mrs Cronin.



Touch Football/Art Excursion

Congratulations Super Touch Football players! What a wonderful excursion we had on Tuesday in Tamworth. It was a great sporting event to be part of. We began our day with a superb match played against Niangla PS. After a very close game we had a victory of 4-3. The try scorers were Jock(2), Brodie and Sienna. The seniors took on an amazing leadership role and guided our enthusiastic team through their very first touch football match and victory. Well done.



After such an exhilarating match we headed over to Bicentennial park for lunch before heading to Tamworth Regional Art Gallery to observe this months textile exhibition. Miss Armstrong, the education officer, lead us around the exhibit, giving us amazing details about how and why the artists created their work that is on show. We witnessed artworks that were stitched, woven, sewn, felted and constructed using a huge variety of materials. There was a large variety of recycled art which excited and inspired our budding artists. Every piece was astounding, and demonstrated the new and exciting form of contemporary textile art.

I would like to give a huge thank you to Mrs Barnett and Mrs Cronin for taking the students to Tamworth. We really appreciate your support. It was definitely a highlight of my teaching career.

Mrs Godden



A 3-6 assembly was held this week. Hosts were Sienna Cronin and Joshua Hall.



Awards

K-1-2 Class

Brian Stocks for beginning to recognise addition patterns in Maths.

Natalie Payne for improvement in fluency when reading.

Emily Dent for giving 100% in relay training!

Mrs Roseby

Joshua Hall for working well in Science.

Mrs Kemble

Breanna Young for commitment to reading at home.

3-5-6 Class

Quaydan Effer for great results in spelling this week.

Eve Porter for excellent results in Maths mental. Well done!

STOP, THINK, DO

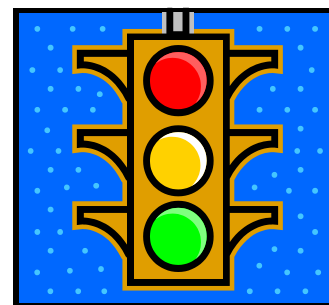
Rule of the Week

Listen to the Mediators – they are here to help you.

Awards

Sophie Tacon for being a caring friend.

Emily Dent for being a good friend.



Wallaby Week Ahead Term 3, 2014

Focus Week: "Electricity Week"

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<u>WEEK 8</u>	Muscia Viva @ Murrurundi		Goldilocks Rocks	Chess (Tamworth)
	Touch Football meeting 3:30pm			K-2 Assembly



Register Now for Quick Kicks

A fun, relaxed football experience for **GIRLS ONLY** aged 5-12 commencing in Term 4! All skill levels are welcome and you **receive a free ball and a unique design Quick Kicks jersey.**

Registrations open 1st August so visit www.quickkicks.com.au to find a centre near you.



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