



WOORAGEE PRIMARY SCHOOL Newsletter

TERM 2, WEEK 6
30th May 2019

WOORAGEE NEWS

Dear Families and Friends,

LANDCARE 30TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION: I am very excited to share that ABC TV Show Gardening Australia will be attending our 30th Anniversary of Junior Landcare celebrations and running a story on the school. They will be filming on Thursday 20th June primarily and will be filming parts of the day on Friday 21st June 2019. Students will have a busy day outside on Thursday 20th, as we will be running some sustainability lessons as well as our gardening program. It is such a wonderful opportunity for the students and for the school and I am excited to see how it all goes. Signage for our nature playground has also been ordered and expect that this will arrive mid-June, in preparation for the celebration. We thank Landcare for their extensive support with this project.

SCHOOL SOCIAL NIGHT 1st JUNE: We are looking forward to Saturday night and spending time with all of you. At this stage our desserts are outweighing our mains (which is never a bad thing!!), but if you haven't written down anything to bring as yet, we would love some more main dishes. Please remember to bring your recipe along to share as well. Just a reminder that children will need to remain in the kitchen, unless they are supervised by their own parents outside. We have some fun word games planned to play and join in with anyway, so it is sure to be a lovely evening.

NERSSA Athletics: We were disappointed that Athletics was postponed this week, but are looking forward to the make-up day on Thursday 13th June 2019. Updated student information forms will be sent out ASAP.

CHARLIE & THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY: Final payment and numbers are required by Thursday 6th June for our Melbourne musical trip coming up in August. If you need some assistance with payment, please just have a conversation with Wendy. We want all of our children to be able to participate. It is really important we know final numbers by this date, as we have to secure our ticket allocation, or tickets will be sold.

EVENTS CALENDAR

MAY

- 31st Grace PD- Amanda-Jane in 4-6
- 31st District Cross Country (Willow Park Wodonga)

JUNE

- 1st School Social Night- Soup & Curry 5:30pm
- 3rd/4th Alicia PLC Training- Laura CRT
- 6th Alicia State Principal Conference
- 6th Payment Due for Charlie & the Chocolate Factory
- 7th STUDENT FREE DAY
- 10th QUEEN'S BDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
- 14th Book Club Due
- 14th NERSSA Athletics (P-6)- Alexandra Park East Albury School Council 3:30pm
- 17th Gardening Australia Filming
- 20th 30th Anniversary of Junior Landcare celebrations 12-3pm (parents/families welcome)
- 21st Reports sent home
- 24-28th Student/Parent/Teacher Learning Meetings
- 28th LAST DAY TERM TWO 2:30pm Finish



Darcy: In art I made a desert. I cut out heaps of bits of paper, and I made heaps of boats and glued them onto the paper. I cut paper. I used yellow and blue. I also drew a river. I liked doing this



Anouk: Today I was picking olives in gardening. I was picking the green olives. I put them in my hat. It was fun.



Tahji: Today in gardening we harvested olives from our olive grove with Grolly Pop. He taught us how to preserve the olives. Overall they take 12 month to ripen in a brine.



Niamh: Today we picked the olives from our olive trees. We picked green and black ones. Once we picked them, we washed them. Then we put them in a buckets with salty water.

ALICIA ABSENCE WEEK 7: Week 7 is a very bust week for myself. Monday and Tuesday I will be at PLC training in Wangaratta, so Laura Dinsdale will be covering as CRT. The students are familiar with Laura. I also leave Wednesday after school for the state Principal conference in Melbourne, so I will not be here on Thursday and then we have our student free day on Friday. I am available by phone or email the whole week.

BATTERY DROP FUNDRAISING: A huge thank you to Jason Casley for monitoring and orchestrating our battery drop again for the past 12 months. We received \$1071.50 from our latest haul, and this is even with reduced scrap metal prices. Thank you to everyone in our community who has supported us by dropping off batteries and also, a great impact on the environment through avoiding these batteries simply ending up in landfill.

Have a lovely weekend, Alicia Odewahn

ARTICLE FOR THE WEEK: "WHY EVERY DAY COUNTS & IT'S NOT OK TO BE LATE" DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING

We have recently been reminding our school community every day counts. This also applies to being late to school. It is crucial that children and students develop habits of regular attendance at an early age.

Poor patterns of attendance place students at risk of not achieving their educational, social and psychological potential and are disadvantaged in the quality of choices they are able to make in later life situations.

When students arrive late to school their learning can be affected.

Students who are late:

- miss out on organisation time, for getting their belongings from their tubs and out onto their tables
- miss out on roll marking, lunch order collection and taking monies or notices to the office – and their notices and lunch orders often stay in their school bag
- miss out on learning time when they take their lunch orders, monies or notices to the office
- miss out on hearing what's happening and the learning intentions for the day
- are often unsure about what they have to do in the lesson
- can arrive at their classroom to find that their class has gone to a specialist lesson and they do not know where to go
- find learning becomes disjointed and difficult
- are failing to take responsibility for their learning
- tend not to see being late as a problem
- distract other students when they arrive.
- miss out on playing with other children before school
- develop the lifelong habit of being late – bosses are less supportive than schools.

If you are experiencing difficulty in getting your child to school on time, please discuss the matter with your child's teacher.



Student Work

By Frankie

"I love the smell of it."

THANK YOU

We would like to say a special thank you to:

Owen and Eric for taking our gardening program every week

Yvonne and Georgia, Bonnie, Ben, Darcy and Tucker, Shani, Nathan, Arden, Henry and Frankie, Chelle & Artemis for looking after our gorgeous Dan and Stompy for us

Jason Casley for organising our battery drop fundraiser

'THE WOORAGEE WAY'

Respect: for self, for others, for our community and environment

Resilience: trying hard, bouncing back, persisting

Responsibility: for our learning, for our thoughts, for our actions

Dan the Lamb 19 days old

Height: 59cm

Length: 72cm

Weight: 7kg

Feeds: 120ml 3 times a day

Stompy the lamb 9 days old

Height: 64cm

Length: 71cm

Weight: 7kg

Feeds: 100ml 3 times a day

Both lambs are now grazing on grass and nibbling at pellets.

CHARLIE & THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY

Payment for Charlie & The Chocolate Factory is due next Thursday 6th June 2019. Please see Wendy if there are any issues surrounding this. We have to pay the theatre to secure our tickets so it's very important we know who is coming.

MAY BIRTHDAY

25th Seth Nuske
25th Zack Nuske
31st Georgia Lennon-Baines



SAKG FRIDAY MENU

Vegetarian lasagne
Garlic Potatoes
Stir-fried sticky
Teriyaki Silverbeet
Pumpkin Scones

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"TUNING INTO KIDS"
emotionally intelligent
parenting (2-10 years)

Gateway Health Wodonga are running this program again on Fridays from 22nd August until 19th September

10:30am-12:30pm

Contact Gateway Health on
(02) 6022 8888 for more information

ORPHAN LAMB ROSTER

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
20.05.19 Bonnie & Darcy	21.05.19 Bonnie & Darcy	22.05.19 Shani, Henry & Arden	23.05.19	24.05.19 Georgia & Von	25.05.19 Georgia & Von	26.05.19 Georgia & Von
27.05.19 Bonnie & Darcy	28.05.19 Bonnie & Darcy	29.05.19 Chelle & Artemis	30.05.19 Chelle & Artemis	31.05.19 Shari & Boys	01.06.19 Shari & Boys	02.06.19 Shari & Boys
03.06.19 Bonnie & Darcy	04.06.19 Anita, Tahji & Hudson	05.06.19 Bec	06.06.19 Georgia & Von	07.06.19 Georgia & Von	08.06.19 Georgia & Von	09.06.19 Georgia & Von
10.06.19 Georgia & Von	11.06.19 Bonnie & Darcy	12.06.19 Chelle & Artemis	13.06.19 Chelle & Artemis	14.06.19 Shari & Boys	15.06.19 Shari & Boys	16.06.19 Shari & Boys

SCHOOL SOCIAL NIGHT- SOUP AND CURRY NIGHT RSVP

Name: _____

Number people attending: _____

Please circle what you would like to bring **MAIN** or **DESSERT**

Recipe (ie- pumpkin soup): _____



Gnocchi di zucca course

Get hands on and learn how to make these lovely pumpkin dumplings typical of Northern Italy.

1 June 2019
4pm-8pm

\$55
call 03 5728 2386
reception@quercusbeechworth.com.au

QUERCUS BEECHWORTH



The Cube Wodonga

ON THE SPECTRUM LIVE ON STAGE!!

HOSTED BY DOUGAL AUSTIN & JEREMY SAMSON

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 7.30PM
1 hour 30 minutes, doors Open 6.30pm

TICKETS: \$25, groups 4+ \$21.50, members \$20, member group 4+ \$18



Paul Newcombe
(Action Kids Therapy)



Marla Wild
(Author & Parent)

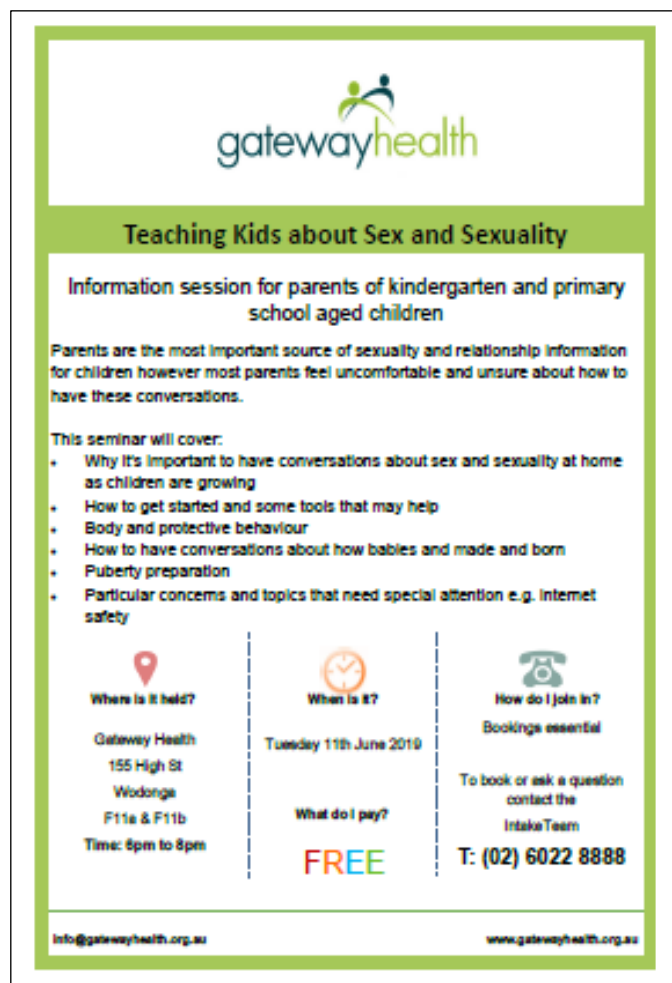


Louise Fifield
(Table Talk Speech Pathology)



Simone Reeder
(Music Therapist)

SEASON 2019



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Teaching Kids about Sex and Sexuality

Information session for parents of kindergarten and primary school aged children

Parents are the most important source of sexuality and relationship information for children however most parents feel uncomfortable and unsure about how to have these conversations.

This seminar will cover:

- Why it's important to have conversations about sex and sexuality at home as children are growing
- How to get started and some tools that may help
- Body and protective behaviour
- How to have conversations about how babies are made and born
- Puberty preparation
- Particular concerns and topics that need special attention e.g. internet safety

Where is it held?
Gateway Health
155 High St
Wodonga
F11a & F11b
Time: 6pm to 8pm

When is it?
Tuesday 11th June 2019

How do I join in?
Bookings essential
To book or ask a question contact the Intake Team
T: (02) 6022 8888

What do I pay?
FREE

Info@gatewayhealth.org.au **www.gatewayhealth.org.au**



THE SAPPHIRES

Saturday 1 June, 8.00pm

The Sapphires is one of Australia's best-loved stories. This multiple award-winning musical play, that inspired the film, is coming to the Albury Entertainment Centre stage for the first time.

Four young Aboriginal women from regional Australia, who like singing country music, suddenly get the chance to change their tune and their lives. Wearing sequins and armed only with microphones they find themselves trying to spread joy in the hell that is the Vietnam War.

The Sapphires is a funny, heart-warming tale inspired by the true story of Tony Brigg's mother – the incredible journey of four Yorta Yorta Women, who sing Motown hits against the backdrop of personal change and massive social upheaval. It is an energetic, fun and engaging play that affirms life and the realisation of dreams.

Don't Miss Out!

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