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NEWSLETTER



Week 10 Term 2 Thurs 16th June 2016

P & C meeting: Monday 11th July 2016 4.30 pm

PREP ENROLMENTS

Please let us know if your child will be enrolling in Prep with us next year – we only have a few siblings that we are aware of for 2017.

Attendance is one of our priority areas in our school improvement agenda-93% Prep-91.91%, 1/2/3 – 93.16%, 2/3/4 – 96.16%, 3/4/5 – 93.98%, 5/6 – 94.39% Congratulations to the 2/3/4 class for the highest attendance percentage again. Congratulations to the 4 classes who are achieving our 93% or above target for the year. The classes will be celebrating with the students who have attended this term for 93% or above. At the end of the year the students who have achieved our target for the year will go on a great excursion to reward them to the Big 4 water park at Mowbray.

Playground News: Look at our wonderful new playground appearing before our eyes. Some parts have not been transported so it may not be completed on Friday. Stay tuned for the news that it is completed and safe to use.

Disco: Thursday 16th June at 6pm for an ordered dinner and 6:30pm for the dancing to begin. Thanks to Ms Schmidt and the Student Council for organising the disco. It should be heaps of fun!

Election Day Bake Sale: The cake stall that is being held on election day urgently needs donations of cakes and biscuits by next Friday or the morning of the Election - 2 July

Report cards will go home next week. Please let you class teacher know when you would like an interview. I encourage you all to have an interview to see how your child is going and what they can work on further to improve.

Parade on Monday 20th June at 8:50am: We will be having a Crocodile safety talk. Parents and Community members are welcome and bring the younger siblings.

→ **Our Robo Cup team:** Zenji, Will, Jack and Jakob. They did an amazing job! Well done.

Wednesday 3rd August is our Multicultural day. If anyone would like to present an activity or you have any suggestions, please contact Tracy at the school.



Important Dates to Remember...

- 22nd June – Wonga Staff Day (combining teachers, cleaners, groundsmen, admin and teacher aides days)
- 23rd and 24th June - Life Education Van visit
- Friday 22nd July School sports day

WANTED for
Year 2/3/4
Milk bottle Lids
or Softdrink
Bottle Lids
Please drop off rinsed lids to the Year 2/3/4 classroom

Wonga Beach State School acknowledges the Traditional Custodians, the Kuku Yalanji, of the country in which this school is located and pays respect to their Elders past and present.





Student of the Week

PREP - Lillien for always giving 100%
Bryson for great independent writing

1/2 – Cassidy for working hard during reading groups
Michael for being a respectful learner and settling into our class beautifully

2/3/4 - Byron for being helpful towards others and always having a smile on his face
Shannyn for working hard during Maths

3/4/5 – Nial for a terrific effort when writing her next chapter for 'Charlotte's Web'

5/6 – Jasper for great Maths results



↑ Students of the week: - Tala, Khobi, William, Willy, Liam, Hayley Jessa and Pablo - Well done ☺
Our very clever children that have learnt lots of sight words, received reading awards and congratulations to Charli O for her 1st place dance trophy! ↑

Helpers wanted!!!



Cakes, biscuits, muffins, slices are needed for our Annual Sports Day Bake Sale. We also need helpers to sell our treats on the day. Watch this space for more details.....

PARTY TIME DISCO TONIGHT

DINNER WILL BE BETWEEN 6.00-6.30PM

When: Thursday 16th June Time: 6:30-8:00pm sharp

Where: WBSS

Undercover area

Cost: \$2.00 each or \$5.00 family (3 or more)

DINNER WILL BE SERVED BETWEEN 6.00-6.30PM
DANCING GAMES PRIZES TO WIN LOADS OF FUN!!

(WBSS Students only & younger siblings under 5 if with a parent)

Under 9s Day 2016

Dear Parents,

On Friday, 29th of July, children in the Prep/1/2 and Year 2/3/4 will be celebrating "Under 9s Day". This is an annual event celebrated in many schools across the state. We hold this day in conjunction with the Mossman District Sports Day (for upper school students - 9 to 12 year olds), so that regular classes are not disrupted by the morning's busy activities (as quite often many 'big kids' want to come and play too!).

The day will run as per a normal school day, with teachers and aides supervising the children involved in the activities. Any 'under 9s' are invited to attend, therefore any younger siblings and **other children in the community are most welcome to join us for the morning.** (However, because these children are not enrolled at Wonga Beach State School, they **MUST** be supervised by a parent/carer **AT ALL TIMES**).

The day is planned to run as follows:

9:00 am	Under 9s Day commences.
10:30 am	Tidy up / Children return to regular classrooms.
11.00 am	1 st Lunch.
11.30 am	Regular school routine resumes.

As we are a Sun Smart School **children must have a hat** to participate in the morning's activities. It may also help for children to wear an old shirt/clothes for the morning session as many of the activities involve water, glue and paint. They will then change back into their uniform afterwards.

Please do not hesitate to speak to your child's teacher if you have any questions. **Parental assistance with the various activities is most appreciated, so again, please see your child's teacher if you are able to help out.**

We hope all of our 'Under 9s' enjoy their morning!

Don't forget to register for your FREE Hot Shots Tennis t-shirt

For completing the 8 week program all students can claim a **FREE** Hot Shots Tennis t-shirt at the following website:

<http://hotshots.tennis.com.au/register/>

To register fill in the "venue" postcode 4873 and Wonga Beach State School will show up. Fill in details and the t-shirt will be delivered to the school!!

Wetlands Maintenance with International Volunteers

On Monday the 20th of June six international volunteers are coming to our school to work in the wetland as part of their Green Army Volunteer holiday. They will be here between 9:30 and 3:00 (they may leave earlier). I will spend the day with them and the upper two classes will come out to help with their teachers.

Year 3/4/5 @ 10:00 – 11:00

Year 5/6 @ 11:15 – 12:00

If you can come in and give a hand that would be fantastic. Bring a wheelbarrow, secateurs or a hoe/hand weeding tool and come and join us.

The trees are powering along and the wetland looks beautiful after the rain but the weeds are also thriving. Rick Weimar.

We raised an amazing \$2030 for the book fair which gave Miss Linda \$570 to spend on books for the library!!! Well Done ☺

Anytime Childcare



25 Oleander Drive, Wonga Beach

Taking bookings for

Vacation Care

Family Day Care

Before and After School Care

Contact Rochelle Mills 0477 597 440

ATTENTION :

As of Week 1, Term 3, we will no longer be sending home a paper copy of our weekly newsletter. The options available for you to read the newsletter are via the school website www.wongabchss.eq.edu.au , via email (see below to add your email address), via the Q School app, or you are welcome to come and get one of the few paper copies available in the office each week. If none of these options are suitable, please see Mel in the office to arrange a copy to be sent home with your student.

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Would you like to receive your newsletter by email? Please fill out the details below and we will add you to our electronic mailing list.

Student Name:

Your Name:

Your email address:

➔ Have you moved or changed your phone number? Please fill out the below slip and return it to the office.

Student Name: _____ New Phone number: _____

New address: _____