



THE RIVER NEWS

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P&C Meeting 3rd Tuesday of the Month

Important Dates

Term 2

03/06/2009

Jump Rope For Heart Launch

4/6/2009

Cross Country

08/06/2009

Public Holiday

16/06/2009

Naidoc Week Activities Years 5 & 6

03/07/2009

Reports go Home & Pyjama Disco returns

06/07/2009

Band Concert 11.00 All welcome.

8-10/07/2009

Years 5 & 6 Canberra and Snowy excursion

10/07/2009

Last day Term 2

27/07/2009

Staff return

28/07/2009

Students return

29/07/2009

Restorative Justice Parent meeting

GRANDFRIENDS

Looking at the radar map on Thursday morning brought a sigh of relief as it displayed the promise of a clear sky day. The roll up of Grand Friends, parents, pre-schoolers was absolutely huge and the school was literally bulging at the seams.

The visitors ventured first into classrooms where a variety of lessons were underway. By then the smells wafting in from the BBQ were enough to encourage the crowds back to the playground for lunch. Thanks to an army of volunteers who chopped up kilos of tomatoes, a number of lettuce and sliced more than the odd bun or two. With the cooks working overtime and a well drilled serving team some 400 plus hamburgers were constructed and consumed in near record time.

With dark clouds threatening the stage was set for the dancers. Mrs Taylor's group had everyone tapping their toes. Then it was time for each of the classes to perform their special dance. There were quite a few grand friends who were up and dancing to the music.

What a great day and congratulations to the organising committee: Mrs Kolic, Mrs Hitchenson, Mrs Webbey and Mrs Simula. Thank you also to the cutters and servers without your help the day would not have happened.

Also a big thankyou to our P & C who supported the event through the sponsorship of the grand friends meals.

PHOTOCOPIER

This edition will hopefully be the last one to be printed on our old photocopier. The old grey mare machine that is currently being used just "aint what she used to be". Unfortunately the lack of reliability has meant that some notes home have arrived later than we had in fact wanted but alas it was the case of waiting for the technician to come and fix the latest problem.

At the May meeting of the P & C it was generously decided that the P & C would fund the purchase of a new photocopier for the school. The new machine, once installed will make everyone's life a lot easier. However as it is larger than the existing machine the office area will be undergoing a little change whilst space is created.

CROSS COUNTRY

The Zone cross country has been moved again both in date and venue. It will now be held on Thursday 4th June at Waratah Park bicycle track. It will be on rain, hail or shine as the District Cross Country is on the following week.

The following students are representing us at the carnival

12/13 years: Yasmine Tillett, Sara Carroll, Emma Sahlstrom, Caitlyn Tyndall
Tim Maher, Reece Misso, Jack Drury, David Thomas

11 years: Alysse Brownlow, Annalise Locke, Maddie Phair, Madison Quince
Lachlan Simmons, Alex Horwood, Jack Pye

10 Years: Avalee Isaacs, Georgia Lambert, Luca Lillis, Zoe O'Mahony
Joshua Fernandes, Jack Elphinstone, Jacob Krkovski, Max Richardson

8/9 years Bethany Simmons, Shontelle Way, Jade Carroll, Bree Dawson
Zane Burton, James Kolic, Daniel Ballantine

Good luck team.

CREATE

Four of our students are currently taking part in CREATE a program for Gifted and Talented students. Emma Sahlstrom and Lachlan Simmons (Band) and Caitlyn and Madison Tyndall

(dance) will be working with other students and participating in workshops to prepare a performance which will be held on Thursday night. It will indeed be a challenging experience for our four students.

PYJAMA DISCO

The PJ Disco which was postponed a week or two ago will now be held on Friday 3rd July.

BIKE & SCOOTER SAFETY

It has been pleasing to see an improvement by our riders. War Zone bicycle shop at Sutherland have come up with a range of very generous offers to assist in helping families ensure their child is safe. The following offers are only for students from Woronora River:

Bike Helmets— \$20 off. Supply and fit brakes- free of charge Complete safety check \$10 a bike.

Should your child's bike be well and truly past its prime there are some great specials on for the month of May

COLIN BUCHANAN DVD

St Johns Church, Sutherland has made available free to families a DVD featuring well known Christian performer Colin Buchanan. Colin with his mate Nudge take viewers on a fun filled and enjoyable look at church and religion.

Free copies can be collected from the school office.

PEER SUPPORT

Week 6

We focus on the family this week in Peer Support. In order to encourage young people to be resilient, we need to help them find the people who can support them. The children are asked to remember the things they have learned to do with the help of various family members. This leads to an activity that shows the children how the support of members of their family can help them to be more resilient.

Thank your child for something they have done for you and discuss all the people within and outside your family that your child can turn to for support.

Week 7

We further develop the idea of belonging this week in Peer Support. Having looked at the role of family last week now we look at our network of friends. The children identify all the groups to which they belong and the friends they have in each group. The activities are designed to encourage the children to appreciate the wide network of friends they have and the importance of humour between friends.

Discuss the ways your child shows their friends that they care about them and encourage them to do these things regularly.

MOBILE PHONES

From time to time and for a variety of reasons students have mobile phones at school. If a student brings a phone to school they are asked to bring the phone to

the Principal's office where they remain until the end of the day when the students can collect them.

AWARDS

Congratulations to these children who recently received their Achievement Certificate:

Kindy:- Caleb Kerr

K_1 :- Lili Cotter, Imi Barrett

1_2 :- Chloe Cotter,

2_3 :- Ryan Elphinstone, Ben Scoby-Smith, Shontelle Way, Zharna Lama, Lochie White

3_4 Adina Varkey

4_5 :- Avalee Isaacs

Yr 6 Caitlyn Tyndall

NEWSLETTER via EMAIL

If you would like to receive the school newsletter via email please send your email address to the office.

PSSA Sport

Senior A's Netball

On Friday the 15th of may the Wonnie Senior A Netball team played Kirrawee.

Lucy and Alysse were our shooters and Maddie and Annalise were the centre girls.

In the last half Evie from Senior B's went as our GS. It was a tough game as we lost 10 to 5. By Madi . T.

On Friday 29th the Wonnie boys played Burraneer Bay at Miranda. In the first half Zane almost got a goal but he got tackled. In the 2nd half James did a beautiful run down the side line but got tackled. But the man of the match goes to Tom for a good sweep.

On 29th May the Junior A's played Lilli Pilli. The score was 5 to 3 and guess what we won!! Shannon was great and had lots of energy. Adina and Bree shot good goals but the girl of the game goes to Bree for great shooting.

On Friday 29th the Wonnie Senior B's played Lilli Pilli. Unfortunately we lost 9-6, although we played great. Yazzie, Emily and Daene were great defenders. Sarah, Emma N and Zoe O were great in attack and Evie, Emma N and I did great in shooting. Everyone did well but the girl of the game goes to Yasmine for great defence and she never gave up. GREAT GAME GIRLS!! By Madison Quince and Evie Paton.

On 29th May the Senior A's played Lilli Pilli. The score was 21 to 4 our way. Georgia played great. But the girl of the game goes to Annalise. Congratulations girls. By Zoe and Ashleigh

B&A NEWS

As you may be aware, Katie is pregnant and expecting in late October. CONGRATULATIONS!

Unfortunately, she will be unable to continue working at WRPS BASC and plans to finish in September. The Management Committee will be hiring a new Coordinator this term and the successful applicant will start week 1 of Term 3. Advertising for the position has taken place

with a view to hold interviews during week 8 & 9 and the committee will reach a decision in week 10/11. We will keep you informed on the progress.

WRPS BASC Management Committee

LEAVE

Mr Pallas will be on leave from Tuesday 9th June returning on Monday 29th June. Whilst he is away Mr Goldthorp and Mrs Simula will be undertaking the role of Principal

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Centre Coordinator

Permanent Part Time (28.5hrs a week)

Woronora River Public School Before and After School Care Centre are looking for a highly motivated individual who would like to coordinate a small Outside School Hours Care Centre during the hours of 7am – 9am & 2.30pm – 6pm. The successful applicant will be required to start in first week of Term 3 (27/7/09).

WRPS BASC is a small, not for profit, Accredited, community owned Outside School Hours Care Centre. The Centre caters for up to 20 children per session before school and 25 children per session after school averaging around 10 – 15 children per session.

The Coordinator will be responsible for all facets of operating an OOSH Centre. Duties will include, but are not confined to, supervision of all care sessions, accepting payments of fees, receipting, taking bookings, preparing and serving breakfast and afternoon tea, the supervision of casual staff and creating a menu and activities program for each term.

WRPS BASC operates under a single staff service model and applicants must be willing and capable to work in this environment.

You will have sound knowledge of OSHCQA and middle childhood development and be able to manage all the duties and responsibilities of running a small Centre. You must have a genuine interest in, and enthusiasm for, caring for and catering to primary aged children, a willingness to engage, interact and entertain the children in your care and follow the WRPS BASC's Centre Philosophy, policies and practices.

This position is perfect for someone who wants to be involved in all aspects of running a small, community operated, Before & After School Care Centre.

A minimum requirement of a Diploma IV in Children's Services (preferably with OOSH components), Certificate in First Aid and cleared Working With Children Check are essential to gain this position.

Please also provide details of qualifications and work experience, as well as the particulars of two recent work-related referees.

Please send your resume to:

admin@wrpsbasc.com.au

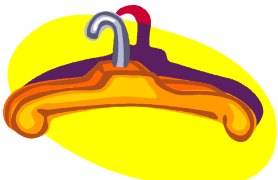








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Closing Date for Applications: Friday 12th June 2009

Woronora River Before & After School Care Centre's



	Week 6 01/06/09	Week 7 08/06/09	Week 8 15/06/09
Craft Tuesday & Thursday	Personalised Coat Hangers 	Stressballs 	Gardening Activity 
Cooking Friday	Pasta	Salsa & Guacamole	Sushi
Sport Monday Wednesday	 Martial Arts  Football	 Martial Arts  Football	 Martial Arts  Football
Menu	M Stuffed Potatoes T Cottage Pie W Cornbread Th Cheese & Vegemite Scrolls F Scones	M Macaroni & Cheese T Stuffed Potatoes W Frittata Th Spaghetti Boscaiola F Tuna & Corn Mornay	M Scones T Cheese & Vegemite Scrolls W Chicken Soup Th Stuffed Potatoes F Spaghetti Napolitana

Woronora River Before & After School Care Centre is once again an **Accredited OOSH Centre!**

We achieved a **High Quality Standard in all 8 Quality Areas**. To see how we performed in detail see the Accreditation Certificate, Quality Profile and a Summary of all Ratings posted on the B&A Noticeboard. The next Committee Meeting will be held **Wednesday 10th June** at 6:00pm in the Centre.

Fee Schedule (price scales down for multiple children)

Membership	\$40 per family per year	
	Permanent Bookings	Casual Bookings
Morning	\$13.00	\$15.00
Afternoon	\$15.00	\$17.00