



Wollongbar Public School

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Thursday 7th March 2019

Term 1, Week 6

Volume 5



Education
Public Schools

Calendar

Week 6

08/03 Assembly – House
Captains Induction
11.30am

Week 7

11/03 Dance Program K-6

12/03 Student Banking

15/03 Assembly – SRC
Induction
11.30am

Week 8

18/03 Dance Program K-6

19/03 Student Banking

20/03 Final Stage 3 Camp
Payment Due

21/03 Harmony Day

22/03 Assembly – 4C
11.30am

23/03 P&C Fete
9.00am-2.00pm

23/03 NSW State General
Election

Week 9

25/03 Dance Program K-6

26/03 Student Banking

29/03 Assembly – 3/4J
11.30am

Professional Learning

What is Guided Reading?
Recovery at Work

For more events on our
Calendar, please go to:
<http://www.wollongbar-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/>

Principal's Report

Tomorrow at 11.30 is our special House Captains Induction Assembly in the School Hall.

The House Captains are important leaders and role models in our school. This year they will take turns to be the Relieving School Captain whenever a School Captain is away. Next Friday will be our SRC Induction Ceremony. Our SRC are also important leaders, role models and decision-makers in our school. Parents, Carers, family and friends are warmly invited to attend both these special occasions.

Our school fete, **A Fair to Remember**, isn't far away! Please keep the day free to support our school- it is always lots of fun! The P&C page in the newsletter has lots of other ways to support the Fair also. Have you sent in Tombola Jars or Beautiful Baskets yet? Your child gets house points for each jar or basket they bring in. The class with the most points wins a movie screening in class and popcorn, courtesy of the P&C.

Remember to pre-purchase your ride pass tickets for the Fete before Tuesday, 19th March 2019 to save \$5.

Tickets are \$30 if you pre-purchase them or \$35 on the day.



Don't Forget Every Day Counts!

When your child misses just **1 day a fortnight** that equals **20 days per year** which is **4 weeks a year** and **nearly 1 ½ years of school** by the end of Year 12.




This means that the best that your child can achieve is equal to possibly finishing Year 11.

Jennifer Thomas

Principal

2019 Planner

Term 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6	4 March. Dance Program K-6	5 March.	6 March.	7 March.	8 March.
7	11 March. Dance Program K-6	12 March.	13 March. Mobile Library in Wollongbar 2.15-4.00	14 March.	15 March.
8	18 March. Dance Program K-6	19 March. Final Date to Purchase P&C Fete Ride Pass Tickets	20 March. Final Stage 3 Camp Payment Due	21 March. Harmony Day – Orange or Cultural Dress Mufti Day – Gold Coin Donation	22 March. P&C Fete Tomorrow
9	25 March. Dance Program K-6	26 March.	27 March. Mobile Library in Wollongbar 2.15-4.00	28 March.	29 March.
10	1 April. Dance Program K-6 Parent Teacher Interviews	2 April.	3 April. Stage 2 Excursion	4 April. Stage 2 Excursion	5 April. Stage 2 Excursion ➔
11	8 April. Dance Program K-6 Parent Teacher Interviews	9 April.	10 April. Mobile Library in Wollongbar 2.15-4.00	11 April.	12 April. Last Day of Term 1 ➔

UPCOMING EVENTS			
Who	Event	Payment Due Date	Cost
Years 3 & 4 - 2019	Excursion – Coffs Coast Adventure Centre	Tuesday 25th September Wednesday 24th October Wednesday 28th November Wednesday 13th February	\$180 / Student \$80 / Student \$70 / Student \$50 / Student
Years 5 & 6 - 2019	Excursion – Canberra & Sydney	Wednesday 17th October Wednesday 14th November Wednesday 12th December Wednesday 20th February Wednesday 20 th March	\$263 / Student \$150 / Student \$150 / Student \$100 / Student \$100 / Student
Year 5	Laptop Purchase for Year 5	Monday 11 th March	Option 1. \$397 / Student up front and and \$1 on graduating Yr 6 Option 2. Deposit of \$237 with term payments of \$40 (for 4 terms) and \$1 on graduating Yr 6
Year 6	Laptop Purchase for Year 6	Monday 11 th March	Option 1. \$397 / Student up front and and \$1 on graduating Yr 6 Option 2. Deposit of \$237 with term payments of \$80 (for 2 terms) and \$1 on graduating Yr 6
Whole School	Dance Program	Friday 1st February	\$20 / Yrs 1-6 Students \$18 / Kindergarten Student
<p>Unfortunately, students who have not paid and brought in a permission note by the due date for these events will not be able to participate. Please visit the school website to make a payment online.</p> <p>   is available at our school from 8.30am-1.30pm</p> <p>Permission Notes MUST be accompanied by payment or they will be returned to your child.</p>			

SRC Semester 1

Congratulations to the SRC Representatives for Semester 1. Our SRC Induction Assembly will be held in Week 7, Friday 15th March 2019.

<u>K/1R</u> Alfie Evie	<u>1H</u> Jeremy Kirralee	<u>1/2M</u> Emmett Alexis	<u>2R</u> Louis Elani
<u>2/3N</u> Shannon Summer	<u>3B</u> Audrey Jaiden	<u>3/4J</u> Madison Tyler	<u>4C</u> Gage Mackenzie
<u>5/6C</u> Asha Joe	<u>5/6D</u> Shelby Haylen	<u>5/6H</u> Bailey Alani	

Nicole
SRC Coordinator

Zone Swimming Carnival

On Wednesday 27th February, a group of students competed at the Zone Swimming Carnival at Alstonville Pool. We had swimming representatives in every age group in almost all events. Our relay teams were very competitive and our individual swimmers produced some great swims. Thank you to the families who transported and cheered on our students.

A huge thank you to Lisa for her tireless effort in timing all day.

Congratulations to Meggan for winning the Multi Class Age Swimming Champion on the day.

Margie
Sports Coordinator

Stewart House Donation Drive



Win a \$4,000 holiday to a destination of your choice. Stewart House envelopes have been sent home today with the youngest student in the family. Entry into the draw is only \$2. Fill out the envelope with your name, name of school, phone number and email address, place a donation of at least \$2 inside and return the envelope to the Front Office. **Envelopes are due back to the Front Office no later than Friday, 17th May 2019.**

Jessica

School Administration Officer

Wollongbar P&C

School Fete: 23 March

A Fair to Remember is less than 3 weeks away!

Pre-paid ride passes available for \$30 (\$35 on the day) from the School Office using the below form or online <https://tinyurl.com/wollPC/fete>.

A Fair To Remember Wollongbar P&C FETE

Saturday 23rd March, 2019
9am – 2pm



**HELP
WANTED**

Please contact Anna if you are able to help out on the day of the fete or in the next couple of weeks with a letter drop.

We'll be sending home a note with requests for specific jobs early next week, but get in early to secure your preferred time to help on our roster.

Which class will win the movie & popcorn?

Bring in the filled Tombola Jars and Beautiful Baskets to win house points and a movie screening and popcorn for the top class courtesy of the P&C. Drop off the baskets/jars at your classrooms.



Leading class for

Beautiful Baskets

**1/2M &
3/4J**

Leading class for

Tombola Jars

3/4J

Quality used toys/books wanted!

Clean out your toy boxes and bookshelves!

Bring in any quality goods (no electrical items or clothing please) for us to sell at our second hand stall! These will be collected at the office.





Stalls are almost all booked!

Businesses can book a fete stall for \$30. Spots are limited.

Contact Anna 0410 594 676 ASAP to reserve your stall.

Still have old house colours?

Not sure what to do with that Bradman-themed tutu? Newcombe glasses gathering dust? What about all those t-shirts you found for Cuthbert that you no longer need?

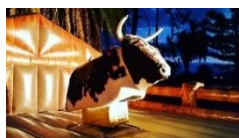
Bring them in to the office for our stall!



Don't leave your tickets to the last minute! Get your cheap tickets NOW!!

Purchase your ride pass for **\$30** and save **\$5**. (Passes are **\$35** on the day).
An All-Day ride pass will provide unlimited entry to:

- **The Rock Wall**
- **Cars Jumping Castle**
- **Extreme Retro Obstacle Course**
- **Teacups Ride**
- **Surf's Up Waterslide (Bring a towel and a change of clothes as you will get wet!)**
- **Mechanical Bull**
- **Laser skirmish**



To purchase your ride passes, please complete the attached form below and return to the office in a clearly marked envelope with the correct change. Many thanks and see you at the Fair, March 23rd. Tickets will be on sale until 19th March 2019. [Please allow 3-5 days for receipt of ride ticket purchase.](#)



A Fair to Remember Ride Pass

Child's name _____ Age _____ Class _____

Contact name and number _____ email (optional) _____

Number of ride passes (\$30 each) _____

Amount enclosed \$_____



Waiver: In consideration of your acceptance of this entry, I hereby for myself, my executors and administrators waive any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against Wollongbar P&C, its respective representatives and successors and all sponsors, and will hold them harmless from any injury suffered in this event. Also, none of the above is responsible for the loss of neither personal items nor any other form of aggravation in connection with this event. I have been warned that all ride pass holders must be in good health to participate in the event. Selecting the adjacent checkbox indicates that you have read and agree to the full waiver located here: <https://sites.google.com/view/wollongbarpcfundraising/fete/waiver>



P&C Executives

Thank you to everyone who worked tirelessly in 2018 to make it such a successful year of trying new and familiar ideas. Our executive P&C members voted on at last night's Annual General Meeting are:

- President: Anna K
- VP, Communications: vacant (role will be temporarily covered by President and Secretary)
- VP, Fundraising: Bec H
- Secretary: Kristen H
- Treasurer: Kate K

P&C Calendar

What's happening?	When?	Where?
A Fair To Remember Wollongbar P&C FETE	23 rd March	WPS
Fundraising Meeting	6 th March 2019 @ 6pm	Tavern
P&C General Meeting	6 th March 2019 @ 7pm	Staff Room



You can reach the P&C team via wollongbarPC@hotmail.com,
<https://www.facebook.com/wollongbarPC> or Anna (President) on 0410.594.676



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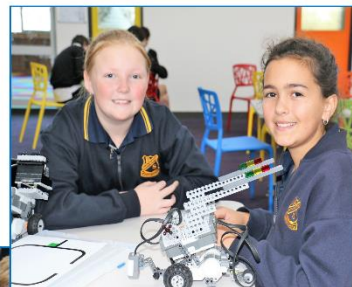
SCU Robotics Club
 Southern Cross University
 School of Environment, Science and Engineering

A self-directed learning environment to foster initiative, interest and skills in Robotics

For Primary and High School GIRLS & BOYS !

Every Wednesday
 during school terms
 3.30pm ~ 5.30pm

A Block, Level 2
 Room A2.41
 Southern Cross University
 Lismore Campus



\$55 30th Jan to 3 July
 (School Terms 1 and 2)

\$55 24 July to 18 December
 (School Terms 3 and 4)



All Robotic platforms welcome.



For enquiries, please email: robotics@scu.edu.au

www.scu.edu.au/engineering

ALSTONVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Year 7 2020 Information Evening

When: Thursday 14 March

Time: 6:00 to 7:00pm

Information Evening for students in Year 5 or 6

- General information regarding different aspects of high school
- Displays of student work in Key Learning Areas
- Student performances
- Senior students working on projects

Light refreshments will be available.

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Timetable for Wollongbar

Wednesday 13 th March
2.15pm – 4.00pm
Wednesday 27 th March
2.15pm – 4.00pm
Wednesday 10 th April
2.15pm – 4.00pm
Wednesday 24 th April
2.15pm – 4.00pm
Wednesday 8 th May
2.15pm – 4.00pm
Wednesday 22 nd May
2.15pm – 4.00pm
Wednesday 5 th June
2.15pm – 4.00pm
Wednesday 19 th June
2.15pm – 4.00pm



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WEDNESDAY 13TH MARCH, 2019

FREE HEALTH FORUM

Wollongbar
Progress
Assoc.

Wollongbar Community Hall, 10am

N.C. Primary
Health Network

MORNING TEA PROVIDED
CHILD-FRIENDLY



We cover how to:

- Take control of your health care
- Use My Health Record
- Talk about Advance Care Plans
- Get a Parenting-Life Balance

No RSVP needed

VISIT 'WOLLONGBAR HALL AND COMMUNITY' ON
FACEBOOK
OR CALL 0431 939 848 FOR MORE INFORMATION



EVERY DAY COUNTS...



A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...	This means that the best your child can achieve is...
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

Give your child every chance to succeed...

Every day counts!

