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From the Principal

Term 2 Week 2

It has been a settled start to Term 2 and all students are ready and eager for future learning opportunities. Great things will be happening in Term 2 with NAPLAN online for Year 3 and 5, Swim School for Special needs students, Cultural Continuum excursions for Aboriginal students in Year 2, 3 and 4, Rumbalara environmental education excursions for Stage 2, Interrelate sessions for Stage 3, National Simultaneous Storytime day, the school athletics carnival, Zone cross country, semester one reports going out, a P&C run Disco, Mother's day and celebrations for NAIDOC week. It is looking very exciting already with all the programs running in classrooms as well.

Staff development day

The Staff development day on Monday 29th April 2019 saw staff engage in professional learning around the annual milestones for our school, NAPLAN online requirements and procedures, the Fun Friends program and professional accreditation requirements for all teachers.

ANZAC March and School Service

Thank you so much for the 33 students who participated in the Woy Woy ANZAC March on 25th April. We are very proud of you. It was a very hot day but Mrs Ceaser, Mrs Williams and Ms McLean have reported that our Woy Woy Public School students were impeccably behaved and attentive. A true tribute to those who serviced our country, allowing it to be the beautiful free place it is today. The children who participated will receive a special certificate at our P-6 Assembly this Thursday. Well done School Leaders and everyone who attended!

A school ANZAC service was held last Tuesday 30th April. As in previous years the 'National Service 1951-72 Re-enactment Unit' came to co run the service with our school leaders. Again our students are to be commended on their behaviour and respect for the ANZAC memorial. Lest We Forget!

NAPLAN

Year 3 and 5 students will sit the NAPLAN online this year and have sat a practice online assessment. Year 3 will still do the Writing component with pencil and paper as they are still developing the necessary typing skills to be able to complete this task by computer online. Our school is able to do NAPLAN online due to our very well equipped computer lab. It is hoped that in 2020 all schools will be able to complete NAPLAN online. The timetable for NAPLAN for our students is attached for your information. We wish all Year 3 and 5 students, good luck and we know that we will all support their wellbeing during this time. Lots of healthy food, good sound sleep, encouragement and love. Let them know it is okay to make mistakes but that it is also important to have a go. NAPLAN is designed to see what children know. Results tell us where learning gaps appear so they can be well supported in the future. Completing tests of knowledge at anytime can be somewhat stressful but I believe it is going to be a lot more fun doing it on the computer because that is the world our children belong to and communicate through.

Staff update for term 2

I will be going on leave from 20th May Term 2 until 12 August Term 3. During my absence Mr Dan Betts will step up to relieve as Principal of Woy Woy Public School. This is a position Mr Betts has done many times before and I am confident the school will be in expert hands. An expression of interest for Mr Betts's role of student wellbeing Assistant Principal off class has gone out to all staff and this position will be determined next week.

Mrs Melinda Berg, the face of our front office is no longer with us. Mrs Berg has taken leave to travel and enjoy life with her family and will retire from the Department of Education later on in the year. She will be very much missed being part of the Woy Woy Public School staff for over 20 years. Mrs Berg leaves big shoes to fill. She is such a friendly, caring, organised and efficient person. Always someone's go to when they needed to know something. We wish Mrs Berg great travel adventures, lots of happiness and memories made with her grandchildren after a long life of working and bringing up her family, at last time to relax. We will miss you very much. A huge thank you from all of us at Woy Woy Public School for all you have done for our school.

Welcome to Mrs Sharon Quinlan who will join our wonderful team of School Administrative Officers for the rest of 2019, working alongside Mrs Kathlyn Fletcher and Mrs Sandra Tuthill. Mrs Quinlan has worked in many schools on the Central Coast and is a very welcome addition to our front office staff.

Family information updates

It is really important that you update the school with any changes to your contact details or family care arrangements. The school needs to know current family arrangements in order to keep your child safe and happy and know just who to contact in case of a concern or emergency. The school should be supplied with the most up to date document copies of sensitive issues around Family Law Court arrangements at all times. Please support your child with this very important information.

Looking after belongings

Just a reminder that the weather is cooling down and extra clothing for warmth is required. Please check that all your child's property (lunch boxes and drink bottles) and clothing items that they take off during the day (hats, jackets and jumpers) are clearly named so they can be returned if they become lost. Regularly check the lost property if things go missing.

Have a fantastic Term 2 and I will be looking forward to seeing you all again in mid Term 3

Ona Buckley Principal

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) Weeks 1 & 2

This week teachers have been teaching their students about the importance of 'Being Responsible' when using their own equipment and/or equipment that belongs to other people. Discussions will concentrate on caring for belongings and keeping items clean from scribble or graffiti. Students who successfully demonstrate positive behaviours in keeping their shared and individual belongings in good working order, will be rewarded with Win Bin tickets and stars on their Star Charts.

Parents and carers are encouraged to discuss PBL expectations with their children. If you have any questions related to the school's PBL program or about student wellbeing policies and practices, please direct them to either myself or Ms Buckley.

Mr Dan Betts
Assistant Principal (Student Wellbeing)

Anzac Day

On Tuesday 30 April 2019 Woy Woy Public School commemorated ANZAC Day with a special assembly. Our school leaders reminded us of the sacrifices made by those during war times and the RSL Reenactment troupe shared their personal experiences.







Share The Dignity





Homeless women need your help

There are over 85,000 women that will need our help this year.

On any given night in Australia, 1 in 200 people are homeless. 44% are female. 27% are children under the age of 18. Family violence is the number one reason people present to homeless services. 55% of females cite this reason. We need your donation.

All monies donated will help with sanitary products to Share The Dignity so that she does not need to choose between food and dignity.

Woy Woy Primary School women will be holding their Mother's Day Dignity afternoon Tea to help raise money for this much needed cause. Our afternoon tea will be held on Thursday 16th May between the times of 2–4pm in our School Hall. Mothers, grandparents, aunties and significant women in our school community are kindly invited.

Please come join us help make a difference as KIND HEARTED PEOPLE like you. Your small act of kindness gives monthly dignity to Australia's most vulnerable women.

Home Reading

Home Reading has commenced. Each Stage 1 student should be reading for at least 10 minutes per night. This can include a mix of home readers and quality literature, and consist of parent reading, student reading and reading together. For helpful information on supporting your child during home reading (including building comprehension), please follow the links below:

https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/going-to-a-public-school/translated-documents/reading-with-your-child-at-home

https://www.det.nsw.edu.au/eppcontent/glossary/app/resource/factsheet/5402.pdf

If you are able to assist in changing home readers please see your child's teacher.

Aspire Home Reading



Congratulations to the following student who have reached their 25, 50 & 75 nights of home reading!

25 Nights

David Johnston 5/6R (33 nights), Nate Speechley 1CP, Mia Paciano 1CP, Phoebe Van Der Neut 1CP, Teigan Semark KB, Sarrinah Shafi KB, Talitha Siu KB, Imogen Strong KB, Magnus Mykas KB, Leo Omura 3/4B, Thomas Conquest 3/4B, Lucia Jian 3/4B, Zoe McAdam 3/4B and Felix Adshead 3/4B

50 Nights

Joey Timbs K-1M, Rylee Stait 5/6H, Gabriella Potestas 5/6H, Mira Kaassamany 5/6R, James Dukes 3/6O, Ziva Brannigan 1CP, Tyson Lowe 1CP, Amelia Pitchers 1CP, Jack Sainty 1CP, Nate Speechley 1CP, Lola Keating 1CP, Phoebe Van Der Neut 1CP, Hannah Greenwood KB, Grace Schweinsberg KB, Ben Anderson KB, Caleb Anderson KB, Rory Muldoon KB, Taylor Wols KB, Thomas Bernie KB, Lucia Jian 3/4B and Leo Omura3/4B

75 Nights

Talen Higgisson 5/6R, Joey Timbs K1M, Ziva Brannigan 1CP, Tyson Lowe 1CP and Jaxon Malloy KB

Library News

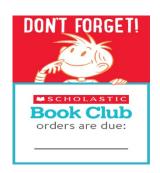
Library News

Book Club issue 3 is out now. Online ordering through the LOOP platform is available. Check out this link for more information.

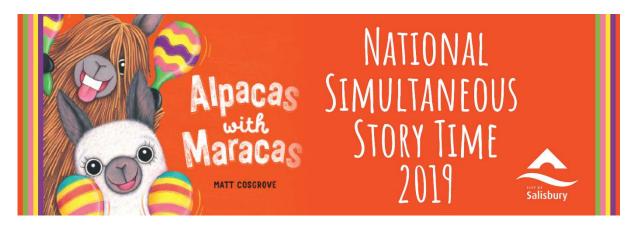
http://www.scholastic.com.au/schools/bookclub/bc_parents.asp

Money with the catalogue order can also be given to Mrs Walker. Please double check your child's name and class are on the order form.





Woy Woy Public School will once again be participating in the National Simultaneous Storytime event this year. On Wednesday the 22nd May, our whole school will read the story, *Alpacas with Maracas* by Matt Cosgrove at the same time, followed with fun activities.



Mrs Walker Teacher Librarian

Messages from the Office

Important Parking Message

The staff parking area inside the school gates on both Park Road and Bowden Road is for **Staff Use Only**. Parents dropping off and collecting their children from school, Music Bus or Cubbyhouse BASC are asked to park outside the school grounds and walk their children to and from their car. This is a Department of Education directive.

Office Hours

School phones are manned from 8.30am until 3.15pm. The office window is opened at 8.30am and closed at 3.00pm however office staff are available until 3.15pm. There is a teacher on duty at the bus lines until 3.20pm.

Changes to Going Home Arrangements

Could you please ensure that your child is aware of how they will be going home in the afternoon. If these arrangements change during the day it would be appreciated if you could contact the office prior to 2.00pm to ensure that the message is passed on to your child.

Skoolbag APP and Website

You can download the WWPS Skoolbag APP to both iPhone and Android devices. Event updates and important information will be sent out via our Skoolbag APP and you can record your child's absence from school here as well. You will also find our School website at http://www.woywoy-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/which is regularly updated with events happening in our school. The School email address for correspondence is woywoy-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au.

Student Mobile Phones

Students who bring their mobile phone to school are asked to leave them at the office on their arrival and collect it at the end of the school day. Students are not permitted to have their phone with them during the day. It is also helpful if their name is on their phone.

Late Arrival / Early Departure

If your child is late arriving to school or needs to leave early for an appointment, a partial absence slip is to be collected from the school office prior to going to your child's classroom. This slip is given to the classroom teacher.

Payment of Money to the School

School fees and activity costs can be paid by credit card via the Woy Woy Public School website (http://www.woywoy-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/) using the 'Make a Payment' tab. If you are making a cash payment please place the money in an envelope with the child's name, class and the reason clearly noted. We have cash collection envelopes at the school office for your use. All money is to be given to your child's teacher. When making payments for multiple children, separate money and envelopes for each child is appreciated, as it is very time-consuming to sort out at the time of receipting.

Thank you

Linda Goldsmith - School Administrative Manager

Assembly Awards – Week 2



Congratulations to the following recipients of our Academic Achievement Awards at our Week 6 K-6 Assembly.

Name	Class	Name	Class
Saarah Mehdi	K-6PC	Chace Brown	K-6W
Jaxon Malloy	KB	Michael Burton	KW
Ashton Butler	K/1M	Lucas Jackson-Gaul	1S
Phoebe Van Der Neut	1CP	Mackenzie Abbott	2E
Aaron Lincoln	2MK	Terence Wu	3/4B
Eva Gorham-Eljuga	3-60	Miley Clarke	3/4M
Elise Introna	3/4LC	Vali Focas	5/6R
Tyler Garrett	3/4T	Isabelle Newton	5/6C
Asriel Dove	5/6H		

Upcoming Events

TERM 2 2019				
Week 2	May	10	PSSA Knockout Netball Carnival	
Weeks 3 & 4	May	13-24	Naplan	
Week 3	May	16	Mother's Day Afternoon Tea	
Week 3	May	17	SCCPSSA Cross Country Carnival	
Weeks 4 & 5	May	20-31	Swimming School Support Classes	
Week 5	May	24	Zone Cross Country	
Week 5	May	29	School Disco	



Snack Shack News

Monday	13 th	Pat
Tuesday	14 th	Janet
Wednesday	15 th	Reaco
Thursday	16 th	Kay
Friday	17 th	Erin
Monday	20 th	Alice
Tuesday	21 st	Pat
Wednesday	22 nd	
Thursday	23 rd	Deb
Friday	24 th	Rita

Hats are available in the canteen for sale for your convenience.

\$13.00



Pancake and icecream day will be on Thursday 30th May, \$2. Just buy on the day at lunchtime only.

Thank you to our volunteers. If you are unable to come in on your allocated day please contact Anne as soon as possible so an arrangement can be made for a replacement.

Thankyou

Anne

P&C News



Happy Mother's Day to all the significant females in our lives.

From the P&C we hope you all enjoy a well earned relax on Sunday!

Volunteering

You can make a difference! We are always looking for volunteers to assist with services provided by the P&C such as fundraising, school banking and the uniform shop. This is a great way to connect with the school and find out what is happening first hand. If you are interested in contributing in a small way and can spare some time, please contact wwpspandc@live.com.au— as little as half an hour can ease the workload of our dedicated volunteers and your child enjoys you being involved in school activities.

Did you know that while we love to welcome new members to the P&C, you do not need to be a member of the P&C to volunteer at one of our organised events

Fundraising

The Easter Hat Parade was a wonderful display of creativity and fun. It was wonderful to see all the smiling faces as the children high-fived the Easter Bunny and his helpers. Thanks to all who helped on the day including our 3 funny bunnies.

The Easter Guessing Competition and Colouring In Competition were a success with great feedback from parents and staff. Congratulations to all our winners!

Early Stage - Rory KB; Talitha KB; Beau KW

Stage 1 – Anji 2C; Noah 2Y; Sofia 1S

Stage 2 - Emilie 3/4LC; Isabella 3/4LC; Deizel 3/4B

Stage 3 – Tayla 5/6B; Ella 5/6H; Breanna 5/6H

We also had 10 winners of our Easter raffle we hope you enjoyed your prizes.

The Mother's Day stall was held this week. The children were good shoppers, carefully selecting gifts for their loved ones and using their manners. We hope you have a wonderful Mother's Day and enjoy the gifts your child has chosen for you.

Uniform Shop

Ordering of uniforms and accessories is by email and payments on-line only. If you are unable to make on-line payments, alternative payment options can be arranged at time of ordering. A uniform order form is attached to this newsletter for your convenience. Please email your order form to www.uniforms@outlook.com

Please do not make on-line payments to the school. After full payment has been received, the orders will be distributed to your child's class by a volunteer once the order has been processed. An order form is attached to the newsletter.

School Banking

Thursday is our school banking day for 2019. Don't forget to bring your bank books.

For parents/caregivers, the focus should be on a regular saving habit not the amount being deposited. If your child deposits 50c each week they will be earning rewards. Every time they make a deposit, they get a silver token (maximum one per week).

Once they have 10 silver tokens (made 10 deposits) they can claim a prize. This is regardless of the amount of money deposited. This term they can redeem Polars Savers reward.

Next Meeting

The next general meeting is being held on *Wednesday 12 June in the Staff Room, Woy Woy Public School*. We look forward to seeing familiar faces return and welcoming new families to our community. All are welcome to attend.

Membership

The annual P&C membership fee is \$2.00 and this entitles you to participate in the democratic decision making process of the Association. If you are interested, P&C Membership forms for 2019/20 are now available from the school or by emailing wwpspandc@live.com.au

Completed forms and membership fee can be placed in a sealed envelope and put in the P&C blue box in the school office or better still attend a meeting and find out firsthand what is happening within the school. Members do not have to attend every meeting, however your child gets a buzz out of you being involved with the school. Your input and ideas are valued.

Wishing you all a wonderful Mother's Day.

Until next time.

Laura Morrison
President
WWPS P&C



WOY WOY PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C UNIFORM ORDER FORM

FROM TERM 4, 2018 UNIFORMS ARE MOVING TO ORDERING BY EMAIL ONLY. EMAIL ORDERS TO: wwpsuniforms@outlook.com

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WWPS Short Sle	eve Polo - Sky Blue	6/8/10/12/14/16xs	\$ 26.00			
Special Orde	er (Adult sizing)	S / M / L (Adult sizing)	\$ 27.00			
Sk	corts	6/8/10/12/14/16xs	\$ 21.00			
Cargo	o Shorts	4/6/8/10/12/14/16xs	\$ 21.00			
	leecy Jacket	4/6/8/10/12/14/16xs	\$ 25.00			
WWPS Fle	eecy Jumper	4/6/8/10/12/14/16xs	\$ 25.00			
	o Pants	4/6/8/10/12/14/16xs	\$ 24.00			
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WWPS Sp	ports Shorts	4/6/8/10/12/14/16xs	\$ 19.00			
Speci	al Order	S / M / L (Adult sizing)	\$ 21.00			
WWPS S	ports Jacket	6/8/10/12/14/16xs	\$ 42.00			
Speci	al Order	S / M / L (Adult sizing)	\$ 45.00			
		ACCESSORIES				
WWPS B	Bucket Hats	XS/S/M/L	\$ 13.00			
Swim/Spo	orts Eco Bag	One Size	\$ 13.00			
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✓ DIRECT DEPOSIT	Direct Deposit payments	can be made using the following bankir	ng details:			
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	Account Numb					
	Reference:	Invoice Number				

nominated email address. Once payment is received (by credit card online, direct deposit, EFTPOS or cash) your order will be delivered to your child's classroom by a volunteer.

Invoice Number ✓ Online Order forms are to be emailed to wwpsuniforms@outlook.com - upon receiving your order an invoice will be sent to your

Reference:

NAPLAN Online – information for parents and carers



2019

Why do students do NAPLAN?

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) assesses literacy and numeracy skills that are essential for every child to progress through school and life. Students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 participate in the annual NAPLAN Years in reading, writing, conventions of language (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and numeracy.

The assessment provides parents and schools with an understanding of how inclividual students are performing at the time of the tests. NAPLAN is just one aspect of a school's assessment and reporting process - it does not replace ongoing assessments made by teachers about student performance.

NAPLAN also provides schools, education authorities and governments with information about how education programs are working and whether young Australians are meeting important educational outcomes in literacy and numericy.

What is assessed?

NAPLAN assesses literacy and numeracy skills that students are learning through their regular school curriculum. All government and non-government education authorities have contributed to the development of NAPLAN materials.

In 2019 most students across Australia will sit NAPLAN online. Feedback in the first year of NAPLAN Online showed that students engaged well with online assessments. One of the main benefits of NAPLAN Online is tailored (or adaptive) testing, where the test automatically adapts to a student's test performance. The test presents questions of higher or lower complexity, depending on a student's performance.

Tailored (or adaptive) testing is designed to assess a wider range of student abilities and to measure student achievement more precisely. Your child should not be concerned if they find questions more challenging than usual; they may be taking a more complex test pathway, authoritis overall NAPLAN score is based on the number and complexity of questions they answer correctly.

NAPLAN Online is not a test of keyboard skills.

There are variations in how last and well a student can type—just as there are variations in how fast and well a student can write by hand. Year 3 students will complete the writing test on paper.

To get an idea of what the online assessment looks like, visit the public demonstration site at nap.edu.au

How can I help my child prepare?

Help your child prepare by reassuring them that NAPLAN is just one part of their school program, and by reminding them on the day to simply by their best. Teachers will ensure students are familiar with the types of questions in the tests and will provide appropriate support and guidance. Ensuring students are familiar with using devices, typing on them and mayigating through programs are a part of student learning and a requirement of the Australian Curriculum from the first year at school.

ACARA does not recommend excessive preparation for NAPLAN or the use of coaching providers.

NAPLAN is about assessing learning progress in literacy and numeracy.

Will my child sit NAPLAN on paper or online?

In 2019, your child will sit the NAPLAN online tests. However, children in some other schools across Australia will sit the NAPLAN paper tests this year. Federal, state and territory education ministers have agreed that all schools will move online by 2020. State and territory education authorities will determine when their schools move online. As students are assessed on the same literacy and numeracy curriculum conflict. regardless of whether they complete the test online or on paper, results for both formats can be reported on the same NAPLAN assessment soale. To find out more about NAPLAN Online, visit nap.edu.au

Participation in NAPLAN

All students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 are expected to participate in the annual NAPLAN assessment. Students with disability may qualify for adjustments that reflect the support normally provided for classroom assessments. You should first discuss the use of any disability adjustments for your child with your child's teacher.

A formal exemption may be granted for a student with disability that severely limits their capacity to participate in the assessment, or for a student who has recently arrived in Australia and has a non-English packground.

Your school principal and your local test administration authority can give you more information on NAPLAN Online disability adjustments or the process required to gain a formal exemption.

NAPLAN Online 2019 timetable

The assessment window for NAPLAN Online is extended from three days provided for the paper test to nine days. This is to give schools more flexibility in scheduling and accommodate schools that may have fewer devices. The NAPLAN Online assessment window starts on Tuesday 14 May and finishes on Friday 24 May 2019.

The online tests must be taken in the following order.

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	Details	Year 3 students do a paper-based writing test on day one only	Students read a range of informative, imaginative and persuasive texts	This test includes spelling, grammar and punctuation	This test includes number and algebra: massurement and geometry; and geometry; probablity

What if my child is absent from school on assessment days?

Where possible, schools may arrange for individual students who are absent at the time of testing to complete missed tests at another time during the school's test schedule. Individual students are not permitted to sit NAPLAN online tests after Friday 24 May 2019.

How is my child's performance measured?

Individual student performance is shown on a national achievement scale for each assessment. A result at the national minimum standard indicates that the student has demonstrated the basic literacy and numeracy skills needed to participate fully in that year level.

A NAPLAN individual student report will be issued by your child's school later in the year. If you do not receive a report, you should contact your child's school.

How are NAPLAN results used?

- Students and parents may use individual results to discuss progress with teachers.
- Teachers use results to better identify students who would benefit from greater challenges or extra support.
- Schools use results to identify strengths and areas to improve in teaching programs, and to set goals in literacy and numeracy.
- School systems use results to review programs and support offered to schools.
 - The community can see average school NAPLAN results at myschool.edu.au

Where can I get more information?

For more information about NAPLAN:

- contact your child's school
- contact your local test administration authority at nap.edu.au/TAA
 - visit nap.edu.au

For information about how personal information for NAPLAN is handled by ACARA, visit nap.edu.au/naplanprivacy

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NAPLAN Timetable 2019

Week 3- May 13th

Year 3 Writing- Stage 3 classrooms Tuesday 9:00am- 10:00am

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00- 10:00 am	5HB Writing	3LCTBM Reading	5CR Reading	3BM Language Conventions
10:05- 11:05 am	5CR Writing	5HB Reading	3LCT Reading	5HB Language Conventions
12:00-12:50 am	5HBCR Writing	3BM Reading	5HBCR Reading	3LCT Language Conventions

Week 4- May 20th

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00- 10:00 am	5HBCR Language Conventions	3BM Numeracy	5HBCR Numeracy		
10:05- 11:05 am	3LCTBM Language Conventions	3LCT Numeracy	3LCTBM Numeracy		
12:00-12:50 am	5CR Language Conventions	5HB Numeracy	5CR Numeracy		

3LCT= Lord/Cooper/Taylor 3BM= Brady/Mills

3LCTBM= Five students from each of the year 3 classes. These students will be notified on Friday.

5HB= Hauraki/Betts

5CR= Curran/Rayner/Rodgers

5HBCR= Five students from each of the year 5 classes. These students will be notified on Friday.



Date:

Time:

Who:

Woy Woy Public School

A PRESCHOOL TO YEAR 6 SCHOOL



Park and Blackwall Roads; PO Box 505 Woy Woy NSW 2256 Phone 4341 3555; Fax 4344 3927 Email woywoy-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

"We challenge and support all students to achieve their personal best"

Mother's Day Afternoon Tea

This year we have decided to honour the valuable women in our community by supporting the women's charity Share the Dignity. All profits from our Mother's Day Afternoon Tea will be donated to this worthwhile charity.

Share the Dignity believe all women matter and all women deserve the dignity and justice. Share the Dignity is an Australian Charity bringing dignity to homeless, at-risk and those experiencing domestic violence through the distribution of sanitary items and funding of funerals.

Thursday 16th May 2019

2-4pm

Where:	In the school hall
Cost:	All items will be available for purchase individually
These may inc	e along with a variety of sweet and savoury items will be available for purchase. clude scones with jam and cream, chocolate slice, lemon slice, cupcakes, upcakes, mini quiches, sausage rolls, brownie.
	vard to sharing afternoon tea with you. For catering purposes, please return the you are able to attend. This will help to ensure we have enough food for all who
Lina Williams	on, Lisa Mills, Anne Wilson, Ona Buckley
	Mother's Day Afternoon Tea
Student Name	: Class:
Number of att	endees at the afternoon tea:
Please return	to Mrs Mills in class 3/4M
	ublic School's mission is to provide a warm, caring, secure place where students and their forts are valued by a committed staff and an actively supportive community.

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ETTALONG BAPTIST CHURCH FETE

FETE When: SATURDAY 4th MAY 2019

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8 Barrenjoey Road Ettalong

From 8am - 1pm.

Come and enjoy the fun. See the crafts, plants, toys, books, homemade cakes, sausage sizzle, pre-loved clothing, white elephant, jumping castle, live radio broadcast then coffee & cake and lots more.



The Music Bus brings music education and fun to your school.

About The Music Bu

The Music Bus visits over 250 schools a week, bringing music into the lives of over 4,000 students across Australia.

The Music Bus is the classroom (the bus!), teacher, instruments and curriculum all in one complete package and it's at your school.

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every week...

ability levels. High quality instruments are provided and our experienced teachers use extensive backing The Music Bus offers modern and rock-style courses, using well-known songs to engage students at all tracks, developing confidence, rhythm and teamwork.









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why we're different

- We come to your school: We offer all students, regardless of background or prior experience, grounds, That means less travel time for busy specialist instrument lessons right on school families.
- the instruments during class, taking the burden the price of private tuition. We also supply all We're affordable: Our lessons are around half off having to buy one right away.
- help build skills and self-esteem with lots of 3. Learning is fun: The customised curriculum is reading, playing, arranging and performing to set in a fun environment, focusing on music fun competitions and awards throughout the term.
- Department not to mention from countless Bus program has received positive feedback from the Dept of Ed and NSW Creative Arts 4. Glowing reviews: The award winning Music parents and Principals in your community.

what others are saying

"The Music Bus is fun, exciting and engages students in a wide variety of musical experiences at all ability levels and areas of interest including instrumental and vocal," Marle, Principal, NSW.

"The teacher is a highly motivated and extremely professional." Principal, QLD

she can do in school hours – otherwise she probabily would not be able to attend. It's such a great asset "My daughter loves The Music Bus. It's an activity to have at school." Jade, Parent, QLD

and practising his instruments." Naomi, Parent, NSW "My son comes home enthusiastic about learning

"It's so great being at school. They are learning samething new each week and the rapport the teacher has with the kids is wonderful." Sarah, Parent, NSW VALUES remission have been growthely sourced from parents and subset Principals regarding the Wald Bus, however, some names may be changed for princip reasons



If you like what you hear and would like to book lessons for your child contact us today.

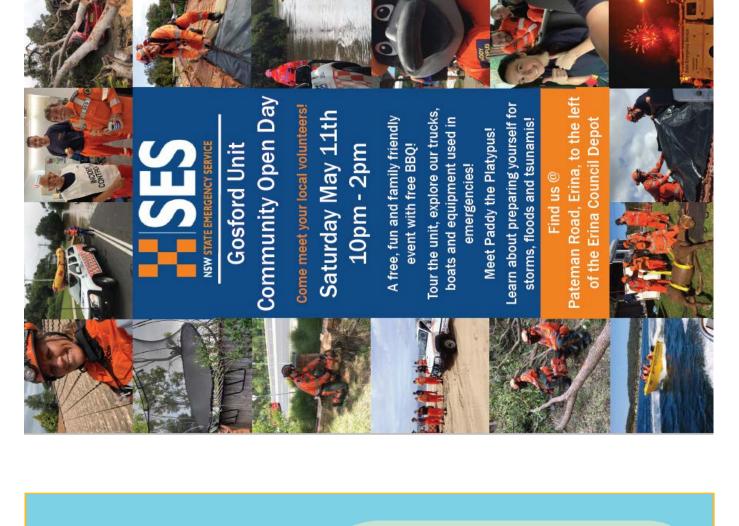
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behaviour during awareness week, 20 - 26 May. Let's keep kids spectators and members where you stand on poor spectator Visit the Office of Sport website to find out more and show coming back to junior sport!







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Keep it fun - don't take it too seriously

Some tips for adults at kids sport:



Be enthusiastic - but don't scream and shout instructions from the sideline



Emphasise trying hard - not winning



Cheer and acknowledge good play from all sides and teams



They're human - they make mistakes. Accept decisions from officials.





Let coaches do the coaching.



volunteers run kids sport. Always remember -



Understand, uphold and support your club's code of conduct



Allow your child to play for themselves. Let kids make decisions, on and off the field.



your words may harm others. Think before you speak -





