

THE WOODBERRY WORD

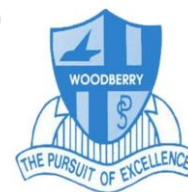
RESPECT, COMMITMENT, RESPONSIBILITY

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Term 2, Week 2

Monday, 6th May 2019

DATES TO REMEMBER...

Date	Events
7 May	Inclusive Community meeting
7-10 May	Mother's Day Stall
10 May	Mother's Day High Tea
14-17 May	NAPLAN- Years 3 & 5
17 May	Scholastic Book Club due
2 Jun	Family Portraits fundraiser
14-15 Jun	Star Struck
21 - 23 Aug	Stage 3 Canberra Excursion

PBL

Positive Behaviour for Learning
FOCUS OF THE WEEK...

Understanding why it is important to
keep our hands and feet to ourselves.

Values Awards

Term 1

Week 10

KB – Aiden Reeves-Roach

K/1P – Xavier Stuart

1G – Kaelah Lopez

1/2P – Ian Pinnington

2/3B – Anton Dean

3/4J – Emily McLaren

4/5S – Kayence Fuller-Lilley

5/6M – Zac Milne

6W –

Week 11

Nash Skinner

Neville Hinds-Anderson

Jonara Hamilton

Kaiden Ure

Maddalynn Pinter-Sander

Isaak Trotter

Aliyah Hinds-Alamidi

Patrick Parker

Daniel Omand



NAPLAN

A reminder that all students in years 3 and 5 will be undertaking the NAPLAN online tests in **Week 3 from Tuesday 14th May - Friday 17th May, 2019**. Year 3 students will be completing these in the morning session while our Year 5 students will be completing their tests in the middle session.

We wish our students the best of luck during the NAPLAN testing week.



Inclusive Communities Committee

MOTHER'S DAY STALL

Our Mother's Day stall will be held **this TUESDAY 7th-FRIDAY 10th MAY**, 9-11am, Mara Boolang Room. There will be loads of lovely gifts for sale with prices starting from **ONLY \$1 - \$5**.

INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES MEETING

A parent meeting will be scheduled **for tomorrow Tuesday 7th May, to be held in the Place of Friends from 2:15 - 3:00pm**. The purpose of this meeting is to determine the roles and responsibilities for this Friday's Mother's Day High Tea. All welcome to attend!!

FAMILY PORTRAIT FUNDRAISER

SAVE THE DATE!!

A family portrait fundraiser will be held on **Sunday 2nd June, 2019**. More information will be sent home soon.

WOODBERRY PUBLIC SCHOOL

Mother's Day Stall

GIFTS STARTING FROM \$1 - \$5

Where: Mara Boolang Room
When: 7th-10th May
Time: 9-11am (during class time)

Students to bring money in an envelope. Each class will be called down to purchase gifts on each of the opening days

STAR STRUCK 2019

Our first Star Struck rehearsal is on tomorrow 7th May held at the Forum- University of Newcastle from 9am-3pm.

Star Struck is fast approaching & will be held on **Friday 14th & Saturday 15th June, 2019** at Newcastle Entertainment Centre.

Star Struck tickets are now available and can be purchased directly through TICKETEK.

Tickets categories and prices are as follows:

VIP seating - \$55.10

A reserve - \$51.10

B Reserve - \$39.10

Concession (Available in A and B reserve sections only) - \$39.10

<https://premier.ticketek.com.au/shows/show.aspx?s=h=STARSTRU19&v=NEC>



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 run for 3 days and 2 nights from **Wednesday August 21st to Friday August 23rd**. The approximate amount for this excursion will be \$350. Payments for the excursion can begin this week, on a weekly and fortnightly basis. Final payments must be made by **Friday 9th August**.



LIBRARY NEWS

Welcome back to Term 2.

In order for our amazing school Library to run smoothly students **MUST** return all Library books on time!

Scholastic Book Club is due back to the front office or online ordering by FRIDAY 17th MAY, 2019.



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.

Every \$10.00 you spend earns a sticker. Stick your sticker onto the Earn & Learn sticker sheet. Then when the sheet is full put it into the box situated in our school office foyer. There will also be a box at Greenhills & Beresfield Woolworths.

This promotion goes until the 25th June 2019.



STEWART HOUSE

Stewart House envelopes will be sent home later this week. Please donate \$2.00 for your chance to win a \$4,000 holiday to a destination of your choice!

Donation envelopes will need to be returned to the front office no later than **FRIDAY 24 MAY, 2019.**



SkoolBag

Our School has its own SkoolBag iPhone and Android App to help us communicate more effectively with our Parent/Student community.

If you haven't already, we are asking parents to install our SkoolBag App... To install the app, just search for "Woodberry Public School" in either the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.

We use SkoolBag to communicate with parents for all upcoming events, school information & Newsletters.



**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 are able to help out on Wednesday, Thursday
or Friday mornings please complete & return the
Canteen volunteer slip on the back page to the front
office or canteen.**

KNIGHTS KNOCKOUT

It was a tough day for our Woodberry Warriors at the annual Knights Knockout competition played at Waratah Oval last Friday 3rd May.

We lost 3 games, drew 1 and had 1 amazing win!

The students showed great sportsmanship toward their team & their opposition.

What an amazing effort, well done team!



Louie's Adventures

Louie is happy to be back for term 2.

Last term Louie was introduced to our chickens that live in our school garden, enjoyed reading with the kids in class & playing in the playground.

Louie missed all his WPS friends over the school holidays & he is looking forward to another fun filled term with the students.



AWARDS TIME!

MERIT AWARDS



VALUES AWARDS



PRINCIPALS AWARDS



BANNERS



100% ATTENDANCE AWARDS



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Parents not Partners

This is a six-session program for separated parents in conflict over their children. It is designed to improve emotional and developmental outcomes for children in separated families by:



- raising parents' awareness of the impact on their children of the ongoing conflict in their family
- providing them with knowledge, tips and strategies to be able to focus on their children rather than on their issues or conflicts with the other parent

Parents will learn:

- ways to better regulate their emotions and to self-care
- ways to help their children manage their emotions
- to recognise the effects of ongoing, mismanaged conflict on children
- skills to better manage conflict with the other parent
- to reorient interactions with their child's other parent to be respectful and cooperative
- to recognise and differentiate between their own and their children's individual needs
- skills to communicate effectively with the other parent
- to reflect on their behaviour and make changes where needed

Dates: Wednesday May 8th – June 12th (6 weeks)
 Times: 11.30am - 2.30pm (light lunch provided)
 Venue: The Place of Friends – Woodberry Primary School – Lawson Ave, Woodberry
 Cost: Free
 Free Childcare upon request

Bookings Essential – Phone Amy on 4964 2174
 Or Interrelate on 4016 0550

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

CANTEEN VOLUNTEER

I _____ am interested in volunteering in the Canteen for 1 to 2 hours from 8.30am to 11.00am.

Contact Phone Number: _____

I would like to help (please circle your preference). **WEEKLY** **FORTNIGHTLY** **MONTHLY**

The day I would prefer (please circle your preference). **WEDNESDAY** **THURSDAY** **FRIDAY**

NB: If you are interested in volunteering please return this slip to the office and you will be given a Working with Children clearance form to fill out.

You will need to produce 100 points:-

70 Points = Birth Certificate, Australian Passport

40 Points = Current Drivers Licence, Centrelink Pension Concession Card or Health Care Card

25 Points = Medicare Card/Private Health Care Card, Council Rate Notice, Property Lease/Rent Agreement, Motor Vehicle Registration or Insurance Documents, Utility Bills, Credit/Debit card.

If you have previously filled out this clearance form you do not have to do this again.

Regards, Julie- Canteen Co-ordinator