

Waratah Public School



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Term 1—Week 5 RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY LEARNING

Wednesday 22 February 2017

Whole School Assembly

Friday 24 February—2.15 pm
5/6M presenting

Primary Cross Country Carnival

Next Thursday 2 March, we will be having the school Primary Cross Country Carnival. All students in grades 3 to 6 will be participating. Joggers will need to be worn for the event. It will begin at the back of the hall at 9.30 am. If you would like to volunteer to help out for the hour of the carnival, please contact Mrs Bowen.

Congratulations

For the next 6 weeks starting from the 27 February, Mrs Christie will be relieving Principal at Waratah West Public School. This is an exciting opportunity and we wish Mrs Christie all the best in this very important role. Class K/1C will continue to be taught by the wonderful Miss Barker.

School Interviews

Parent Teacher Interviews will take place in Week 8 of this term (Monday 13—Friday 17 March). The online booking system will be made available from Wednesday 1 March until Thursday 10 March. Further information will be provided in next week's bulletin and will include the code required to book an interview.

School Photos

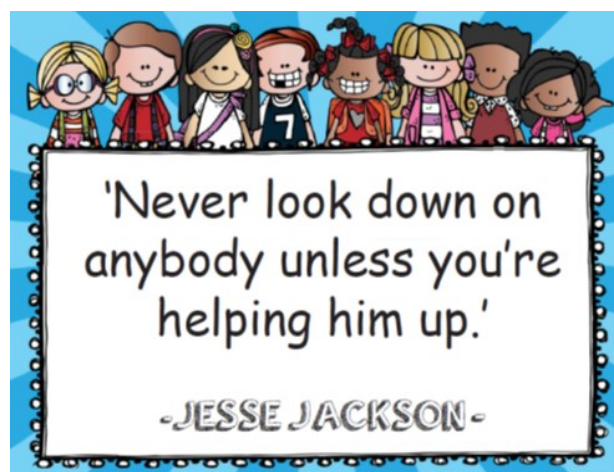
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DATES TO REMEMBER TERM 1 2017

Thursday 23 February	Possum and Kangaroo Parent session at preschool 4.00 pm
Friday 24 February	2.15 pm Assembly 5/6M
Monday 6 March	P&C Meeting
Wednesday 8 March	K—6 School photos Possums photos
Friday 10 March	Kangaroos photos
Tuesday 4 April	Easter Canteen Lunch See bulletin for details



Canteen News

Next Wednesday 1 March the canteen is having a free "sushi" tasting for recess. **(NO SEAFOOD)**
Please let your child know and encourage them to participate in this free tasting.



RESPECT - RESPONSIBILITY- LEARNING



Characteristic
of the
WEEK :

ACCEPTANCE

Written by the students of 4/5C

Ways we show *acceptance* at Waratah Public School ...

"To show acceptance is to help people so they feel cared for and safe. If we show acceptance we have a happy school with kids laughing." (Jemaine N)

We are all different - that's what makes us great!

Make others feel comfortable

Always listen to others

Be respectful

Include others

Be kind

Welcome others into games

Accept people the way they are

Don't judge someone if they're different
If you can't say something nice, don't say it at all.

"Acceptance means accepting a person for who they really are. Not faking it just to look good. Showing who you are on both the inside and outside." (Skyler P)

definition

Explain how a
classmate showed
acceptance this
week.

"My friend accepts me for being me. I was so weird and funny she started laughing and it made me happy."

"Some kids invited me to play with them when I was alone."

Illustration to the left was proudly
sketched by Austin B.

ILLUSTRATION
TIME



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Student Activity 2017

	Calendar	Approximate Costing
Voluntary School Contributions	February	\$45-00 per family
Mathletics Package Years K-6	February	\$10-00 per student
KM and KD Math Book		\$15
Year 6 Grade Shirt	February-March	To be advised
Crossfit Sports Program T1,2,3,4	Term 1, Term 2 Term 3, Term 4	\$50-00 per student per term
Dance Semester 1 (Term 1 & 2)	February	\$50/\$60 Per Semester
Dance Semester 2 (Term 3 & 4)	July	\$50/\$60 Per Semester
School Photos	8 March	Prices will be advised by Photographers
External ICAS Competitions	May-June	To be advised
Year 3-4 Camp Myuna Bay	Term 3 (To be confirmed)	Costings will be advised Feb/March to allow parents/caregivers adequate time for payments.
Year 5-6 Canberra/Snowy Excursion	23 August – 25 August	Costings will be advised Feb/March to allow parents/caregivers adequate time for payments
Learn to Swim School Y2-Y6	November	\$80-00 approx.
Year 6 Farewell Dinner	December	\$25-00 approx.
End of Year Christmas Party	December	
K-2		To be advised
3-4		To be advised
5-6		To be advised

P&C News

Save the date! Our first P&C meeting for the year is Monday 6 March. More details to follow.

School Banking

School banking is every Tuesday. Children are to bring in their bankbooks along with their filled deposit slip and money, place in the banking bag in the classroom. These will be processed on Tuesday afternoon and bankbooks returned to the classroom. For more information please contact our banking coordinator Bec Sweeney by leaving your contact details in the P&C post box at the front office.

Regards

Richelle Ervine

P&C President

CANTEEN ROSTER

Thursday	23 February	J Sparks
Friday	24 February	J Kennett K Roddom
Monday	27 February	M Sneddon
Tuesday	28 February	V Buchanan S Rimmelzwaan
Wednesday	1 March	K Mavridis T Snadden

P&C Volunteer

Name: _____

Best contact number: _____

I am able to volunteer for the following:

- ☐ Canteen
- ☐ Uniform Shop
- ☐ School Banking

Helping Hands Needed

The Canteen, Uniform Shop and School Banking are low in volunteer numbers and could really do with some helping hands. If your able to spare any time and would like more details please contact Richelle (P&C President) 0419210273





Waratah Public School
GIRLS & BOYS DANCE (YEARS 1 – 6)
Term 1 & 2 2017

February 2017

Dear Parent/Caregiver

Dance groups will be held again in Term 1 & 2, with Ms Cheryl-Ann Stannett, a qualified Dance Teacher, teaching the groups.
There will be three separate dance groups, Years 1 & 2, 3 & 4 and 5 & 6.

The cost for Term 1 & 2 will be:

Year 1 - 2 \$50-00

Year 3 - 6 \$60-00 (Includes Costume/Bus Hire for Dance Festival Term 3)

All money and permission notes must be put in the office payment box.
NO LATE PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED
NO LATER than Friday 24 February (end of Week 5).

Trish Bowen
Principal



Please return payment & slip to the office payment box NO LATER than FRIDAY 24 February

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GIRLS & BOYS DANCE (YEARS 1 – 6) PERMISSION NOTE TERM 1 & 2 2017

I give permission for my child _____ of class _____
to attend dance lessons in Term 1 & 2. I enclose

☐ \$50.00 Year 1 and 2

☐ \$60.00 Year 3,4,5 and 6

☐ I enclose payment OR

☐ Payment made online Receipt Number _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____
(Parent / Caregiver)

Admin/Dance/Summer/Girls/Boys Dance

EASTER LUNCH TUESDAY 4 APRIL

A special Easter Feast lunch will be held on Tuesday 4 April.

If you would like to order please fill in the form and send back no later than Thursday 30 March. **(NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE TAKEN)**

NO OTHER HOT FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THIS DAY

COST \$5.00

Lunch will consist of

Fish Burger ☐

Lettuce ☐

BBQ sauce ☐

Apple juice ☐

Easter Egg ☐

Mayo ☐

Tomato sauce ☐

Orange juice ☐

Water ☐

Name: _____ Class: _____

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Wednesday 8 March —Kinder to Year 6 and Preschool Possums

Friday 10 March—Preschool Kangaroos

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THIS IS NOT AN ORDER FORM

PAYMENT OPTIONS

**11—CASH IN THE ENVELOPE PROVIDED AND PAID TO THE PHOTOGRAPHER
ON THE DAY (8 AND 10 MARCH 2017)**

2—TO ORDER ONLINE VISIT WWW.NEWCASTLESCHOOLPORTRAITS.COM

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Newcastle School Portraits

21 Broadmeadow Rd Broadmeadow NSW 2292
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 www.newcastleschoolportraits.com Ph: 4965 4114

School: _____


Students Name: _____ Class: _____

Parents/Guardian Mobile: _____ Fathers Copy ☐
 Mothers Copy ☐

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Premium Hard Cover A4 Photobook

Gly Ordered **A Pack \$50**




Hardcover Photobook, Colour 1 - (5x7) 2 x 12 (20 pgs)
 4 - Wall mounts, an address list (B&W & C-EN12) Enlargement

B&W or Colours 1 to 10 pgs Traditions 1 Class Photo, Composite Class Photo, Individual Enlargements & Autographs Page.

Free low res digital image of individual

Standard Packages

Gly Ordered **B Pack \$40**




1 - (5x7) 2x12 (20 pgs) - All fully 4 - Wall Mounts Enlargement

Group Traditions, Class Photo, Composite Class Photo.

Free low res digital image of individual

Gly Ordered **C Pack \$35**




1 - (5x7) 2x12 (20 pgs) - All fully 4 - Wall Mounts Enlargement

Class Photo, Composite Class Photo.

Free low res digital image of individual

Gly Ordered **D Pack \$25**



Class Photo, Composite Class Photo.

Gly Ordered **E Pack \$20**

1 - (5x7) 2x12 (20 pgs) - All fully 4 - Wall Mounts Enlargement

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Please return envelope on photo day with money enclosed. Please DO NOT return envelope if using online ordering system.

Or Payment Enclosed with siblings.
 NAME: _____ Class: _____

Family photo envelopes are available from your school office or order online.