

Waratah Public School



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Term 2—Week 3 RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY LEARNING

Wednesday 10 May 2017

Whole School Assembly—Friday 12 May
1/2B presenting and choir performing

Year 5 Sports Gala Day at CCWTC

Year 5 students have been invited to attend a sports gala day at CCWTC on Tuesday 16 May. Students will participate in tabloid sports style activities and will have the opportunity to meet year 5 students from surrounding schools. Students will be provided with a sausage sizzle for lunch. They will need to take a water bottle, recess and a school hat. Permission notes need to be returned by Friday 12 May for students to attend.

Athletics Carnival

Congratulations to all the students who attended and participated in our 2017 athletics carnival. The team spirit and enthusiasm displayed was fantastic.

K—2 enjoyed their novelty events with the parachute being one of their favourite activities. Thank you to the parents, grandparents and family members who helped throughout the day with time keeping, recording results and cheering students as they competed in events. Special thanks to Mr Brockbank for time keeping throughout the day.

It was a very close contest, however the winning sports house at our carnival was Platt, followed by Matthews, Parkes and Turton.

The Zone Athletics Carnival will be held in Term 3. Students who have qualified for Zone will receive permission notes later this term.

Mrs Folpp and Mrs Batcheldor

Planning Room

Parent Information Session

On Wednesday 24 May we will be holding an information session about the recent changes to planning room. This is an opportunity for you to come along and see the new space, develop an understanding of the purpose of planning room and the processes staff and children take to resolve conflict. We will meet under the library cola at 3.15 pm.

Kind regards

Mrs Folpp and Miss Palmer

AECG Meeting

On Wednesday 24 May we are proud to be hosting the Aboriginal Education Consultative Group meeting at Waratah Public School. It will be at 12.30 pm in the Multipurpose room. It would be fantastic to see some of our wonderful Aboriginal families represented.

DATES TO REMEMBER TERM 2 2017

Friday 5 May	WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY 1/2B presenting and choir performing
Thursday 11 May	Mothers Day Stall Preschool, second gifts and Laybys
Wednesday 24 May	AECG Meeting Aboriginal Education Consultative Group
Monday 5 June	P&C Meeting 6.00 pm In school library

P&C News

Fundraising

Mother's Day Raffle

Great prizes are up for grabs in our Mother's Day Raffle this year with the first prize, a **"Life Locket & Charms" jewellery by Carla Kelly valued at \$60; Shampoo & Blow dry Voucher – Teresa's Waratah Village; Hand crafted Macramé plant hanger gift set by mid north coast artist Judith Volkmer; \$30 Hoyts Movie Gift Vouchers; Perfume Gift sets – Amcal Chemist Waratah Village; Gardening Décor Gift Pack, beauty pamper packs, scented candles and lots more...**

Ticket books went home last week, so please sell tickets to family, friends, neighbours and work colleagues. Return sold tickets, money and any unused ticket books (as these can be used again) to the P&C mail box at the front office by Friday 12 May. The raffle will be drawn at Friday's afternoon assembly on **Friday 12 May**. No tickets will be sold on the day and extra ticket books can be obtained from the front office and canteen.

Mother's Day Stall Donations

A **big THANK YOU** to our fundraising team and the wonderful ladies who volunteered at our Mother's Day stall, for making this event possible for our children to select a gift for their special "Mum", Nan and Granny. **Thank you** also to those generous people who donated beautiful stall gifts. Your support is greatly appreciated and will certainly make for a special Mother's Day this Sunday!

Tomorrow, **Thursday 11 May**, is for preschool, second gifts & laybys. Children who make a layby can collect by Friday morning at the canteen area before school. The Mother's Day stall will be held in the multipurpose room down from the canteen.

Save the Date:

Waratah Public School will be celebrating **NAIDOC Day** on Thursday 29 June 2017. Please mark in your diaries as its sure to be a great day.

Amy Deer

Naidoc Coordinator

**THE UNIFORM SHOP**

Thanks to people's kind donations, we are also stocked up with second hand winter uniforms especially maroon jumpers and boys long grey pants. The Uniform shop also sells maroon beanies, scarves and gloves to keep our students warm.

The Uniform Shop**Winter is almost here !!!**

Bomber jackets (4-16Y) \$32

Fleecy straight leg T/pants (3-16Y) \$18

(cotton polyester fleece, low pill, 2 zippered side pockets, all seams safety stitched, elastic waist with draw cord).

Boys grey cargo pants (4-14Y) \$22

(teflon treated to repel stains, zip pocket, 2 side pockets, elastic waist with drawcord),

Girls maroon cotton bootleg pants (4-14Y) \$27

Girls maroon cotton blend tights - \$12 each

Fleece scarf & Beanie - \$6 each

Gloves - \$4

Second hand maroon jumpers

& track pants – varying sizes

\$1-5

Cash, cheque or lay-by only.

Monday: 8.30-9.15am

Friday: 2.30-3.15pm

CANTEEN ROSTER

Thursday	11 May	K Weston
Friday	12 May	J Kennett M Keegan
Monday	15 May	R Ervine
Tuesday	16 May	V Buchanan S Rimmelzwaan
Wednesday	17 May	J Beveridge

Waratah P.S. Winter Uniform**Girls**

- A—line dress with collar—cotton dacron in maroon, white and navy tartan
- Maroon thick cotton stockings
- Gold polo shirt—long sleeved
- Maroon straight leg tracksuit pants or maroon cotton bootleg pants
- Maroon Bomber Jacket/ Jumper
- White socks

Boys

- Grey shorts or long grey pants
- Gold Polo Shirt - long sleeved
- Maroon Bomber Jacket/ Jumper
- Grey Socks

Long Sleeve Polo Shirt Orders

Orders for **long sleeve gold polo's** can be made at the Uniform Shop until Friday 19 May. Orders to supplier will take approximately 2 weeks from order placement. A 50% deposit is required at time of ordering and paid in full when ready for collection, or made into a lay-by. Sizing is the same as the short sleeved polo shirts and has the same logo embroidery. Alternatively, fill in the order form slip attached in the bulletin, return with deposit, to the P&C box in the front office. A receipt will be returned to you as order confirmation via your child at school.

Cheers Richelle & The P&C Team

Chess Challenge

Newcastle PCYC Sunday 21 May

Please contact David Absalom at:

david.absalom92@gmail.com

He will provide more information including cost and time.

Uniform Shop Order Form – Embroidered Long Sleeve Polo

Your Name..... Best Contact Number

Childs Name..... Class

Size Required (2,3,4-16Y)	Quantity	Cost @\$22 each
	TOTAL	
	DEPOSIT AMOUNT	

RESPECT - RESPONSIBILITY- LEARNING



Characteristic
of the
WEEK :

KINDNESS

Written by the students of **3/4L**

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

Being a helping friend.
Being a 'Bucket Filler'.
Saying nice things and
compliments.
Help someone if they need help.
Ask others to join in your games
Welcome visitors and show them
the way.
Be a friend to new students.
Be nice to everyone.
Kindness is about sharing with
our friends.

Kindness is about
looking out for
each other and
caring about each
other.

definition

Explain how a
classmate
showed **kindness**
this week.

In 3/4L it is about
giving a helping
hand.
It's about letting
others play in your
games. It's about
respecting other's
differences.
It's about respecting
your teacher so we
can all learn.

ILLUSTRATION
TIME



Illustration
by
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ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2017