

# THE WOODBERRY WORD

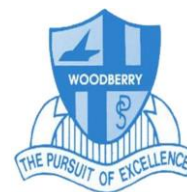
RESPECT, COMMITMENT, RESPONSIBILITY

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Term 2, Week 4

Monday, 20<sup>th</sup> May 2019

## DATES TO REMEMBER...

Date	Events
23 May	Kinder 2020 Info session, 5pm
24 May	Soccer Gala Day
2 Jun	Family Portraits Fundraiser
4 Jun	Inclusive Community Meeting
5 Jun	Athletics Carnival
14-15 Jun	Star Struck
21 – 23 Aug	Stage 3 Canberra Excursion
2-3 Sep	Stage 2 Excursion

## PBL

Positive Behaviour for Learning  
FOCUS OF THE WEEK...

Students are learning the importance  
of 'following instructions the first  
time' in class and on the playground.



## Values Awards

### Week 3

KB – Victoria Munzenberger

K/1P – Jaxon Hyde & Catherine Munzenberger

1G – Za'Veah Dean

2/3B – Andre Hinds-Anderson

3/4J – Joel Gibson

4/5S – Kodi McVey

5/6M – Charlie Stephenson

6W – Zack Mulligan



WOODBERRY PUBLIC SCHOOL  
*Kinder 2020*  
*Transition to School*  
*Program*

Please join us for an  
~INFORMATION SESSION~  
For families of students starting Kinder in 2020

Woodberry Public School  
SACC Place of Friends • Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May • 5pm

## ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The WPS Canteen will be open at Woodberry Oval  
on Wednesday 5th June for the Athletics Carnival.  
Pies, sausage rolls, hotdogs, cans of drink, chips &  
goodies will be for sale.

**For the Canteen to be open on this day  
VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!!**

**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!!**



## Inclusive Communities Committee

### FAMILY PORTRAIT FUNDRAISER

A family portrait fundraiser will be held on **SUNDAY 2ND JUNE, 2019**. For anyone wanting to book a family portrait sitting it can be done online. **The cost will be \$20.00 for the sitting & you will receive a 10X13 photo.** Additional photos packages can be purchased.

You don't have to have students at the school to book a sitting so please share with your friends and family!

<https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=500432&fbclid=IwAR2QHnzY4HAUTEoXI9WcqMoBo2ejtDkPM7nByhqDjTVfr-IG-ovefw6hKeE>

### INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES MEETING

Our next Inclusive Communities meeting will be held on **TUESDAY 4<sup>th</sup> JUNE (week 6) 2.00-3.00pm** in the Place of Friends.

**ALL WELCOME!!**



## STAR STRUCK 2019

Star Struck is fast approaching & will be held on

**Friday 14th June, 10.30am & 7.00pm**

**Saturday 15th June, 2.00pm & 7.00pm**

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 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 by **Friday 31st May**.*

**Final payments must be made by Friday 9<sup>th</sup> August.**



### STAGE 2 SYDNEY EXCURSION

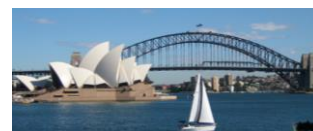
Stage 2 Sydney excursion will be held in Term 3 on **MONDAY 2nd – TUESDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER, 2019.**

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 by FRIDAY 28th JUNE (Week 9).**

**The cost of the overnight excursion will be \$225, to be paid in full by FRIDAY 16th AUGUST.**

*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. 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 25<sup>th</sup> 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 **this FRIDAY 24 MAY, 2019.**





# Peek at our **week** 2/3B

## 2/3 Beautiful Learners

What a great start to the term. Our reading is blowing the socks off everyone!!

We have been working very hard in maths; practising our skip counting and learning more about numbers.

2/3B have been working together to write some persuasive texts. They are using lots of great language to persuade Miss Butler!

Well Done 2/3B!



## LIBRARY NEWS

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

Congratulations to our term 2 Library monitors.

They have all shown outstanding Respect, Commitment & Responsibility in our Library...

Ambah, Ebony, Selina, Emmilee, Jasmine, Alison, Berdina, Kaydence.



## 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.

## canteen NEWS

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

**We are currently seeking volunteers to help out at the Athletics Carnival on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June & in our school canteen each week 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.**

# AWARDS TIME!

## MERIT AWARDS



## VALUES AWARDS



## PRINCIPALS AWARDS



## BANNERS & MEDALS



Congratulations

## EARLY ACTION FOR SUCCESS- "THE BIG IDEAS IN NUMBER"

Last week Ms Webber, Miss Bates, Ms Kav and Miss Lee went to Sydney to be a part of a Numeracy project through Early Action for Success called "The Big Ideas in Number". This project will run throughout 2019 and the same team will go to Sydney two more times to listen to Professor Di Seamon and Michelle Tregoning speak about the most important key ideas in number. We hope to bring back and implement lots of new learning and ideas in all classes K-6. To begin with, 6W and KB will be engaging in Number Talks as a way of students explaining their thinking around solving mathematical situations. Miss Lee and Ms Kav will also explore Number Talks with some other classes K-6.

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Each newsletter we hope to update you around the wonderful wellbeing programs being implemented at Woodberry Public School.

### Mindfulness

Each Tuesday year 1 -6 get to be involved in learning some Mindfulness techniques with our wonderful teacher Hannah. Each class has a 30 minutes session where they can learning mindfulness techniques. Ask your child to give you a demonstration.

### Zones of Regulations

Last newsletter families would have received some information outlining what Zones of Regulations will look like in the classrooms. This program is to help build resilience and emotional awareness in our students and hopefully equip them with the skills to self-regulate when feeling a range of different emotions. Make sure to talk to your child about emotions and what Zone they are in to show the continuous cycle between school and home.

#### The ZONES of Regulation®

BLUE ZONE	GREEN ZONE	YELLOW ZONE	RED ZONE
<p>Sad Sick Tired Bored Moving Slowly</p>	<p>Happy Calm Feeling Okay Focused Ready to Learn</p>	<p>Frustrated Worried Silly/Wiggly Excited Loss of Some Control</p>	<p>Mad/Angry Terrified Yelling/Hitting Elated Out of Control</p>

**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