



# Wollongbar Public School

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Term 2, Week 7

Volume 7



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## Calendar

### Week 8

- 19/06 Careers Day
- 20/06 Netball Tournament
- 21/06 Regional Cross Country
- 21/06 Assembly 1H  
11:30am

### Week 9

- 28/06 Athletics Carnival  
(Track Events)
- 28/06 No Assembly

### Week 10

- 03/07 Field Events  
Carnival
- 04/07 STEAM Convention
- 05/07 Assembly TBC
- 05/07 Brainstorm  
2:00pm
- 05/07 Reports Home

### Week 1

- 23/07 Students  
Commence
- 26/07 Assembly  
11:30am

### Week 2

- 02/08 Jeans for Genes Day
- 02/08 Assembly  
11:30am

### Week 3

- 07/08 P&C Mtg  
7pm
- 09/08 Assembly  
11:30am

### Week 4

- 16/08 Assembly  
11:30am

## Professional Learning

Leadership in Sport  
Engineering Framework

For more events on our  
Calendar, please go to:

<http://www.wollongbar-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/>

## Principal's Report

**We ran Leadership in Sport sessions this morning. Aren't we lucky to have so much beautiful green space to learn and play in.**

**Parents and Carers play a critical role in their children's learning.** Reading with your child each day and getting your child to school on time with the tools and food they need for a good day's learning are two important things to do.

In addition, to support making learning visible to you and your child, there are five questions that you could ask as part of your daily end of the day family catch up time. You don't have to ask every question every day, and please don't let them put you off with answering "Nothing." Or "I didn't get any feedback." Persist! Start small and practice, because our children are very articulate about their learning and they show us this every day.

Jennifer  
Principal

Top 5 questions parents can ask their children:

1. **What did you learn today? How do you know?**
2. **What was the learning challenge you worked on today? What did you learn from it?**
3. **What feedback did you get from your teachers today and how did you use it?**
4. **How did you go about your learning to day?**
5. **Did you make progress in your learning to day? How do you know?**



## 2019 Planner

Term 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7	10 June. Public Holiday – Queen's Birthday	11 June.	12 June.	13 June.	14 June.
8	17 June.	18 June.	19 June. SRC Careers Day	20 June. Netball Tournament	21 June. Regional Cross Country
9	24 June.	25 June.	26 June.	27 June.	28 June. Athletics Carnival
10	1 July.	2 July.	3 July. Field Events	4 July. STEAM Convention	5 July. Brainstorm NAIDOC Assembly Reports Home Last Day of Term 2
Upcoming Terms					
Term 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	22 July.	23 July. Students Commence Term 3	24 July.	25 July.	26 July.
2	29 July.	30 July.	31 July.	1 August.	2 August. Jeans for Genes Day Fundraiser
3	5 Aug.	6 Aug.	7 Aug. 7pm P&C Mtg	8 Aug.	9 Aug.
5	19 Aug. Book Week & Book Fair	20 Aug.	21 Aug.	22 Aug.	23 Aug. Book Character Parade
6	26 Aug.	27 Aug. Storyboard Bus Yrs 3-6	28 Aug.	29 Aug. School Photos	30 Aug. School Photos
7	2 Sep.	3 Sep.	4 Sep. 7pm P&C Mtg	5 Sep.	6 Sep.
8	9 Sep.	10 Sep.	11 Sep.	12 Sep.	13 Sep.
9	16 Sep.	17 Sep.	18 Sep.	19 Sep.	20 Sep.
10	23 Sep.	24 Sep.	25 Sep.	26 Sep.	27 Sep. Last Day of Term 3

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Who	Event	Payment Due Date	Cost
Whole School	School Contributions & Technology Levy	27 <sup>th</sup> of September 2019	\$87 / Student \$117 / 2 Students \$147 / 3 Students \$147 Plus \$20 Per Student / 4 or More Students

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.



is available at our school from 8.30am-1.30pm

Permission notes MUST be accompanied by payment or they will be returned to your child.

### SCHOLASTIC BOOKCLUB ISSUE 4

Book club has been issued and is due back at school on:

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

*Unfortunately, we will not be taking any late orders.*

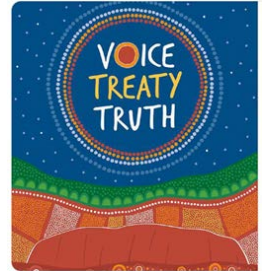
***Please remember to write your child's name clearly on ALL order forms.***

## Yarn and a Cuppa

Thank you to our families who attended the Yarn and a Cuppa afternoon tea yesterday afternoon. We greatly appreciated the input, passion and shared excitement of celebrating our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Culture in planning for our upcoming NAIDOC Week celebrations and in making plans moving forward as a School.

If you were unable to make it, please don't hesitate to give us a call or leave a purple note (Approaching Your School form) at the Office for us to give you a call back.

Leigh, Margie and Jake  
NAIDOC Week Organisers



## Lost USB

This week a student's USB was lost near the 3-6 girls toilets. If found please return to the Office.

## Boy's Soccer News

Congratulations to the Boys' Soccer team who have made it through to Round 4 of the PSSA Boys Soccer Tournament. Last Thursday, our Boys' team won all of their matches against Goonellabah Public School and Rous Public School. The whole team was focused and their positive attitude was very pleasing.

A big thank you to the parents who helped with transport to and from the game and supported us on the day. Well done boys. Let's keep this winning feeling going!

Chris  
Soccer Coordinator

## SAVE THE DATE! The 2019 Annual Athletics Carnival

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June is our **Athletics Carnival (Track Events)** for all students at Wollongbar Public School. Students compete in the age group that they are turning this year. They can wear a coloured shirt to represent their house.

Programs will be distributed to students in the coming weeks.

On Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July we will hold our **Field Events Carnival** for students who are 8-13 Years of age. Remembering that students compete in the age group they turn this year. Our weekly Friday Athletics Rotations will form part of our Field Event Carnival.

Families are more than welcome to come along and support the students.

Margie  
Athletics Organiser

# Wollongbar P&C

## Superstars Obstacle Course

The P&C is really excited to be running this event again in 2019. We will be holding it on Saturday 14th September and we hope everyone will sign up and get involved!!



## We love our volunteers

The P&C would like to thank all our volunteers for their generous donation of time and skills week in, week out.

Do you know someone who helps and deserves recognition? Please put their name in the "Thank You" box in the Office. Moreover, remember to put your own name in the box each time you volunteer!



You can reach the P&C team via [wollongbarPC@hotmail.com](mailto:wollongbarPC@hotmail.com),

<https://www.facebook.com/wollongbarPC> or Anna (President) on 0410.594.676

<i>What's happening?</i>	<i>When?</i>	<i>Where?</i>
<b>Fundraising Meeting</b>	3 July, 6 pm	The Tavern
<b>P&amp;C General Meeting</b>	7 August, 7 pm	Staff Room

## Athletics Carnival (Track Events)

The P&C is excited to be running a BBQ and a mini-canteen (selling drinks, chips and lollies) for the WPS Athletics Carnival Track Events Day on Friday 28th June.

The BBQ will be pre-order only. Ordering will be directly to the P&C who will be set up outside the Front Office on **Monday 24th June, Tuesday 25th June and Wednesday 26th June**. The students will need to hand in the form below along with the correct money **TO THE P&C MEMBER AT THE TABLE** on those days only. They will then be issued a ticket which they will need to bring to the Athletics Carnival to claim their sausage sandwich. Please make sure that they do not lose their tickets. **\*\*Please note: the Front Office WILL NOT be taking any orders\*\***



## Athletics Carnival (Track Events) BBQ Order Form

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

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Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Sausage Sandwiches (\$4 each) \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_



## What does the future hold for you?

*What do I need to know for where I want to go*

**When:** Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2019

**Dress:** What you want to be when you grow up

**Cost:** Gold Coin Donation

Students choose the talk they would like to attend from each time slot. Each talk will go for approximately 15 minutes with 5 minutes Q&A time.



Timetable		
Time	Career	Venue
9:45	Solicitor	Hall
	Teacher	Library
	Nurse-Aged Care	Kindergarten
10:15	Horticulture	Library
	Nurse- Midwife	Kindergarten
	Police Sergeant	Hall
10:35	Magazine Editor	Library
	Nurse	Hall
	Police Rescue	3-4 Field

## Save the date – STEAM CONVENTION

On Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July from 12.45- 3.00 pm we will be holding a STEAM Convention.

All classes will be showcasing the work they have done in their Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Maths units this term. We would love you to come along!

### Everything you need to get sticking

In this kit you'll find:

- School banner and A2 poster x1 – Put these up to let everyone know that you're collecting.
- A1 poster x2 – Put these up in classrooms for kids to stick their stickers on.
- Sticker sheet x1 – Stick your stickers on here to help you keep count.
- School collection box x1 – Put this somewhere where everyone can see it and put their stickers in. Feel free to decorate it to give it a unique touch.

### Extra ways to earn

**Bonus stickers**  
You can earn bonus stickers when you book and attend a Fresh Food Kids Discovery Tour. Visit [woolworths.com.au/discoverytours](http://woolworths.com.au/discoverytours) for more information. T&Cs apply.

**Your local Woolworths store can also help**  
Each Woolworths store will have a limited number of collection boxes, so please get in early and visit your local Woolworths as soon as you can to claim a box.

The collection boxes in store fill up fast, so you'll need to ensure you regularly empty yours so your community can keep giving you more stickers! When Earn & Learn ends, you'll need to stick any loose stickers on to sticker sheets.

**Download our digital assets**  
We've also got a suite of assets you can freely use in your communications to parents to help promote your collection drive. Just visit [teaching.com.au](http://teaching.com.au)

## Information Pack

# Let's stick together with Earn & Learn

1 May to 25 June 2019

**Need more sticker sheets or information?**  
If you run out of sticker sheets or would like to read our Frequently Asked Questions and Terms & Conditions, visit [teaching.com.au](http://teaching.com.au)

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### Timetable for Wollongbar

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March  
2.15pm – 4.00pm

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March  
2.15pm – 4.00pm

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April  
2.15pm – 4.00pm

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April  
2.15pm – 4.00pm

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May  
2.15pm – 4.00pm

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May  
2.15pm – 4.00pm

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June  
2.15pm – 4.00pm

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June  
2.15pm – 4.00pm



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### Important Dates:

Kindergarten Appointments and Tours: 25<sup>th</sup> July to 26<sup>th</sup> October 2019

Transition Day 1: November 1<sup>st</sup> 2019 12pm – 3pm

Transition Day 2: November 8<sup>th</sup> 2019 12pm – 3pm

Transition Day 3: November 15<sup>th</sup> 2019 12pm – 3pm

Transition Day 4: November 22<sup>nd</sup> 2019 12pm – 3pm

Big Day at School: November 29<sup>th</sup> 2019 9am – 3pm



**Book your Kindergarten Appointment and Tour by contacting the school on 6628 1302**

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