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Tues	12	P & C Meeting
Wed	13	Newsletter Student Banking
Thurs	14	Tuckshop P - 3 Assembly
Fri	15	Breakfast Year 4 - 6 Assembly

WEEK 2

Mon	18	Tuckshop
Tues	19	Interhouse Sports Day
Wed	20	Newsletter Student Banking
Thurs	21	Tuckshop P - 3 Assembly
Fri	22	Breakfast Year 4 - 6 Assembly

WEEK 3

Mon	25	Tuckshop
Wed	27	Newsletter Student Banking
Thurs	28	Tuckshop P - 3 Assembly
Fri	29	Breakfast Year 4 - 6 Assembly



**Attendance target 94% or better. Last term's attendance was 94%. There was certainly some sickness around at the end of last term!! Thanks to Bundy Bowl and Leisure Complex for giving the school some awards to promote attendance each term this year ([www.bundybowl.com.au](http://www.bundybowl.com.au)). 100% attendance vouchers for term 2 will be presented shortly.**

**Welcome back**

Welcome back everyone to Term 3. Hope everyone, students especially, are well rested after the vacation period! This term is dominated early on with athletics but thankfully is only 10 weeks long.

**School Survey**

A parent invitation letter has gone home with this Newsletter. We invite all families of our school to participate anonymously online. If you do not have access to the internet at home feel free to ask to complete the survey on a computer at school.

This is an annual survey that sees staff and students in Years 5 and 6 also surveyed.

**Athletics Carnival**

Our annual Athletics Carnival is next Tuesday July 19. Everyone is most welcome.



This is a big fundraising day through our Tuckshop, so please support them too.

A coffee van will be in attendance also.

**NAIDOC Week 3 - 10 July**

NAIDOC is a spectacular week-long event that celebrates the diversity of Indigenous culture.

The 2016 theme, *Songlines - The living narrative of our nation* - highlights the importance of Songlines to the existence of

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people who used Songlines to navigate vast distances and map oceans, waterholes, rivers, birds, animals, plants and hunting grounds.

CONGRATULATIONS to Emily McN (2KC), Susannah McN (1C) and past students Khaliyah Nagas and Takiyah Nagas whose *Songlines* theme inspired posters were exhibited at the School of Arts during NAIDOC Week.

**Onward and Upward (Our School Song!!)**

I have printed the words of our wonderful school song. It is great on whole school parades to sing this song with pride. This song sets out the 5Bs that we encourage in all our kids and I encourage you to as well!!

1. Woongarra, we are red and green  
Always ready, always keen  
Proud to represent our school,  
Be it on the field or in the pool.
2. We love to welcome a new guest  
With the Woonie insignia  
emblazoned on our chest.  
In school spirit we are strong.  
Everyone knows they belong.

**Chorus**

*We are Woonies, standing strong.  
We are Woonies, at Woongarra we belong.  
We're all diff'rent,  
but together we sing our song:  
Onward and upward, moving on.*

3. Here at Woongarra we try our best.  
Until it's finished, we do not rest.  
And when it is done,  
We all know we can have some fun.

**Chorus**

**Bridge**

*We're respectful, we're responsible,  
We're positive.  
We are tolerant and proud  
And that's just how it is.*

**Chorus (x2)**

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(Words by Teagan Gleeson & Kathy Cavanagh,  
Music by Kathy Cavanagh)

## SCHOOL NEWS

### Student of the Week

This section will appear every week in the Newsletter and provides the students with a chance to shine. Students are awarded a Student of the Week Certificate for displaying high achievement levels or efforts in the classroom and quality behaviour and positive attitudes.

Prep BK	<i>Summar D</i>	Prep J	<i>Tayah B</i>
1C	<i>Rakaia K</i>	1GM	<i>Jacob K</i>
1L	<i>Shiloh L</i>		
2KC	<i>Michaela A</i>	2L	<i>Mia N</i>
2V	<i>Leah F</i> <i>Cooper M</i>		
3B	<i>Riley C</i> <i>Mitchell W</i>	3R	<i>Karl R</i>
3W	<i>Joseph M</i> <i>Sennan C (9/6/16)</i>		
4E	<i>Shayleigh S</i> <i>Noah C</i>	4H	<i>Trinity O</i>
4/5L	<i>Logan J</i>		
5PR	<i>Brooke D</i> <i>Ella N</i>		
6D	<i>Caden W</i>	6V	<i>Taymin G</i>

Quote: *"It is easy to make a buck  
but it is much tougher  
to make a difference!"*

Jeff Irwin

### Instrumental Music - Ms Palmer

Ms Palmer is on leave for the first 3 weeks of this term. Lessons start again in the first week in August.

### Band students playing on assembly

Make sure you bring your instrument to play on assembly this Friday and start setting up in the hall straight after morning tea.

Lisa Palmer



### Sports Dates

- *Whole School Ball Games Practice*  
1.45 - 3.00pm Friday 15 July
- *Interhouse Sports Day*  
Tuesday 19 July
- *Coastal Sports Day* (at Woongarra SS)  
Friday 29 July 12.00 - 2.30pm  
(9 - 12 year olds only)
- *Jumps Day* (at St Lukes)  
Thursday 4 August  
(selected students only)
- *Salter Oval Day*  
Friday 5 August  
(selected students only)

## Sports Day Tuesday 19 July 9:00am- 3:00pm

	Ages 5 - 8 Years	Ages 9 - 13 Years
9:00 - 9:15 am	March Past	
9:15 - 11:00 am	Sprints	Sprints
11:00 - 11:30 am	Morning Tea	
11:30 - 12:00 noon		200m
12:00 - 1:00 pm	Ball Games	Ball Games
1:00 - 1:25 pm	Lunch	
1:30 - 2:45 pm	Relays	Relays
2:45 - 3:00 pm	Presentation of Trophies	

### Age Groups for Athletics

Please note that on Sports Day students compete in the age group for the year in which they turn the designated age.

Prep students, for example who have turned 5 or will turn 5 during 2016 will be competing in the 5 years age group. If turning 6 in 2016 they will be competing in the 6 year age group. This age group rule applies to all students from Prep-Year 6.

Parents and any family members attending any of our sporting events here at school are reminded to wear a hat and bring a warm coat and a comfortable chair as there is limited seating and shade cover on the oval. If it's a cold, windy day, you'll certainly need that coat! Students are encouraged to wear their house colours on Sports Day.

### Sports Day Relays

Prior to Sports Day, all students at this school are trialled / run off against each other in their own Sports Houses.

Therefore, if your child is in a Division 1 race on Sports Day he/she is one of the 2 fastest runners for that particular age group in that particular House. If they are in a Division 2 race, then they are the 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> fastest runner in that age group in that House.

This means that, to be selected in the main relay team for a particular age group for a particular House, your child needs to be running in a Division 1 or Division 2 sprint race earlier in the day. It does not matter where they place in this earlier race.

The only way Division 3, 4, or 5, etc runners get 'promoted' into the main relay team would be if one of the top 4 runners in that House (from Division 1 or 2) is sick, injured or had to leave, etc. Just because someone comes 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> in a Division 3, 4 or 5, etc race DOES NOT automatically qualify that person for the main relay event. Division 3, 4, 5, etc races are 'slower' races/events.

**ALL STUDENTS IN PREP - YEAR 6 WILL BE INVOLVED IN A RELAY OF SOME SORT AFTER LUNCH ON SPORTS DAY.**

**SCHOOL NEWS**

**INTERHOUSE ATHLETICS**

**Tuesday 19 July**

Everyone is most welcome to attend.

Parents are asked to bring a fold up chair and a warm coat or blanket (the winds that blow across the oval can be quite frosty)

**HOUSE COLOURS**

- BURNETT** - YELLOW
- ENDEAVOUR** - BLUE
- HINKLER** - RED
- TALLON** - GREEN

**Student Banking**



School Banking is running a spectacular competition in Term 3. There's news that Prize Lights have appeared in the Outback sky, and the Dollarmites are giving students who demonstrate regular savings behaviour the chance to win one of hundreds of prizes.

**Student Prizes to be won**

To discover the Prize Lights with the Dollarmites, students must simply make three (3) or more School Banking deposits during Term 3. They will then automatically be entered into the Prize Lights competition for a chance to win one of the Star Saver prizes including camping kits, instant cameras and magazine subscriptions.

What's more, students have the chance to also win one of the Supernova prizes - PlayStation 4 packs - by successfully completing the Stargazing online activity, along with making the three or more School Banking deposits by the end of Term 3. Students can complete the Stargazing activity online at any time during Term 3 by visiting [commbank.com.au/prizelights](http://commbank.com.au/prizelights).

**Rugby League Thank you**

On behalf of all of the players in the Woongarra Wizards interschool rugby league teams from Term 2, I would just like to thank all of the parents who volunteered to wash the footy jerseys during the season.



Both the players and the coach really appreciated this very kind gesture!

Thanks also to Tammy Gill for donating to the school a brand new jersey bag.

THANK YOU!

Jason Shears  
Coach

**WOONIE GIRLS OFF TO ROCKY**



This Thursday and Friday our CQ Regional Shield Netball team are heading to Rockhampton to compete in the 2 day competition. They look fabulous in their brand new uniforms and have trained hard to work together as a team.

Good luck and play well Abbey S, Abbey M, Dakota F, Jasmin B, Bella G, Ella W, Holly C, Holly A, Tanika H and Keely R-D.

Go Woonies!!!

**A word from Chaplain Paula**

Emotions, feelings, are a part of the soul. A life without feelings would be extremely dry and boring ... and yet, if we allow feelings to control us, they can become dangerous and actually make us quite miserable. Feelings become dangerous and tormenting when we do not understand that we have a choice of whether to allow them to rule us. How often do we feel that someone has hurt our feelings? We can make the choice whether to be hurt or not.

To walk according to our emotions is to do whatever we want now, whatever feels good to us at the moment. Our future is being affected by the choices we make today. Make your emotions serve you - don't spend your life serving them. Make a decision today to manage your emotions rather than allowing them to manage you.

**SAY THIS:**

"I determine to manage my emotions. I will make my emotions serve me. I will not spend my life serving them."  
(devotional by Joyce Meyer)



**TUCKSHOP ROSTER**

**Thursday 14 July**

- Tracy Balto
- Kelly Hooper (9.00 -2.30)
- Leisha Bartholomai (9.00 -11.00)
- Leesa Courtice (9.00 - 11.30)

**Monday 18 July**

- Shani Paulsen
- Belinda Loeskow

**Tuesday 19 July - Sports Day**

**HELP REQUIRED  
THANK YOU**

**Thursday 23 June**

- Tracy Balto
- Fiona Ames
- Leisha Bartholomai (9.00 -11.00)
- Leesa Courtice (9.00 -11.30)

Thank you all for your support. Please let me know ASAP if you can't attend your rostered day.

**Specials**

- Mini Pikelets \$ 0.30
- Blueberry Muffins \$ 0.50
- Sultana Packs \$ 0.50
- Pasta Bolognaise \$ 4.00
- Warm Milo \$ 1.00

**Attention: Sports Day Orders**

were to be in by Monday 11 July. If you require an order and have not done so yet, please contact me urgently for catering purposes by this Thursday 14 July. Thank you.

Lyn Dobbs

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