

WALLINGTON Primary School

NEWSLETTER



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DIARY DATES	
Thu 16th Apr	Yr 3 - 6 Cross Country
Fri 17th Apr Mon 20th Apr 9 am	Yr 5/6 Bio Lab Parents & Friends Meeting (please note change of date)
Tue 21st—22nd Apr Mon 20th-Fri 24th Apr	Life Ed Woorabinda Camp
Mon 27th Apr	Start of Book Fair Week Hockey Sporting Schools Program Starts (7 weeks)
Wed 29th Apr	Yr 5/6 GRIP Leadership Conference
Thu 30th Apr - 1st May	P-2 Bunyip Camp
Tue 5th May, Thu 7th May Fri 8th May	Mothers Day Stall 10 - 11 am Mothers Day Stall 3.30 pm
Tue 12th-Thu 14th May	NAPLAN Yr 3 & Yr 5
Wed 13th May	Bravehearts P-2
Wed 20th May	School Council Education Week Open Day 9.30 - 11 am
Fri 29th May	Blu Guru Incursion Whole School

PRINCIPAL NEWS

Welcome back to term 2. There is a lot going on this term, things like report writing, parent/teacher/ student interviews, P-2 Bunyip Camp, Grade 3 /4 camp and the list goes on. It is important that you continually read the newsletters for relevant dates.

ANZAC DAY

Two of our school leaders will represent us at the Geelong Schools ANZAC DAY Service at Johnstone Park in Geelong on Friday 24^{th} April at 11:00 am.

The School will also be represented at the Barwon Heads ANZAC DAY service on Saturday 25th April. We will be marching in the parade and be part of the official party. I am going to a meeting tomorrow morning that will give me all the final details. I will be sending home a note tomorrow about this.

Woorabinda Camp

We wish our nine students all the best for the Woorabinda Camp. It will be a fantastic experience for the students.

Bunyip Camp

In a couple of weeks is Bunyip camp $(30^{th} \text{ April} - 1^{st} \text{ May})$. I know that the Prep – 2 team have everything in order for this event. I hope that all the children enjoy themselves and watch out for the bunyip!



Parents and Friends

The next meeting of the Parents and Friends will be on Monday morning at 9:00 on Monday 20th April in the hall.



Principal News (contd)

Lost Property

With this sudden turn in the weather it is a good chance to check that all jumpers are labelled with your child's name. This helps with returning the lost items back to their rightful owners. All lost property is kept out in the sick bay in a basket. If your child has lost an item of clothing please check regularly. The Parents & Friends will be running a 2nd hand uniform sales on Friday at 2.30 pm.

Life Education

Next week we are having the Life Education Van at Wallington. The time table is as follows:

Tues 21st April

2V 10:00 – 11:00 3S 11:30 – 1:00

4F 1:00 - 1:30 (Part 1) 2:30 - 3:30 (Part 2)

Wed 22nd April

Prep 9:00 - 10:00 1M 10:00 - 11:00 5K 11:30 - 1:00

6L 1:00 - 1:30 (Part 1) 2:30 - 3:30 (Part 2)

The Parent session is on Tuesday 21st April at 9:00 am

Please note also that the Life Ed Van will be parked in the drop off zone in the car park. This means that the zone will not be available for the two days.

Sporting Schools

This programme was formerly known as Active After School Sports Community and it operated on a Monday night after school.



I am pleased to announce that the school has secured funding for this pro-

gramme this term and will be holding Basketball Clinics over 7 weeks afterschool on a Monday night from 3:30 – 4:30pm.

Lincoln Beckworth will be again taking the sessions. They will commence on **Monday 27**th **April** and run for 7 weeks (not including Queens Birthday).

It is open to all students and permission forms are available from the office.

ANZAC Display

A display to commemorate 100 years since the Gallipoli campaign has been created in the hallway of the main building. We invite 100 students to place an Anzac Badge on the display.

Thank you.

Judie Mac

Second hand Uniforms Sale - Friday 2.30 pm

Second hand uniforms will be available for sale for a gold coin donation for each item on Friday before assembly at 2.30 pm in the hall.

SCHOOL & COMMUNITY NEWS

Bunyip Camp P-2

Bunyip Camp will be held on Thursday 30th April and Friday 1st May for Prep-2 students. Further information was sent home this week and parents are reminded that forms and money need to be



returned to classroom teachers no later than Wednesday 22nd April. A notice has also been sent home for any parents that are able to assist with various activities at camp.

We are still in need of firewood for the campfire - we are still in urgent need of hay bales, so if anyone can help out with this, please come and see me.

Thanks, Jason Vaught

Geelong ANZAC Centenary Light Projections

Special launch event at City Hall **5pm this Friday 17 April** spectacular historic stills and video footage. Launch involves lighthorsemen carrying the RSL flame, military guard and Salvation Army Band. Projections will run nightly 6pm – midnight until Sunday 3 May.

http://www.geelongaustralia.com.au/news/item/8d24576992ecddd.aspx



Bellarine Bears Baseball Club – Juniors 2015 10 week Tee ball program for 5 to 10 y.o. Sunday 19 Apr – 21 June At Wallington Recreation Reserve – 9am start

Tee ball team will be mixed and matched to suit all levels of skills & abilities. First timers, boys and girls most welcome

Contact - Dave Crotty 0418 520 259

Junior baseball **Under 13s and Under 15s teams**
Junior comp season dates – Sat 2 May – 8 Aug 2015

Under 13 – sat mornings from 9am

All games at Stead Park, Corio

Training for under 13s every Thurs 4:30pm at Wallington Under 15 – Home and away competition in the Geelong region Training for under 15s Thurs 4:30pm at Wallington

Bellarine Bears Baseball Club Est 1976 Home ground Wallington Rec Reserve 481-487 Wallington Rd www.bellarinebears.org.au

The Bears are a family orientated club with an active social calendar of events throughout the season.



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PARENTS & FRIENDS

PARENTS AND FRIENDS MEETING

9AM ON MONDAY 20™ APRIL

IN THE SCHOOL HALL.

ALL WELCOME.

Mothers Day Stall

Parents & Friends will be running a Mothers Day stall on: Tue 5th May 10 -11 am Thu 7th May 10 - 11 am Fri 8th May 3.30 pm Gifts are between \$3 - \$10

Sushi

Please write your order with your <u>name and</u>

<u>grade clearly on the order.</u>

<u>Orders must be in</u>

<u>by recess 11 am on Tuesday</u> for delivery on Wednesday.

Please do not ask for change from the office. If you do not have the exact money, please write this on your order for change to be returned with the order. Thank you.

Bellarine Community Farmers' Market

This Saturday (and every third Saturday of the month), 9am-lpm, Ocean Grove park Supporting the best of fresh, local & regional produce + pony rides, buskers, playground and Kids Corner. A great family day out!

Are your kids keen on netball? Why not get them involved with ANZ NetSetGo?

The program provides children from 5 to 10 years with the best possible learning and playing experience. ANZ NetSetGo incorporates skill activities, minor games, music, dance and modi-



fied matches in a fun and safe environment. Once registered, the participants will receive a pack including a netball, t-shirt and medal.

Peninsula Netball Association



Drysdale Recreation Reserve
Thursday 4.00pm – 5.00pm
16th April to 25th June
Netball Victoria registration:\$47
(pack includes t-shirt, ball & medal)
Fees for 11 week program:\$33
Enquiries:

Pam 0425 869 339 or 5251 3544 peninsulanetball3222@gmail.com For registration visit www.netsetgo.asn.au