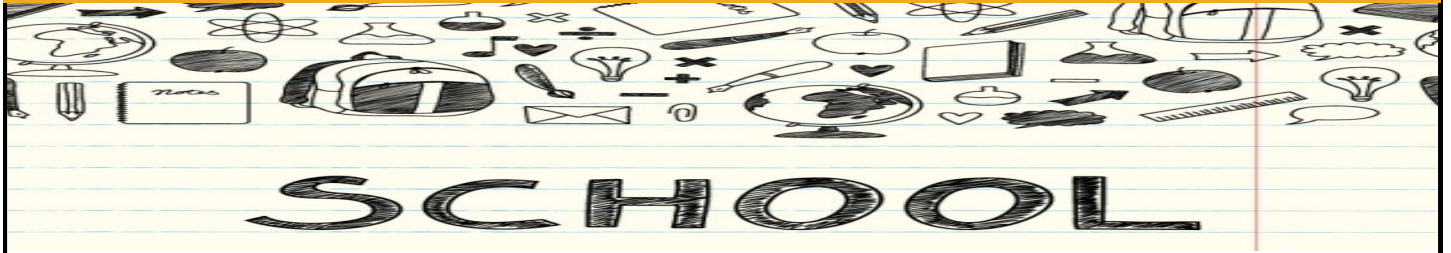


Welcome to Warialda Public



2015 Spelling Bee Champions

NEWSLETTER

Week 10 Term 2 - 22nd June 2015



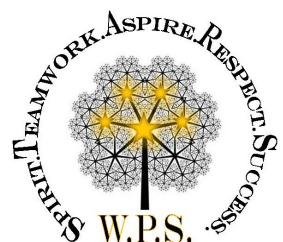
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From Mr van Velthuisen's desk...

We have just completed yet another incredible week at Warialda Public School. The students continue to work exceptionally hard on all aspects of their education (cultural, academic and sporting) and do so with a wide smile on their faces! School really is fun!

The next time you are on the school grounds, you will undoubtedly notice our new and fantastic street signs. Assisted by the extremely helpful staff at the Gwydir Shire Council, we have had street signs made that reinforce our Positive Behaviour Learning (PBL) values. The streets are called: Spirit Street, Teamwork Drive, Aspire Avenue, Respect Road and Success Lane. They are located around the school and look brilliant. A huge thank you to Mick and Jackie Carroll who put the signs up on Wednesday afternoon, braving the wind and rain to do so. Once again, thank you to the Gwydir Shire Council (in particular Alisa Akins) who were so obliging.

Last week, our finalists of the Spelling Bee showed great courage in competing in the final round of competition. They all showed astounding resilience throughout the process in dealing with some tricky words. Congratulations to all participants and of course, those students who were the overall winners of their respective grades.

I would like to wish our League Tag girls every success for their upcoming Grand Final in Gunnedah this Thursday. They will be defending their 2014 "Crown". Miss Cole has done a wonderful job preparing these young ladies and I am confident they will once again, represent their school, families and community with distinction. Our boys team who were runners-up at the Moree carnival have been granted a *wild card* entry to the Gunnedah Gala Day also. I wish these young men a successful day of football also. Their entry is recognition of earlier efforts and in particular, their sportsmanship on the field.

I have commenced accessing Radio 2VM (1530 AM) as a source of keeping parents informed of happenings at the school. This segment entitled "School News" can typically be heard from around 7:10am each morning.

On Wednesday evening, I attended the Warialda Public School P&C meeting. This was a very enjoyable meeting where discussions were held about ways in which the group can support the school. It is very comforting to know that the school has a dedicated group such as the P&C working in partnership with the school to achieve great things for our students.

Student report cards were sent home with students yesterday. Each child's report card has been carefully prepared outlining areas of strengths as well as areas in which they can improve. Preparing student report cards is a lengthy process but indeed an important one. Hopefully, all parents have made an appointment to meet with their child's teacher this Wednesday evening for Parent / Teacher interviews. If you require an additional interview time, please contact the school to make these arrangements.

It was a pleasure to host a successful NAIDOC ceremony yesterday. I was very proud to show our wonderful school to visiting Principal's, students, staff and community members. The ceremony was a huge success and I would like to thank everyone who contributed to the day for their efforts.

I wish everyone a safe and happy holiday!

Kindest regards,

Dan van Velthuisen

NAIDOC Week

Our school celebrated NAIDOC Week with special guests

*Gumaroy Newman, Turtle
and Deano*



NAIDOC Day





KW Kayla Digby & Dominic Miller



1/2W Nick Cook & Pyper Dawson



2/3C Ellie-May Turner & Taeya Rose



3/4M Lochlan Lane & Karina Jung



4/5/6T Logan Biddle & Jack Williams

5/6D Isabel Biddle & Ryan Vogt

PLAYGROUND Frank Bundock & Taeya Rose

Positive Behaviour for Learning

Week 10 is focused

RESILIENCE

Our school canteen is in desperate need of volunteers for next term. Volunteers are vital the operation of the canteen. If you could spare one day a term, please contact the school office on 67 291 131.



Sophie Hall

**was the lucky person to win the
load of wood, well done.**

Certificates of Achievement

KW	Max Montgomery, Lachlan McIntosh, Ashley Rees, Amanda Crawford, Jaymz Nolan
1/2W	Jordie O'Dell, Cruz Dawson, Lilly Brice, Pyper Dawson, Rocco Hall
2/3C	Daniel Butler, Malunna Robinson, Mia Montgomery, Jorja Durkin, Cassidy Turner
3/4M	Austyn Hansen-Brown, Holly Duff, Sarah Clarke, Charli Rose, Lochlan Lane
4/5/6M	Brendan Cook, Jarrod Nolan, Will Jones, Isabella McIntosh, Liam Cleal
5/6D	Charlie Dawson, Bella Reardon, Lachlan Wood, Grace Lockyer, Frank Bundock
PBL	Charlie Dawson, Indiana Armstrong
PRINCIPAL'S AWARD	Karina Jung, Kayley Minto, Logan Biddle, Daemon Fohmsbee,

Important Reminders...

- ⇒ Wednesday 24th June - Parent/Teacher interviews
- ⇒ Thursday 25th June - League Tag/Rugby Gunnedah
- ⇒ Friday 26th June - in school disco & 40 merit reward day (movie & popcorn)
- ⇒ Friday 26th June - school breaks for Term 2

Reminders are also updated regularly on our Facebook page for your convenience.



Spelling Bee Finalists





School holiday Fun Days

8 years +

Collage, Papier-mâché, Paper Sculpture, Box Making, Weaving, Knitting + French Knitting, Crochet,

Working with Leather, Sewing, Patchwork, Embroidery **and more**.....

Register at Carinda House before Mon 29th June. Opening hours for registration are Mon-Fri 10am to 2pm

Tuesday 30 June 10am—1pm

Cost—\$5.00 for 4 days

Friday 3 July 10am—1pm

Please bring morning tea
and water

Tuesday 7 July 10am—1pm

Friday 10 July 10am—1pm

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