



WAMOON PUBLIC SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER

Term 1, Weeks 1 & 2

Tuesday 23 June 2019

Week 1

- **Monday, July 22-** Staff Development Day
- **Tuesday, July 23-** Students Return!, Kick Start 4 Kids; 1.40pm-3.00pm, Character Counts Awards Presented
- **Thursday, July 25-** SMALL SCHOOLS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
- **Friday, July 26-** Sports All Star Awards Presented

Week 2

- **Monday, July 29-** Thermomix Demonstration (All community members welcome!) @ 10.00am (Wamoon PS Staff room), Character Counts Awards Presented
- **Tuesday, July 30-** Kick Start 4 Kids; 1.40pm-3.00pm
- **Wednesday, July 31-** Leeton Eisteddfod Verse Speaking; K-2 Performing @ 9.30am, K/1 Parent/Teacher Interviews
- **Friday, August 2-** K-6 Sport



How good do our new Sporting Representative shirts look!
Thank you to the Wamoon P & C 😊



Principals Message

Hi folks,

Welcome back to an exciting term! Can you believe that we are halfway through the school year already 😊 Term 2 finished on a high note with a large array of activities designed to reward our students their effort and behaviour. Students from K-6 enjoyed the **Leeton High School 'Back to the 80s'** performance (and hummed along to some well-known songs!). Students who attended the **Tutankhamen Roadshow** were 'wowed' by ancient artefacts and the opportunities to explore the contents of the truck. Another highlight was the visit to **Griffith Regional Theatre** to view 'The Twits' by Years 3-6 students.

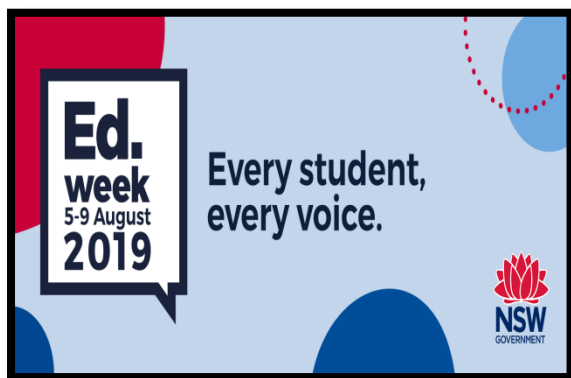
I have sent home a **Term 3 Calendar** with all known dates today. I trust this will help and take pride of place on the fridge!

I have had a few positive conversations with parents about their child's Semester 1 Reports which were handed out at the end of last term. Parent/Teacher interviews will be held in Weeks 2 & 3 (see below).

This week **Wamoon Public School** will host the **Small Schools Athletics Carnival** this Thursday, July 25. All our students are excited to participate and do their best! I'm confident we will have several students do well. Please find further information in this newsletter including a program of events.

PLEASE RETURN!

- Parent/Teacher Interview Request Form
- Small Schools Athletics Permission Note
- Athletics Carnival Lunch Pre-Order Form



Week 3 is Education Week across all New South Wales public schools. The theme for 2019 Education Week is **Every student, every voice**. It is a celebration of student empowerment and how the NSW public education system gives students the skills they need in order to have and express a voice during their own educational journey and as engaged global citizens.

Wamoon Public School will be celebrating Education Week on **Wednesday, August 7**. See flier at the back of Newsletter! I hope to see many community members at this event!

Mr Matt Collins
Principal

Semester 1 - Parent/Teacher Interviews

Last term, **Parent/Teacher Interview Requests Forms** were included in every student's report envelope. Each classroom teacher will have the opportunity to meet with parents on the following days;

Miss Taylor; Wednesday, July 21

Miss George; Wednesday, August 7

Mr Collins & Miss Barnhill; Tuesday, August 6

Classroom teachers will be available from 11.15am-4.30pm to meet with parents to discuss your child's progress. I **strongly encourage** all families to return their form and secure a spot.

Additional notes were sent home today.

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!)



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 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.



Wamoon Public School is now accepting enrolments for **Kickstart for Kids 2019**. Held each Tuesday.

- Open for students who will transition to primary school in 2020
- Smaller group size allowing increased personalised attention.
- School readiness program equipping boys and girls with appropriate developmental skills

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Find us

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**.

Term 2- K-6 Assembly Roster

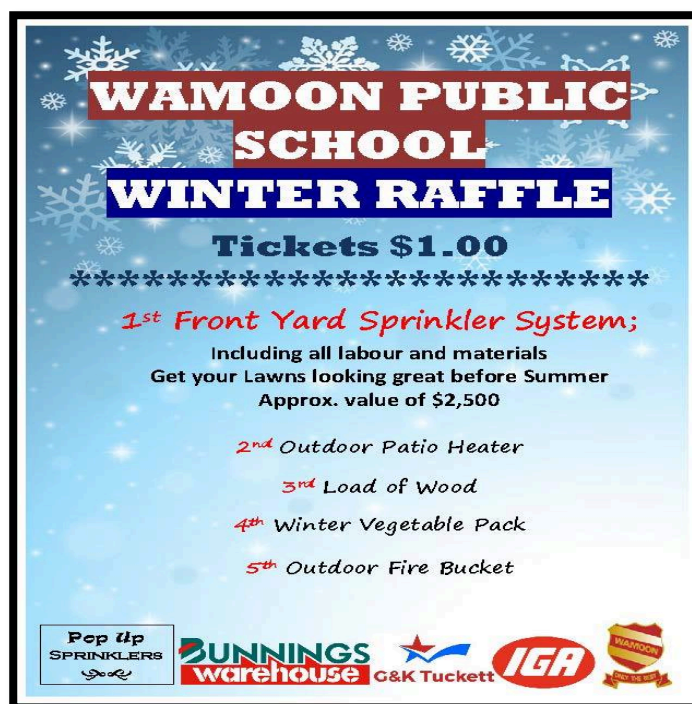
Assemblies will be held three times a term. Dates are included below which I hope will help parents plan their attendance!

- **Friday, August 9** – K/1 SHOWCASE Class
- **Friday, September 6** – 2/3 SHOWCASE Class
- **Wednesday, September 25** – 4/5/6 SHOWCASE Class

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

P & C News

- The **July P & C Meeting** will be held on **Wednesday, August 7 beginning at 5.00pm**. All community members are welcome to attend and contribute 😊
- One of our major fundraising events of the year is currently on! Thank you to those who have already returned sold tickets for the **P & C Winter Raffle!**
- A huge thank you to the **P & C** who have generously donated funds towards purchasing **Sporting Representative Shirts** for our students. This donation comes on the back of consistent fundraising which couldn't occur without the support of volunteers!



WAMOON PUBLIC SCHOOL WINTER RAFFLE

Tickets \$1.00

1st Front Yard Sprinkler System;
Including all labour and materials
Get your Lawns looking great before Summer
Approx. value of \$2,500

2nd Outdoor Patio Heater

3rd Load of Wood

4th Winter Vegetable Pack

5th Outdoor Fire Bucket

Pop Up SPRINKLERS
BUNNINGS warehouse
G&K Tuckett
IGA
WAMOON PUBLIC SCHOOL

Wamoon Community Thermomix Demonstration

When: Monday, July 29 from 10.00am

Where: Wamoon Public School Staff Room

Who: All interested community members are welcome attend!

What: Live cooking demonstrations using the Thermomix including taste testing!

RSVP: Please let the school know if you can attend!

Demonstration will be hosted by **Kara Bourke – Thermomix consultant**





SMALL SCHOOLS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2019 FINAL REMINDERS!

Wamoon Public School will be hosting the **Small Schools Athletics Carnival** this **Thursday, July 25** at the **Leeton High School Ovals**. Your child received their permission note today which needs to be returned ASAP! Please note there is no cost associated with this event.

I'm very pleased that the absolute vast majority of our students (aged 8-12) have entered in all events! We always have fantastic participation at carnivals! **A huge thank you to the large number of parents who will be assisting in officiating track/field events and assisting in the canteen!**

Canteen Pre-Orders

Pre-Orders were due last term however last minute orders **MUST** be returned by Wednesday, July 24! Please find an extra order form attached to the Newsletter 😊

Please take note of the following;

- Students must be at school by **9.15am SHARP** to ensure we can leave on time.
- Infants students (aged 5-7) will participate in **70m track events** before heading off to **Infants Tabloids Rotations**. Only students aged 5-7 will participate in these activities. **Students aged 8-12 will participate in events listed on the program only.**
- Infants students will have a planned lunch break. 8-12 years students will be encouraged to eat lunch at an appropriate time.
- Ribbons for placegetters, Age Championship trophies and the Champion School trophies will be presented at the conclusion of the final race.
- Students who place in the **TOP 4 of track events and TOP 2 of FIELD EVENTS** will represent the **Small Schools at the LNPSSA Athletics Carnival held in Week 4, Term 3.**

CHARACTER COUNTS AWARDS

Week 1



Wellbeing Program (Canteen) News



WINTER MENU

RECESS ITEMS

- 🍪 Pack of Arnott Shapes – 0.50c.
- 🍪 Pack of Arnott Tiny Teddy's - 0.50c.
- 🍪 LCM Bar – 0.60c.
- 🍪 Yoplait yogurt - \$1.00
- 🍪 Dip & crackers – 0.80c
- 🍪 Muesli Bar – 0.60c
- 🍪 Smith Chips – 0.30c

📦 **PACK ONE** - \$1.30 each

- 1x Tinny Teddy's
- 1x Packet of shapes
- 1x LCM bar

📦 **PACK TWO** - \$1.50 each

- 1x Dip & Crackers
- 1x Muesli Bar
- 1x Smith Chips

📦 **PACK THREE** - \$1.80 each

- 1x Packet of Shapes
- 1x Tiny Teddy's
- 1x Muesli Bar
- 1x LCM Bar



ALL RECESS PACKS COME WITH A FRUIT STICK...



🍌🍌🍌 Add A Yoplait Yogurt For A Extra \$1.00... 🍌🍌🍌

LUNCH ITEMS

- 🍕 Mc Cain Pizza - \$2.00
- 🍗 Steggels Nuggets – 0.50c each
- 🍔 Four N Twenty Jumbo Sausage roll - \$2.00
- 🍞 Cheese Toasties - \$2.00
- 🌽 Corn On Cob – 0.50c



FREE MILO DAY. WEDNESDAY

DRINK ITEMS

- 🥛 Moo Box Milk (Chocolate or Strawberry) - \$1.00
- 🍌 Fruit Poppers - \$1.00

ICE BLOCK ITEMS

- 🍷 Zooper Dooper – 0.50c
- 🍦 Ice Cream - \$1.00



THIS WEEKS SPECIALS

- 🍝 Spaghetti bowl - \$2.50
- 🐟 Tuna mornay - \$2.50

TOAST DAYS
VEGEMITE & BUTTER
HONEY & JAM

🍓🍇🍏🍉 WE OFFER FREE FRUIT TO ALL STUDENTS 🍉🍏🍇🍓



**Ed.
week**
5-9 August
2019

Every student,
every voice.



EDUCATION WEEK 2019 @ WAMOON PS

OPEN DAY & SHARED LUNCH

Wednesday August 07

Open Classrooms (for parents/carers to visit!)

K/1 - 9:30am

2/3 - 10:00am

4/5/6 - 10:45am

Shared BBQ Lunch to follow @ 11.15am



Wamoon Public School P & C Association

Small Schools Athletics Carnival

Pre-Order

**** Please return completed orders with payment to your child's school by **Friday, July 5** ****

Small Schools Athletics Carnival Pre-Order Form

Name:

School:

Total Amount Enclosed:

Hot Food Items		
Meat Pie	\$4.00	
Sausage Roll	\$3.50	
Hot Dog	\$3.50	
Chicken Burger	\$4.00	
Drinks/Other		
Powerade	\$5.00	
Soft Drink Can	\$2.50	
Water	\$2.00	
Juice Popper	\$1.50	
Lollies	\$0.50	
	Total	



SMALL SCHOOLS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2019 PROGRAM

NOTE: All events are to be timed – NO FINALS Events to commence at 9.50am

Event #	EVENT		Event #	EVENT	
1	800m	Junior Boys 800m	36	3 RD ROTATION	Senior Boys Discus
2		Junior Girls 800m	37		Senior Girls Discus
3		11 Years Boys 800m	38		11 Years Boys Shot Put
4		11 Years Girls 800m	39		11 Years Girls Shot Put
5		Senior Boys 800m	40		Junior Boys High Jump
6		Senior Girls 800m	41		Junior Girls High Jump
7	70m	5 Years Boys 70m	42	4 TH ROTATION	Senior Boys Long Jump
8		5 Years Girls 70m	43		Senior Girls Long Jump
9		6 Years Boys 70m	44		11 Years Boys Discus
10		6 Years Girls 70m	45		11 Years Girls Discus
11		7 Years Boys 70m	46		Junior Boys Shot Put
12		7 Years Girls 70m	47		Junior Girls Shot Put
Infants Tabloids Begin			Track Events Resume		
13	100m	8 Years Boys 100m	48	200m	Junior Boys 200m
14		8 Years Girls 100m	49		Junior Girls 200m
15		9 Years Boys 100m	50		11 Years Boys 200m
16		9 Years Girls 100m	51		11 Years Girls 200m
17		10 Years Boys 100m	52		Senior Boys 200m
18		10 Years Girls 100m	53		Senior Girls 200m
19		11 Years Boys 100m	Relay Events		
20		11 Years Girls 100m	54	Relays	Junior Boys 4 x 100m Relay
21		12 Years Boys 100m	55		Junior Girls 4 x 100m Relay
22		12 Years Girls 100m	56		Senior Boys 4 x 100m Relay
23	13 Years Boys 100m	57	Senior Girls 4 x 100m Relay		
Field Events Commence			58		PP5 Relay 4 x 100m Relay
24	1 ST ROTATION	Senior Boys Shot Put	Place getters and Age Champions will be awarded ribbons and trophies at the completion of the carnival. OVERALL POINTS SCORE AND HANDICAP TROPHY PRESENTED TO THE CHAMPION SCHOOL(S)		
25		Senior Girls Shot Put			
26		11 Years Boys High Jump			
27		11 Years Girls High Jump			
28		Junior Boys Long Jump			
29	Junior Girls Long Jump	Thank you to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All spectators for supporting our students. - Wamoon Public School P & C for canteen. - Leeton Little Athletics - Staff and volunteers 			
30	2 ND ROTATION				Senior Boys High Jump
31					Senior Girls High Jump
32					11 Years Boys Long Jump
33					11 Years Girls Long Jump
34					Junior Boys Discus
35		Junior Girls Discus			