

- 20.10.23
Swimming
for Sport 3-6
- 06.11.23 to
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Swimming K-
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- 22.11.23 to
24.11.23
Great Aussie
Bush camp
- 05.12.23 End
of year
Presentation
- 11.12.23 Year
6 Farewell
- 15.12.23 Last
Day Term 4
- 08.02.24 Stu-
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Term 1
- 09.02.24
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Wee Waa Public School



We would like to pay our respects and acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land and also pay respect to Elders both past and present.

WEEK 2, TERM 4

17 OCTOBER 2023

Welcome to Week 2, Term 4. Students and staff are busy and back into the routine of learning.

Last Friday all students in years 3-6 attended swimming for sport. This will continue every Friday for the remainder of the Term. The school is covering the cost of pool entry. Students need to bring swimmers, towel, rash shirt and goggles if they have them. *Please mark our annual Presentation event on your calendar on Tuesday 5th December. This year the event will be held during the school day. The formal assembly commences at 11.00am and will be followed by lunch for all students, staff and visitors.*

Please join us as we celebrate the academic, sporting, social and artistic achievements of our students in 2023. We're looking forward to a new, fresh and relevant Presentation event.

Transition has recommenced for Term 4. All students who are intending to start kindergarten in 2024 are welcome to attend. Transition runs every Monday from 9.00am until 3.00pm. Please call into the school office via the Cowper Street entrance if you'd like more information or an enrolment form. During the transition program your child will be introduced to the school rules and routines, as well as many different aspects of school life. K6D have been learning

about Living Things. The students germinated sunflower seeds in cotton wool and planted them into our garden beds. We're excited to care for them and watch them grow!

Breakfast club for all students runs every morning between 8.30 and 8.55am under the COLA at the school hall and all students are welcome.

Please remember to label school jumpers and hats. The cold mornings and warm days mean lots of jumpers are being discarded in the playground. If they have a name on them it's much easier to return them to their rightful owners.

Kathy Nott (Principal)



Respecting the past, valuing the present, aiming for the future

Upcoming Events

SWIMMING FOR SPORT

All students in Years 3-6 will be swimming for sport every Friday during Term 4. Pool entry fees are covered by the school. Students will need swimmers (no bikini's), rash shirt, school hat, towel and goggles if you have them.



SCHOOL CANTEEN

Just a reminder that parents are not able to book up lunch orders or order things on credit at the high school canteen.

Please ensure lunch orders are in before 9.00am daily.

INTENSIVE SWIMMING

The pool has been booked in Weeks 5&6 this term for our two week Intensive Swimming Program. All students in K-2 and selected primary students will attend every day.

The program focuses on developing confidence and water safety skills and is an extremely important skill for all children to master.

PRESENTATION ASSEMBLY & LUNCH

Please join us on Tuesday 5th December at 11.00am in the school hall for our annual presentation event. The formal assembly will be followed by a lunch for all school staff, students and visitors. Please come along and help us celebrate the academic, sporting, social and artistic achievements of our students.



P&C News

Please consider joining the P&C. There's a role to suit everyone and many hands make light work! Meetings are held monthly on Monday afternoons from 5.30pm.

NOTES HANDED OUT

NOTES TO BE RETURNED

YOU COULD WIN A SCOOTER!

Our new Behaviour Management Policy is up and running. The system is based on the Positive Behaviour for Learning model. Students are able to earn three different tickets for demonstrating positive behaviour.

RED—Do your personal best

BLUE—Be responsible

GREEN—Be respectful

There was much excitement last term when we had our first major prize draw. Second prize was a batting set and the ticket drawn out was awarded for Being Responsible and belonged to Heidi Small. Congratulations Heidi.

A scooter and helmet were up for grabs for first prize and Alex Nean-Williams had his name drawn from the barrel on a red Do Your Personal Best ticket. Great work Alex.

Weekly prize draws will continue this term and the final prize for the end of Term 4 is a push bike!

Keep up the great work everyone.



Flood Funding

We've recently been provided with \$500 per student as part of the NSW government flood effected schools funding. All students who were enrolled in our school during Term 4, 2022 have received the payment.

This money is held at the school as a credit for each student. The money can be used to pay for excursions, extra curricular activities and school uniforms. It can not be used at the school canteen.

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Attention Parents

EXCITING NEWS -
WWOOSH NOW OFFERS BEFORE
SCHOOL CARE FROM 7-9AM

We currently have vacancies and serve a
delicious, healthy breakfast daily.



Contact Anita

between 3 & 6pm on

0418 324 861

for more information



Classwork Corner - K6D

K6D have had a busy start to Term Four. In class, the students are continuing to work hard in the ongoing development of their literacy and numeracy skills through a variety of classroom activities in our morning and middle sessions. Students have benefited in their learning from having daily assistance from our School Learning Support Officers; Robyn, Phoebe and Maddy. In Science we have continued investigating Living Things with our germinated sunflower seeds from Term Three flourishing and hopefully close to flowering. This term we have been studying types of animals and how they are classified into different groups based on certain characteristics. Our art lessons this semester have followed our theme of animals and this week we will be creating artwork related to an animal from the reptile family. Maybe a snake or a crocodile. In Aboriginal Language this semester with Robyn we have been learning about kinship and the names of native animals. Students have enjoyed these lessons that always end with a game of Lingo Bingo. In History we are continuing to look at the early days of European colonisation from the perspective of both indigenous and non-indigenous Australians. Last term we explored the life of convicts in the colony and this term we have learnt about the warrior, Pemulwuy and his resistance to European colonisation. This week in our History lesson we will investigate Woollarawarre Bennelong and his relationship with Governor Arthur Phillip.

Mrs Duncan K6D

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TRANSITION TO KINDERGARTEN

COMMENCING
MONDAY, 24TH
JULY

ALL STUDENTS WHO ARE DUE TO START KINDERGARTEN IN 2024 ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

PHONE THE SCHOOL OFFICE ON 6795 4284 FOR AN ENROLMENT PACK

This program will run every Monday during Term 3&4 from 9.00am until 3.00pm. 24 July to 11 Dec