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Wednesday 22 May 2019

Term 2 Week 4



## Stage 1 Australian National Zoo and Aquarium Zoo Excursion

On Friday May 17 Stage 1 students travelled to Canberra to visit the Zoo. When we arrived, we were welcomed by Tanzin our zoo keeper for our tour around the park. The students visited the different enclosures where they were told about the unique features of the animals. The students had a hands on experience with feeding the emus, deer and holding the reptiles.

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Welcome to Week 4 Term 2.

### **Clothing**

Each year we quickly end up with a large number of jumpers and jackets at the change of season. Can I please request that parents label these and other items so that we can return them to you when they are dropped or misplaced by your child. We also have a growing collection of lunch boxes. If you believe that, any may belong to your child, please drop in before or after school and check out the collection near the canteen. It is always helpful if you can add your child's name and class with a permanent marker or label on all their items so that they can find their way home. What is also of great assistance to other parents is that you check your child's clothing to make sure what they have brought home is actually theirs! Accidental switches occur easily and a child can wear a jacket for weeks before discovering that it belongs to somebody else. Please do a random check to help us with this issue.

### **Woolies Earn and Learn**

You may have noticed as you were doing your weekly shop that Woolies Earn & Learn has begun, starting Wednesday 1 May and running until Tuesday 25 June. As in previous years, we are very grateful for your contributions in this program. The last time the program ran, we earned one of the highest amount of points in the state, enabling us to purchase resources for the students to use every day in the school. This year we hope that we can rely on your support to raise many points again.

### **Parent Teacher Interviews**

It was wonderful to see so many parents/carers attending parent teacher interviews during Week 2. These interviews serve to support stronger links between home and school and provide an opportunity to understand the learning progress your child has made. Parent teacher interviews also symbolise the three-way partnership that exists in a child's journey through school. When parents and teachers come together, it creates a positive relationship that results in everyone working together with the child's best interests as the priority. Please remember that you can make an appointment at any time to see your child's class teacher to discuss their progress.

### **School ANZAC Ceremony**

Our school commemorated ANZAC Day on Friday Week 1 Term 2. Year 5/6A class led our school in a moving service that remembered all the soldiers who fought and died at Gallipoli, as well as those soldiers who are currently involved in military operations.

**Mother's Day Stall** - was run on Thursday Week 2 and it was a wonderful success! Thank you to our dedicated P&C volunteers for planning, co-ordinating and running the stall, giving our students the opportunity to purchase a special gift from the lovely selection available.

### **Cross Country**

A team of cross country runners participated in the district cross country trials last Friday at Wollondilly school. It wasn't a very pleasant day with rain threatening to spoil the day and temperatures down. However, five of our students were successful in winning a spot on the district team and will compete against schools across the region on 7 June at Cambewarra on the South Coast. Well done to all of our students who participated. You did your best and made us proud! Congratulations Annie Klem, Imogen Cooper, Riley Smith, Luan Bone, and Jack Brettell.

Have a great fortnight

**Vicki Stokes**

**Principal**

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	Dates for your Diary
<b>2019</b>	<b>TERM 2</b>
<b>Week 5</b> <b>Friday 31 May</b>	<b>Wollondilly Public School Athletics Carnival to be held at Hudson Park, Bradfordville. More information Term 2.</b>
<b>Week 6</b> <b>Wednesday 5 June</b>	<b>P &amp; C Meeting commences at 7pm in the school library. All welcome to attend.</b>
<b>Week 7</b> <b>Monday 10 June</b>	<b>Queen's Birthday Holiday . No school today-Public Holiday.</b>
<b>Week 10</b> <b>Wednesday 3 July</b>	<b>P &amp; C Meeting commences at 7pm in the school library. All welcome to attend.</b>
<b>Week 10</b> <b>Friday 5 July</b>	<b>Last day of Term 2.</b>
	<b>TERM 3</b>
<b>Monday 22 July</b>	<b>Staff Development Day</b>
<b>Week 1</b> <b>Tuesday 23 July</b>	<b>All students return to school for the commencement of Term 3.</b>
<b>Week 3</b> <b>Wednesday 7 August</b>	<b>P &amp; C Meeting commences at 7pm in the school library. All welcome to attend.</b>
<b>Week 7</b> <b>Wednesday 4 September</b>	<b>P &amp; C Meeting commences at 7pm in the school library. All welcome to attend.</b>
<b>Week 10</b> <b>Friday 27 September</b>	<b>Last Day of Term 3.</b>
	<b>TERM 4</b>
<b>Monday 14 October</b>	<b>All Staff and students return to school.</b>

Term 2 2019 -Assemblies - Commencing at 12:20pm in the School Hall, parents and friends are most welcome to attend.		
Term 1	Date	Class Item
<b>Week 4</b>	<b>24/5/2019</b>	<b>3F</b>
<b>Week 6</b>	<b>7/6/2019</b>	<b>2/3B</b>
<b>Week 8</b>	<b>21 /6/2019</b>	<b>2C</b>
<b>Week 10</b>	<b>5/7/2019</b>	<b>1/2F</b>



Wollondilly Public School has again registered to participate in Woolworths Earn & Learn for this year.

You can support the school by putting the stickers you collect, in our collection box at Woolworths (near self serve registers), or by dropping them into our Earn & Learn box, located in the School Foyer.

We thank you for your support. The amount of stickers we collect, will determine the quantity, we can order (resources) for the school.

Thanks!

**Wollondilly Public School is accepting Kindergarten enrolments for 2020.** If you have a child who is turning **5 by 31 July 2020**, please collect an enrolment form from the School Office. When you come to school to enrol your child please bring the following documents with you:

- \* Proof of student's residential address (e.g. original copies of council rates notice, residential lease, electricity accounts, statutory declaration etc).
- \* Birth Certificate or identity documents and Immunisation history statement.
- \* Copies of any family law or other relevant court orders, (if applicable).

Please return any completed enrolment forms together with supporting documentation for processing to the School Office.

**Thanks**  
**School Administration Office**





## Mulwaree High School SISP HOOK DAY



Students in Years 5 and 6 travelled to Mulwaree High School, yesterday and participated in a STEM Industry School Partnerships Day.

This is a partnership between Regional Development Australia and SISP and hopes to encourage more students to take up STEM courses in high school.

All students who participated, enjoyed the experience and look forward to developing STEM skills in the future.



Last Friday, 17 May 2019, was Walk Safely to School Day and lots of Wollondilly students participated. The weather was great for walking, with lots of sunshine. Thanks to all parents and carers who also walked to school with their children.

This is a great day for teaching children on road rules and safety, as well as developing healthy lifestyle choices.



## Bounce Back-Stage 1

The students in Stage 1 have been working on our new program introduced this term called Bounce Back. This week the students have read the book "Have you filled your bucket today". They discussed ways in which they can express kindness in their everyday life and illustrated artwork to accompany this activity.



## Car Rally

This week the students in 1M have designed and painted a large Jalopy to decorate the hall for the car rally held this Friday at our school.





# Big Fat Smile

## Before and After School Care School Holiday Care

**GET OUT OF  
THE NORMAL,  
GET INTO THE  
AWESOME!**

**Before School:** 6.30-9am

**After School:** 3.30-6pm

**School Holidays**

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- Fun and creative activities in a safe learning environment 
- Our educators use the national learning framework 
- Large variety of sport and outdoor activities
- S.T.E.M. focus each month (science, technology, engineering, maths)
- Building up social, emotional and life skills 

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**School Uniform Shop**

The Uniform Shop is open from 9am until 3:30pm every Monday to Friday.

**We are unable to sell any items after 3:30pm, so please ensure you come in before you collect your child of an afternoon.**

A reminder also that the uniform shop is not self-serve.  
Please see someone in the office who will get what you need out.

**150<sup>th</sup>**

Celebration of the Arrival  
*of the*

*Railway into Goulburn*  
Goulburn Railway Station

and

Belmore Park

Goulburn Rail Heritage Centre

Saturday, 25 May 2019

Sunday, 26 May 2019

10.00am – 4.00pm Enquiries: 4822 1210

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# Is your child starting year 7 in 2020?

## Transition activities at Goulburn High School

Principal Mr Paul Hogan  
ph. (02) 48214022

### Focus days

Goulburn High School is running a series of focus days to give year 6 students an opportunity to come and experience different subjects at Goulburn High School.

**Bookings** for the focus days will open exactly two weeks before each date listed below, and places will be limited. Call Goulburn High school to book your child in to a focus day, 0248214022.

The days will run from **9:30am to 1:30pm** and parents need to arrange transport. Students will need to bring recess, water and a pen. The canteen will be open at recess and we will provide a sausage sandwich for lunch.

Please notify the school when making your child's booking if they have any specials needs, dietary or medical requirements.

**Term 2 7th May, Week 2**  
Metal/Wood work, Art/Photography, or Drama/Languages

**28th May, Week 5**  
Maths, English, or Food technology

**Term 3 15th August, Week 4**  
Music, Science, or PDHPE

**Bookings for 7th May  
focus day sessions  
are now open**

**Call Goulburn High  
now**

**0248214022**

**Tuesday 3rd December**  
**9:20 am — 3:20 pm**  
Year 7 2020 Orientation day.

Please contact Year 7 Advisor for  
2020, Mr Jacob Sheehan, or  
Transition Coordinator, Mrs Katrina  
Flynn with any questions  
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## Mini Music Makers



Explore music through singing,  
percussion, stories and movement.

Wollondilly Public School would like to welcome  
you to attend our Preschool Music sessions.

**When-9:15am-9:45am Tuesdays during term time**

**Where-** Wollondilly Public School Music Room,  
Newton St Goulburn. Please park on the street and enter via the  
front office.

**Who-** Any interested Goulburn families are  
welcome to attend. Sessions will be aimed at 3  
to 5 year olds. Younger siblings are also  
welcome.

**Cost-** Gold coin donation



For further information please  
contact Kath Dunn through the  
school office on 48214496.

## Athletics Carnival Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2019

We are looking forward to the whole school athletics carnival on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2019 at Hudson Park. Permission notes have been sent home this week. Please return the permission note and bus fare by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May. The carnival day will be busy, with all students participating in both track and field events as well as organised games. A program for the day is included below, please note these are **approximate start times** for events. Parents, carers and families are invited to attend to support their children. For the safety of all students, only competitors are permitted on the field. Seating for spectators is available in the grandstand.

All events will be timed and measured. As students are competing in age groups rather than junior and senior age groups, the final result for placings in all track and field events will be confirmed Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June. Students aged 8-13 years may be invited to attend the district athletics carnival based on times and distances. A 1500m event will be included in the district carnival this year. We will be running a 1500m event at school on a future date.

We look forward to seeing you on carnival day!

### Wollondilly Public School Athletics Carnival Program 2019

#### 9.30-10.00

800m track finals: Junior boys, Junior girls, 11 year boys, 11 year girls, Senior boys, Senior girls

	<b>Round 1 10.00- 10.30</b>	<b>Round 2 10.30- 11.00</b>	<b>Round 3 11.00- 11.30</b>	<b>Round 4 11.30- 12.00</b>	<b>Round 5 12.00- 12.30</b>	<b>Round 6 12.30- 1.00</b>	<b>Round 7 1.00-1.30</b>
<b>5 &amp; 6 years</b>	70m track	Discus	Break	Games	Shot put	Long jump	Break
<b>7 years</b>	Break	70m track	Discus	High jump	Games	Shot put	Long jump
<b>8 years</b>	Long jump	Break	100m track	Discus	High jump	Games	Shot put
<b>9 years</b>	Shot put	Long jump	Break	100m track	Discus	High jump	Games
<b>10 years</b>	Games	Shot put	Long jump	Break	100m track	Discus	High jump
<b>11 years</b>	High jump	Games	Shot put	Long jump	Break	100m track	Discus
<b>12/13 years</b>	Discus	High jump	Games	Shot put	Long jump	Break	100m track

#### 1.30-2.30

200m track finals: 8 years, 9 years, 10 years, 11 years, 12/13 years

100m relays: Junior boys, Junior girls, Senior boys, Senior girls