



CALENDAR EVENTS

- Thu 15th Dec Gr 6 Graduation 7 pm
Parents & Friends Meeting 12 pm @ KYO Kiosk
- Fri 16th Dec Christmas Family Picnic 5 pm
- Mon 19th Dec P-2 Party Day @ Barwon Heads
Gr 3/4 Celebration Day @ school
Gr 5/6 Adventure Park
- Tue 20th Dec End of Term Assembly @ 1.00 pm
Dismissal 1.30 pm
- 2017**
- Tue 31st Jan Back to School Gr 1-6
- Thu 2nd Feb Preps Start School
- Thu 9th Feb Parents & Friends AGM

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Obviously this will be the final newsletter for the year. For those families who will be leaving us I want to thank you for the support that you have given over the years and we wish you well for the future.

Last Day Arrangements

Final assembly will begin exactly at 1:00 pm on Tuesday next week as we have many awards to present. Students will be dismissed at 1:30pm.



PLEASE NOTE: Parents are asked to ensure that their child/ren are picked up on time on the last day. Teachers will be involved in the setting up of the school for 2017.

Reports

Reports will be going home tomorrow. Included in the package will be class allocations of 2017. Whilst I have had many requests for placements we have done our utmost best to accommodate. The number of requests sometimes makes it impossible to fulfil them all. Teachers spend a lot of time arranging and rearranging to best fit the needs of the students. If your request is not met it does not mean you were not listened to.

We are currently concluding the employment process of the additional class teacher. I will let people know via the website and app as soon as I am able to announce it, hopefully by tomorrow.

Library Books

All library books need to be returned tomorrow if possible to your teacher so we can get re-shelf all library books over the holidays. Overdue notes have been sent home. If you cannot find it please return the overdue notice with a note so that we can check to see if it hasn't just been put back on the shelf.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a happy and safe holiday and we look forward to seeing you back in the New Year.



Last Week's SUPER STUDENT OF THE WEEK	
Prep D Duckett	<p>BROCK W For showing great teamwork and cooperation when creating the 'Classroom Community'. First you made the power station and worked with friends to add the power poles and power lines. Then you helped another friend finish the surf lifesaving club and the beach. Great work, Brock, you are a star friend!</p> <p>EMILY W For being a reflective learner. You were able to think about and talk about all the things that you have learnt this year in Prep. You are a super student.</p>
PIN Norris	<p>MADDI S For doing a great job designing your very own elf. 'Silly' seems like she'd be great at hand standing and making motorbikes like you said. Well done!</p> <p>ISAAC S For doing a brilliant job with your hand writing. You have improved so much! Your letters are neat, clear and a great size. Well done!</p>
3A O'Brien	<p>AYLA M For being a kind and caring friend to all. You are always happy to help others. Well done Ayla!</p>
4M Murray	<p>CHELSEA F For all her wonderful work in the library throughout the year and for being such an enthusiastic learner!</p> <p>THE WHOLE OF GRADE FOUR For working co-operatively together to create our Christmas Tree Door! And for great singing!</p>
5K King	<p>HAMISH R For reading the extreme adventure novel, 'Shark Bait', and enjoying it. A great effort, Hamish.</p>

PARENTS & FRIENDS

THANK YOU

The P&F committee would like to thank all the parents who have volunteered to help with P&F events in 2016. Without you, our activities would not be possible.



NOTICE OF AGM

The P&F AGM will be held on Thursday 9th February 9am in the school hall. All welcome to get involved with planning for 2017.

KEEP UP TO DATE

With P&F news and events for early in the new year by following us on facebook. Search for "WALLINGTON PS PARENTS AND FRIENDS" and request to join.

LOST PROPERTY

Last reminder to check lost property. There is a collection of personal items as well as uniforms. Tables will be set up in the passageway with the lost property on it. This will be the last opportunity to claim your items as any unclaimed items on the last day will be donated to charity or thrown out (for health reasons).

