

THE WOODBERRY WORD

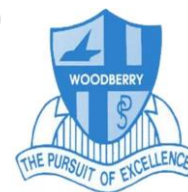
RESPECT, COMMITMENT, RESPONSIBILITY

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Term 2, Week 8

Monday, 17th June 2019

DATES TO REMEMBER...

Date	Events
18 June	PSSA Girls Touch Football
19 June	Debate 10.30am
21 June	Scholastic Book Club due
25 June	Inclusive Community Meeting
28 June	Athletics Carnival
1-5 July	NAIDOC week
2 July	NAIDOC Assembly & Cup
3 July	Crazy hair & out of uniform day
5 July	LAST DAY TERM 2
23 July	STUDENTS RETURN TERM 3
21 – 23 Aug	Stage 3 Canberra Excursion
2-3 Sep	Stage 2 Excursion

PBL

Positive Behaviour for Learning
FOCUS OF THE WEEK...

Keeping hands and feet to yourself!

Values Awards

Week 6

KB – Jet

K/1P – Mia

1G – Ayllah

1/2P – Hannah

2/3B – Jaymen

3/4J – Jasmine

4/5S – Justine

5/6M – Patrick

6W – Rohan

Week 7

Zoey

Ryder

Sienna

Jazmin

Selina

Rohan



SECURITY

1300 880 021

SCHOOL SECURITY

The security of our school is extremely important to us so that we can ensure the safety of our students & staff.

If you see any trespassers or suspicious activity at our school, out of school hours please call School Security on

1300 880 021

PRIMARY ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Due to the rain and wet grounds, the Primary Athletics Carnival will now be held **next Friday 28th June** at Fred Harvey Oval Woodberry. This is a compulsory event for students 8 years and older. Please ensure that your [child's general permission notes \(blue notes\)](#) are returned to the front office. The school canteen will be running at the oval so if there are any interested parent helpers or volunteers that would like to help Julie on the day, please let Miss Sikahale or Julie know ASAP.



ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The WPS Canteen will be open at Woodberry Oval on Friday 28th June for the Athletics Carnival. Pies, sausage rolls, hotdogs, cans of drink, chips & goodies will be for sale.

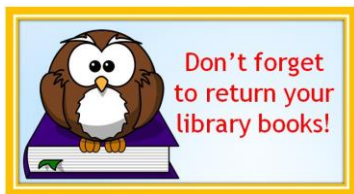
Any assistance you can give would be greatly appreciated!

Please contact the office or see Julie in the canteen ASAP to put your name down for volunteering!!

LIBRARY NEWS

PLEASE RETURN ALL LIBRARY BOOKS!!

In the last 3 weeks of this term, we are doing a Library stocktake. In order for this to run smoothly **ALL Library books MUST be returned to the Library ASAP.** There will be no student borrowing for the remainder of the term!



Scholastic Book Club is due back to the front office or online ordering by FRIDAY 21st June, 2019.



PSSA GIRLS TOUCH FOOTBALL

Tomorrow, Tuesday 18th June, 7 girls will be playing Touch Football against Tarro Public School. The girls will be playing at Tarro PS at 12.00pm. Own transport is required to and from the venue. We are hoping the rain stays away! Fingers crossed, wish us luck.

DEBATING TEAM

Our next debate will be held **this Wednesday 19th June, 2019 at Thornton Public School from 10:30am.** The topic for the debate is something relating to the media and schools. Good luck to our team!!

HEAD LICE

We have had recent reports of head lice. Please check you child/rens hair and treat if needed. To ensure they don't return, wash all clothing including hats and bedding. Encourage your child not to share school hats as Head lice are easily spread!

Inclusive Communities Committee

INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES MEETING

Our next Inclusive Communities meeting will be held on **TUESDAY 25TH JUNE (week 9) 2.00-3.00pm** in the Place of Friends.

ALL WELCOME!!

STAGE 3 CANBERRA EXCURSION

During Term 3, Stage 3 students will be travelling to Canberra for 3 fun filled days of activities and learning. The camp will be held on

WEDNESDAY 21ST - FRIDAY 23RD AUGUST, 2019.

The cost for this excursion will be \$350. Payments for the excursion can be paid off on a weekly or fortnightly basis.

*Please return permission & medical notes to the front office **ASAP.***

Final payments must be made by Friday 9th August.

If you have any questions please see Ms Webber or Miss Murray.



STAGE 2 SYDNEY EXCURSION

Stage 2 Sydney excursion will be held in Term 3 on **MONDAY 2nd – TUESDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER, 2019.**

The students will be heading to Taronga Zoo, Museum of Living Art & Sydney Harbour Bridge.

A \$50 deposit (non-refundable) MUST be paid to the front office NEXT FRIDAY 28th JUNE (Week 9).

The cost of the overnight excursion will be \$225, to be paid in full by FRIDAY 16th AUGUST. Payments for the excursion can be paid off on a weekly or fortnightly basis.

Please see Mrs J or Miss Sikahale if you have any questions.



WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN

The Woolworths Earn & Learn program gives schools the chance to earn some amazing school equipment. Help our students to get some great equipment and start collecting today. Boxes are situated in our school office foyer, also at Greenhills & Beresfield Woolworths.

This promotion goes until the 25th June 2019.



Peek at our
week

5/6M

What a great start to Term 2. In 5/6M we have been doing so much learning it's crazy! We had a great time learning all about number patterns in maths and engaging in some awesome science experiments to determine physical and chemical changes. Literacy is where it's at with students making leaps and bounds in their spelling. The excitement levels for Canberra are through the roof. Can't wait to see what the rest of the term brings for us!



Peek at our
week

Library

In the Library each month we study a different author. This month we have been looking at Australian author, Aaron Blabey. Aaron Blabey has written many children's books. He is most famous for his best-selling series Pig the Pug and The Bad guys.

In Geography this term we have looked at various natural and built features in Australia and how people and factors can change our environment. We have researched some very unique places in Australia.



AWARDS TIME!

MERIT AWARDS



VALUES AWARDS



**Our school canteen is open on
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAYS!**

**We are currently seeking volunteers to help out in
our school canteen for 1-2 hours between 8.30-
11.00am. If you available to help on Wednesday,
Thursday or Friday mornings please see Julie in the
canteen ASAP.**

***You will need a current Working with Children
Check.***



MINDFULNESS

Our mindfulness classes have been focusing on and practising their mindful breathing and have started to look into some Yoga movement to help calm and soothe our bodies.

ZONES OF REGULATIONS

Our Zones of regulations lessons have been going in our classrooms all term now and students have been talking about the different emotions we feel and the different zones we go in and out of every day. Becoming more aware of our emotions is important so when things go wrong we can talk about how we are feeling and look at strategies to help get us back to the 'green zone'. A good movie to watch to help us understand our emotions better is 'Inside Out'.

ATTENDANCE

We would like to share some exciting data with you. Our attendance has been at 90% or above every week so far this year. Well done to families and students for being at school to learn every day. Let's keep it up!

CHECK CHAT

This term some students have been involved in a positive check in system called Check Chat. Check Chat allows students to set goals with a teacher and have positive conversations about their learning to set them up for success.

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STAR STRUCK

WOW!! An amazing week of Star Struck has been had by all. Our 16 dazzling dancers certainly showcased their talents and their impeccable behaviour during this very busy time. Although it is a hectic week, we get through it all from our enthusiasm to perform in front of sold-out crowds.

A BIG thankyou to all of the parents who volunteered to assist with driving the students to and from the Newcastle Entertainment Centre. Without you, we could not be involved in such a massive production.

I am extremely proud of every single one of our students. Congratulations to Kenny, Deegan, Rohan, Levi, Jaiden, Zephyr, Koby, Jazmin, Bella, Alison, Aliyah, Peyton, Matilda, Ambah, Talitha and Kaydence. You are simply amazing!!! Until next year... Ms Kav





Woodberry Schools as Community Centres
Place of Friends
 at Woodberry Public School
 Lawson Ave Woodberry, NSW

Mondays 9:00-11:00am
Woodberry Playgroup
 Indoor and outdoor play, arts and crafts, sing along, and a visit to the school gardens to water the plants and feed the chickens. Morning tea provided for children.

Tuesdays 10:00-12:00pm
Mytime
 My time is a FREE support group for parents and carers of children 0-16 years with a disability or chronic medical condition. A play helper leads children in activities while parents have a break, share ideas, listen to guest speakers or plan topics and activities relevant to their needs. Siblings are welcome.

Wednesday 9:30-10:30am
Baby Playgroup
 Fun and safe environment for babies from 0-12 months to learn through sensory play, and connect with other parents.

Thursday 9:00-11:00am
Navigator Playgroup
 Children navigate the world through exploration and play - learning valuable skills whilst having fun with early childhood educators. Support for parents from family support workers. Bring a healthy snack and water bottle!

Thursday 9:30-12:30pm
Child and Family Health Clinic
 Free health checks for children 0-5 years, parent advice and support. No appointment necessary.

Thursday 1:00-2:30pm
Young Parents Connect
 Parents under 25 years old receive support and connection with other parents in a group led by child and family health nurses & family support workers. A support person is welcome to help you attend the group.

Other programs throughout the year
 Tuning into Kids, Parents not Partners, Circle of Security, 123 Magic & Emotion Coaching, workshops & presentations by leading professionals

For further information: (02)4964 2174
 @WoodberryPlaceofFriends



Community Gathering

Groboree Memorial

4 - 6:30pm
 Thursday 4th July 2019
 Millers Forest Public School
 Gold Coin Donation

Brady Flaus
 Worimi Warrior
 Forever 14 yrs old