



COMING EVENTS

Term 4

December

- Mon 4 Kinder Buddy Assembly
- Tue 5 Year 6 Farewell 6.30—8.30 pm
WWHS Orientation
- 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
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- Wed 13 St 1 end of year party
- Thu 14 St 2 end of year party
- Fri 15 Students last day

2018

January

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

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

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A Word or Two From the Principal

Presentation Night

Our annual Presentation Night will be next Thursday, 6.30pm at Wagga Wagga High School. Parents and friends are invited to celebrate the achievements of students over the year and be entertained by our talented students. Students need to be dressed in full school uniform. Please be seated by 6.15pm so the proceedings can commence at 6.30pm sharp.

Volunteers Morning Tea

School community members who have volunteered their time to support the school are invited to a special morning tea on Friday 1 Dec at 11.10am in the school hall. We truly value any time a parent or grandparent gives to our school whether it is on one of our parent committees, supporting our fete, volunteering in the canteen or classroom helpers, please come along.

School Spectacular

Congratulations to our two shining stars, Mahek Jain and Ava Harvey for their representation of our school at this annual event. Both students had an exhausting 4 days of rehearsals and performances. This was an incredible opportunity for the girls to be a part of a state wide production.



Mahek Jain & Ava Harvey at School Spectacular last week.

Miss Annetts and Mr Harris travelled with 50 students from Stage 2 and Stage 3 to enjoy the show. Students were enthralled with the creative staging and talent of students from public schools. It was a fantastic opportunity for our students.

Anti-Racism Contact Officer

ARCO stands for Anti-Racism Contact Officer. Our school has a new ARCO, Miss Angela Jenner who along with Mrs Helen Cooper (retrained) will work to educate and effectively counteract racism with staff, students and all other employees. The role of the Anti-Racism Contact Officer is to receive and mediate complaints of a racial nature.

Here are some great sites for students about anti-racism www.racismnoway.com.au, www.prejudicenoway.com.au and www.makingmulticulturalaustralia.com.au.

Ms Whyte :)



**Achievement and How 2 Learn
Awards Week 7, Term 4, 2017**

**SOUTH WAGGA PUBLIC SCHOOL
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Canteen Roster

Week 9 Term 4

Mon 4: Tracey
Tues 5: Tracey
Wed 6: Tracey
Thu 7: Tracey
Fri 8: Brandi



South Wagga Public School



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
as soon as possible if your child/
children will be leaving SWPS at
the end of the year. This will
support our planning for 2018.

Achievement Awards

- KC:** Poppy Clancy—Super Reading
KH: Nate Williams—Amazing work with technology
1C: Indy Neason—Always being a great listener
1J: Andie Pieper—Displaying attentiveness in choir
2B: Zahli O'Brien—Problem solving in maths
Caleb Harvey—An excellent piano performance
2H: Matilda Kennedy—Improvement in maths
Lachlan Granger—A great poem presentation
3/4A: Will Bromham—Improving his handwriting
Jack Rodham—Excellent expert talks
3/4CP: Olivia Clarke—Investigation on silkworms
Sarah Hardy—Reading fluently when reading aloud
3/4L: Laura Harriott—Awesome artworks
Meg Rorrison—Being a great class citizen
3/4P: Riley Bye—Application to learning
Scarlett Hilsz-Lothian—Attention to detail in visual arts
Cleo Mascini—Improving mental computation in maths
5/6B: Perri Nash—Giving her best at cricket
5/6C: Lillyanah Jackson—Improved narrative writing
Baxter Crowley—Excellent PowerPoint presentation on Antarctica
5/6S: Ines Treharne—Excellent batting in cricket

Library: Maeve Bailey 5/6B, Ruby Browning 5/6B, Sophie Ramage 5/6B
Band: Nate Sarantakos 5/6S, Maggie Ryan 5/6C, Mollie Walker 3/4A



How 2 Learn Awards

- KC:** Furios Freemantle—Empathy towards others
KH: Lily van Duinen—Collaborative learning
1C: Cooper Jacobson—Effective listening skills
1J: Owen Davidson—Collaborative learning in maths
2B: Aum Joshi—Managing his distractions
2H: Fletcher Bradley—Demonstrating critical thinking when exploring
persuasive texts
3/4A: Devanshi Joshi—Critical thinking and problem solving
3/4CP: Jayla Cook—Capitalising in maths
3/4L: Gilbert Ruwald—Always managing distractions
3/4P: Talea Manley—Perseverance in literacy
5/6B: Bonny McKean—Being a team player
5/6C: Bradley Hiscock—Being a helpful student
5/6S: Chelsea Clarke—Excellent team moral



Parent Helpers Morning Tea Friday, 8 December



Our Parent Helpers' Morning Tea is to be held on Friday 8 December 2017
from 11.10am in the school hall.

All parents who have helped in any way around the school are cordially
invited to attend. Please contact the school office if you are able to attend
on 69212947 or the school email sthwagga-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au.



**Kinder and Stage 1
Water Fun
Rewards Day
Tuesday 21st
November 2017**

Stage 3 T20 Cricket Gala day

On Tuesday, 21st November, two boys and girls T20 cricket teams went to Canberra to play in the T20 cricket finals. All teams played 5 games each. South Wagga Thunder girls' won 4 out of 5 games coming 5th in the end. The Sixer's girls' team played off in the semi-finals against Dubbo West and unfortunately went down. Then they played Saint Raph's Cowra for 3rd & 4th position. It was a close game but they lost and came 4th overall. The Sixer's boys' team won 2 games and lost 3. The Year 5 Thunder team won 3 games and losing 2, in the end coming 7th. Everyone enjoyed themselves and had a great day out in Canberra.

Perri Nash, Bonny McKean and Austin Cornell



Stage 3 End of year Party Day

Stage 3 students' class party will be on Tuesday, 12th December, 2017. Activities will include a pizza lunch at school, followed by water activities at the OASIS. Students will need to wear hats, sports uniform and bring their swimming gear, including sunscreen. All students are to return to school after our swim at the OASIS.

Food Drive — Christmas Food Donations

South Wagga Public School are collecting non perishable hamper items for the St Vincent de Paul.

Suggestions for our hamper :-

Kinder— Bon bons, small puddings, pavlova nests/base, Christmas cake

Years 1/2—Savoury biscuits, kids snacks (LCMs, muesli bars)

Years 3/4—Lollies, chips, long life custard, long life milk, cereal

Years 5/6—Sweet biscuits, shortbread, soft drink, cordial

Any donations will be gratefully accepted at the school office.



P & C News

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

1st Prize : Ti Sento Milano Stirling Silver 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

Ticket books available for collection at the office 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.

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 have been sent home.



2017 Fete Stall Results

Once again, a massive thank you to our SWPS community! Each and every donation of goods, services, discounts, mufti day requests, food, silent auction and white elephant, big or small, for our fete, is very much appreciated. Thank you to the many volunteers that gave up their time in the leadup, on fete day or after to make sure our fete was a success. I'm sure you'll agree after seeing how much fun the children had on the night, that all the hard work was worth it!

As mentioned in an earlier newsletter, we made approximately \$17,800 from this year's school fete. Below is a listing of the stalls and the profits made by each:

Amusements	3,140	Henna	267
BBQ	635	Hot Dogs	496
Café	288	Hot Food Buffett	1,657
Cake & Sweet Stall	822	Kids Games	203
Clothing Pool	183	Kids Mystery Pick	641
Craft Stall	78	Lucky Numbers	230
Crazy Hair/Face Paint	147	Plaster Moulds	57
Disco	108	Kids Food Cart	289
Drinks	344	Silent Auction	3,820
Gourmet Food Stall	1,522	Sponge Throwing	257
Hair Braiding	169	White Elephant	859
Ham Wheel	1,628		



Thanks, must also go to our amazing teachers and staff at SWPS, your continued support of our Fete, makes our job so much easier.

If you have some amazing new ideas or suggestions for improvements, we'd love to hear from you. Or even if you'd like to help on the Fete Committee in 2018, please come along to the P&C AGM early in 2018 and express your interest and/or share your ideas. Everyone is very welcome.

2017 SWPS P&C Fete Committee