

WELCOME TO OUR

Wooragee PS Newsletter

TERM 3 CALENDAR

WEEK 8 WEDNESDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER
SCHOOL COUNCIL
&

NERSA WHOLE SCHOOL ATHLETICS
FRIDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER ASSEMBLY 3:00PM

WEEK 9 MONDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER 1/2 DAY
OF SCHOOL, STUDENTS LEAVE AT 12:30 FOR
STUDENT LEAD CONFERENCES

WEDNESDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER PRODUCTION
NIGHT
THURSDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER R U OKAY DAY
(PJ DRESS UP)

WEEK 10 - SWIMMING LESSONS
FRIDAY 20TH ASSEMBLY 2:00PM

20TH SEPTEMBER LAST DAY OF TERM 2:20
FINISH

TERM 4 CALENDAR

WEEK 1 MONDAY 7TH OCTOBER FIRST DAY OF TERM
4
7-9TH OCTOBER SMILE SQUAD VISITS

WEEK 3 23RD OCTOBER - COMMUNITY POLICE
OFFICER VISIT

WEEK 5 4TH NOVEMBER CURRICULUM DAY (NO
STUDENTS)
5TH NOVEMBER MELBOURNE CUP DAY (NO
STUDENTS)

WEEK 8 27TH TO 29TH NOVEMBER YER 3-6 CAMP
TO SOVERIGN HILL.

From the Principal's Desk

TERM 3 WEEK 7 2024

Father's Day Breakfast Event:

This morning, we had a fantastic turnout of fathers, grandfathers, uncles, and friends at our annual Father's Day breakfast. Thank you.

Bec, as usual, prepared a delicious meal, and the special men in our children's lives enjoyed a warm cuppa along with tasty egg and bacon rolls.

Questacon Science Circus Show:

The Questacon Science Circus show recently visited Wooragee Primary School, delivering an engaging hour of Physics demonstrations.

Questacon, Australia's National Science and Technology Centre, has been touring Gippsland, and last week, they delighted our school with their Science Circus Show.

With wheels, hula hoops, slinkies, bottles, and balls, they showcased the fun and excitement of science to the entire school. They are offering free shows in Albury.

Life Education Virtual Sessions:

Life Ed Victoria is a significant preventative health organisation that imparts essential life skills to children.

The Life Education team will conduct live virtual online sessions with the students next Friday, focusing on topics like friendships and respect. Students will participate in pre and post activities in class.

Production Night:

Join us on Wednesday, September 11th, for our production night at Yackandandah Memorial Hall at around 5:15 for a 5:30 start. Ensure your child is dressed and ready beforehand. All students will be seated at the front of the hall while parents take their seats. Students will remain at the front until the end of the night, which is expected to conclude by 7 pm.

School Hours

Start 9:00am Finish 3:20PM

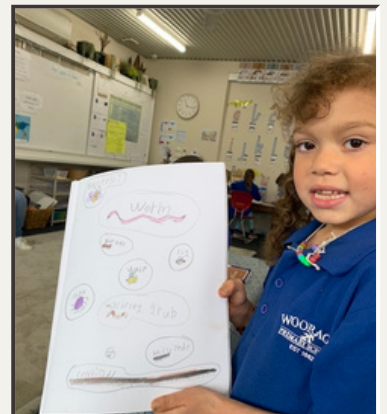
Supervision begins @ 8:35 and Ends @3:45 (For those travelling on the Late bus)
Children will be unsupervised if dropped off or picked up outside these hours



STEM with Karen Retra

Each term we are fortunate enough to have Karen Retra come and visit the school during STEM. This term we focused in the F-4 classes looking at invertebrates, pollinators, flowers and habitats.

This is made possible with funding from Wooragee Landcare and Wooragee PS.



Don't forget to fill out the **parent opinion survey** if you received one via email.

Remember to sign your children in at the front office if you drop them off after 9:00 am and sign them out if you pick them up before 3:20 pm.

Empathy

Working on empathy helps us to identify, understand and feel what another person is feeling. When we show empathy or we do something kind for someone else our brain releases oxytocin. This leads to increasing our self-esteem/confidence, energy levels, positivity and overall happiness.

Every night at dinner, have each person thank another family member for something they've done or said today, or give another family member a compliment.

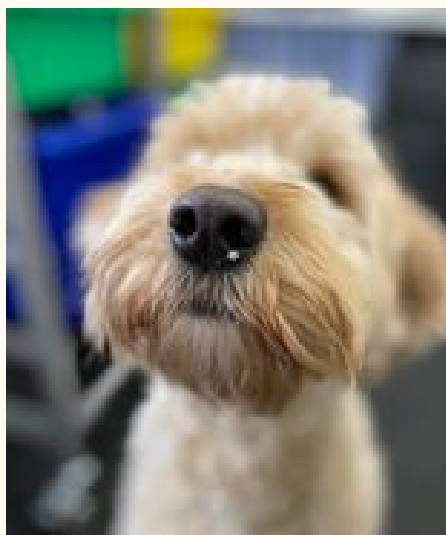
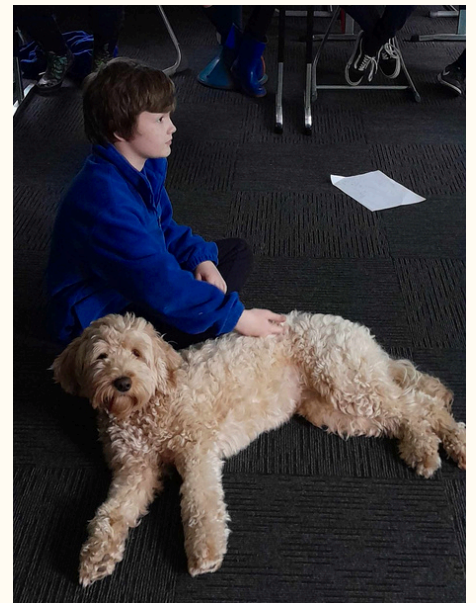


Nellie News

Nellie has been very helpful with the cuddles and pats lately. She has been helping to settle some students at drop off and has also been chosen for one student's break after they have finished their work.

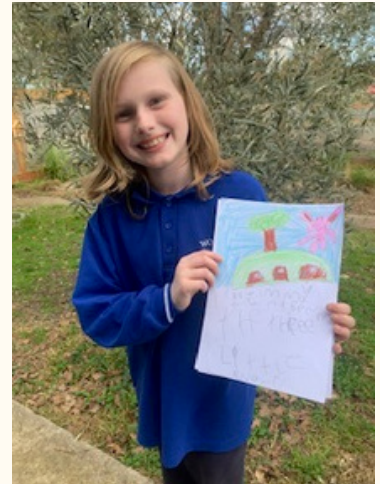
Nellie also received a buff and polish this week. It was requested that the FLUFF STAY by a number of students. She does smell delicious at the moment (hopefully this stays for a while).

Des' glitter club is far reaching. Nellie couldn't miss out on a bit of bling last week.



NEWS FROM THE 3/4 CLASSROOM

Literacy this term has been full of magic and creativity as students have been working hard on writing their very own fractured fairy tale! Here they are some of our budding authors:



The students have been working so incredibly hard and have been pushed to the limits in their developing knowledge of fractions and decimals in maths this term. As a celebration of their hard work, we have been planning a party! Students have had to use their understanding of financial maths to plan all elements of the party; exploring costing of items, and using their knowledge of addition and subtracting to effectively budget. Here they are celebrating their success:





Fathers Day





Book Week



WORKSHOPS



SOURDOUGH WORKSHOP- 29TH AUGUST 5-7PM

THIS WORKSHOP INCLUDES HANDS ON TUITION IN AND INTRODUCTION TO SLOW FERMENTATION, SOURDOUGH BAKING, SHAPING AND MOULDING.

WORKSHOP COST \$60



BEE KEEPING WORKSHOP - SEPTEMBER 14TH
1-4PM

SO, YOU THINK YOU'D LIKE TO HAVE A BEEHIVE AT HOME? BEFORE COMMITTING, SPEND 3 HOURS WITH AN EXPERIENCED BEEKEEPER TO FIND OUT IF BEES REALLY ARE RIGHT FOR YOU.

WORKSHOP COST \$60



WREATH MAKING WORKSHOP - 5TH DECEMBER
5-7PM

IN THIS HANDS-ON WORKSHOP, YOU'LL LEARN HOW TO CONSTRUCT AND BUILD BEAUTIFUL WREATHS. YOU WILL DESIGN, STYLE, AND CREATE YOUR OWN DOOR/WALL WREATH.

WORKSHOP COST \$70



PAINT AND PLATTER - WOORAGEE HALL 6-
9PM DATE TBC

OUR PAINT AND PLATTER WORKSHOP IS THE PERFECT WAY FOR YOU TO EXPLORE YOUR CREATIVITY IN A RELAXED AND SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT. EACH PARTICIPANT WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO UNLEASH THEIR IMAGINATION ONTO CANVAS WHILE ENJOYING DELICIOUS SNACKS WITH ASSORTED SHARED PLATTERS AND REFRESHMENTS

WORKSHOP COST \$80



Acknowledgements

Eviee, for playing nicely with others out in the yard.

Artie, for being a good friend by giving them a hug when upset and helping them with their drawings.

Matilda, for being responsible and tidying up someone else's messy table.

Georgetta, for her focussed listening during Share Time.

Poppy, for helping the teachers clean up equipment in the playground without being asked.

Birthdays

August	September
5 Ryder 7 Tucker 19 Addie 27 Henry 28 Isabella 30 Toby	5 Isla 8 Lilja 20 Louie 21 Vincent 21 Scout 26 Ripley

Thankyou

THANK YOU OWEN AND ERIC AND SOPHIE FOR VOLUNTEERING IN THE GARDEN
TO ALL THE SPECIAL PEOPLE WHO CAME TO FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST AND STAYED TO HELP
IN THE GARDEN AND KITCHEN.

Community Events



Holiday programs

Tiny tots 18mth - 3year

4-5 year olds

Recreational 1 hr class

Recreational & Advanced recreational class 3hr

Parkour 1.5hr class

Come & try gymnastics 1hr

Competitive

Book now for the holidays
www.indigogymnastics.com.au/booking



Indigo Gymnastics **Holiday program!**
Rec & Adv rec classes
WED 25TH SEPT 1.15PM-4.15PM
AGES 6+
\$45
3 HOUR SESSIONS
JOIN US FOR SOME HOLIDAY FUN TODAY!
SECURE SPOT TODAY VIA OUR WEBSITE
BOOK VIA OUR WEBSITE
<https://app.i.classpro.com/portal/indigogymnastics/camps/2>



4-5 YEAR OLD HOLIDAY Gymnastics
Thursday 26th Sep 2024 9.35am -10.15am
Tuesday 1st Oct 2024 9.35am -10.15am
Price \$15.97
Limited spots head over to our website to book now
www.indigogymnastics.com.au



Toddler HOLIDAY PROGRAM
Thursday 26th September 9am - 9.25am
Tuesday 1st October 9am - 9.25am
Ages: 18months - 3yrs
Cost \$13.31
Limited places secure yours today!
REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN
www.indigogymnastics.com.au

PARKOUR!

AGES 7-12 YEARS

1.5 HOUR SESSIONS

Monday 23rd Sept 2024
2.15pm - 3.45pm

Monday 30th July 2024
2.15pm - 3.45pm

Book your spot today via our portal

<https://app.iclasspro.com/portal/indigogymnastics>

Only
\$27.36



RECREATIONAL GYMNASTICS HOLIDAY PROGRAM

1 HOUR SESSIONS

THURS 26TH SEPT
10.20AM - 11.20AM

TUESDAY 1ST OCT
10.20AM - 11.20 AM

COST \$19.67

REGISTER TODAY!

[HTTPS://WWW.INDIGOGYMNASTICS.COM.AU/](https://www.indigogymnastics.com.au/)



COME AND TRY GYMNASTICS

1 hour
sessions

PRICE
\$19.67

Ages
6-12yrs

Monday 23rd Sep
1.15pm-2.15pm

&

Monday 30th Sep
1.15pm-2.15pm

Book your spot via

<https://portal.iclasspro.com/indigo-gymnastics/camps/2?sortBy=time>



5 Secrets to develop Confidence & Resilience

Parent Seminar



7pm Wednesday 4th September
St. Joseph's Beechworth

Parents learn

5 Fundamentals of Resilience
Practical strategies to boost confidence & resilience
Effective parenting strategies that foster resilience
Importance of free creative play to rest the brain
Mindful listening techniques to tune into children's feelings

Parent are supported to teach their child how to

Lessen anxiety
Cope with life's ups and downs
Develop independence and self-efficacy
Problem-solve with confidence
Become more resilient and confident
Solve problems independently
Approach life with a resilient mindset



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