

THE WOODBERRY WORD

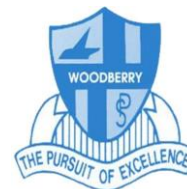
RESPECT, COMMITMENT, RESPONSIBILITY

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WE MEET AND LEARN ON WONARUAH COUNTRY

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Term 1, Week 5

Monday, 20th February 2017

From the Principal

I cannot believe that we are half way through this term already!

Last week schools were required to submit numbers for 2017. We currently have 198 students enrolled at the school which means we have 20 more students this year than last. It is exciting to know that our numbers have grown.

We have an amazing school, with amazing students and amazing staff, so tell everyone that Woodberry is the place to be!!

Until next time

Joanne Stamos

Values Awards

Class Term 1 WEEK 2

KM	Lisa Jordaan
KJ	Tabitha Gosper
1/2HP	Kobi Ferguson
1/2W	Sienna Lawrence-Delaney
3/4L	Deegan Cammarata
3/4B	Meila Sutton
3/4H	Bella Nichols
5/6M	Siu Tupou
5/6K	Kaizac Anderson

Congratulations to ALL our Award winners!

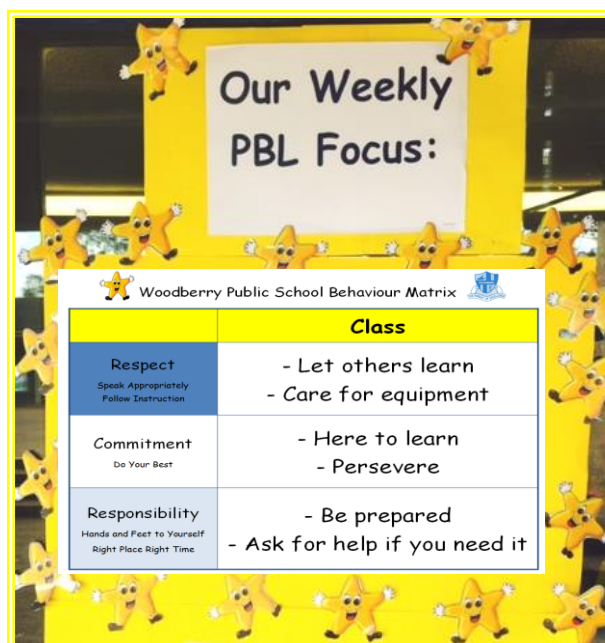


QUOTE OF THE WEEK: Give someone a fish and they eat for a day. Teach them HOW to fish and they eat for a lifetime.

(Chinese proverb & Mrs Lilliss)

DATES TO REMEMBER...

Date	Event/s
22 nd Feb	Family picnic & Infants Water Carnival
14 th March	School photos
5 th April	Infants Run4Fun



This Wednesday students in K-2 will be participating in a 'water carnival'. This will involve a round robin of fun water activities such as sponge throwing, water toss, water and spoon races and more.

The picnic recess will be outside the kindergarten rooms at the silver tables and parents and

carers are welcome to join their children to sit and eat recess together before the carnival begins. The water carnival will be in the playground behind the hall starting at 2:00pm and finishing at 2:45pm.

Peek at our week in KJ

Welcome KJ to Woodberry Public School. We have all settled well into our school learning environment and are enjoying each other's company and making new friends.

KJ have been busy learning in their new classroom. We have been learning about Paddock to Plate, reading lots of stories including *How Big is a Million* and *Sebastian lives in a hat*. We have also been expressing ourselves creatively and our room is looking beautiful with our little artists at work. Can't wait to see what learning KJ will be doing over the next weeks of Term 1 and seeing them progress and grow as the year goes by.



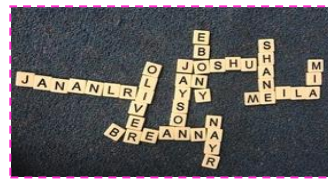
60 secs with Mrs Lilliss

1. What is your role at WPS? **Interventionist**
2. What was your first job? **KFC**
3. How do you like to spend your free time? **Playing netball**
4. Tell me your fav joke? **What do you call a deer with no eyes? A no eye deer! Hahaha**
5. Name something you couldn't live without? **My husband & baby boys**
6. If you had a superpower what would it be? **I'd like to change into other people**
7. Tell us something that may surprise us about you? **I lived and studied in Canada for a year**



Peek at our week in 3/4B

Wow! What a fabulous start to the 2017. I am so excited to be working with such a great bunch of kids. 3/4B have been settling in to routines and structures so well!! I am so proud of them. We have been getting to know each other and how we learn best. I am looking forward to a great year of LEARNING!! Bring it on!



Library News

The students borrowing days are fortnightly on **Wednesdays**.

We have lots of exciting new books in our library. As we like our books to stay nice & protected please pack child's library bag on borrowing days, students without a library bag cannot borrow.

We sell WPS library bags in our front office for \$10 each.

Even wk- start 15 Feb

KJ
1/2W
3/4H
3/4B
5/6K

Odd wk- start 22 Feb

KM
1/2HP
3/4L
5/6M

Book Club

Book Club is due tomorrow!! If you want to make an order please return all order forms and money to the front office or online by Tuesday 21st February.

Thank you
Leah Mitchell



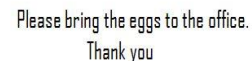
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THIS HEAT IS KILLING ME!

Well I've had enough. You leave me with no option....No sorry, you leave me with 2 options. I might just do up some placards and organise a protest with our comrades the chickens. March on the office etc etc... Orrrrrrrr, I might start producing my own eggs and sell them direct to the customer for \$4.99 a dozen. But don't tell the chickens.



The eggs will be used to make up 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize with left over eggs used as individual prizes.

THE MORE EGGS THE MORE PRIZES SO START DONATING!



A healthy smile is a beautiful smile 😊



AWARDS TIME!




Congratulations!



Hats are available to purchase from the office for \$7



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Good for Kids good for life

WINTER SPORTS REGISTRATIONS

Joining in team sports is a great way to increase your child's physical activity. Other benefits include:

- Teaching teamwork
- Increasing communication skills
- Gaining confidence through interaction with other children
- Teaching children it is ok to lose sometimes
- Making new friends
- And most importantly, having fun!



Registrations for winter team sports open in the first weeks of Term 1 so why not inquire today about what team sports are available in your community?



PHONE 4924 6499

WOODBERRY PLAYGROUP DATES

Find us on Facebook



P2L Term 1 Topics @ Woodberry

You and your family are invited to attend Community Play Sessions.

The run every Monday from 9am-11am for families with children aged 0 to 6 years.

13th February 14th Valentines day	Welcome back to 2017. All about You., Creating a strong sense of self. Valentines craft, chicken feeding, obstacle course.
20th February	Sun Safety, dress ups, chicken feeding, puzzles, lego, fine motor, Sun craft activity
27th February OT	Pencil grip, fine motor, seating- finger painting, slime play, play dough obstacle course, water play
6th March, Physio Clean up Australia Day (5th) National Parks Week (5-12th)	Child transitions and posture. Watering community garden, group hand painting tree, sand pit play, balance beam
13th March Close the Gap (17th) (Oxfam) St Patricks Day (17th)	Sustainability- reduce, reuse, recycle- musical instruments Saint Patricks headband craft, biscuit decorating, chicken feeding, collage
20th March Harmony Day (21st)	Harmony day- Multicultural art and craft, puzzles, home corner play (A Taste of Harmony- bring a plate of your cultures food)
27th March, Speech National Smile Day (31st)	Emotions and wellbeing
3rd April Nature Play Week (12-23rd)	Environment- Natural resource craft activities, Easter Egg Hunt and activities, bunny bowling



WOODBERRY WARRIORS JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE




2017 SEASON

REGISTER NOW!

**JOIN TODAY
BECOME A WARRIOR**



U 6's & 7's - "FREE" REGO

U8's- 12's - \$110.00

U13's-16s - \$130.00

U17's - \$150.00



PAYMENT PLANS ARE AVAILABLE !!

REGISTER ONLINE @ WWW.PLAYNRL.COM

EMAIL CLUB @ woodberrywarriors_sbrlfc@hotmail.com

PHONE CLUB SECRETARY - 0422703970

OR

WE ARE AT **FRED HAREY OVAL** EVERY **SATURDAY** IN **FEBRUARY**
FROM 10 AM TILL 12PM .



THORNTON JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

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Welcome to the start of the 2017 football season!

On-line registrations continue this year and all players are required by Football Federation Australia to register themselves on line. If you do not have a computer with internet access, we will have one available at registration days as listed below. We are also more than happy to assist you if there are any problems so please do not hesitate to contact us.

REGISTRATIONS OPEN ON WEDNESDAY 1ST FEBRUARY

To register online go to: <http://www.myfootballclub.com.au/index.php?id=38>

You will require your FFA number however this can be setup and retrieved at the above link if you don't have a record of one. All senior members must upload a photograph in the online registration where it asks. If the photo is not uploaded, your registration will not progress.

All players need to attend a registration day. All new registrations will also be required to bring with them a birth certificate or passport.

Payment can be made online using the below details (please include name in description):

Account Name: Thornton Junior Football Club

BSB: 082810

Account Number: 733013191

Cash, cheque and EFTPOS are available at registration days. \$1 surcharge for EFTPOS.

Players aged 5 to 11 years may request to play with a friend or in the same team as last year. I cannot guarantee requests but I will certainly do the very best to make them happen. The teams will be announced at organisation day. If there is a problem please see me then.

Registration fees for 2017 are: (game fees and a club shirt to wear to games are incl. for juniors)

Players aged 5-7	\$180.00
Players aged 8-11	\$200.00
Players aged 12-18	\$220.00
Senior Amateur Players	\$240.00

Registration days will be held:

Sunday 5 th February 2016 @ Allan & Don Lawrence Oval	10am - 2pm
Thursday 9 th February 2016 @ Thornton Shopping Centre	3pm - 7pm
Sunday 12 th February 2016 @ Allan & Don Lawrence Oval	10am - 2pm
Sunday 19 th February 2016 @ Rebel Green Hills	10am - 2pm

If you have any questions, please contact me on the below details.

Kristen Birkett

Secretary

Thornton Junior Football Club

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MAITLAND JUNIOR RUGBY UNION

Celebrating 50 years of Junior Rugby Union in 2017

2017 Registration Days

RUGBY SINCE 1877



Tuesday 7th February 5pm - 7pm

Thursday 9th February 5pm - 7pm

Sunday 12th February 9am - 12pm

Thursday 23rd February 5pm - 7pm

Sunday 26th February 9am - 12pm

Registrations Days are held at

Marcellin Park

Glenarvon Road, Lorn.

For online registrations and further information:


<http://www.maitlandrugbyclub.com.au/registration/>

or Enquiries to info@maitlandblacks.com.au

Looking For Childcare?

Five Star Family Day Care Maitland
provides education & care in
a home-based environment

Child Care Benefit & Child Care Rebate available



Karen

is a registered family day care educator,
and has vacancies in

Woodberry

for children of all ages

For further information contact Karen

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