

Walla Walla Public School

Weekly Newsletter



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Dear Parents and Friends,

Zone Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to Joshua Lieschke, Jackson Lezius and Ty Voss for their performances at the Zone Swimming Carnival. Ty Voss came 2nd in the 11 years Boys 50m Backstroke and will now participate in the Regional Carnival to be held in Albury on March 9th. Well done Ty.

School Assembly

We have been made aware that 12.30 pm is not a suitable time to hold our school assemblies. We thought about a 9.30 am start but this also affects people who have work commitments and others who have to transport their children to pre-school.

Due to these difficulties we have decided to return to the 3.00 pm timeslot.

Our first School Assembly will be held this Thursday, March 1st at 3.00pm. Parents and friends are welcome to attend.

Billabong Orientation Day

Billabong High School will hold its first Orientation Day for this year's Year 6 students on Thursday March 8th. Students who do not plan to attend Billabong High next year are also invited to attend. Information was sent home with the students yesterday. Any further information can be obtained from Billabong High School, Culcairn.

Write Around the Murray

Last year the school made an application for funding to be part of the Write Around the Murray Program. Fortunately we were successful and will be part of the program this year. Children's author Susan Berran will visit the school on Thursday the 15th of March and Friday the 23rd of March to conduct workshops with the children. Years 4-6 will write the text and K-3 students will do the illustrations.

When our children have completed their part of the book it will be sent to an animator who will create the book, so that it can be viewed on-line.

This is a very exciting project for our students to be involved in and I look forward to seeing what they produce.

Write Around the Murray activities are held in conjunction with the Albury City Library.

Best Start Training

Mrs Noll is the Best Start Co-ordinator for the Walbundrie Small School's Group. She will be attending her first training session on Friday March 16th. Mrs Pam Chahda will teach the K/1/2 class on that day.

School Counsellor Visit

The School Counsellor, Melissa Moss, will visit the school again on Wednesday March 21st. If you would like to meet with the School Counsellor or arrange for your child to see the School Counsellor, please contact the school.

Playgroup

Our first Playgroup Session for the year will be held on Wednesday March 21st between 10.30 am and 12.00 noon. Invitations will be sent out in the near future. If you know of any children who may like to come along, please ring the school and provide us with their names and addresses, so that we can send them an invitation.



Parent Complaint Procedures

The staff at Walla Walla Public School do their best for the children in their care. However, if you have a complaint or concern about school matters these can be made either to the relevant teacher or to the Principal.

Wherever possible we try to seek a solution to concerns through informal means. If you are not happy after this process a formal complaint can be made orally or in writing. A complaint form is available on request.

P & C News

- At this stage the **AGM will be Monday 12th March, 7pm in the library**. The auditor still has the books.
- We are **NOT** catering this Friday at the Bowling Club. Due to so many other commitments our caterers have, we are unable to do so. Our next catering night at the Bowling Club will be Friday May 4th.

Diary Dates

March 1st - School Assembly 3.00 pm

March 8th - Billabong High School Orientation Day

March 9th - Riverina Regional Swimming Carnival

March 12th - P & C Meeting

March 15th and 23rd – Write Around the Murray Days

March 21st – Playgroup

-School Counsellor Visit

March 27th - Athletics Carnival, Alexandra Park—
all students to attend

March 29th - School Assembly - 3.00 pm

Canteen Roster

March 5th: Karla Lieschie & Natalie Wenke

March 12th: Selina Kohlhausen & Lisa Wilson

Community Notices

Family Fun Night

When: March 2nd 6pm to 10pm

Where: Culcairn Sports Ground

Entry: Gold Coin Donation

Bring the family and have a fun night out.

The theme is 'Sports' so come in your favourite sporting team's colours. Plenty to see and do including

- Backyard Cricket
- Jumping Castle
- Dunking Machine
- Face Painting
- Spinning Wheel with lots of great prizes
- See Camp Quality esCarpade Car Rally entry 'Health in a Hurry'
- Barbecue
- Fairy Floss
- Cake Stall
- Demos by SES and Fire Brigade and much more.

All proceeds go Camp Quality to help kids living with cancer and the Culcairn Netball Club's new courts.

CLAIMING THE DATE



FOOTBALL

RAND



NETBALL

AUSTRALIAN RULES FOOTBALL/NETBALL DEVELOPMENT ROUND ROBIN CARNIVAL 2011

To be held at the
**RAND SPORTSGROUND AND
RAND PUBLIC SCHOOL OVAL**

**SUNDAY 5th August 2012
9.30am**

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