



*Throughout this Bulletin the term parent means parent, guardian and care provider.*

# South Wagga Public School

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## *A Word or Two From the Principal*

### COMING EVENTS

#### Term 4

#### November

- Tues 21 T20 Cricket  
Operation Art S1
- Wed 22 Operation Art S2
- Thu 23 Operation Art S3  
Proud & Deadly Awards
- Fri 24 School Spectacular
- Mon 27 Year 6 Buddy  
Assembly
- Tues 28 Girls Cricket State  
Finals
- Thurs 30 WWHS Production

#### December

- Mon 4 Kinder Buddy  
Assembly
- Tue 5 Year 6 Farewell
- Thu 7 Presentation Night  
at WWHS
- Fri 8 Volunteers Morning  
Tea  
Year 6 Fun Day
- Mon 11 Talent Show
- Tue 12 St 3 end of year party  
Kindy end of year  
party
- Wed 13 St 1 end of year party
- Thu 14 St 2 end of year party
- Fri 15 Students  
last day

#### January

- Mon 29 Teachers SDD
- Tues 30 Year 1-6 return
- Fri 2 Kinder begins

### Student Leaders for 2018

I had the privilege to oversee our current Year 5 students write their speeches for leadership positions in 2018. In order to be eligible, the students need to be on the correct behaviour level, demonstrate their capability to follow school rules and values and be positive role models over a sustained period of time. The students took great pride in this opportunity to share with their peers as to why they would be successful leaders. I am tremendously proud of the pride and integrity students shown during their speeches. It will certainly be a challenging decision for school members to elect their new leaders. Leaders will be announced at our Presentation evening on Thursday 7 December. Best wishes to everyone who put themselves forward for this opportunity.



### Class Structure for 2018

We are currently planning for 2018. Due to the large numbers of students in our senior classes, there is likely to be a structural change to classes in 2018 to cater for student numbers. The proposed structure is as follows: K, K, 1, 1, 2, 2, 3/4, 3/4, 3/4, 4/5, 5/6, 5/6 and 5/6. If you are leaving at the end of the year, please contact the office as soon as possible.

*Ms Whyte :)*



**Achievement and How 2 Learn  
Awards Week 5, Term 4, 2017**

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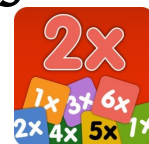
### Canteen Roster

#### Week 7 Term 4

Mon 20: Tracey  
Tues 21: Tracey  
Wed 22: Tracey  
Thu 23: Tracey  
Fri 24: Stacey



## Achievement Awards



- KC:** Kayley Maslin—Much improved effort towards her learning  
Alex Beck—Great reading in the engine room
- KH:** Patrick Winson—Improved handwriting
- 1C:** Xavier Vennell—Informative news
- 1J:** Charlize Olsen—Application during recount writing
- 2B:** Molly Stockton—Using her spelling words throughout her story  
Will Peace—Persistence in learning division
- 2H:** Wil Kerr—Impressive literacy results  
Mia Willis—Sustained effort in all areas of learning
- 3/4A:** Olivia Cecchini—Being a bit extra  
Georgie Hayes—Enthusiasm and energy for learning
- 3/4CP:** Cleo Mascini—Reading fluently to the whole class  
Quintessaa Sankar—Critically editing her writing pieces
- 3/4L:** Will Ryan—Improving reading  
Beau Forrester—Amazing effort with spelling
- 3/4P:** Lilli Herman—Contributions to reading groups  
James Springett—Improved spelling
- 5/6B:** Bonny McKean—Energy and enthusiasm  
Jack Newton—Application and effort
- 5/6C:** Eric Gardner—A well presented Antarctic Animals PowerPoint  
Daniel Springett—An excellent Antarctic Presentation
- 5/6S:** Martin Reid—Great collaboration in literacy  
Lucy Bourne—Commitment to learning



**Library:** Tali Fellows 3/4C, Sarah Hardy 3/4C-P

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## PRESENTATION NIGHT

Our Annual Presentation  
Assembly will be held Thursday 7  
December 2017 in Currie Hall,  
Wagga Wagga High School,  
Macleay Street at 6.30pm.

**Everyone is to be seated before  
6.30pm.**

All students are to wear full  
school uniform.

### School Leavers

Please notify the school office if  
your child/children will be  
leaving SWPS at the end of the  
year as soon as possible to  
support us planning for 2018.

## How 2 Learn Awards

- KC:** Sam Mortimer—Developing his revising skills
- KH:** Maisy Daly—Using the power of imitation for learning
- 1C:** Meysum Hussain—Application in maths
- 1J:** Skye Thomas—Consistent effort during reading
- 2B:** Abbas Rizvi—Great absorption in learning
- 2H:** Rex Martin—Always thinking about ways to improve
- 3/4A:** Indya Freemantle—Being absorbed in her learning
- 3/4CP:** Milly Manning—Making a presentation to a large crowd
- 3/4L:** Cohen Blundell—Always managing his distractions
- 3/4P:** Hareem Ahmad—Excellent application to learning
- 5/6B:** Ruby Browning—Effort and application
- 5/6C:** Lucas Livio—A well presented Antarctic animals Power Point
- 5/6S:** Ollie Ingram—Helpfulness and resourcefulness



**South Wagga Stage 3 boys and Girls teams** have won the opportunity to attend the ACT/Southern NSW Regional MILO T20 Blast School Cup Final. The winning team in both the boys and girls competitions will be crowned ACT/Southern NSW MILO T20 Blast School Cup Champions for 2017 and will be invited to attend the NSW Final at North Sydney Oval on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2017.

Details of the ACT/Southern NSW MILO T20 Blast School Cup Final are as follows:

- DATE:** Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2017
- VENUE:** Deakin Playing Fields, Makin Place, Deakin
- TIME:** 5.30am leaving SWPS. Game 9.00am-3.00pm and approximately home 6.00pm
- CLOTHING:** School sports uniform (cricket white pants maybe worn)
- LUNCH:** **There will be a canteen available for drinks and snacks. Student will need to bring plenty of water, fruit, recess, lunch and afternoon tea.**
- EQUIPMENT:** Cricket NSW and Cricket ACT will supply all necessary equipment., however students can bring their own bat but must be responsible for it all day.



## Todd Woodbridge Cup State Finals- Tennis



Last Thursday our Red Ball tennis team travelled to Sydney for the Todd Woodbridge Cup State Final at Sydney Olympic Tennis Centre in Homebush. It was an incredible experience playing on hard courts with 20 schools from NSW. After the first few elimination rounds, we realised we were on top of the leader board and the excitement grew. While there was some tough competition, the team just kept getting stronger as a group. After lunch we played off for a spot in the grand final and lost this by 2 games. So close!! We were so excited to come away with 3<sup>rd</sup> place on the day. Todd Woodbridge presented us with our medals and we got to have a photo with him. Once again our students have done us proud with their impeccable manners and sportsmanship. I would sincerely like to thank the wonderful parents who have supported the team and those that were able to travel with us to Sydney. A special thanks to Julie Vennell for organising the mini-bus and Roger Vennell for driving us all there and back. It really was a fantastic couple of days. Mrs Hodges



## NSW PSSA Girls Cricket

On Sunday, the 29<sup>th</sup> October the Riverina Girls Cricket Team travelled to Maitland to play in the NSW PSSA girls cricket carnival. We played 7 games all together. In the 1<sup>st</sup> game we played South Coast, we went out to field first and we got them all out for 80. We then batted out all the overs winning easily in the end. Kaylah batted 1<sup>st</sup>, Perri batted 3<sup>rd</sup> because no wickets fell, there were only 4 girls that batted after Kaitlin and Kaylah retired so Kassie, Abbey and Bonny didn't bat. However, Bonny ran 2 girls out and caught one from behind.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> game we got them all out for 24 runs. Bonny kept really well this game. Our coach then changed up the batting order. We got the runs

before drinks which was at 13 overs.

3<sup>rd</sup> game we played CIS. We batted first and got 90 runs. Kaylah batted out the whole innings and Perri came on in the 20<sup>th</sup> over. We then fielded and got them all out for 65 in the 18<sup>th</sup> over.

The 4<sup>th</sup> game was against Sydney east. We got 5/85 and they got 9/66.

5<sup>th</sup> game was against Hunter. We went down but we feel we didn't field our best.

The 6<sup>th</sup> game was against Sydney north. We fielded first and Perri took 5 of our 7 wickets, and Kaylah took 1 with a catch. We ended up losing by just 10 runs.

We had a bye Thursday morning and then went to play off for 3<sup>rd</sup>. This game we played Polding. We only played 20 overs this game and our score was 3/93, theirs 5/72.

Over the whole carnival Bonny kept well and was a real standout batsman against hunter, Kassie was an awesome all-rounder, Perri was the top wicket taker of all the bowlers who attended the carnival on 15 wickets, Abbey bowled and fielded amazingly throughout the whole carnival and Kaylah batted and fielded well. With a wicket bowling and a catch.

We had 4 Riverina girls make the NSW state sides with Perri making the Invitational side and tying for the Riverina medal. Kaylah Upfield and Perri Nash

# P & C News

## South Wagga P&C Christmas Raffle- Tickets \$2.00 Each

**1st Prize :** Ti Sento Milano Stainless Steel Fresh Water Pearl Jewellery. Consisting of Necklace, Bracelet and Stud Earrings. VALUED at \$477

Donated by EPICA Jewellers.

**2nd Prize :** Christmas Food Hamper

**3rd Prize :** Christmas Food Hamper

**4th Prize :** CSU Wagga Wine and Chocolates Hamper.

Drawn at our School Presentation night on 7th December 2017.

**Tickets \$2.00 Each**

## Christmas Cake & Tart Drive

Due to popular demand we will be running a Christmas cake and tart drive again this year.

Cut off date for orders will be Wednesday 6th December with delivery date Wednesday 13th December.

Order forms will be sent out early next week.

**Ticket books available for collection at the office from next week and we would love you to support us in selling a book. We have 4 great prizes to be drawn at our presentation night on the 7th December. Special thank you to EPICA Jewellers and our South Wagga School families for the prize donations.**



## K-2 Reward Day

K-2 Reward Day was postponed on Thursday due to the weather.

Reward Day will now take place on Tuesday 21 November.

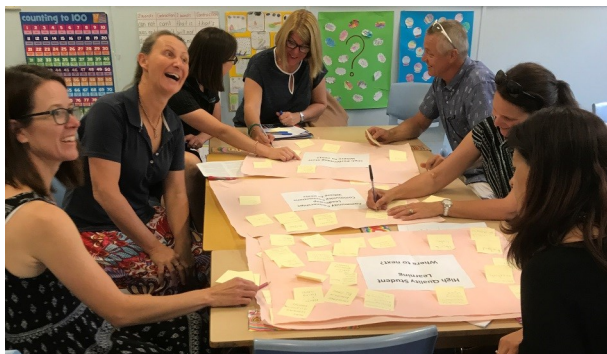
Students can bring their swimmers and water play fun day toys (pistols and super soakers) on that day.



## Riverina Water Polo

On Monday Bill Walker, Boston McLeod, Emma Mundy, Annabelle Arthur, Abbey Senior, Masyn Pavitt and Jacko Clarke travelled to Sydney to compete as part of the Riverina water polo teams in the NSW state carnival. Both boys and girls teams had a very successful day gelling as teams as the day progressed. We attacked hard and defended well, quickly learning the high standard of the Sydney teams. We also scored a bunch of goals which really rose their spirits! Each of our South Wagga students competed with enthusiasm, pride and determination; representing our school and region with excellent sportsmanship.

Duncan Brodie Manager/coach



## Parent Consultation

Thank you to the parents who participated in evaluating our current school plan. During this session we were able to gain parent perspectives for future directions for our school. Parents play a crucial role in the planning process. Students will also be asked to have input over the coming weeks. Information from the Tell Them From Me surveys will also be used to shape our future plans.