

WAMOON PUBLIC SCHOOL



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NEWSLETTER

Term 4 Week 5

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DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

Kinder orientation commences Tuesday 7 November
12.30 pm - 3pm
Thursday 9 November - Infants trip to Altina Wildlife Park



PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

Welcome to Week 5.

It is good to be back after my extended leave break. Thanks to Mrs Morden for her excellent work over the past month.

Please make note of the following items.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Emily Downie as last weeks H2L Raffle winner.

Students receive raffle tickets throughout the week by displaying positive growth mindset learning behaviours.

Students are acknowledged for using their manners, being a good friend, helping others, wearing our school uniform with pride, playing nicely, trying hard with their learning tasks.



YEAR 6 TO YR 7 ORIENTATION DAY

On Tuesday 28 November all Year 6 students will spend the day at Leeton High School for their Year 7 orientation Day. The focus of the day is to introduce Year 6 to High School routine.

I have attached a letter from the High School to this newsletter with more information, along with a permission note.



A reminder that 2018 Kinder children will commence their orientation program. Children are asked to arrive at 12.30 pm and will remain at school to home time 3.00 pm.

Children will need to bring along recess. Orientation program will run for 4 weeks. We look forward to seeing all our new students and hope they enjoy their time with us.

PRIMARY NEWS

Thank you to those parents who have signed up to the Primary Classroom's Class Dojo page. Anyone who is interested in signing up, can do so by contacting the school for log in details.

SUN SAFE PLAY

During Term 4 **ALL** students are required to wear a hat while playing outside. School hats are for sale from the Front Office.

SCHOOL OPERATION HOURS

Please note that school hours are from **8.30am** to **3.00pm**

Students arriving at school prior to 8.30am are NOT supervised and therefore should not be on school grounds.

Whilst, the school endeavors to understand and accommodate for the complexities of juggling work commitments with family commitments, unless prior arrangements have been made, we appreciate your cooperation in safeguarding the safety of your child by ensuring they are only on school grounds during normal operation hours.



On Thursday 9 November all of the Infant children will be going on an excursion to Altina Wildlife Park.

They will depart school at 8.50 am and return at 2.30 pm approx. Children will need to take recess and a water bottle. Lunch will be provided. Travel will be by bus.

Please complete the permission note attached and return to school by Wednesday 8 November.



Japanese Day



Japanese Day by Hailey

On Japanese day, last Friday, we came to school and we dressed up different. Mrs Morden's name was called Morden Sensei and we did activities in the classrooms. We did the chop stick relay and we learnt how to write the numbers one to ten in Japanese.

We had assembly in the afternoon to finish the day.

Japanese Day by Shakira

On Japanese day, last Friday, we came to school dressed up in different Japanese costumes. When we went in groups we made fan and toys and had a challenge. For lunch we had rice and teriyaki beef and we had to use chop sticks. We watched a movie and it was called Ponyo.

The Japanese colours are white and red.

The karate man came to Wamoon School and his name was Brayden and he showed us karate moves. This was my favourite part of the day.

Japanese Day

On Japanese day, last Friday, we came to school in different costumes.

When we arrived we had a play in the sand pit and when the bell went Morden Sensei put us into groups the first one I went to was in the green class room.

We had a look at the old ink that Mrs Morden brought home from Japan it was a long time ago and when the bell went again we swapped class to the chop stick relay. After that we had lunch, it was teriyaki beef. After lunch we finished our last activity and we watched a movie, it was called Ponyo.

A man came, he showed us some karate moves. He showed us how to do a push up with our knuckles and we had to jump on our knuckles.

I came dressed as the colours of the flag red, white and black.

My favourite bit was when we watched Ponyo.

by Isabella Mulloy