The Newsletter of Wandoan State School P-10
A 3R and PBL School

Respect        Responsibility       Reaching

Congratulations to our
Miles and District Age Champions
Mia O and Hunter L!

Date Claimers
August  22  QMEA Science Visit
        23  Royal Lifesaving Australia Workshop
        24  Book Week, Judging 10.45am, Activities Hall
        31  Under 8's Day, 9.00—11.00
September 15  Celebration Day
           15  Last Day Term 3
October    2   Public Holiday
          3    First Day Term 4 (Tuesday)

Newsletter Email Address
Should you wish to have a community notice advertised or wish to acknowledge the achievements of a Wandoan State School student, please email your notice to admin@wandoanss.eq.edu.au before Monday 12pm.

Next P&C Meeting:  17th August, 2017, 5.30pm @ Bowls Club
Uniform Convenor:   Emma Fewtrell

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Hello and welcome to Week 6!
It is hard to believe that we are over halfway through this term and now with the majority of Athletic events at their completion, students and staff can really make a concerted effort to focus on continuing the learning experiences and opportunities for our students. It is fantastic to see that we continue to recognise students achieving in the areas of Spelling, Reading and Writing as well as the number of local and Australian competitions that our students have participated in over the last 5 weeks. Our successful NAPLAN results are also an indication of how hard our staff and our students work each and every day to achieve the best possible learning outcomes.

Highlights of Week 5:
- Students participating in the Miles and District Athletics Carnival and Age Champion Winners Mia and Hunter. It is great to see you make a commitment to competing in so many events and being successful.
- Student attendance remaining above 90% across our school even with illness hitting our school.

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PBL Focus: Respecting others’ personal space, feelings and property:
Respect looks like:
- Speaking positively and in an appropriate tone
- Showing consideration for others’ feelings
- Seeking permission to use others’ property

Upcoming Events: It is a busy week next week for students and staff at Wandoan State School
Next Thursday 24th August, is Book Week dress up. The theme is “Escape to Everywhere” with students being encouraged to come dressed as a character from another culture, world or country. Parents are invited to attend our judging which will occur at 10.45am in the Activities Hall.

QMEA Workshop—Years 9 & 10 students
We continue our association with the Queensland Mines and Energy Academy to provide real life experiences for our students. This will occur on Tuesday, 22nd August, where our Years 9 and 10 students will be required to bring PPE attire to participate in the workshop activities. Staff will participate in professional development at the completion of the day to build their capacity to continue the great work that has been provided.

Breaka Beach to Bush:
Our Primary students will participate in a workshop delivered by Royal Lifesaving Australia to assist students in understanding the safety required around water at the beach and the bush. This will occur on Wednesday, 23rd August.

Moderation of student Writing Samples:
Staff will participate in a rigorous moderation process next Tuesday, 22nd August, after school, where they will review the writing samples of students and give feedback regarding the application of standards. This process is to ensure that we have consistency across our school and that our application is comparable to other schools.

P & C Meeting—Thursday 17th August 5.30pm at the Bowls Club
We wish Haylee D and Jake H well as they represent our school as part of the South West 12 years and under boys and girls touch teams at the State Championships later this week. Brayden D is also attending as a student referee and we hope that the experience gained by attending will benefit students at our school and our local community.

Have a great week.

Rowie Price
Principal
Students of the Week

PRIMARY
Prep—Travis M
Year 1—Lucy Z
Year 3—James K
Year 4—Jonathan T
Year 5—Tye M
Year 6– Jeramy H

SUPER SPELLERS
Caleb W and Isaac O

SECONDARY
Caleb W and Mia O

ICAS COMPETITION SPELLING
Buddy P

READING AWARDS
Gordon R and Ben N

GOLDEN BROOM AWARD
TERM 3 — WEEK 5
MRS KLASS AND MR O’FARRELL
SPORTS NEWS

Miles and District Cricket
If there are any 10-12 year boys who wish to trial for Miles and District Cricket in Week 7 see Miss Stoeckert. So far only one student has expressed interest.

South West Athletics
Students who made it to South West Athletics will be notified by Thursday this week. This includes the high school students in events that were not held at the Miles and District Carnival.

State Touch Championships
Good luck to Haylee D and Jake H who will represent South West Touch in Ipswich later this week at the State Touch Championships. We also send our best wishes with Brayden D who will represent our school at the championships as a student referee.

Miles and District Athletics Thank You
Thank you to all our helpers at the Miles and District Athletics Carnival last Friday. We appreciate your efforts in helping with the running of events and the canteen.

MPC Donation
Appreciation is extended to Murphy Pipe and Civil for their generous donation of $1,000 which will go towards the purchase of sports equipment. Mr Brett King and Mr Peter Bannerman attended the Miles and District Athletics Carnival last Friday to present us with the cheque.

Miss Stoeckert
It was a fantastic effort to upgrade our long jump pit prior to the Miles and District Athletics Carnival on Friday 11th August. Our sincere thanks must go to JK Backhoe Hire who cleared out the old sand, Boral who donated the new sand, and Holcombe Brothers Contracting who donated the truck.

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<td>The Under 8’s Committee are seeking donations of recycled items:</td>
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<td>• 2 or 3 litre milk bottles (washed)</td>
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Please deliver to Prep.

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<th>HOT DOGS (WITH GRAZED CHEESE)</th>
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<td>The school is selling Hot Dogs EVERY MONDAY</td>
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<td>(1st break) Starting Next Week (Week 7)</td>
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<td>Orders must be in with classroom teacher first thing Monday mornings with correct money. Preps are to have orders in a brown paper bag.</td>
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<td>Poppers - $1.50</td>
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LONG JUMP PIT UPGRADE—THANK YOU

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This week in Science, Year 3/4 were investigating the heat energy of the sun and how it affects the temperature of sand and water. This is part of the unit they are studying called ‘Hot Stuff’.
Date Claimer!!!

Term 3 Celebration Day
SPORTS EXTRAVAGANZA
Friday 15th September,
11:45pm to 3pm

Students must meet
data rule to attend
PBL Celebration Day.

Sausage Sizzle and
Popper provided
for lunch.

WANDOAN COMMUNITY COMMERCE
AND INDUSTRY INC. PRESENTS

FIRST COAT
WANDOAN
AT POCKET PARK

AUG 22-25, 2017

MURAL PAINTING BY
DAVID HOUGHTON

FRIDAY 25 4PM
A FREE, ALL-AGES
COMMUNITY EVENT

CNR ROYDS &
LAWTON ST
WANDOAN
WDRC.GLD.GOV.AU
FIRSTCOAT.COM.AU
BOOK WEEK—THURSDAY 24th AUGUST

BOOK WEEK 2017
Thursday 24th August
“escape to everywhere”
come as a beloved character from
ANOTHER COUNTRY
ANOTHER CULTURE
ANOTHER WORLD

Competition

ESCAPE TO EVERYWHERE
CBCA BOOK WEEK 19-26 AUGUST 2017
UNDER 8’S DAY—THURSDAY 31ST AUGUST

Wandoan State School
Under Eight’s Day
31st August 2017

Children are Playing
Country to Coast

Inspiring learning in the early years through...

PLAY

Come dressed in
Country to Coast
Theme

Where: W.S.S - Cola
Time: 9:00 am – 11:00 am
Meal: Shared Morning Tea
(Family to bring a plate)
MEET AND GREET WITH
COREY PARKER

AT THE HOME OF THE WANDOAN WILDCATS
LINDSAY WILLIAMS OVAL HENDERSON ROAD

WEDNESDAY 23RD AUGUST 2017  2 TO 2.30PM START

ALSO SUNCORP PRESENTATION
A BIG THANK YOU TO MRS MANDY HAY
FOR SUCCESSFULLY ENTERING OUR CLUB IN THE
SUNCORP GIVE YOUR LOCAL JUNIOR LEAGUE
CLUB A LEG UP! COMPETITION

COREY PARKER IN CONJUNCTION WITH SUNCORP WILL BE PRESENTING THE CLUB WITH
OUR CHEQUE FOR RUNNER UP PRIZE

BBQ DINNER FROM 4.30PM
AUTOGRAPH AND PHOTO OPPORTUNITIES
Pop Up Country is a unique shopping experience that is waiting for you in Wandoan on Wednesday 23/08/17 from 3.00pm to 7.00pm.

The Pop Up Country Shop gives rural businesses the opportunity to sell their amazing items and to meet the locals and for the locals to have regional businesses on their door step, just like a normal store. The only difference it that it’s ONLY open for ONE afternoon!

You can shop unique items and catch up with friends while sipping on a glass of champagne and indulging in a cheese and fruit platter.

The Pop Up Shop is created for you with the help of many amazing businesses with the idea to revitalise an empty rural shop and support rural entrepreneurs. Don’t miss out on this event! Invite your friends and come along!

Thank you to our sponsor WCCI!

Queensland Health

Mobile Women’s Health Service

The Mobile Women’s Health Service is a free and confidential health service for women living in rural and remote areas. Services provided by specially trained nurses include:

- Pap Smears
- Breast Care
- Women’s Health Checks
- Counselling and Support on Women’s Health Issues
- Information and Education on Women’s Health
- Healthy Lifestyles Including Nutrition, Weight and Stress
- Information and Support Relating to Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault

Date: 23rd August
Time: 10 am—1 pm
Venue: Wandoan Primary Health Care Centre 46274 444
**Fun Palaces**

**EVERYONE AN ARTIST**

**EVERYONE A SCIENTIST**

A day to discover something new.

Experience awesome science, art, robotics and more.

Dozens of hands-on interactive activities for the whole family!

**JOIN A FREE EVENT NEAR YOU**

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with Jandowae Colour Run and Water Fun

@westerdowmlibraries | library@wondo.nsw.gov.au

1300 COUNCIL | westerndowmlibraries.com

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**Oktoberfest**

30th September 2017

Juanan Hotel | Lawton Street Wandoan | 10am to 10pm

WANDOANFESTIVAL.COM.AU

FREE FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT

STREET STALLS - FOOD

COME TO WANDOAN FOR THE WEEKEND

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**Dalby Code Camp 2017**

16 & 17 Sept | SunnCampus | 483 Bunya Highway, Dalby

**BECOME A JUNIOR APP DEVELOPER!**

Monday 18th & Tuesday 19th of September | 483 Bunya Highway, Dalby | $500 per attractive

These September School Holidays, code your own iPhone/Android game in our School Holiday Coding Camp right here in Dalby!

In this two day workshop students will learn how to code, create their own game and come home with their very own iPhone/Android game to download and share on their phones.

Students will use drag-and-drop coding and learn how to create scripts, characters and stories using our visual programming software.

Students will be provided with software, computers and everything else needed for this workshop.

At camp, students won’t only learn how to code and create games – Code Space Education’s camps also teach problem solving & entrepreneurial thinking as well as a range of subjects from physics to art to maths and engineering.

*Participants must be in years 5-12 to participate in this camp. Places are strictly limited and bookings are required. $500 fee includes overnight stay, meals, learning program, entertainment & games. To find out more or book your place at camp club: www.dalbychamber.com.au/events*

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**2017 Camp Program**

**Day 1**

9:30am: Registrations

9:50am: Workshop starts

- Rules, safety and procedures
- Getting into coding teams
- Team building activities
- Cartesian plane
- How to create a score
- How to use & modify tiles

10:45am: Morning Tea

11:00am: Workshop resumes

- How to use sprites
- How frames work
- What an actor is
- How to create actions
- How to animate players
- How to create movement
- Introduction to basic physics
- How to add gravity
- Configuring player weight
- How to create objects
- Coding coins

Lunch

12:30pm: Lunch Break

1:30pm: Lunch ends

- Fresh coins

- How to create sprites
- Coding actions
- Time to building games

Colloquium

2:00pm: Colloquium

3:30pm: Outdoor Activities

5:00pm: Free Time

6:30pm: Dinner

7:30pm: Movie

**Day 2**

7:30am: Breakfast

8:30am: Pack lunch & Clean up

9:00am: Workshop starts

- Creating custom blocks
- Developing code functions
- Simplifying code

10:45am: Morning Tea

11:00am: Workshop resumes

- Start and end screens
- Instruction screens
- Arguments

- Restart Buttons
- Touch Controls

12:30pm: Lunch Break

1:30pm: Lunch ends

- App Settings

- Time to develop games

Num: Afternoon Tea & Coffee

3:30pm: Afternoon Tea & Coffee

3:30pm: Pick-up

*Changes to the learning program will be made depending on the speed of the students and how well they work in their groups. The program is subject to the content of the camp.*
WANDOAN DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP 2017
Saturday & Sunday 16th & 17th September 2017
Mens, Ladies & Mixed Doubles
A, B & C Grades
ENTRIES CLOSE
Friday 8th September 2017
Over $1,000 in Prizemoney on offer
Full catering & bar from smoke Saturday right through to Sunday afternoon
(Incl Dinner Saturday night & Breakfast Sunday)
Play to commence at 8am both days and go into the night on Saturday.
Nomination Fee - $15/player/event
Contact:
Terry & Margaret Holland
46 274 170 / 46 274 321
t.m2@bigpond.com
Nominations to:
PO Box 1540
WANDOAN QLD 4419
jerba7@hotmail.com

SAVE THE DATE
SATURDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER
GULUGUBA STATE SCHOOL
MIXED SIX A SIDE CRICKET COMPETITION
Further Information to come
Start organising your team.........is sure to be a great family fun day out!

GULUGUBA State School
NOMINATION FORM
MIXED SIX A SIDE CRICKET COMPETITION
9th September 2017
TEAM NAME: ____________________________
TEAM CAPTAIN: _________________________
umpire/scorer: __________________________
NAMES: (1) ____________________________
(2) ____________________________
(3) ____________________________
(4) ____________________________
(5) ____________________________
(6) ____________________________
Teams
Each team to consist of 6 people with a minimum of 2 females.
Children over the age of 16 permitted to play.
Nomination Fee
$80.00 per Team. Nomination Forms can be dropped off at Landmark Wandoan
or emailed to: Amie - danamirequhance@bigpond.com
Nomination forms due by Saturday 2nd September 2017. Payment due in cash on the day.
Umpire/scorer
Each team is to supply an umpire and scorer. This can be a player. A draw will be
available on the day.
Match Rules and Competitor's Waiver
Match Rules and Competitor's Waiver will be available on the day. Please collect team
team forms upon arrival, complete and return along with nomination fee
($80) to match co-ordinator BEFORE first game is played.
Best Dressed Team
Each team is encouraged to be CREATIVE! There are some great prizes up
for grabs.
2018 Enrolments

Is your child born between July 2013 and December 2014?

If yes, they are eligible to attend Wandoan & District Kindergarten in 2018.

Please come along to our open day to receive your enrolment package and see how great Wandoan Kindy is.

Friday 1st September from 9 – 11am

*Children who turn 3 throughout the year are also welcome to enrol after their third birthday*