Term 3 Week 2

Thursday 24 July 2014

Principal’s Report

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Welcome back to
An extremely busy Term 3.

New Staff
We welcome Mr Aaron McSweeny to Wangi Wangi Public School. In his short time with us, he has created a quality learning environment in 4/5 classroom and the students are extremely excited about their journey with their new teacher.

60 years of Education Week - Lighting the Way to a Better World
Our information flyer outlines the comprehensive list of Education Week activities, please find some time to come along and see what’s happening at Wangi Wangi Public School.
We are extremely proud of our school, especially the students, teachers and parents who assist us in all our endeavours.

Morisset Community of Public Schools
During Education Week all the public schools in the Morisset Community of Public Schools will be showcasing their school at Morisset Plaza. The eight schools include Morisset High, Morisset Public, Bonnells Bay, Cooranbong, Eraring, Dora Creek, Wyee and Wangi Wangi. Our school will be at the Plaza on Wednesday 30th July between 10.00am and 11.15am. We hope to see lots of Wangi parents on that day. Wangi Wangi Public School is creating the future for all students with quality teaching/learning programs as well as a caring, engaging school environment where students are encouraged to reach their full potential.

Semester One School Reports
These reports went out during the last week of Term 2. Parent feedback has been positive and the P&C personally thanked the staff for the enormous amount of time and effort that they put into the writing of each student’s report. If you require further feedback, please arrange a time to speak to your child’s teacher.

Pre-Service Students
Wangi Wangi welcomes Miss Jill McDonald (1/2) from the University of Newcastle and Miss Rebecca Thompson (2/3) from Avondale, these student teachers will be involved in professional learning, mentoring by their peer teachers as well as working with the wonderful students at our school. Miss McDonald will be with us for all of Term 3 while she is on her Internship.

Jenni Langford
Principal

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P&C meets on the third Tuesday of each month
**Merit Awards**

**Kinder** Alexis Eames, Lucy Kosky, Kaleb Hamilton, Robbie Hawes  
**Yr 1/2** Zali Field, Kiara Gee, Liliana Hayes, Hannah Kosky, Ben Spencer, Ethan Skelly, Thomas Ririnui  
**Yr 2/3** Jayden Skelly, Emily Kent, Charlotte Marsh, Bailey Jones, Jose Laguna, Lawson Latham  
**Yr 4/5** Griffin Haines, Jayden Hamilton, Samson Miller, Jayden James, Jacob Kiellor, Jake Kosky  
**Yr 5/6** Zali Mertens, Jorja Walsh, Nathan Hayes, Cody Schutz-Relf, Jarrod Spencer, Tahlia Linton, Sarah Morgan, Will Wilson-Burns, Callum Prescott

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**Maths Awards:**

**May**  
Kinder – Michael Kiellor  
Yr 1/2 – Shakira Yates  
Yr 2/3 – Maggie Carr  
Yr 4/5 – Sam Masters  
Yr 5/6 – Zali Mertens  

**June**  
Kinder – Aston Walsh  
Yr 1/2 - Cooper Walsh  
Yr 2/3 – Jayden Skelly  
Yr 4/5 – Dylan Eastwood  
Yr 5/6 – Ella Geach

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**50 Nights Super Readers**

Liam Slatyer  
Jayden Martin  
Cooper Walsh  
Aston Walsh

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**World Cup Soccer Afternoon**

What a fabulous Wangi Wangi Public School Soccer World Cup afternoon. Thank you to the parents who helped and supported us to make it fun for all.

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**5c Coin Fundraiser**

Our 5c coin collection has been an enormous success! This week we managed to raise $221.45 bringing our total to over $1200! This is amazing. We are so grateful to all of our families, friends and the Wangi community for the generous donations. All money raised is for the benefit of our beautiful kids. So let’s do it again in TERM 4. Start collecting now! Those little 5c go a long way!!!!
K/1 Fire Station Visit

K/1’s visit to Wangi Wangi Fire Station last term was such a success! Children learnt how to act safely in case of a fire. They still talk about the fire officers who showed us about the station, the big trucks and the awesome cupcakes.

Gott It K-2 Program

This wonderful new program to our school supports students with social and problem solving skills as well as helping them cope with managing their emotions. A parent questionnaire has been sent home today, please return it by Thursday 31st July. The Got It team will be at school on Monday 28th July, at 9:00am if you would like to discuss the program with them.

Morisset Lions Club Raffle

Please help us raise funds for our school. Morisset Lions Club has provided books of twenty $1 raffle tickets to sell and they will donate ALL the money back to our school. Ticket stubs and unsold tickets, plus $1 for each ticket sold must be returned to Wangi Wangi Public School by Friday 19 October (last day of Term). NB: All books must be returned otherwise they must be paid for by the book holder.

What’s on at WWPS:

Week 2
Fri 25 July  Tree Day
Yr 5/6 Canberra Excursion: 1st installment due

Week 3 Education Week
Mon 28 Jul  Got It team visit
Tues 29 Jul  Classroom visit
Yr 4/5 Art Class
UNSW English Competition
Wed 30 Jul  Performance @ Morisset Plaza
Zone Public Speaking
Thurs 31 Jul  Touch Football Yrs 3-6
Fri 1 Aug  Netball Gala day Yrs 5-6

Week 4
Tues 5 Aug  Yr 4/5 Art Class

Week 5
Tues 12 Aug  UNSW Maths Competition
Fri 15 Aug  Zone Athletics

Week 6
Mon 18 Aug  Zone Athletics

Please refer to our website’s calendar for more details.
www.wangiwangi-p.school.nsw.edu.au

Car Park

Just a reminder:
Due to WHS reasons the school’s car park is for staff parking only. Please do not use to drop off/collect students.

The simplest way
…to bust hunger after school

Try these great fruity recipes that will keep your child satisfied until dinner time.

Raisin Toast Rippers
2 slices raisin toast topped with banana and a drizzle of honey.

Krazy Kebabs
Fruit skewers with watermelon, grapes, rockmelon, & strawberries, served with reduced-fat yoghurt for dipping.

Fruity Smoothie
250mls reduced-fat milk
1 handful of berries
1 banana chopped
Place into blender and mix

For more information visit
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or join us at facebook.com/eatittoBeatit

Eat It To Beat It
Community Notices

Before & After School Care
YMCA ran OOSH
@ Biraban Public School Toronto
Students taken to and collected from school.
More details available on 4959 4444

Type 1 Diabetes Survey
The University of Qld is conducting research into parenting children with type 1 diabetes. The aim of this study is to understand the factors that make the management of childhood diabetes particularly difficult and to use this information to develop strategies that might assist parents in managing their child’s diabetes.
If you are a parent of a 2 to 10 year old child with type 1 diabetes, we would love to hear from you!
To complete the online survey go to: https://exp.psy.uq.edu.au/type1diabetes or for further info call Aditi on: 07 3365 7689

P&C Uniform Shop
The cold weather has arrived!!
The following items will help keep the kids warm this winter.
Long black pants $30
School jackets $32
Available from the P&C uniform shop.

P&C News

1st Wangi Scout Group
“Be Prepared” for fun and adventure.
Joey’s – 6 & 7 year olds: Wednesdays 4:30pm to 5:30pm
Cubs – 8 to 12 year olds: Tuesdays 6:00pm to 7:30pm
Scouts – 12 to 15 year olds: Wednesdays 6:30pm to 8:00pm
Leaders also needed. Training and support available.
For details call 0432 497 155
Scouts – making good community members since 1908.

Kids Club
At Wangi Uniting Church 4pm - 6pm every second Tuesday for stories, music and craft.
Dates for this Term: 5 & 19 Aug, 2 & 16 Sept

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