

Wakool Burraboi Public School Newsletter

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Term 3 Week 2 2015

Principal's Report

Students and staff have settled into Term 3 nicely. Last Monday during our staff development day, staff looked closely at the Student Wellbeing Framework. This involved reviewing our school Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) values, respect, safety and learning as well as reviewing behaviour discipline policies implemented in our school focusing on both negative and positive behaviour and associated consequences and rewards. This will be presented to parents at our next P and C Meeting (6:30pm tonight). I have also attached a copy of this in case you are unable to attend. All students have been made aware of this document.

This term we will continue our Music lessons with Campbell Robinson, this will be held on a Monday afternoon again this term. However, this week it will be on Thursday afternoon instead. Campbell will continue to focus on rhythm, playing as a group and listening skills. Percussion instruments will be introduced to the Primary group. Students are reminded of our high behaviour expectations during these music lessons.

As part of Education Week (week 3) our School Leaders have been invited along with myself to attend a Student Leadership Luncheon at Moulamein PS. School leaders and aspiring school leaders from neighbouring schools in the area have also been invited to attend. The event will be on Tuesday 28th July. Year 4/5/6 students from our school will be attending along with myself and Mrs Kimberley Macauley (who will be transporting the students to Moulamein). This will be a valuable opportunity for our students to participate in leadership activities, gain leadership skills and interact with school leaders from other schools. Students will also develop social skills as part of the luncheon. Notes will be sent home to parents of students in Yr 4/5/6 this week. School will remain as normal for Kinder-Yr3 on this day with Mrs PC.

A reminder that our P and C Meeting is being held TONIGHT at 6:30pm in the classroom. I look forward to seeing you all there.

Have a great week!

Lisa Hulands

Principal

Upcoming Events

This week:

Monday 20th

> Mobile library

Tuesday 21st

> School library day

Wednesday 22nd

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Thursday 23rd

> Music lesson

Friday 24th

> Homework due

Next Week: EDUCATION WEEK

Monday 27th

> Mobile library

> Music lesson

Tuesday 28th

> School library day

> Student Leaders Luncheon Moulamein

Wednesday 29th

> Open Afternoon 1-3pm

Thursday 30th

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Friday 31st

> Homework due

> District Athletics Tooleybuc

Mathletics Stars

This week we had Ella Macauley, Katie Macauley, Jake Lowry, Taylah Pratt-Nener, Jai Rhodes and Declan Rhodes receive a Mathletics Certificate. Well done!

Special Certificates

This week I was very lucky to receive some special certificates of achievement and improvement in the mail from Mathletics and Reading Eggs. The certificates had been awarded based on student results during Semester One (Terms 1 and 2) of the online program. I am very pleased with the progress students are making in both numeracy and literacy using these programs.

In Mathletics awards were given to:

Ella Macauley, Declan Rhodes and Mitchell Lowry



In Reading Eggs awards were given to:
Katie Macauley, Bailey Pratt-Nener and Isa Parker



Values Raffle

This week we had a bonus raffle draw on our first day back for Term 3, our winner was Mitchell Lowry (this was drawn from raffle tickets awarded during the last day of Term 2). On Friday this week we held our normal weekly raffle, congratulations to Jake Lowry for being our winner.

Well done boys!



REMINDER:
District Athletics Notes
need to be returned
ASAP

Playground Update

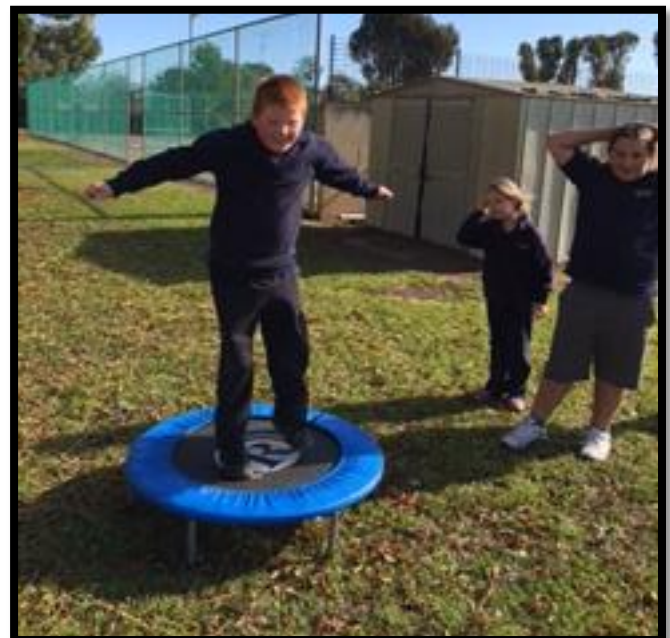
The load of Soft Fall woodchips for the playground has been delivered during the school holidays. Geoff will spread these in the next week.

Students have also returned to school to a sand pit that has been topped up during the holidays with a new load of sand.



Gymnastics

This term students will be doing Gymnastics as part of sport with Mrs PC. Last week students were introduced to Gymnastics with some exciting skills and equipment.





REMINDER:

P and C Meeting
is tonight at
6:30pm
All welcome



EDUCATION WEEK

**Celebrating Our
Local Heroes**

**Wakool Burraboi Public
School**

**Invites you to our open
afternoon.**

**Wednesday 29th July
1 o'clock**

**Come and enjoy lunch with us and
join us for some Science and Art
activities**