

THE WOODBERRY WORD

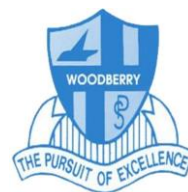
RESPECT, COMMITMENT, RESPONSIBILITY

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WE MEET AND LEARN ON WONARUAH COUNTRY

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Term 3, Week 8

Monday, 9 September 2019

DATES TO REMEMBER...

Date	Events
9-13 Sep	Book Week
10 Sep	Book Parade & Picnic 11.00am
10-12 Sep	Book Fair
12 Sep	Touch Football Gala Day
24 Sep	Infants Athletics Carnival, 12pm
25 Sep	School Disco
26 Sep	Pie Drive order pickup, 12pm
27 Sep	LAST DAY TERM 3
14 Oct	STUDENTS RETURN TERM 4

PBL

Positive Behaviour for Learning
FOCUS OF THE WEEK...

Being responsible and always being in
the right place at the right time!



Values Awards

Week 6

KB – Khloe Jordaan

K/1P – Jesse Loosemoore

1G – Bella Woodhouse

1/2P – Hannah Dodd

2/3B – Anton Dean

3/4J – Jasmine Hardy

4/5S – Zayden Widl-Shepherd

5/6M – Alison Silva

6W – Sabrina Woodward

Week 7

Jaxon Hyde

Arianna Smoother

Andre Hinds-Anderson

Matilda Trotter

Bella Nichols

Josh Hardy



SPRING IS HERE!!

The weather is warming up, so make sure you
Slip Slop Slap and don't forget your school hats!

REMEMBER NO HAT NO PLAY!

Hats are sold at the front office for ONLY \$7.00.



**ENROL NOW FOR
KINDER 2020**

Do you have a child starting Kindergarten in
2020?

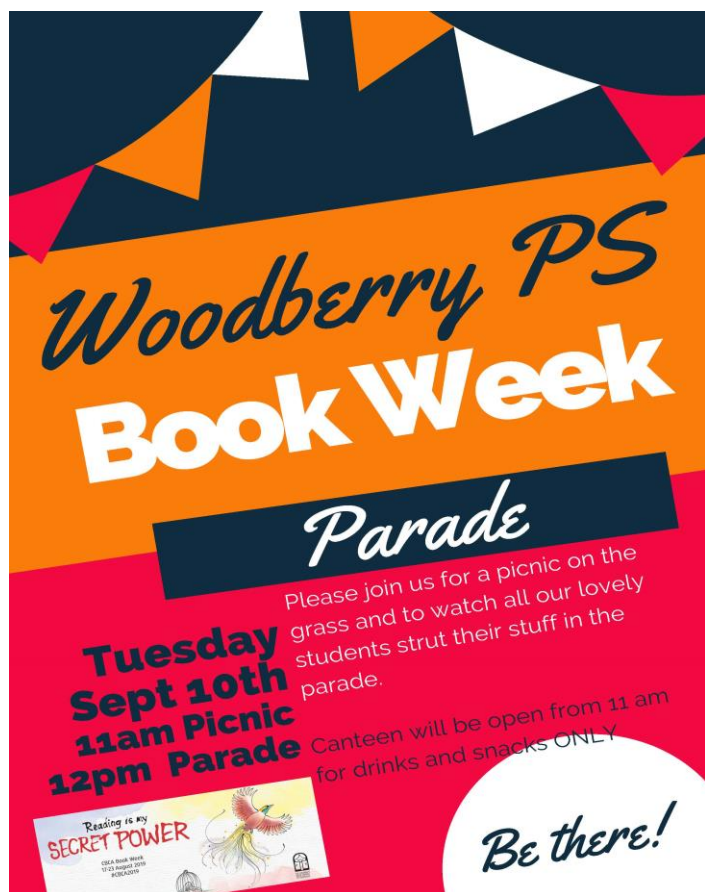
Have you enrolled them in our transition to
school program?

Our transition to school is a 9 week program
in Term 4.

Starting in Week 1, Wednesday 16 October
and then every Wednesday for the rest of
the term, 2.00pm - 3.00pm.

Pick up your enrolment form at the front
office.





Woodberry PS Book Week Parade

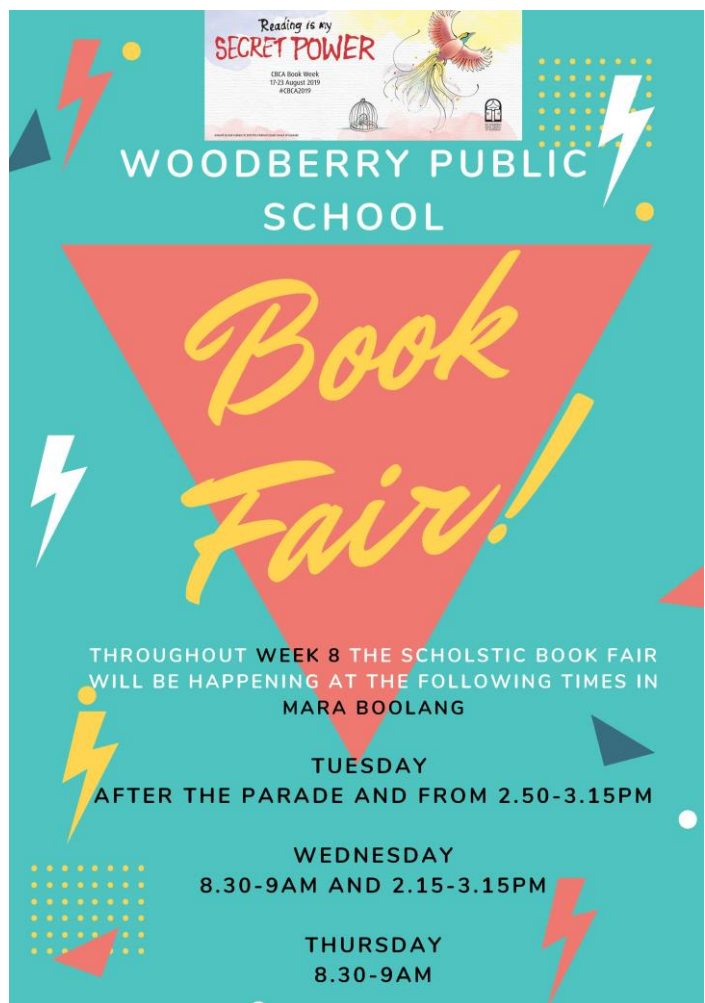
Please join us for a picnic on the grass and to watch all our lovely students strut their stuff in the parade.

Tuesday Sept 10th
11am Picnic
12pm Parade

Canteen will be open from 11 am for drinks and snacks ONLY

Be there!

Reading is my **SECRET POWER**
CECRA Book Week 17-23 August 2019 #CECA2019



WOODBERRY PUBLIC SCHOOL

Book Fair!

THROUGHOUT WEEK 8 THE SCHOLSTIC BOOK FAIR WILL BE HAPPENING AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES IN MARA BOOLANG

TUESDAY
AFTER THE PARADE AND FROM 2.50-3.15PM

WEDNESDAY
8.30-9AM AND 2.15-3.15PM

THURSDAY
8.30-9AM

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CECRA Book Week 17-23 August 2019 #CECA2019



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

OPEN FOR BOOK WEEK PARADE PICNIC
WPS Canteen will be open selling snacks & drinks for the family picnic held before the Book Week Parade tomorrow, Tuesday 10 September.

END OF TERM CANTEEN SPECIAL

LASAGNE

CHOCOLATE MUFFIN &

BOTTLE OF WATER FOR ONLY \$8.00

Available next week,
WEDNESDAY 18, THURSDAY 19 & FRIDAY 20 SEPTEMBER.

Please pre order by this Friday 13 September.

See back page for attached order form...



DANCE2BFIT

Dance2bfit is an energetic, innovative and fun way to get fit and funky with the latest dance styles to the hottest music tracks. This is a great program to improve the fitness levels of students while they are having a great time. Dance2bfit has been developed specifically for NSW Primary Schools under the PDHPE syllabus where students have fun learning a new dance each class.

Dance2bfit will be preparing the **Stage 3 students for the Year 6 Farewell dances.**



Inclusive Communities Committee

THOMPSONS PIE DRIVE

Thank you to the parents/carers/community members who have ordered from Woodberry Public School's Thompsons Pie Drive.

Orders will be delivered on **Thursday 26 September**. Collection of orders will be from **12:00pm onwards**. Parent volunteers will also be needed to sort out orders. Please let Ms Kav know if you are able to assist.



WE ARE HAVING A SCHOOL DISCO!!!

Woodberry PS Disco will be held on **Wednesday 25 September**.

TIME: K-2 - 4.45pm (eating time)

5.00-6.00pm Disco

3-6 - 5.45pm (eating time)

6.00-7.00pm

A reminder that a parent/carer will need to drop off and collect their child before and after the disco and have names marked off. Combo deals need to be paid at the front office by **Tuesday 24 September**. Parent volunteers are also needed from 4:00pm to cook and serve the BBQ. Please let Ms Kav know if you are able to assist.

See back page for Disco flyer with more information and combo order form...



LIBRARY NEWS

CLASS LIBRARY BORROWING ROSTER...

MONDAY- K/1P, 5/6M

TUESDAY- 2/3B, 4/5S

WEDNESDAY- 1/2P, 3/4J,

THURSDAY- KB, 6W

FRIDAY- 1G

PLEASE BRING YOUR LIBRARY BAGS



ATTENDANCE

Let's celebrate our school attendance this year continuing to hover around the 90% mark.

This is fantastic! We also need to celebrate that 87% of our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students have increased their attendance this year to 80% or above!!! Such amazing results.

Being 'Here to learn' at WPS, is so important.

Well done to all parents and students!!



JUST REMEMBER...

Every day at school counts... Missing even one day can make a difference over time



AWARDS TIME!

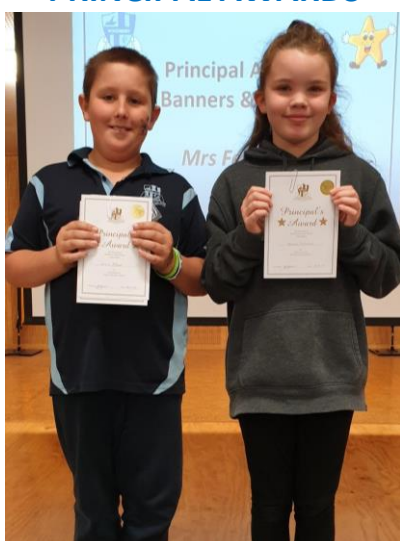
MERIT AWARDS



VALUES AWARDS



PRINCIPAL AWARDS



Congratulations



Could \$500 help you with school costs?

Join Saver Plus and we'll match your savings, dollar for dollar, up to \$500 for school costs.

-  laptops & tablets
-  lessons & activities
-  uniforms & shoes
-  books & supplies
-  sports fees & gear
-  camps & excursions

To join Saver Plus, you must be at least 18 years or over, have a child at school or attend vocational education yourself, have regular income from paid employment (you or your partner), have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card and be in receipt of an eligible Commonwealth social security benefit, allowance or payment*



Contact
your local Saver Plus Coordinator
Phone or SMS
your name and postcode to 1300 610 355
Email
NewcastleSP@thesmithfamily.com.au
Online
saverplus.org.au
Find us on Facebook 



* many Centrelink payments are eligible, please contact your local Coordinator for more information.

Saver Plus is an initiative of the Brotherhood of St Laurence and ANZ, delivered in partnership with Berry Street, The Benevolent Society and The Smith Family and other local community agencies. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government Department of Social Services. Go to www.dss.gov.au for more information.

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Year 7, 2020

Enrolment forms are now due!

**PARTYLITE
TEALIGHT SAMPLER**

**Woodberry Public School
Year 6 Fundraiser**



Woodberry Public School fundraising event offers a PartyLite Tealight Sampler of 5 assorted fragrances you'll love for \$10.00.

Tealights make great gifts so stock up on your emergency gift supply! Plus share the offer with your family, friends, co-workers and neighbours as they can order too!

\$5.00 from each PartyLite Tealight Sampler will be donated to support the Year 6 Fundraising.


Prizes for selling the most PartyLite TeaLight Samplers are:
 1st Prize: Voucher valued at \$50
 2nd & 3rd Prize: Voucher valued at \$30

Our Candles are:

- High Quality
- Paraffin and Soy Wax
- Non-Toxic
- Consistent Burn
- Free of Parabens
- Cruelty-Free
- 100% Cotton Wicks
- 27 Fragrances

Great for:

- Gifts, Birthdays, Celebrations, Decorating and Discovering New Fragrances



PARTYLITE®

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.

Tuesday 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 attend the group.

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.

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

a playgroup for parents 25 years and under & their children
A support person is welcome

TUESDAY ARVOS
1 - 2.30PM



YOUNG PARENTS CONNECT

@Woodberry Place of Friends
Woodberry Public School Lawson Ave Woodberry

I am a cool kid because I have cool parents.








Place of Friends and The Family Care Cottage are offering

As recommended by the "BLUE BOOK"

4yo Preschool Health Screening

Thurs 29 August 2019

Bookings Essential

At Place of Friends - Woodberry Public School,
Lawson Ave Woodberry

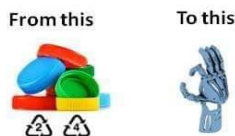
Checks will include

- Eyes (no drops are used)
- Teeth
- Speech
- Height
- Weight

To register contact Amy at
Place of Friends
02 4964 2174 or
@WoodberryPlaceofFriends/events

Lids4Kids

Leave us the plastic lids from your milk, water, juice and soft drink bottles and they'll be converted into prosthetic hands for kids.



For more information check out:

@Lids4KidsAU
@EnvisionESI

<https://envision.org.au/envision-hands/>

Woodberry Public School will be a collection point for this wonderful organization. Please save and wash all lids and bring into school to help children that have lost a limb. See Mrs Darby for any further information.



Re: **RETAINED FIRE FIGHTER'S FOR TARRO FIRE STATION.**

Tarro Fire Station is currently looking at recruiting new Retained Fire Fighter's and as such will be holding 2 x information nights and 2x morning information session for people expressing an interest in becoming Retained Fire Fighter's. The session will outline the responsibilities and duties of a Retained Fire Fighter along with payments, leave entitlements and how to apply.

Due to the fact we are an Emergency Service and response time is critical, we will be looking for people who reside in the Tarro, Beresfield and Woodberry communities.

Information nights will be held on: Thursday 12th and Tuesday 24th starting at 7.00pm

Information morning sessions will be held on: Tuesday 17th and Monday 30th starting at 9.30 am

For any further enquiries please call the Station Commander Ian Smith on 0404749130.

END OF TERM CANTEEN SPECIAL



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BOTTLE OF WATER
FOR ONLY \$8.00**



**AVAILABLE IN WEEK 8
WEDNESDAY 18th, THURSDAY 19th & FRIDAY 20th SEPTEMBER.**

Please pre order by this Friday 13th September.

Please circle day/s
Wednesday 18th Sep Thursday 19th Sep Friday 20th Sep

Name/s: _____

Class/s: _____

Amount enclosed: _____