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NEWSLETTER WEEK 10 TERM 4, 14th December 2011



As we wrap up the 2011 school year, I take this opportunity to wish all families a very happy and safe festive season. I also thank parents and community members for your wonderful support of our staff, school events and excursions throughout the year. Without your support we couldn't offer all the great opportunities and experiences that we do.

I ask that in 2012 you continue to support the school in the manner we are used to. I welcome Mrs Lamborn as the Relieving Principal in 2012 as I take up a one year Principalship working for 28 schools in the local area in a Regional Management Position.

Industrial Action—Teacher Stop Work Meeting

Parents are reminded that the school is non-operational TOMMORROW between 9am and 11am as teachers have been called to attend union meetings.

Supervision will commence at 11am and school will then resume as usual.

Presentation Day

Presentation Day was held yesterday morning in the School Hall. The ceremony was very well supported with nearly 600 people, including students attending. The order of proceedings went very smoothly thanks to the excellent organisation by Mrs Combey who was also the ceremony chairperson. A list of the award recipients is included in this newsletter edition.

School Leaders 2012

The new school leaders for 2012 were inducted at Presentation Day yesterday. Congratulations to the following students.

Captains: Chloe Anlezark and Griffin Houston

Vice Captains: Paige Cousins and Ben Murray

Prefects: Kayla Nugent, Zac Stanford,

Shayla Gee-Whitney and Cain Trestrail



What's Happening?

Teacher Stop Work Meeting Thursday 15th December

9am—11am

Stewart House Mufti Day Friday 16th December Gold Coin Donation

New School Year

Year 1-6 Students commence Monday 30th January 2012

Kindergarten 2012 start date Tuesday 31st January

2012 School Swimming Carnival Friday 3rd February

2012 District PSSA Swimming Carnival Friday 10th February

Uniform Shop Opens

Mondays 11:30am—1:00pm



Australia Day in Wallerawang

On Thursday 26th
January 2012, pupils
from Wallerawang
Public School are



invited to sing at the opening of the Australia Day celebrations.

Where: Wallerawang Bowling Club

Time: To Be Confirmed Dress: School Uniform

Parents are urged to bring their children along and help celebrate Australia Day in Wallerawang.

Mrs Brown and Mrs Lamborn will be in attendance to meet children and lead the singing group.

Children will perform known songs so there is no need to worry about rehearsals. The suite of songs will include:

The National Anthem
Welcome to all people
Living in the bush
We are Australian

As this is not a school function, parents are reminded to remain in the vicinity of the children while they perform. Children should then return to families for the rest of the celebrations.

Thanks is extended to Mrs Brown and Mrs Lamborn for volunteering their time to attend the celebrations.

Duncan Auld Principal

Important Dates to Remember		
TOMORROW	9:00-11am Strike	
Friday 16th Dec 2011	Last day for students	
Thurs 26th Jan 2012	Australia Day	
Friday 27th Jan 2012	Staff Development Day	
Mon 30th Jan 2012	Students 1-6 start 2012	
Tues 31st Jan 2012	Kinder 2012 begin	
Friday 3rd Feb 2012	Swimming Carnival	

P&C Christmas Raffle Winners

1st Prize: Josh Way

2nd Prize: Ashton

McDonald

3rd Prize: Amanda

Woodbury

Congratulations!

Level 8—Rewards

Children who have stepped up to level 8 of the step up behaviour program will be rewarded tomorrow with ice cream treats. The ice cream will be served to children between recess and



Free!

Double bed base, no mattress

Phone Carol on 0437400057

Academic Achievement and Consistent Effort to Cameron Weekes

Academic Achievement and Consistent Effort to Byron Lamborn

High Academic Performance to Alexa Bird

Consistent Effort and Improvement to Mitchell Giffney

Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to Wil Stockton and Thomas Seton

Life skills Award to Jacova Woolsey

KW

Academic Achievement and Consistent Effort to Emily Brown
Academic Achievement and Consistent Effort to Tylah Piggott
Outstanding Effort and Application to Sophie Lane
Conscientious Effort to Keelee Fraser
Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to Ella Lapich and Joshua Camberwell
Life skills Award to Charlotte Dunn

1/2B

Academic Achievement and Consistent Effort to Chloe Petersen

High Academic Performance to Sophie Clark

Outstanding Effort and Application to Ben Seymour

Overall Achievement in English to Piper Woolsey

Consistent Effort in English to Ethan Fitzpatrick

Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to Katelyn Micallef and Wade Fraser

Life skills Award to Hayden McManus

1/2 F

Excellence in Mathematics to Xander Thomas

Overall Achievement in Mathematics to Piper Anderson

Overall Achievement in English to Lachlan Taylor

Diligence and Consistency to Brooke Lewis

Conscientious Effort to Shelby McCann

Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to Katahna Woolsey and Hannah Lambert

Life skills Award to Rachel Cook

1/2G

Academic Achievement and Consistent Effort to William Jackson
High Academic Performance to Blake Micallef
Outstanding Effort and Application to Macayla Lamb
Overall Achievement in Mathematics to Dayne Houlison
Diligence and Consistency to Ella Zorz
Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to Blake Murray and Olivia Perkins
Life skills Award to Bray McGovern





Academic Achievement and Conscientious Effort to Dylan Walsh

Excellence in Mathematics to Pacey Stockton

High Academic Performance to Leah Edwards

Overall Achievement in English to Sam Petersen

Conscientious Effort to Brydie Zorz

Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to Kayla Giles and Maddison Hollands

Life skills Award to Alexis Cathie

3/4Q

Academic Achievement and Consistent Effort to Ava Lambert

Consistent Effort and Improvement to Charlie Bray

Consistent Effort and Improvement to Darion Williams

Most Improved to Noah Nugent

Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to Max Gordon and Andrew McManus

Life skills Award to Kyle McMillan

4/5P

Outstanding Effort and Application to Tahnee Lamborn

Overall Achievement in Maths to Ebony Seymour

Overall Achievement in English to Emma Sheehan

Conscientious Effort to Erin Luchetti

Consistent Effort and Improvement to Holly Beecroft

Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to Madison Lampton and Josh Morris

Life skills Award to Chloe Anlezark

5/6W

Conscientious Effort to Grace Horton

Consistent Effort in English to Jessica Miles

Diligence and Consistency to Bree Williams

Most Improved to Thomas Boyd

Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to Jessica Miles and Maria Manna

Life skills Award to Peter Waru

5/6S

Academic Achievement and Consistent Effort to Cassie Houston

Excellence in Mathematics to Ben Clark

Overall Achievement in Mathematics to Jake Lewis

Overall Achievement in English to Payge Cousins

Conscientious Effort to Chloe Logue

Consistent Effort and Improvement to Todd Heath

Outstanding Bookwork and Presentation to James Gordon and Thomas Cathie

Life skills Award to Chloe Logue



Step Up Program Honour Certificates

KR	-	Bailey Brown and Kendall Greentree
KW	-	Kyla Isley and Ashton McDonald
1/2 B	-	Ben Fraser and Max Schindler
1/2F	-	Shelby McCann and Courtney Martin
1/2G	-	Chloe Edwards and Olivia Jordan
3/4C	-	Sam Lane and Ethan Van Der Velden
3/4Q	-	Amy Cook and Jon Turrise
4/5P	-	Hayden Wittingslow and Chloe Anlezark
5/6W	-	Maria Manna and Jason Macdonald
5/6S	-	Griffin Houston and Laura Luchetti

Country Business Machines Learning Encouragement Award

Montana Logue, Blake Murray and Indianna Walsh

Beecroft Award for Reading Recovery

Emily Irving

Westfund School Environmental Award

Griffin Houston, Payge Cousins, Sam Forrest and Ben Murray

Peer Support Leadership Awards

Jezlyn Tam, Eligh Bullock and Kiara Elliot

P&C Trophy for Most Outstanding in Sport 2011

Mitchell Brain

Kings Engineering Sporting Encouragement Awards

James Gordon, Paige Dowsett, Dylan Miles, Shaqkyra Quinn, Hannah Whyte, Zac Stanford and Ben Murray

Alan Beecroft Sporting Awards

Amy Hosa and Dylan Miles

Western Area Sporting Participation Awards

James Gordon, Mitchell Brain, Paige Dowsett, Amy Hosa and Cassie Houston

Lithgow District PSSA Sporting Blues Sponsored by Centennial Coal

Chloe Anlezark, Amy Hosa and Mitchell Brain

Wallerawang Bowling Club House Shield

2012 Winning House

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P&C Association Award for the Most Outstanding Citizen of the Year

Laura Luchetti

P&C Association Award for Dux of the School

Izaac Van Der Velden

Kings Engineering Award for Outstanding Citizenship

Brooke Tilley, Cassie Houston, Jake Lewis, Ben Clark, Todd Heath, Brianna Giffney,
Chloe Logue and Mitchell Brian

Lithgow City Council Outstanding All Round Performance in Year 6

Asha Gillard

The Anna Hamilton Shield for Stage 2 Citizen of the Year 2011

Ebony Seymour

Black Gold Country Cabins Award to Stage 1 Citizen of the Year 2011

David Waru

Collins Transport Award for Outstanding Service to the School

Laura Luchetti, Brodie Fitzgerald and Asha Gillard

Absolute Dance Studio Award for Library Service to School

Adam Neale and Chloe Anlezark

Jones Bros. Award for Contribution to the School Music Program

For Choir to: Ebony Seymour and Skye McHugh **For Percussion to:** Paige Dowsett and Cassie Houston

For Recorder to: Blair Thomas, Carmen Schindler and Emma Sheehan

Lithgow Workmen's Club Debating Shield for Public Speaking Ben Clark

C.W.A. Creative and Expressive Arts Award (Craft)

Madison Burns, Salvatore Manna, Zane Anderson and Jason Macdonald

Verna Peters Memorial Art Encouragement Award

Brooke Tilley



Wallerawang Engineering Award for Mathematics

Brodie Fitzgerald

Wallerawang LPO Year 6 Oral Expression Award

Cooper Anderson

Lithgow Lions Club Award for Written Expression

Izaac Van Der Velden

Wallerawang School Canteen Award for Reading Research

Griffin Houston

Lithgow Quota Club Stage 2 Music Award

Erin Rainsford

Centennial Coal Stage 3 Music Award

Brianna Giffney

2011 Presentation Day Donor List

Wallerawang Lidsdale P&C Association Centennial Coal **Delta Electricity** Wallerawang Engineering Kings Engineering Wallerawang Bowling Club **Black Gold Country Cabins** Mr & Mrs G Hamilton Jones Bros Bus Company Portland Art Purchase **Country Business Machines** Absolute Dance Studio Lithgow City Council Wallerawang Post Office **Collins Transport** Lithgow Lions Club

> Lithgow Workmen's Club Westfund Quota International of Lithgow Mr & Mrs A Beecroft

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