- **Tuesday, April 9th** – K-2 Pirate Day!
- **Friday, April 11th** – Easter Hat Parade + Shared Lunch + K-6 Assembly - K/1 SHOWCASE CLASS
- **Thursday, April 25th** – ANZAC Day March. Students are encouraged to join our school and march in the RSL Sub Branch ANZAC Day Observance.
- **Monday, April 29th** – Staff Development Day (SCHOOL OFFICE WILL BE OPEN)
- **Tuesday, April 30th** – Term 2 Resumes for all Students
- **Tuesday, April 30th** – LNPSSA Touch Football Gala Day

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Wamoon Public School Presents

**EASTER HAT PARADE**

12th April, 2019

Easter Hat Making will commence at 10am followed by a shared lunch at 11.15am. Easter Hat parade will commence at 12.15pm where prizes for best hat for boy and girl will be given. Assembly will follow at 12.45pm where K/1 will be presenting their class item.

[Image of Easter Hat Parade poster]
Principals Message

Hi folks,
We have reached the end of an exciting and successful term at our school. It has been busy and I can see that the students are in need of a well-deserved break spent with their family. I commend the vast majority of the students for showing high levels of resilience in ensuring their effort and behaviour has remained constant throughout the term!

The major event of this week and a fitting way to finish the term will happen on Friday. Our Easter Hat Parade will begin with students making their hats before we all sit down together for a shared lunch. It would be great to see as many community members as possible join us! Students will then show off their amazing hats at 12.15pm in our COLA. I can’t wait to see their designs! Our K-6 Assembly will follow where K/1 will be the headline act. We will also present our final Merit Awards of the term.

Last week, Miss George and I joined colleagues from Yanco Public School and Gralee Public School in school tours. We had the opportunity to visit different classrooms and learning spaces as well as showcase what our school has to offer. We will continue to work with both schools in the future to share our collective resources and wisdom.

I encourage all students to attend Leeton RSL Sub Branch ANZAC Day March and Observance on Thursday, April 25. Students from Wamoon Public School will meet at the Leeton Court House at 9.30am and march to the cenotaph. School leaders will lay a wreath as sign of remembrance on behalf of students and staff. All students who represent our school will receive a School Spirit Award for their efforts. Students must wear full school uniform.

Moving into Term 2, I will again distribute a calendar to all families with upcoming events (known at the time). I was hoping to finalise Years 3-6 excursion arrangements before the end of Term 1 however will communicate details early in Term 2.

I wish everyone the very best for an enjoyable Easter Break! Thank you for your support throughout the Term. I look forward to catching up with you all on Friday at our Easter Hat Parade.

Mr Matt Collins
Principal
Wamoon Public School

Wamoon Public School Website

Our website address is https://wamoon-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/
I have been working on our website and am slowly getting our website to full functionality. I have made progress and at this point, if you visit our website you will be able to find;

- A copy of the latest Newsletter (also past copies beginning at Term 1, Weeks 7-8)
- Some new albums in the Photo Gallery (MORE TO COME!)

Moving into Term 2, I will be working to ensure;
- All photos from Term 1 are uploaded into galleries
- The Term 2 Calendar will be updated

Current Notes Out
- LNPSSA Touch Football Gala Day
Kickstart for Kids – Expression of Interest

Please contact the school if your child is aged between 4/5 and you are intending on enrolling them at Wamoon Public School. We are looking at recommencing our Kickstart For Kids program in the coming weeks and require additional enrolments. If you know of parents in the wider community who you feel would be interested could you please ask them to contact the school.

Newsletter Distribution

The Newsletter will now be distributed on a **fortnightly basis**. This will allow for more content to be included as well for classroom teachers to provide content. I have noted a great deal of parents use our Facebook site to remain updated. I will continue to provide regular updates on our page including any breaking news and urgent reminders.

The Newsletter will be distributed every odd week; Week 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 & 11.

**Term 1 K-6 Assembly Roster**

Assemblies will be held three times a term. Dates are included below which I hope will help parents plan their attendance!

Assemblies will be held in the afternoon session beginning at **2.00pm**.

- **Friday, March 1 (Week 5)** – Showcase Class is 4/5/6
- **Friday, March 22 (Week 8)** – Showcase Class is 2/3
- **Friday, April 12 (Week 11)** – Showcase Class is K/1

**P & C News**
We have been fortunate enough to have Keshia and Bec running our Breakfast Program daily! Students have been enjoying toast with different toppings as well as cereal.

During colder months we have decided to provide each child with a **FREE MILO** on Wednesday’s! On all other days, a warm cup of Milo can be purchased for 50c.

**CHARACTER COUNTS AWARDS**

**Week 10**

Character Counts Awards - Week 10

**Week 11**

**SCHOOL SPIRIT AWARDS**

**ALF HERRMANN LODGE PROGRAM**

**Week 8**

**Week 10**
Sports News

LNPSSA Rugby League and Netball Gala Day
Yesterday, Sonny, Byron and Jayse participated in the LNPSSA Rugby League Gala Day. Sonny and Byron represented the Small Schools 'Barbarians' playing alongside peers from Leeton and Parkview PS. Both boys developed their skills across the day and enjoyed a close match against Narrandera PS going down by only two points on the buzzer!

Elyssia, Marley, Hailey, Shakira and Isabella represented the Small Schools in the Netball section. Miss Barnhill was impressed by the way in which the girls tried their best against stronger opposition. Well done girls.

LNPSSA Touch Football Gala Day
This event will be held on the first day back of Term 2 for Stage 3 students as well as selected Year 4 students. A permission note will be distributed today!