

# Walla Walla Public School

## Weekly Newsletter



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*Week 6 Term 2    Tuesday May 31st 2011*

*Dear Parents and Friends,*

Today the whole school enjoyed excursions to Jindera and Chiltern to learn about Australia's heritage. Next week we will include photographs and reports about the excursions. The staff and students are very grateful that the P&C offered to pay the transport costs

### ***Knitting***

Miss Widdison has kindly offered to teach the children how to knit. Children are requested to bring some wool and large needles to school. Knitting can be done during the second half of lunchtime each Monday. Children can also knit during lunchtime on Tuesday and Wednesday while Miss Widdison is on playground duty.



### ***NAIDOC Week***

We will be holding a special day on Thursday June 30th to celebrate National Aborigine and Islander Day. Derek and John Murray from the Albury Aboriginal Community and Mrs Cathy Egan from the Department of Education and Community will organise the day's events. Parents are invited to attend. More information will be sent home as the day comes closer.

### ***We Are All Different***

Last Thursday Mrs Cherie Scott from the Department of Education and Community delivered the first of a series of lessons to the students. Each lesson focuses on the idea that individuals are basically the same but unique in their own way and that we must be tolerant and accepting of the differences of other people.

Lessons will be taught each Thursday morning until the end of term. During the lessons the children will complete a work booklet titled 'We Are Different'. The booklet will be forwarded home at the end of the term.

### ***Postponed P&C Meeting***

Last night's P&C Meeting was postponed due to my illness. The meeting will now be held at 7pm on Monday June 6th.

### ***Cross Country Congratulations***

Congratulations to all of our students for doing their best at last week's Walbundrie PSSA Cross Country Carnival. The results were as follows:

8/9 Years Boys : Macauley Kohlhausen 6th  
Joshua Lieschke 9th  
Nicholas Hall 12th

10 Years Boys: Ty Voss 1st  
Jacob Wilson 17th

11 Years Boys : Jaxon Neagle 2nd

8/9 Years Girls: Alyssa Lieschke 2nd  
Georgia Merriman 16th  
Kelsey Lieschke 17th

10 Years Girls : Lydia Wenke 7th

11 Years Girls : Olivia Merriman 2nd  
Sophia Kohlhausen 4th

12 Years Girls : Emma Klingsporn 7th

The first 4 students in each race are eligible to compete in the Regional Carnival to be held at Deniliquin on Tuesday June 14th. Information was sent home last Thursday with the children concerned.



Our students at the Cross Country in Jindera

### ***Half Yearly Reports***

Student reports for Semester 1 will be forwarded home on Friday July 1st. Parent/Teacher interviews will be held during Week 3 of next term.

### ***Queen's Birthday Holiday***

Students are not required to come to school on Monday June 13th as it is the Queen's Birthday Public Holiday.

### ***PSSA Friday Football***

Years 5&6 boys will participate in PSSA Football most Friday afternoons from June the 3rd until August 26th. Information and permission notes were sent home yesterday with the boys concerned.

Mr Ritchie Voss has volunteered to drive this Friday. The boys will depart school at 12.45 pm for a game commencing at 1.30 pm at the Scots School in Albury.

Mr Joshua Duffey will coach the team this week. Boys will receive football jumpers to wear when they arrive at the ground.

A transport roster will be drawn up as soon as permission notes are returned.



### ***Diary Dates***

***Monday June 6th*** - P & C 7.00pm school library

***Monday June 13th*** - Queen's Birthday Holiday

***Tuesday June 14th*** - Riverina Cross Country

***Thursday June 30th*** - NAIDOC Celebrations

### ***Canteen Roster***

*6th June - Kristen Hall & Leeann Jackson*

*13th June—Queens Birthday Holiday*

*20th June—Karla Lieschke & Pam Lezius*

### ***Community Notices***

#### **OLD SCHOOL HOUSE**

Will be catering at the Walla Bowling Club this Friday.

Come along for some winter warmers:

Pumpkin soup, Roast Lamb or Pork with roast veg

Dessert - Apple Pie

Children's meal - nuggets & chips, Ice cream with topping only \$5.00