



Willawarrin Public School

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Term 4 Week 9

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CAPTAIN'S SPEECHES

Voting for 2021 School Captains took place last Thursday after the speeches from our Year 5 students. Well done all and good luck! Captains will be announced at the Presentation Assembly on Tuesday 8th December.



Dear Parents

A huge well done to our swimmers who have shown dedication, perseverance and commitment to improving their swimming. We all noticed how tired and worn out they were after each session so we know they were putting in a huge effort. Of course, it helped that it was cool and refreshing in the water. Thanks to our swimming instructors as well.

Excursions

Thanks to everyone for returning notes and confirming numbers so we can finalise payments. The two excursions were fully funded by generous donations and we thank them profusely. Additional information for the 3-6 class camp at Yarrahapinni is attached. Please remember lollies and snacks are not to be taken to camp. K-2 excursion to Billabong Koala Park will depart school at 8.30am and return by 3.30pm. If you have any concerns regarding these times, please contact the school.

Presentation day

Our last formal assembly for the year will be tomorrow at 10.00am. Due to Covid19 restrictions we cannot have parents or visitors attend. Awards for student achievement will be presented. Students will also be performing some items. We will be taking photos and videos of the students to be uploaded onto our website and Facebook as soon as possible. The school website address is at the top of this Muster.

Year 6 Dinner

The Year 6 Farewell is organised for Wednesday at 6:30pm at the Willawarrin Hall. This is our opportunity to say thank you to our senior students for their efforts in making our school a better place and to wish them all the best as they move into the next phase of their learning journey.

Class Party and Remote Control Car Day

End of year class parties will be held on Thursday 10th December. Due to Covid19 guidelines please bring a packaged, store bought snack such as chips, biscuits, lollies, party pies. No home made goods or products containing nuts. Students can choose between watching The Grinch (G) or The Christmas Chronicles (PG). If you do not want your child to watch these movies please contact the school.

If your child has a remote control car at home and they would like to bring it to school, Thursday is the day.

2021 organisation

The staff have been working through some very exciting additions to the learning provided this year. We are going to continue with our commitment to our Yowie Learner Dispositions and our commitment to Visible Learning. We have been reviewing the success of the stage Numeracy and Writing groups and have seen some very good growth in our students. This will be continued next year with the addition of spelling, reading and handwriting groups in the 3-4-5-6 class.

I look forward to sharing our improvement projects with families and community next year.

Have a great week.

Kindest regards

Stephen de Roos



BOOKS IN HOMES - Mick Eller from Kempsey Rotary Club will be visiting our school tomorrow to present books to the students.

RECOVERY HUB ELVES - will visit on Wednesday afternoon with gifts for our students.

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WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
9 7th to 11th December	Canteen	Presentation and Concert	Year 6 Farewell Dinner	Class parties Remote control car day UMPS concert	Canteen
10 14th to 18th December	Year 3-6 Yarrahapinni Camp (3 days)	K-2 Billabong excursion	Last Day Term 4 for Students	SDD	SDD
1 25th to 29th January 2021		AUSTRALIA DAY	SDD	SDD	Years 1-6 commence