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TERM 2 WEEK 2 Wednesday, 28th April, 2021

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At a glance.....



Calendar Term 1

29.4.21

Year 5 Tree
Planting

5.5.21

Mother's Day Stall
Respect workshop
Day 2

7.5.21

Field Events at
School
8 years +

11-13.5.21

NAPLAN

School

Contributions
\$50 per child
\$100 per family

We have had a wonderful and very busy start to Term 2. The P&C have met, we have held our whole school annual ANZAC Service, our runners have participated in District Cross Country, Stage 3 attended the RSL ANZAC Service at the Paceway, we have participated in the League Stars Respect workshops and we have undertaken all of this whilst continuing with our regular teaching and learning programs.

District Cross Country

On Friday 23.4.21, our long distance runners proudly participated in the District Cross Country at Jamison Park. They represented the school with great sportsmanship and perseverance. We had some fantastic results with a few of our students placing in the top 20 and many placing in the top 50. We would like to extend an extra congratulations to Sienna Planer (4th) and Chelsea Wright (3rd) who will be representing our school at the Sydney West Carnival later in Term 2.

P&C Mother's Day Stall

The P&C will be holding the annual Mother's Day stall on Wednesday 5th May. Students will be able to purchase gifts priced between \$1 – \$5 to give on Mother's Day. We thank the P&C team for their dedication, time and organisation in holding the stall.

Check-in Assessment and NAPLAN

Years 4 & 6 students are undertaking Check-in Assessment today. It is an online literacy and numeracy assessment to provide staff with feedback that will inform teaching and learning programs.

NAPLAN is a point in time assessment that allows parents and teachers to identify student progress in literacy and numeracy. NAPLAN is a national assessment. It is conducted in Years 3 and 5 and will be held on 11.5.21 – 13.5.21. NAPLAN is online.

Athletics Carnival and Field Events

This year our Athletics Carnival will be held earlier due to upgrades planned for Harold Corr Oval. The field events, for students turning 8 this year or older, will be held at school on Friday 7th May. Parents are invited to attend and cheer on our students.

Opportunity Class Placement

Year 5 2022 Opportunity Class placements applications are open online on April 20th – May 7th. Please apply online or contact the office if you require assistance.

Student Safety

We have had a number of safety concerns when students are dropped off and picked up for school.

Please ensure you are adhering to the road rules and signage to ensure the safety of our school community.

PLEASE DO NOT DRIVE INTO THE CARPARK UNLESS AUTHORISED BY THE PRINCIPAL

ANZAC Service

On Thursday of Week 1, we held our annual WCPS Anzac Service. The generosity of our community through the donations of flowers demonstrates respect and pride for our servicemen and women. Thank you to our special guests Mrs Lesley Ayres, Mr Bill Peet, Mr Scott Kelly and Mr Craig Redfern, students, staff and families for attending such a heartfelt and respectful memorial. Floral tributes were transported to Penrith City Memory Park Penrith to lay at the memorial for ANZAC Day.

Kristine Beeby

Relieving Principal



What ANZAC Day Means To Me

As the sun rises,
Lanterns are lit in the driveways,
With little ANZAC biscuit surprises,
The neighbourhood falls silent.

As the bugle plays,
I remember my great-grandfather,
Whose courage was never a charade,
While he fought for our country.

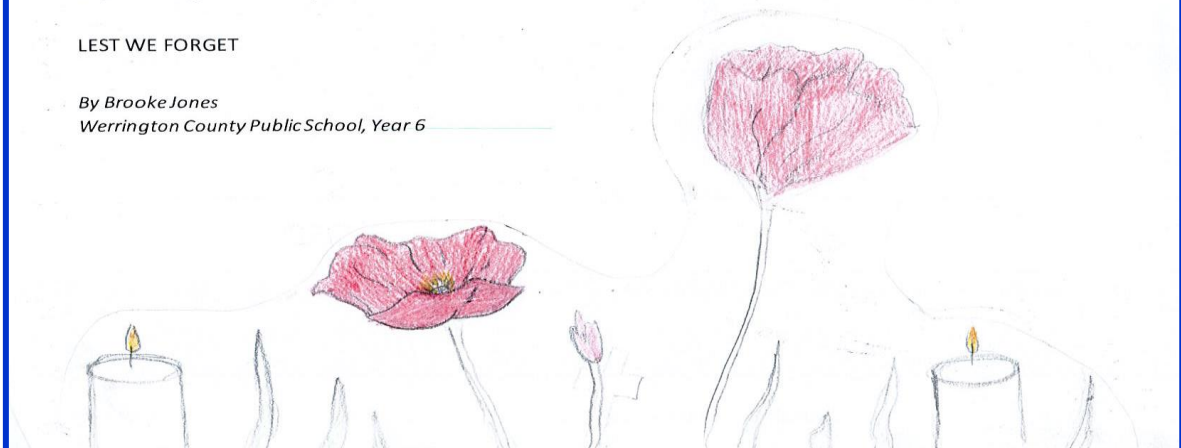
I imagine him standing by my side,
Smiling at the scene in the neighbourhood,
With all the families standing with pride,
Lighting the candles.

As the bugle comes to an end,
A minute's silence,
A minute with my great-grandfather I spend,
The seconds seem slow,
But I prefer it that way.

On ANZAC Day,
I remember my great-grandfather,
With my little bouquet,
And my poppy near my heart,
Representing more than you think.

LEST WE FORGET

*By Brooke Jones
Werrington County Public School, Year 6*





2021 NSW PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

The 2021 PRC is off and running! Congratulations to the following students:

10 book merit certificate (K-2)

Lucy Malloy

Harrison Dobson

Raynesh Sharma

Dominic Pagett-Salman

20 book merit certificate (K-2)

Sophia Jackson-Wilkie

Dominic Pagett-Salman

30 book merit certificate (K-2)

Dominic Pagett-Salman

Your certificate will be presented at a future assembly.

The following students have completed the Years 3-6 Premier's Reading Challenge:

Liam Allaburton

Jet Newman

Chelsea Wright

Blake Connon-McDonald

Chantelle Lowe

Brooke Jones

Dylan Lousick

William Newman

Sienna Planer

Your official certificate will arrive at the end of the year.

I would like to thank the families who have found & returned overdue library books or paid for those that have become lost or damaged. I greatly appreciate your assistance. Please note **lost or damaged** library books need to be paid for.

Mrs Baxter
Teacher Librarian



Enter Your Canteens
Mothers Day
COLOURING IN
Competition
Win Your Mum
A DAY OFF from making your lunch

happy
Mother's day!!!

Pick up your copy from the canteen

1 x Winner per grade will be issued a
\$6.50 canteen lunch voucher

healthycanteens.com.au

The logo for Healthy Canteens, featuring a stylized red apple with a green leaf and a white heart shape inside the apple.

Enter your Canteens
Mothers Day Colouring In
Competition

Win



Your Mum "A DAY OFF" from making your lunch



Name _____ Class _____

School _____



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Book Club orders are due
Friday 7th May.

All orders, including online orders must be placed by **9am** on this day.
Please allow 5-10 working days for delivery.

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LOOP is the Scholastic Book Club **Linked Online Ordering & Payment** platform for Parents.

If you want to pay by credit card for your online Book Club order, **LOOP** makes it easy! It eliminates the need for paper order forms plus your online order is submitted to the school safe and sound.

Log-in to www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP or download our iPhone and iPad app from the App Store or get it on Google Play for Android.

- For a quick start, just click on **ORDER** in the top menu or **REGISTER** first to save your details for next time
- Select your school and your child's class
- Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for)
- Enter the item number from the Book Club catalogues
- You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school
- All orders are linked directly to the school for submission to Scholastic. Books will still be delivered to your child's classroom if you order by the close date
- There's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to your school!

For a quick how-to-order video, log-in to www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP and click on **HELP** in the top menu.



Book Club

The **Gift Function** enables you to tag **Book Club** orders on **LOOP** that are intended as a surprise gift. This feature can be used throughout the year, providing your **Book Club Organiser** has enabled the gift function for your school. **LOOP** orders tagged as a gift will be delivered to school and marked accordingly, for the **Book Club Organiser** to set aside at the school office for you to collect.

How to use the **Gift Function** on Book Club **LOOP**
scholastic.com.au/LOOP

Follow these **easy** steps!

1 LOG-IN

2 Select the **ORDER** tab

3 Select your **ISSUE**

4 Check the box **GIFT ORDER**

NOTE: ALL ITEMS ON THIS ORDER WILL BE MARKED AS A GIFT.



5 Enter the book number shown on the Catalogue

6 Select **NEXT** to finalise your order

PLEASE NOTE, THE ITEMS DO NOT COME GIFT WRAPPED.

For books that can be delivered directly to your child, please submit a separate order.

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If for any reason you wish to collect the order from the office, please write '**collect from office**' on the order form. If you are ordering online use the '**gift**' option. The office will notify you when your order is ready for collection.

Please note gift items **DO NOT** come gift wrapped.

School Planner 2021



Term two	Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday / Sunday
April	1	Staff Development Day 19	20	21	WCPS ANZAC Service 10am 22	23	25 April – ANZAC Day 24/25
April / May	2	26	Stage 3 ANZAC Service – Paceway Respect Workshop 27	Check in assessment Yrs 4& 6 28	Year 5 Tree Planting Respect Workshop 29	30	1/2
May	3	3	4	Mother's Day Stall 5	6	7	8/9
May	4	10	NAPLAN 11	NAPLAN 12	NAPLAN 13	14	15/16
May	5	17	18	Kindergarten Farm excursion 19	20	Penrith Cup League 21	22/23
May	6	24	Panther Trophy 25	26	8 years + Athletics Carnival Harold Corr oval 27	28	29/30
May / June	7	31	Bronze Privilege Day 1	2	3	K-2 Cross Country P&C BBQ 4	5/6
June	8	7	8	9	10	11	12/13
June	9	14 June – Queen's Birthday 14	15	16	17	Reports Home 18	19/20
June	10	Parent / teacher interviews 21	Parent / teacher interviews 22	Parent / teacher interviews 23	Parent / teacher interviews 24	Penrith Cup Netball 25	26/27