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NEWSLETTER WEEK 9 TERM 4, 7th December 2011



Dear Parents and Carers

The Federal Government's "Building the Education Revolution" (BER) which provided significant additions to our school were officially recognised and acknowledged at last Friday's assembly. The enclosed COLA (Covered Outdoor Learning Area), the new OLA (Outdoor Learning Area) and the SPR (Special Programs Room) have been much needed improvements to the school providing modern, inviting and outstanding learning environments which compliment the existing structures.

School Principal, Mr Auld, officiated this celebration by reading a letter from Senator Chris Evans, Minister for Tertiary Education, Skills, Jobs and Workplace Relations, recognising the upgrades to the school.

School Captains opened the recognition plaque and expressed their sincere thanks on behalf of all the students of Wallerawang Public School.



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What's Happening?

Final School Assembly

Friday 9/12/11 9:10am

Year 6 Farewell Dinner Monday 12th December

Presentation Day Tuesday 13th Dec 10am



Stage 2 and Stage 3 End of Year Activity Day

Pool Party - Portland Pool Wednesday 14th December

Semester 2 reports

Wednesday 14th September

New School Year

Year 1-6 Students commence Monday 30th January2012

Kindergarten 2012 start date Tuesday 31st January

2012 School Swimming Carnival Friday 3rd February

2012 School Leaders Election Speeches

Leader's speeches will be held tomorrow morning from 9:10am in the hall. All children, Kindergarten to Year 5 will participate in a voting process straight after the speeches. The leaders for 2012 will be announced at this Friday's assembly and officially inducted into their leadership roles on presentation day.

Presentation Day 2011

The annual Presentation Day Ceremony will be held on Tuesday 13th December at 10am in the School Hall. Parents and carers and the wider school community are invited to attend. Presentation Day acknowledges students who have demonstrated academic achievement, improvement and sporting excellence throughout the year. Visitors are invited to stay for morning tea at the conclusion of the ceremony.

End of Year Party Day—Year 3-6

Students in Years 3,4,5 and 6 will celebrate the end of year with a pool party at the Portland Pool next Wednesday 14th December. Permission notes have been sent home today which also includes a Meal Deal. Both notes need to be returned by next Monday at the latest.

Duncan Auld Principal

Final School Assembly

The final school assembly for this year will be held on Friday 9th December. At this assembly some or our students will be 'Stepping Up' to Level 8. Level 8 awards are a very prestigious award and are only awarded to students who have displayed exemplary behaviour all year long. It is appropriate that Level 8 awards are handed to

students at this final assembly as these represent a year long effort. Please be aware that for a student to have received a Level 7 award they are considered to be of a highly commendable standard with regard to their behaviour. It is important that our school community be aware of the distinction between these two high achieving levels.

Sharon Combey Assistant Principal

Library News Overdue books

There are still a few children with overdue books. Could these please be returned by tomorrow.

Old Library books

I have been cleaning out the library of old and damaged books. Any children who would like to keep any of these for FREE, please come to the library at lunchtime tomorrow.

Beverley Nancarrow Teacher Librarian

Canteen Closure

The school canteen will be closed for 2011 from Tuesday 13th December. All students will require a packed recess and lunch from home for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of the last week of school.

PEC Chrístmas Raffle Please return all tíckets and money by

Friday 9th December

The News from 1/2B

It has been a busy term and as we are getting closer to the end of the year, 1/2B took a moment to reflect on how much fun they have had at school in 2011! Here are some of 1/2B students sharing what they like about school:

Hayden McManus

I like school because you get to play with your friends and I especially love having news each week.

Katelyn Micallef

I like playing with my friends and running on the grass.

Ethan Holder

I love playing handball at lunch with Billy and Luke.

Sophie Clark

I like writing stories about animals at school.

Luke Luchetti

I love doing art and painting at school.

Olivia McDonald

I like learning in maths.

Jordie Thompson

I like playing soccer with my friends at lunchtime.

Jaspah Edmonds

I like colouring in because I am good at it.

Canteen Roster		
Thursday	08/12	K. Phillips, R. Phillips
Friday	09/12	T. Brown
Monday	12/12	K. Seton, S. Best
CANTEEN CLOSED 13/12, 14/12, 15/12 &		
16/12		

















Santa's coming to 'WANG!!

Yes, Santa is coming to the Old Wallerawang Station from December 12th to December 23rd between
2pm and 5pm for Traditional Christmas Photos...and maybe not so traditional (he's bringin' his motorbike!)

Photos start from just \$9.50 with a range of affordable packages.

COME JOIN THE FUN!!



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