

# Principal's Message

# **Diary Dates**

Week 3 Friday 6 May TUCKSHOP

#### Week 4

<u>Tuesday 10 May –</u> Thursday 12 May

NAPLAN Testing for Years 3 & 5

Wednesday 11 May

Playgroup 9.00am-10.30am

<u>Friday 13 May</u> Winter Carnival Practice for Years 4-6





PLEASE UPDATE YOUR CONTACT DETAILS Please ensure address, phone contact details and emergency contacts are correct and always up to date



WOW, what a busy, busy few weeks term 2 has produced. All students are trying hard and meeting all goals every day which is great to see.

The **ANZAC Day** March was an impressive event for our school. All students showed respect and gratitude for our soldiers, and the school was well represented in the March. Can I say a very big congratulations to Noel and the Bugle Band. The band had not been able to have a full band rehearsal with all members, since last year. This is very trialling for our young school students and for Noel to stay strong as a musical group with limited practice ... but in true Wooroolin style they were amazing and did us all PROUD, congratulations!



The **P & C Meeting** was held last week, with attendance numbers up which is great to see. One of the main focuses of the meeting, is our focus for this year to upgrade the senior playground at our school. If you have any information on grants or donations that the school could benefit from to obtain a new playground please forward them to out P & C.

**NAPLAN** will be occurring in week 4 of this term. Please make sure that your child has breakfast every day or accesses the breakfast program at school. Years 3 and 5 will be completing the National Testing over three days.

**Homework Club** is available for all students before school with the Teacher Aides under the building. Homework is important, and allows students to practice vital skills taught in maths, And reading every day for the allocated 20 minutes assists in all areas of their schooling. Homework completion also is a key component in the PBL Awards at the end of each term.



Heather Litzow Principal

Wishing all of our mothers a very Happy Mother's Day on Sunday and we hope that you have enjoyable day with the ones you love!

**Student Absences...** Please text student absences to the school mobile 0472 836 816 or phone the office on 4164 2230.





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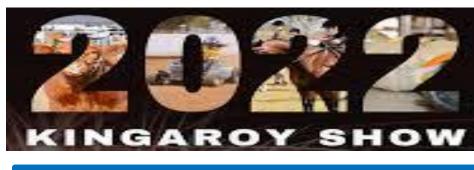
**Kingaroy Show:** Over the past few weeks many students have taken the opportunity to participate in the art and craft that was occurring in lunch hours, to create some impressive artwork and creatures to enter into the Kingaroy Show. There was also selected students who have been trying extra hard in class at their goals that were selected to prepare entries for the flower section. Wooroolin State School entered into the craft section, produce, culinary, flowers, and handwriting. We came away with many firsts, seconds, thirds and highly commended, as well as encouragement awards. The stand out exhibits were:



School: CHAMPION exhibit Primary Produce Section

Lyric: CHAMPION exhibit 10 years and under Floral section







The trade halls at the Kingaroy Show had Wooroolin State School stand proudly in all the exhibits and we are very proud of all the achievements by all the students.

A BIG THANK YOU – goes out as well to Ms Hayden and Mrs Sanderson, who worked very hard on the Wooroolin State School Display, with hours of hard work displayed for the district, this is appreciated.



Mrs Dino and her lunch time cooks: RESERVE CHAMPION exhibit Primary Culinary Savoury Muffins

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## Year 3-4 News

The past couple weeks has involved heaps of new learning for Year 3/4! In **English** we have been looking at features of traditional stories especially those from Asian culture. This week we read *The Wishing Fish* and analysed the language features and text structure including the orientation, complication and resolution. We have learnt that traditional stories also have a moral which is a message or a lesson to teach us how to live our lives. The moral of *The Wishing Fish* is to treat others with kindness. In **Maths** we are currently learning about odd and even numbers and number sequences/patterns. Year 4's will be looking more closely at multiples and times tables in the coming weeks. We have also started minute maths each morning where students have 1 minute to complete 20 number facts as quickly as they can! In **HASS**, students are exploring Australian community commemorations and preparing to interview an older person about either ANZAC Day, Remembrance Day or Australia Day. Year 3's will also be preparing for NAPLAN this week ready for Week 4. We have a busy term ahead so hard work and best effort is the expectation every day!

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## Year 5/6 News

Year 6 Leadership Camp 2022! What a successful group of students. The leadership styles and confidence were on show at the recent Leadership Camp for all our small school year 6 students. Students worked together and lead at different times to establish strong leadership styles as well as make connections with other students from small schools in our cluster in preparation for high school in 2023. All students performed well and made Wooroolin PROUD indeed.



Team work to create the catapults was hard work



Mrs Price was available as target practice





Live Auction Evening was a grand time!





30 years since I had stood in the same spot on my Year 4 camp. Same solid tree still stands!



Gary was a camp favourite

Wellbeing and Leadership work: The year 5/6 class were well represented at the ANZAC day March and we are very proud of their achievements. As leaders this is fantastic. The year 5 class did an amazing job on the poppies for the school front display. Thank You!!







Congratulations to our Year 5 and 6 students who were selected to attend the South Burnett Cross Country held at Wondai last week. Even with a wet track, they managed to do some impressive times and performed some personal best times. Well done!!



