



South Wagga Public  
School

# Bulletin

*Achieve with Pride*  
Respectful~Responsible~Connected



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## Learning @ SWPS: Mindfulness

Next week we will be focusing on developing our skills of mindfulness. Mindfulness involves thinking of others and our interactions with them.

Student language may include:

- Appreciating other people's views.
- Being aware of those around us.
- Ensuring we don't interrupt other's learning.
- Speaking to others in a polite and respectful manner.

Through mindfulness, SWPS aims to help students build their capacity to interact effectively with their peers.

## Bell times for 2019

9:20-11:20 Morning session  
11:20-11:47 Lunch 1  
11:47-12:15 Lunch 2  
12:15-14:15 Mid session  
14:15-14:35 Recess  
14:35-15:20 Afternoon session

## A message from our Principal

### P&C Colour Run

The time has come for our Colour Run on Saturday 9 November. The event commences at 5:00pm. Families and friends are welcome to participate. All participants need to wear eye protection. A sausage sizzle and drinks will be available on the night with proceeds supporting our P&C. It is set to be a fun-filled event with dancing, competitions and time together as a school community.

### Kinder Orientation

Our annual Kinder Orientation program has finished. We are welcoming around forty new members to our school next year. The transition program aims to lessen the anxiety for students as they move to 'big school' and build early partnerships with our families to support their child. The Year 5 buddies did an incredible job to ensure that our new students felt a sense of belonging and connected to their new environment. We look forward to officially welcoming them next year.

### Remembrance Day

Remembrance Day is a day of special significance to all Australians, commemorating the loss of Australian lives in all wars, conflicts and peace operations. Our school will be acknowledging this special event on Monday 11 November.

### Respect Week

As one of our core values Respect, (for yourself and others) is an important attribute to have. At our school we wish to support our families in instilling the understanding and actions of what it is to be respectful. We will be acknowledging the importance of showing respect during the week from Saturday 16-23 November. I encourage you to discuss this with your child in regards to what it means to be respectful, what actions show you are being respectful and how you can speak in respectful way.

### Riverina Conservatorium Band Concert

Our school band will be participating in a Combined Schools Band Day at the Riverina Conservatorium next Friday. There will be an evening performance commencing at 5:30pm-7:00pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. Bring along a blanket and picnic and enjoy the sounds of individual schools and the combined band.



**PSSA Touch Finals**

Both boys and girls teams travelled to Sydney earlier this week to compete in the PSSA Touch Finals. We are so proud of them for their achievements. The girls placed runners up in the state against Newport and the boys placed in the top 6. A truly commendable effort. Thank you to Mrs Cooper and parents for supporting our students.

**School Leavers**

If you know that your child/children will not be attending South Wagga Public School next year, please notify the office as soon as possible to assist us with our 2020 planning.

**Sydney FC Soccer**

Last Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November, Football Wagga Wagga in association with Sydney FC held soccer clinics in the morning for our K-2 students. Our student’s enjoyed learning new skills, improving their foot eye coordination and learning to work as part of a team. The student’s enjoyed 40minutes of fun and games in a collaborative environment. We were also lucky to host Sydney FC midfielder Taylor Ray. She is a young gun midfielder that had her breakout season with the club in 2017/2018. Taylor was selected in the Young Matildas squad and students were able to ask questions about her pathways into such an elite level of football.



**Important Dates**

Spelling Bee Championships	8 November
P&C Colour Run 5:00-7:00pm	9 November
Year 5 Leaders 2020 Speeches	14 November
Riverina Conservatorium Band Day	15 November
P&C Meeting @ 6:00pm	20 November
Stage 3 REEC visit	20-21 November
Schools Spectacular	22 November
Proud & Deadly Awards	26 November
WWHS Year 7 2020 Orientation Day	3 December
Kinder and Year 6 Buddy Assembly	5 December
Talent Show	10 December
Presentation Night	12 December
Stage 1 Party– Bowling	16 December
Stage 3 Party– Oasis	17 December
Year 6 Farewell	17 December
Stage 2 Party– Movies	17 December
Kindergarten Party	18 December
Students last day for 2019	18 December

**Canteen**

**Opening days for the canteen are Wednesday, Thursday and Friday only.**

**Volunteers needed - please contact the school.**

**Hume Bank**

**School Banking**

School banking will be collected early TUESDAY morning. You could send the banking in on Monday so it is here for collection early Tuesday morning.



### Buddy artwork

Take a look at our prize winners from the buddy drawing competition we held during our special buddy bonding time last week!

Our year 6 students love spending time with their kindy buddies and will definitely miss them next year!

Congratulations to Scarlett Hilsz-Lothian and James Wilson for being the prize winners!

Mr Brodie and Mr Brooks



### School Band

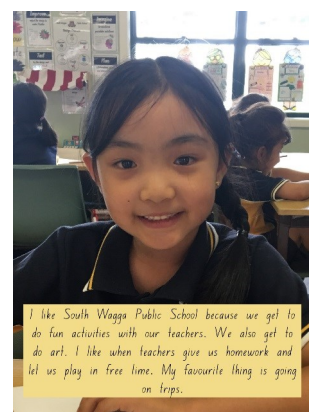
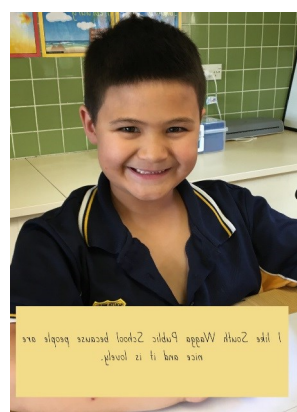
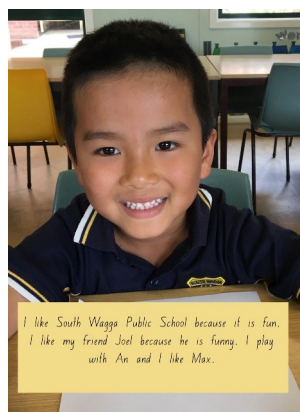
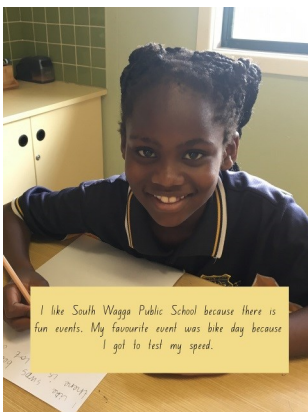
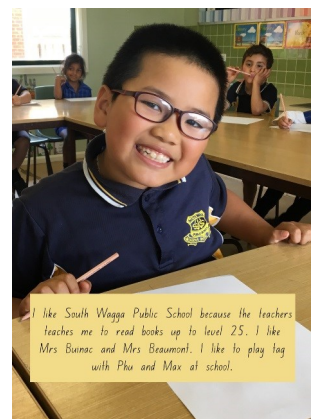
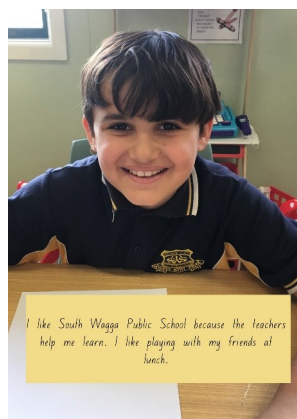
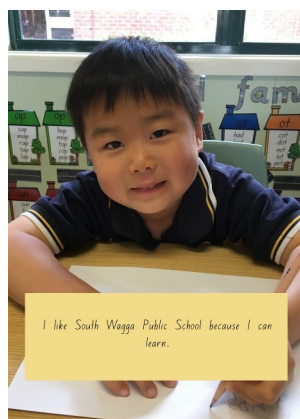
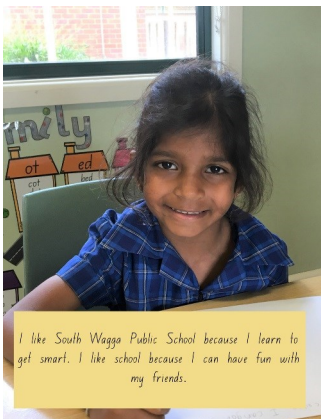
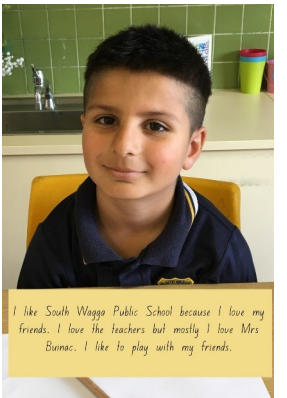
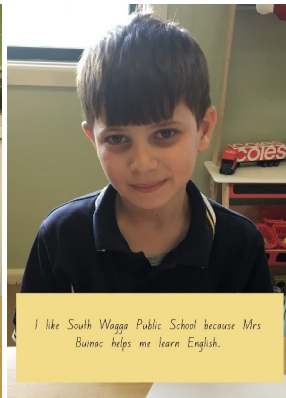
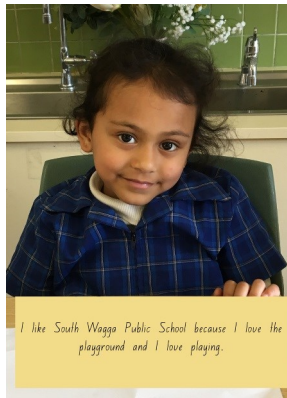
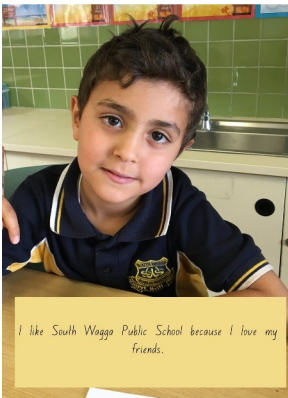
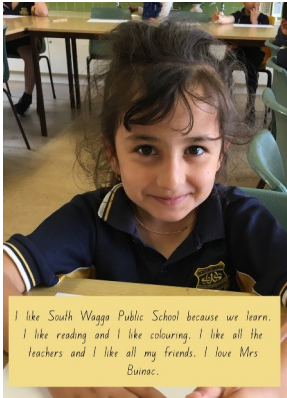


It was a great band practice Wednesday morning with our two Band Captains, Felix McNellie and Jack Julian conducting the warm ups. The school band is busily preparing for the Combined Schools Band workshop and concert at the Riverina Conservatorium of Music next Friday, 15 November. We are also excited to perform at the morning assembly in a couple of weeks.

Students eager to learn an instrument and join the School Band in 2020 will have an opportunity soon to come and try their instrument of choice, in anticipation of joining next year.

K-2 EAL/D

Our EAL/D students have been working hard with their writing this term and took time to reflect on their learning journey at South Wagga Public School.



**P&C News**

**SOUTH WAGGA P & C COLOUR FESTIVAL**  
**– Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2019 5PM – 7PM**

Early Bird discount registration has ended but don't miss this fun filled event. Registrations are still open and you can also come along and register at the event.

➡ Registration table will be open from 4:45pm.

➡ Let's get creative, we have prizes for:

- Best dressed family.
- Best dressed child of different ages.
- Best dressed group
- Best dressed dancer
- Messiest & most colourful entrant. . . . and more.



Wear your tutu's and bring your dancing shoes!

➡ Bring a chair or picnic rug, we have a BBQ, drinks and Zooper Doopers available to purchase. **Please remember that Alcohol is not permitted.**

➡ A Raffle with 3 great prizes,  
 \$100 voucher at Romano's The Hampden & 2 x Food Hampers.

**Thankyou to following for your support**



**Lost Property**  
 Every week the lost property container is over-flowing. The amount of items of clothing NOT labelled is unbelievable!  
**PLEASE ENSURE ALL** items of clothing are **LABELLED**.

**CLOTHING POOL**  
 OPEN EVERY THURSDAY AFTERNOON  
 FROM 3.00PM TO 3.45PM  
 Contact Leanne :-  
 0401 338 675

20% off Schoolwear Thursday 14 November

**LOWES**  
**20% OFF**  
**SCHOOLWEAR**  
 AND EVERYTHING ELSE!  
 INSTORE & ONLINE THURSDAY 14TH NOVEMBER.



Achievement and Learning @ SWPS Awards Week 3 Term 4 2019

# Assembly Awards

Class	Achievement Awards	Learning @ SWPS	Principal's School Values Awards
K Koalas	Ella Herbert	Coco Sutherland	 Airlie Fisher
K Possums	Yiming Xu	Zoe Harford	
1 Bilbies	Sam Hogan	Charlotte Neighal	 Dutch Hilton
1 Magpies	Chawisa Jatura-O-Pas and Van Anh Trinh	Alex Springett	
2 Goannas	Max O'Brien and Henry Julian	An Nguyen	 Beau Forrester
2 Wombats	Kayley Maslin and Mikayla Harvey	Patrick Winson	
3/4 Echidnas	Blair Walsh and Halle Clancy	Andie Pieper	
3/4 Galahs	William Kerr and Nandi Ncube	Archer Cole	
3/4 Kookaburras	Lachlan Granger and Asher McNellie	Caleb Harvey	
5/6 Dingoes	Olivia Delaney and Lucy Croker	Caitlain Simpson	
5/6 Emus	Felix McNellie and Olivia Clarke	Otis Irvin	
5/6 Kangaroos	Tom Kerr and Jesse Steed	Ethan Kemp	
5/6 Quokkas	Lenny Pieper and Gilbert Ruwald	Marlee Richards	

### Special Awards

**Library -**  
5/6 Quokkas

**Environment -**  
5/6 Dingoes  
Student: James Wilson

**Assembly -**

**RFF—**  
3/4 Kookaburras

**Movement -**  
3/4 Gallahs

**Uniform -**  
1 Magpies

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