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TERM 2 WEEK 6 Wednesday, 26th May, 2021



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At a glance......



Calendar Term 2

27.5.21 Athletics Carnival

1.6.21Bronze Privilege Day

3.6.21 K-2 Cross Country P&C BBQ

14.6.21 Public Holiday

18.6.21 Reports home

School Contributions \$50 per child \$100 per family

Congratulations

We have had a number of notable achievements in literacy, art, sport and dance over the past few weeks.

I would like to congratulate **Sienna Planer** who was recently named as one of the winning entries in the Londonderry Spirit of ANZAC Award. She will be presented with her award by Prue Car at this week's assembly. Well done Sienna.

Congratulations to **Eliza Hayes**, who has this week been named as the winner of the 10 - 12 Years Penrith section on the inaugural WestWords-WestLit Living Stories Western Sydney Writing Prize. Eliza's entry has now progressed to the next round where her writing will be assessed by a panel of writers and community leaders, with the results announced on the 28th June. Good luck to Eliza in the next round.

Our student achievements also extended to the sporting fields, with the WCPS **Panther Trophy** teams performing well yesterday. Both teams scored an abundance of tries, tackled bravely and displayed great sportsmanship. Well done teams and coaches. Congratulations to the **Knockout Soccer** teams who have recently played their first round. The boy's team were unfortunately defeated in a close game, however the girl's team were successful in progressing to the second round. We wish them luck in their next match.

Emerald Melrose will be performing next week at the Synergy Dance Festival. She has been practising with the Sydney West Dance Group at Nepean CAPA High School throughout the term and will be performing at a number of concerts throughout the year. Best wishes Emerald.

<u>Farewell</u>

This week we bid farewell to Miss Teagan Joyce. Miss Joyce has been teaching the students in our Support Unit for the past three years. We wish her all the best and we thank her for her support and contributions to the lives and education of our students.

Athletics Carnival

The Athletics Carnival for students 8 years + will take place tomorrow May 27th at Harold Corr Oval. We will keep you updated of any postponement via the official Werrington County Public School Facebook page and School e-news. Parents are invited to attend and cheer on our students.

Drop off and Pick Up of Students - IMPORTANT

It is essential that we work together as a community to ensure that the drop off and pick up of students is a safe and respectful experience. Please remember to;

- **Park safely and legally**, even if it means walking further to the school gate. Parking signs are planned with children's safety in mind.
- > Slow down to 40km/h in the school zone and stay aware of crossings.
- > Always park and turn legally around the school.
- Never double park as it puts children at risk.
- Manoeuvres such as U-turns and three-point turns are dangerous.
- Never park in a bus zone or in the school bus bay.
- Make sure your children use the Safety Door (rear footpath side door) to get in and out of the car.
- Model safe and considerate behaviour for your child they will learn from you. Student safety is everyone's responsibility. Please support us in keeping all of our children safe when coming to school.

Reports and Parent/Teacher Meetings

Reports to parents will be sent home on Friday 18th June. Parent/Teacher meetings will be held in Week 10 on the following dates;

Kindergarten – Monday - 21.6.21 Years 1 & 2 – Tuesday - 22.6.21 Stage 2 and Support – Wednesday - 23.6.21 Stage 3 – Thursday – 24.6.21

We encourage you to take this opportunity to discuss your child's report and their learning progress. Teachers will be scheduling appointments from 2pm – 7pm on their allocated day. Further information will be sent home later in the term.

Being at school and on time

Arriving at school and class on time ensures that students do not miss out on important learning activities scheduled early in the day. If your child arrives at school after 9:00am, they are required to obtain a late slip from the office. Lateness is recorded as a partial absence and must be explained by parents.

Following an absence from school you must ensure that within 7 days you provide your child's school with a verbal or written explanation for the absence. However, if the school has not received an explanation from you within 2 days, the school may contact you to discuss the absence.



National Reconciliation Week 2021: 27 May – 3 June
More than a word. Reconciliation takes action

We all have a role to play when it comes to reconciliation, and in playing our part we collectively build relationships and communities that value Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, histories, cultures, and futures.

National Reconciliation Week (NRW) is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements, and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia.

Bronze Awards and Privilege Day

Well done and thank you to all of the students who have maintained the expectations of being safe, respectful learners both in the classroom and playground over the last term and a half. Students who achieve their Bronze Award have considered the safety of themselves and others, respected their peers and staff and shown dedication to their learning this year. They are eligible to attend Bronze Privilege Day on June 1st. Keep up the great work as you work towards earning your Silver Award.

Kristine Beeby Relieving Principal

BRONZE AWARDS 2021

2P KB 1B Violet Barry Krishaun Ballu Mila-Jade Breadsell Connor Burrows Declan Clark Harper Durrington **Bovd Chatfield** Conor Evans **Emily Forry** Brooklyn D'Cruz Logan Fahey Harrison Gilchrist Annaliese Kilbourne Izaac Flood **Emily Malloy** Jaxon Leslie Hayden Fowler Shyla Sofia Lima Echavarria Mia Hermes Riley McLoughlin Kaiden Pelman Kaiden Ludwig Reigan Hermes Lucy Malloy Mehreen Hussaini Natalie Rocky Wynbergen Parnell Kaiden Reedy Charlotte Irwin Genevieve Tilden Havana Melrose 2/3T KN Wanda Oeuillet John Aviyote Zyra Peake Harper Colman Ivyana Alefosio Maddison Brown Amelia Rothwell Neriah Enese Victoria Chu Elisha Zwickl Mobeen Hussaini Phoebe Davis **1Q** James Kilbourne Claire Elliott Dylan Brennan Kaley Litherland Ivy Evans Charlotte Cooper Lachlan Miller **Emmrey Gill** Dominic Pagett-Salman Hannah Montgomery Mia Gordon Temani Pili Logan Gracie-Mae Romelo Lily Hellmrich Earvin Khan Sophia Jackson-Wilkie Mahalia Leasi Olivia Saoushkin **Emily Jameson** Elizabeth Rose Leitch Austin Baran Zack Monforte Archie Lynch-Wildman Ruby Goode Howard Nguyen Matthew Mason Kensi Vesperman Takari Smith Caleb Nguyen Chelsea Wright Seth Paterson Ethan Zwickl **K/1S** Charlotte Cooper **Damien Pengilly** 3/4A Reagan Mackie Harlia Rodziewicz Dilan Ahmet Amity Mittiga Helen Liam Allaburton Melody Rayward 2B Jade Boscott McKenna Stephens Kaylee Alyra Braddick Maycee Anderson Aaliyah Crocker Michael Brennan Cooper Bain Isla Carroll Koa Peake Mason Bemrose Bentley Chatfield Zara Souter Joshua Deagle Chase Stephens Diona Churn Roxi-Rae Wright Jahkaya Hohaia-Clarke Imogen Horton Charlotte Hunt Braith Barker Jessica Manning Korbin Jones Laylah Buesnel Olivia Nimmo Amelia Clancy Koby Schmatloch Hunter Kettlewell Levi Gardner 1-5J Rylan King Elijah Hartman Flynn Matthews Charlotte Gray Breanna Green Valerie Newman Abhiram Gude Prentiss Nguyen Jayceon-Pius Oaariki-Ailao Kensi Melrose Adelaide Appleby Chloe Oliver Tiankyn Oli Vhanz Chu Keenan Pelman Ivy Paluch Cody Van Dongen Tairell Pili Mia Refalo 3/4R Jordyn Roberts Isabella Roelofs Madeline Felton Raynesh Sharma 5C 6F Lee Abian Chayce Gray Connor Howard Allirah Alliston Mehwash Batool Beau Litherland Dallas Baran Skye Brennan Riley Cooper Riya Patel Kobi Beattie Ruby-Lee Ross Jaxon Bowerman-Neoh Liana Dirani Marley Thorn-Ross Imogen Camilleri Lukas Hardie Cooper Towne Chelsea Chamberlain Kaitlin Hunt Mikaylah Brown Dayna Colclough Peyton Kettlewell Liam De Winter Cooper Fullerton Luke Sammut Oscar Gilchrist Kingston Hanna Ruby Scammell

Brooke Jones

Dylan Lousick

Taylor Shepherd

Isobel Smith

Maddox Snape

Boyd Souter

Summer Southwell Ruby Woodward

Jett Lee

Veeraj Narayan

Delilah Pengilly

Molly Travers

3/4EW Summa Jackson Cooper Rilev Kacarovski Levi Kiernan Fahey Talisha Marino Jet Newman Indie Nohokau Chelsea Rogers Zac Ross Tiana Shepherd Manrajveer Singh Isaac Sorbello Aarav Aarav Lachlan Cordell Logan Fitzpatrick Jadyn Hardie Peyton Khamphen Ashton Kilgour Miley Sophia Nguyen Benjamin Prentice Senila Amelia Tilden 3/4G Jaiden Berrell Mia Bruckard Zade Cassel **Braxton Kandel** Teryques-Estanye Oaariki-Ailao **Emma Pengilly** Harmony Rayward Aaliyah Thompson Tyler Tuovinen Faith Brown Lexie Flood Ella Long Lily Taylor

> Jasper Tuthill 4-6F

Cayden Khamphen John Green

6G Luke Ball Taylan Binen Olivia Budahazy Kobie Clark Ella Rose Cooper Eliza Hayes Chloe Jones **Bailey Lyle** Jack Notley Samirah Obrien Mia Oli Sienna Planer Shvlah Shepherd Prabhjeet Singh Izabel Travers Dani Tuovinen Cai Wegner

5/6T Sabella Costanzo Talia Dirani Louise Kelly Jackson Khamphen Oliver Miller Adam Ponton-Holman Ella Quirk Hannah Sayers Jayden Kiernan

5/6T cont. Felicity Towne Chelsea Attwill Corban Barker Kalan Boscott Raven Chamberlain Jordan Bullen Jorja Le Clerc Olga Nimmo Tekayla Pelman

2-5K Riley Crum Daniel Elliott Bryce Fil Maggie Green Raadiyah Yousafzai Destani Aumua Cooper Cardilini

4/5P Jorja Alliston Mackenzie Beattie Asha Bowen Leotie Churn Benjamin Di Sandro Flynn Falzon Charlotte Fowler Brianna Hansen Oliver Millar William Collins Sarika Kabir Ellandra Maher **Taylor Montgomery** Alexis Planer Ethan



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

10 book merit certificate (K-2) Flynn Matthews

20 book merit certificate (K-2)

Mia Gordon Kaiden Ludwig

30 book merit certificate (K-2)
Caleb Nguyen Mia Gordon

Your certificate will be presented at a future assembly.

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

Tekayla Pelman Imogen Mittiga Eliza Evans

Cooper Fullerton

Lachlan Miller

Eleni Grav

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

Please note: <u>ALL students in K-2 will automatically be eligible to receive an official PRC certificate.</u> However, if for any reason you do not wish your child (K-6) to receive a PRC certificate please advise the school by FRIDAY 27th AUGUST 2021.



Book Club orders are due

Friday 11th June.

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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Book Club LOOP

for Parents





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

Follow these easy steps!

- 1 LOG-IN
- 2 Select the ORDER tab
- Select your ISSUE
- 4 Check the box GIFT ORDER

 NOTE: ALL ITEMS ON THIS ORDER WILL
 BEMARKED 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.





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.