Week 11 Term 1 WOODENBONG CENTRAL SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY NEVSLETTER

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Always was, always will be: Githabul Country

Welcome to week 11 Term 1 2024

Daylight savings has ended!!!

STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY TERM 2 - 29.4.24

Next term all our staff will be very busy on the first day engaged with professional learning and so if there is a need to communicate with them an appointment may need to be made after this date.



school email woodebongc.school@det.nsw.edu.au to direct all their communication. Contacting staff directly by their personal numbers and emails impacts their ability to disconnect from work after hours. Even though we are a small community it is also worth considering that talking about 'school' is still work talk and it can be a further stressor when staff are being engaged in 'school' talk at the shop/gym/restaurant/café/ football.

SOUND SYSTEMS

In last week's LST meeting (minutes on sentral) the results of the most recent hearing testing (K-12 Aboriginal students) were discussed and compared to the last few testings. This is great data to inform practice. Thank you, Sue (LaST). What is clear is that both primary and secondary students in equal measure experience the effects of intermittent hearing loss. The impact of hearing loss (intermittent sometime permanent) on language and development, learning and consequently behaviour is critical and underestimated. One thing we do as a school is make evidencebased decisions to support our students. We have purchased several amplification systems and will continue to add to them.

ANZAC DAY

Day one Term 2 for all students is Tuesday 30.4.2. During roll call and Period 1 Roll Patrons will take students through lessons about ANZAC Day before the commencement of the ANZAC ceremony. Community are welcome to attend. The invite is elsewhere in the newsletter.

RIGHT TO DISCONNECT

I would like to thank parents and community for using our school's front office phone number (0266351281) or





CROSS COUNTRY

The school's cross country event is a K-12 experience! Please ensure your child is ready to support the event, yes, even seniors who can support younger students. Ms Kezia Mulcahy will get arrangements to us shortly, so we are prepped. If you believe your child needs support to participate, including eg. Taking an EpiPen, having asthma inhaler before/during event ensure you have conveyed this to our front office.



THE NEW HATS

Thanks to the staff who have contributed to getting our school a fantastic addition to available sun safe options beyond the broad-brimmed primary hat. I know many teachers have also bought hats out of their own monies for many years.

I have had a question raised as to whether the school community was formally consulted about its design.

As it stands currently:

The WCS school uniform policy states: 'broad brimmed sunhats must be worn during sport and play all year round.'

The NSW Department of Education Policy guidelines checklist states among 'wellbeing factors to be considered':

The diversity of the school population (options are available within the agreed school uniform).

Woodenbong Central School is currently 48% Aboriginal.

When replenishing the school's pool of hats available for purchase (which were only being purchased and used by primary students), an option for a sun safe hat that protects the head, neck and ears was offered by our uniform supplier as a reversible bucket hat using existing crest and design from sporting wear previously purchased.

Another reason for the reversible option is for use when running sport lessons where students can wear either side depending on which team they are on.

If a particular hat were to be written into the WCS School Uniform Policy we can do this through formal consultation. However I would need to conduct consultation of students, teachers, other staff, parents/carers, AECG, and the P&C (as agenda items with a meeting).

This is a process I am happy to facilitate although implementation can be up to 3 years.

For now the hats remain one of many sunsafe options.

What we hope is that by providing options we prevent our students from sun damage.





SCHOOL COMMUNITY CHARTER

school-community-charter (nsw.gov.au)

Elsewhere in the newsletter is the School Community Charter. *Here is an excerpt:*

Respectful communication is a right In all workplaces people have the right to feel respected. Unacceptable and offensive behaviour has no place in our school communities. To ensure the wellbeing of students, staff and the community in our schools, steps will be taken to address unacceptable behaviour. This may include restricting contact with the school community or, in more serious cases, referral to NSW Police.

Unacceptable behaviour may include but is not limited to:

- Aggressive or intimidating actions, such as violence, threatening gestures or physical proximity.
- Aggressive or intimidating language, including the use of obscenities, making sexist, racist or derogatory comments or using a rude tone.
- Treating members of the school community differently due to aspects such as their religion or disability.
- Inappropriate and time-wasting communication

Woodenbong Central School is not a faceless organisation. It is composed of hard-working individuals doing their best. If you want to get involved in supporting your local Public School please volunteer, join a committee or give us feedback that what you see us doing is benefitting young people – our future!



Anne-Marie Mason, Principal

TEXTILES TEGENOLOGY

Year 9/10 Textiles Technology students have been recycling denim to create their own projects.

Briannah, used the denim to make this patch work throw pillow.









Bianca used a top of a denim shirt, added some green and white checked material to make this retro skirt.







Morning calls from the Magpies in the front garden of the school.





Community Charter School

Collaborative. Respectful. Communication.

parents, carers, educators and school staff in NSW public schools to ensure The following School Community Charter outlines the responsibilities of our learning environments are collaborative, supportive and cohesive.

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What our schools provide

NSW public schools work to create positive environments for students, every student is known, valued and community that support student learning. We strive to ensure that staff and the entire school cared for.

happens when parents and schools work together. The best education

Education Strategic Plan 2018 - 2022. aligns with the NSW Department of The School Community Charter



Positive environments

and that parents and carers are kept It is important that our NSW public informed of students' progress and schools are positive environments school announcements.

the wellbeing of all students

and staff

prioritise

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To be welcomed into our schools Parents and carers can expect: to work in partnership to

staff will be timely, polite and Communication from school promote student learning. informative.

is not acceptable

Unsafe behaviour in our schools

> To be treated fairly. Tolerance and understanding are promoted as Professional relationships with transparency, honesty and school staff are based on we respect diversity. mutual respect.

We work together with the

school

Ensuring respectful learning environments for all members of NSW Public Schools communities. © NSW Department of Education



Communicating with our schools

Our staff will find a time to talk to you when they can give you their full attention. Please remember that while our staff are in class or dealing with other matters, they may not be available to answer your questions immediately.

appropriate, fair and easy to read. We encourage you to use email and social media appropriately to connect with your school and stay up-to-date with up-coming Our schools and communities will make sure that written communication is events in the school community.

Our guide for parents, carers and students provides useful information about the complaints process:

education.nsw.gov.au/about-us/rights-and-accountability/complaints-complimentsand-suggestions/guide-for-parents-carers-and-students

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School Community Charter

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Week 11, Term 1

Important Dates

12 April – Last day Term 1 25th April – ANZAC Day

29th April – Staff Return to School SDD

30th April – First Day Term 2 for all students

30th April – Woodenbong Central School ANZAC Day Assembly 1st May – Whole School Cross Country

16th May – Grip Leadership Conference 22nd May – NR PSSA Zone Touch Football Trials

22nd May - National Simultaneous Storytime

31st May - NR PSSA Zone Cross Country

12 June - Life Education Van 1st to 5th July - NAIDOC Week

4th July - School Photo Day

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Home Reading

While enjoying the holidays, please remember to continue home reading with your child. It will help students to maintain their reading levels and makes returning to school easier. If you require books for the holidays please see the school library.

Year 6 Art Work

Examples of year 6 Artwork. Still Lifes using the concept of value.







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Every day matters

When your child attends school every day, learning becomes easier and your child will build and maintain friendships with other children. # Every Day Matters















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Week 11, Term 1



Woodenboug Central School ANZAC Day



10:00 to 10:20 am Ceremony, held at Memorial gates, Unumgar Street 10:20 am Community morning tea, Community Room

ANZAC DAY 2024 WOODENBONG CENTRAL SCHOOL

9:55 AM Students, staff, and guests assemble at the Memorial Gates, Unumgar Street

10:00 AM

Service commences. Welcome to Country (Miss Shemaaya Williams) Commemorative address and readings (Madison Fleming, Korban Newton, Katelyn Fletcher, Lachlan Hannant, Kacey Perry, Ada Shaw) Wreath laying Ode of Remembrance

The Last Post Minutes silence The Rouse

10:20 AM Closing of assembly

10:20 AM Community Morning tea

Lest We Forget

As the school term comes to an end, we wish everyone a safe and enjoyable holiday. We look forward to seeing all students, on the very first day back at school, in Term 2, 30th April, 2024.

#EveryDayMatters



Rugby League

Well done to Carter McMahon, who travelled to Bellingen on Monday, to represent Woodenbong Central School and the Northern Rivers Zone at the North Coast PSSA Regional Under 11's Rugby League Trials. Carter played extraordinary well, but unfortunately was not selected.

WELL DONE CARTER!!

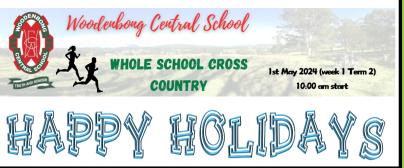




School Cross Country

Wednesday, week 1 we will hold our whole school cross country carnival.

It will be fabulous to see families there to cheer on our students as they take off and return.







Easter hat parade

All students from Kinder to Year 6 designed and create their very own Easter hats. Year 4/5's Easter hats were inspired by two artist they have been studying in the CAPA lessons - Piet Mondrian (Dutch painter) and Wassily Kandinsky (Russian painter). All students did a fantastic job!!

Even the staff paraded their Easter hat creations, as well!

And the Easter Bunny made an appearance, danced around with student during the parade...





































































































Students finished off the day playing the Egg and Spoon race.









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NEWS

YEAR 10 CAREERS

Recently, the Year 10 Careers class had a great time participating in a workshop run by Steph from Media for Millennials. Students en joyed working in teams to experiment with camera angles, setting, product positioning and lighting as they navigated the challenges of designing an ad for social media.





Learner



















Week 11, Term 1

YEAR 8 HISTORY

Year 8 History students are currently completing a topic on Vikings. Here they bring a model longship into the classroom to support their learning. Stay tuned for where the winds take us on our learning journeys in the North.



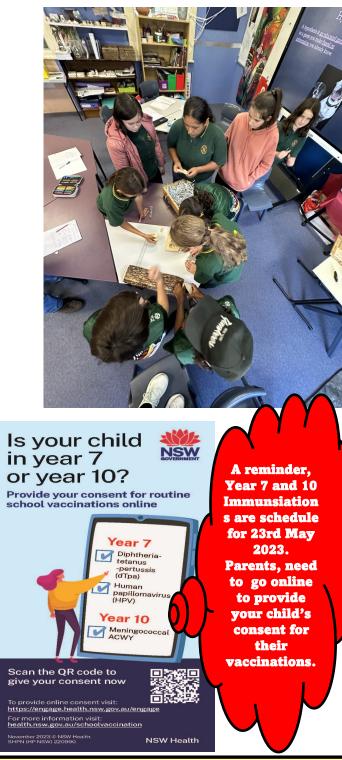






YEAR 7 HISTORY

Year Seven students are underway with their studies of the Ancient Past. Here they practice introductory hypothesis and source skills as they deduce information from The Narmer Palette.



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nsw Health Impetigo (school sores)	Updated 28 March 2024 Impetigo is a common skin infection that mostly affects children. It is treated with antibiotics. Practising good hygiene can help to stop the spread of impetigo.	What is impetigo? Impetigo is a bacterial skin infection caused by Streptococcus and/or Staphylococcus bacteria. It is also called 'school sores'. It mostly affects pre-school and primary school-aged children, however people of all ages can get impetigo. What are the symptoms of impetigo?	Impetigo causes sores on the skin. The sores are usually red and itchy. They often start as blisters that break open and leak a clear fluid or pus for a few days. At the beginning they may be red, moist and weepy. After this, a flat, crusty yellow or "honey-coloured" scab can appear. These sores can occur anwwhere on the body but usually appear on the skin around the nose and mouth.	arms and legs. People who have a lot of sores may also have a fever and/or swollen lymph nodes. Very rarely, impetigo can lead to more serious illnesses such as <u>sepsis</u> , or complications affecting the heart (the <u>umatic fever and rheumatic heart disease</u>) or kidneys (post-streptococcal glomerulonephritis).	How Is it spread? Impetigo is highly infectious. Impetigo spreads when people directly touch impetigo sores or the fluid from sores, and spread the infection via their hands to other parts of their body. It also spreads by touching surfaces or objects which have been contaminated by the sores, including clothing, sheets and towels. The bacteria can cause infection by entering broken skin such as cuts, bites or scratches.	© NSW Ministry of Health. March 2024
Getting On Track In Time (Got It!)	We would like to thank all of the parents and carers who took the time to complete and return the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire that was distributed to all Kindergarten-Year 2 students earlier this term. The results of the questionnaires have belied identify children who would benefit from he-	ing included in the Got It! Group Program, running in our school in Term 3, 2024. By completing the questionnaire, you have also helped us gain a better understanding of the needs of the children and their families at Woodenbong Central School.	The Got It! team will be coming to Woodenbong Central School during Term 2, 2024 to meet with the $K - 2$ parents about the group program. The Got It! team will be contacting parents during Week 1 of Term 2, to arrange a time to catch up at the school on the following dates:	Wednesday 8 th May Wednesday 15 th May Wednesday 29 th May Wednesday 5 th June	So please save a date on your calendar! We hope that this will provide the opportunity for families to be able to make one of these dates around both your family and work schedules. Please let us know if you require something specific to your needs.	We look forward to meeting with you next term! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Got It! team on 0266 399 140.
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Impetigo is dangerous for babies. This is because a baby's immune system is not fully developed. It is important for people with impetigo to keep away from newborns and young babies.

People with skin conditions or a cut, scratch or bite may also be at risk. This could include

- eczema .
- scabies
- insect bites
- head lice.

How is it diagnosed?

Doctors usually diagnose impetigo by looking at the sores. Sometimes they may test for the bacteria with a swab.

How is it treated?

Impetigo is treated with antibiotic ointment or, in some cases, oral antibiotics.

Antibiotic ointment should be applied until the sores have completely healed

If oral antibiotics are given it is important to finish the whole course of treatment as prescribed by your doctor even if the impetigo has started to clear

To take care of sores:

- clean them every 8-12 hours with soap .
- soak visible crusts and gently wipe them away with a wet disposable cloth
 - pat them dry, using a clean towel each time
- if antibiotic ointment is recommended, apply ointment according to your doctor's or
 - pharmacist's instructions
- cover sores with a waterproof dressing.

Avoid scratching the sores to prevent further spread of infection

Speak to your doctor if you or your child become unwell, including if:

- sores spread past the nose, mouth, arms and legs a fever develops
 - a new rash starts despite treatment.

If your doctor is not available, call healthdirect on 1800 022 222 (24-hour helpline).

How can people avoid spreading impetigo?

To avoid spreading impetigo:

- keep sores clean and covered with a waterproof dressing until they have healed. This stops people from touching or scratching them .
 - discard used dressings as soon as they are taken off
- wash your hands with soap and running water for 20 seconds after touching or cleaning sores and after handling contaminated objects such as dressings, sheets and towels
 - avoid sharing clothes, towels or bed sheets with anyone who has impetigo
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- avoid bathing children in the same bathwater if any child has impetigo
- keep your child home from school, childcare and other group settings until at least 24 hours of antibiotic treatment has started. All sores on exposed skin should be covered when returning to wash clothes, sheets and towels used by someone with impetigo every day, ideally in hot water
 - usual activities such as school.

Information for schools and childcare centres

To stop the spread, schools and childcare centres can:

- educate teachers, children and families on the importance of hand washing, covering sores with a waterproof dressing and staying home if sick .
 - encourage and allow time for children and staff to wash their hands between activities, including provide hand washing products including soap dispensers, running water, and paper towels •
- clean commonly used surfaces and objects frequently with detergent, including counters, desks, sheets, towels and toys. This is important if they have been used by a child with impetigo or are before eating and after going to the toilet .
 - Encourage children to not share towels, drink bottles, cups, clothes and utensils visibly dirtv .

Schools and childcare centres are encouraged to contact their local Public Health Unit (PHU) on 1300 066 055 if advice on outbreak control is required

of Staving Healthy: Preventing infectious diseases in early childhood education and care services Resources on preventing infectious diseases in childcare settings can be found in the 5th Edition

Further information

For further information speak to your doctor, call healthdirect on 1800 022 222 for free 24-hour health advice or call your local Public Health Unit on 13000 066 055.

	NSW Health	 Avoid sharing cups, eating utensils, items of personal hygiene (for example: towels, washers and toothbrushes), and clothing (especially shoes and socks).
		Thoroughly wash any soiled clothing and any surfaces that may have been contaminated.
Communicable Diseases Factsheet	Hand, foot and mouth disease is a very common viral disease of	 Teach children about cough and sneeze etiquette.
There is a second model.	childhood which is easily passed	 Cover coughs and sneezes with a tissue. Coughing into an elbow is better than coughing into your hands.
Hand, Toot and mouth	trom person to person. It usually causes a mild illness but rarely	 Dispose of used tissues in the bin straight away.
disease	causes serious illness. It is not	\circ Wash your hands afterwards with soap and water and thoroughly dry them;
	related to the foot and mouth disease that affects animals. Good hvoiene	 if handwashing facilities are not available use an alcohol-based sanitiser or antibacterial wipe to clean hands.
	helps prevent infection.	 Keep sick children at home while unwell.
Last updated: 26 April 2021		How is it diagnosed?
		Your doctor can diagnose hand, foot and mouth disease based on the symptoms. Laboratory tests are not usually necessary.
What is hand, foot and mouth disease?		How is it treated?
hand, root and mound desage is a common but nightly contagolous in rection in churdene daused by enteroviruses, including oxaschieviruses. While generally a mild Illness, some children will have fever, sore throat and thredness and blisters which can be uncomfortable. It mainly occurs in children under 1	ous intection in critatine caused by nild illness, some children will have fever, able. It mainly occurs in children under 10	 Usually no treatment is needed. Paracetamol will relieve fever and discomfort. Do not give children aspirin.
years of age but can also occur in older children and adults. It is not related to the foot and mouth disease that affects animals.	: is not related to the foot and mouth	 Allow blisters to dry out naturally. The blisters should not be deliberately burst because the fluid within them is infectious.
What are the symptoms?		 Make sure young children are drinking enough, as painful mouth sores can make some children polymeration inclusion include.
 Hand, foot and mouth disease starts with blisters that begin as small ulcers. Blisters appear inside the cheeks, gums, and on the sides of t 	begin as small red dots that later become in the sides of the tongue, as well as on	What are the signs of a serious infection?
the palms of the hands and soles of the feet. In infants, blisters can sometimes be seen in the nappy area. Blisters usually last for 7 to 10 days.	s, blisters can sometimes be seen in the	Signs that an infant or older child might have a more serious form of hand, foot and mouth disease
 Children can sometimes have a low fever, sore throat, tiredness and off their food for a day or two 	, tiredness and feel off colour, and may be	include any of the following: • Persistent favor (380C or above for 72 hours or more)
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brain and spinal cord (meningitis), lungs, or eyes.		 ranid frequencies / Janving movements/ ranid frequencies
How is it spread?		excessive tiredness / drowsiness,
Hand, foot and mouth disease is usually spread by person-to-person	rson-to-person contact. The virus is	excessive irritability,
spread notif the recess of an interced person to the intoution of the max, person by containing to hands. It is also spread by secretions from the mouth or respiratory system (often through	outil of the next person by contaminated	 difficulty walking.
sneezing and cougning), by direct contact with the riul surfaces with the virus on them.	id from bilsters, and via objects of	If any of these signs are present then the child should be seen by a doctor urgently even if they have been checked earlier in the illness.
 It usually takes between three and five days after contact with an info blisters appear. The virus can remain in faces for several weeks. 	tact with an infected person before reral weeks.	Blisters in the mouth may also make it painful for children to swallow fluids. If a child continues to refuse fluids by mouth, they should also be seen by a doctor.
Who is at risk?		How long should children stay away from childcare and school?
 The viruses that cause hand, foot and mouth disease are common and particularly affect children. 	are common and particularly affect	 Children with hand, foot and mouth disease should be excluded from school or childcare facilities until their blisters have dried up, and any fever has settled.
 Hand foot and mouth disease can spread easily and quickly within households, particularly among children. 	uickly within households, particularly	 During this exclusion period they should also avoid activities and places where they will be in contact with others, such as swimming lessons and playgrounds/centres, to avoid spreading this
Many adults, including pregnant women, are often exposed to these viruses without symptoms. These is no close ovidation of virty to unboard before from hord for and mouth discovery.	posed to these viruses without symptoms.	very contagious disease.
rifier is no clear evidence or risk to unboin bables from rand, root and mouth disease However, infected mothers (and siblings) can pass the infection onto newborn bables, rarely can have server disease.	m nano, root and mouth disease. e infection onto newborn babies, who	What is the public health response? Hand foot and month diseases is not a notifiable disease under the Dublic Health Act. However to help
 Outbreaks may occur in childcare settings. 		prevent spread, parents should report the illness to the director of the childrare centre or the school principal.
How is it prevented?		Further information
Good hygiene is the best protection: • Wash hands with soap and water and thoroughly dry them after going • when after within noises and after thanking namines or solid clothin	them after going to the toilet, before	For further information please call your local public health unit on 1300 066 055.
carning area representation and a for and more rearing nappro- Hand, foot and mouth disease	page 1 of 2	Hand, foot and mouth disease page 2 of 2

What is hand, foot and mouth

- Hand, foot and mouth disease starts ulcers. Blisters appear inside the che the palms of the hands and soles of t nappy area. Blisters usually last for 7
- Children can sometimes have a low off their food for a day or two. •
 - Very rarely, enteroviruses can cause brain and spinal cord (meningitis), lu •

How is it spread?

- Hand, foot and mouth disease is usually spread from the faeces of an infected p hands. It is also spread by secretions fr sneezing and coughing), by direct conta surfaces with the virus on them. •
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Woodenbong Central School Uniform Price List

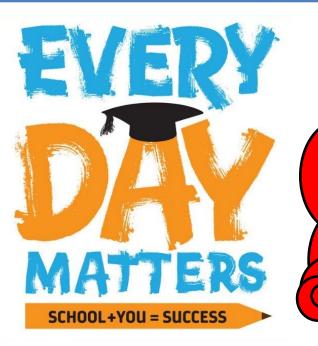
ltem	Price (Inc GST)
Kindergarten to Year 10 Shirts-Bottle Green	\$15.00
Indigenous Polo Shirts	\$35.00
Sports Shirts	\$15.00
Senior Shirts (Year 11 and 12)	\$22.00
ALL Jumpers/Polar Fleece Jackets	\$22.00
Indigenous Hoody	\$70.00
Black Shorts	\$13.00
Wide Brim Hats	10.00
Scarves	5.00
Beanie	5.00
Other black bottom such as tracksuit pants and skorts are available to other black bottom order through the front office.	l skorts are available to ice.

Stationery Price List

Item	Price (Inc GST)
Calculators	\$33.00
64 page A4 exercise book	\$0.60
96 page A4 exercise book	\$0.70
128 page A4 exercise book	\$0.80
Mathematics Grid Book	\$2.75
20 plastic sleeve display book	\$1.20
A4 Art Diary	\$5.00
A3 Art Diary	06.6\$
USB – 16gb	\$10.00
Earphones	\$10.00
Headphones	\$11.00

Woodenbong Central School Subject Contribution

General	ral	
Single Student	\$35.00	
Family (2 or more)	\$55.00	
Subject (Per Student)	r Student)	
	Visual Arts	\$10.00
Year / Ani Year / Judency	Design and Technology	\$30.00
	Visual Arts	\$10.00
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	Visual Arts	\$10.00
	Metal Technology	\$40.00
Year 9	Wood Technology	\$40.00
	Textiles Technology	\$40.00
	Food Technology	\$40.00
	Visual Arts	\$10.00
	Metal Technology	\$40.00
Year 10	Wood Technology	\$40.00
	Textiles Technology	\$40.00
	Food Technology	\$40.00
	Visual Arts	\$15.00
	Visual Design	\$15.00
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	Textile and Design	\$40.00
	Hospitality	\$40.00
	Food Technology	\$40.00
	Visual Arts	\$15.00
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1001	Textile and Design	\$40.00
	Hospitality	\$40.00
	Food Technology	\$40.00



Boost in confidence, friendships and getting the best out of their education is what happens when students attend school every day.

#EveryDayMatters

even the days leading up to end of term. Please remember to only plan travel during school holidays so students can get the most out of their learning.

Days missed equals years lost. When your child misses one day a week, that's 40 days of school and 8 weeks of learning in one year. Over an entire school journey this adds up to 2.5 years of lost learning. We are here to support you in making sure students are attending school every day and get the most out of their learning.

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Woodenbong Amateur Swimming Club President's report 2023/2024 Season

As the 2023-24 swimming season closes, I would like to take this opportunity to thank our committee and other parents for attending meetings and for their dedication and hard work to make this season so successful. This season has seen our swimmers achieving many PBs. A special thank you to those who worked in and organised the canteen, did timekeeping each week, marshalled the swimmers, started the events, our lifeguards and everyone else who helped in any way. We would not be able to function without you all. This season we introduced a free weekly chook raffle for families who help on the night plus a free chocolate bar raffle for swimmers and timekeepers. These appeared to be popular.

Numerous PBs have also been swum at school carnivals and again this year we had a number of swimmers qualify for Northern Rivers Zone CHS and PSSA carnivals at Casino. Isla, Stella, Lachlan and Clay are part of a Woodenbong Central School's relay team that has qualified for State CHS and we wish them all the best.

WASC has been well represented by Aleisha Riley and Jennie Riley who have worked at numerous Swimming North Coast carnivals this season as technical officials.

It was an honour for our club to be nominated for and receive The Australia Day Community Organisation Award at the Australia Day Awards in January.

We also thank the Woodenbong Progress Association for their support in subsidising registration fees for our members, the Woodenbong Australia Day Committee for financial support and the Kyogle Council for their Community Assistance Grant. Thank you to Lynne Parker for successfully applying for this grant on our behalf.

Our club Championships were held on 14th March with all swimmers trying hard to do their best times. A big thank you to everyone who helped on that night.

We congratulate all of our members for their great achievements this season.

Our AGE CHAMPIONS for 2023/2024 are: 6yrs & Under Girls - Emersyn 7yrs Girls - Emilee Boys - Curtis 8yrs Girls - Hayley Boys - Samuel 9yrs Girls - Zarah Boys - Zackery 10yrs Girls - Ebony 11yrs Girls - Ada Boys - Chayden 12yrs Girls - Gabriella Boys - Kailyn and Tyrone

Byrs Girls - Isla Hyrs Girls - Bianca Boys - Clay Our GRADE POINT SCORE CHAMPIONS for the 2023/2024 season are as follows: AA grade - Clay B grade - Ada D grade - Zarah and Tyrone E grade - Zackery E grade beginners - Emilee and Curtis Our other TROPHY WINNERS are as follows: Most improved - Ethan Encouragement - Amelia Shirley McLennan and Ken McLennan Perpetual Trophies - Clay and Isla

Our AGM will be on 13th May at WCS at 4.30pm. Please attend as our committee needs new members. If you are interested in any of the positions but you are unsure of what is involved, then please don't hesitate to ask me.





AED locations in Woodenbong are as follows:

Woodenbong Community Hall
 Woodenbong Hotel
 Woodenbong Fays - Thrifty T.

External Access 24 hrs



EVANGELICAL COMMUNITY CHURCH SERVICE

Come along to a nondenominational combined Church Service

Sunday 28th April, 2024 at 3pm Woodenbong RSL Hall

Followed by shared afternoon tea. Please bring a plate to share.

All welcome







Did you know you can exchange your used Sodastream Gas Cylinders for a new one here at Woodenbong LPO?

Instead of paying full price for a new cylinder you can exchange your old one and save \$16!



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Buckle up and ride safer together



ANZAC Day APRIL 25 BONALBO

5.30am - Dawn Service Patrick McNamee Anzac Memorial Park followed by Gunfire Breakfast at the Bonalbo Bowling and Recreation Club.

11:00 am - Service at Bonalbo Community Hall.

OLD BONALBO

9.30am - Service at Old Bonalbo Soldiers' Memorial Hall

Lest We Forget





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in May.

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Woodenbong Poet's Breakfast 11am – 1pm Saturday 25th MAY PITSTOP CAFE 34 Unumgar St Enquiries myjam@hotmail.com



Share poetry, stories & Yowie tales Last Saturday Feb, May, Aug, Nov Part of Yowie Country Market



Healthy Eating Active Living



IT IS ILLEGAL TO SELL VAPES TO

ANYONE UNDER 18 YEARS OLD



North Coast Youth Vaping Taskforce

Noodenbong CAMPDRAFT

ABCRA Affiliated Full Points Woodenbong Showgrounds

Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th May 2024

Saturday 6:30am

\$1,200 Maiden Draft Entry Fee: \$35, Round & Final, 17 years and over \$2,000 Open Draft Entry Fee: \$55, Round & Final, 17 years and over, Novice/Open horses only Maiden Final \$600 Open for Open Draft Entry Fee: \$40, 17 years and over

\$1,500 Geoff Passfield Memorial Novice Draft Entry Fee: \$45, Round & Final, 17 years and over Open Final Novice Final

\$150 Junior 8-U13 Draft Entry Fee: \$10, 1 Run Limit \$200 Juvenile 13-U17 Draft Entry Fee: \$15, 2 Run Limit

ENTRIES OPEN: TUESDAY 23RD APRIL 2024 VIA ICOMPETE

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Bar, Food & Entertainment Available

ABCRA

CONTACT: IAN REID - 0427 351 401 SANDRA REID - 0408 708 715

Cross Road Ministries

20th April

Glenda and Steve welcome you to the Healing Gathering on the 20th April for a 10:00 am start.

Feel free to join us at anytime through the day

BYO lunch.

Free sausage sizzle for dinner

Tea and coffee available

Meeting totally lead by Holy Spirit

See you soon.

Urbenville Bowling Club News



Urbenville & District Bowling Club Ltd

17638 Clarence Way Urbenville Phone:0266341269

The club practises responsible service of alcohol

The Club is calling for expressions of interest for our catering operations.

Work schedule will include Friday nights and some weekend/weekday based on scheduled events or club necessity.

Awareness of and compliance with statutory obligations (particularly food hygiene, food safety & work health & and safety) Is required. a food safety supervisors' certificate and a ABN is mandatory.

The kitchen is fully equipped, and all crockery and cutlery are available. All you need to provide is your fresh ideas. To be considered for this opportunity the successful caterer shall:

Be able to provide meals of high quality and wide variety, including specials, at prices comparable to local competition be fully conversant with relevant legislation relating to food hygiene and WH&S compliance.

Start date: 02 June 2024 Applications close: 15th May 2024

Applications should be marked private and confidential an address to: The Secretary Urbenville And District Bowling Club PO Box 50 Urbenville NSW 2475 Or hand deliver to Colleen Scofield @ Scofield's Transport .







THURSDAY 25 APRIL 2024

- **Dawn Service** will be held 5.15 am at Woodenbong's Water Tower located on Hill View Road, Woodenbong.
- MC Katelyn Fletcher and Lachlan Hannant
- Guest speaker will be John Sawtell
- Bagpipes,
- Team of 6 volley personnel, firing three shots from WW1 and WWII rifles
- Gunfire Breakfast
 - * Bacon and eggs
 - * Rum and milk
- March opposite Foodworks, MacPherson Street
 - * 10.40am assembly
 - * Woodenbong RSL and Trust Members, Police contingent, Fire Brigade contingent, RAAF contingent from Amberley and other defence personnel, Woodenbong Central School representatives, led by School Captain Madison Fleming, and any member of the public.
- Flyover has been requested with more details TBA
- ANZAC Day Service in Woodenbong Public Hall,
 - * 11am Start
 - * MC David Hannant
 - * Guest speaker will be Bob Jeffery and Lindsay Passfield
- March to the Lest We Forget Gates
 - * 11:45am
 - * Laying of the wreaths
 - * Team of 6 volley personnel, firing three shots from WW1 and WWII rifles.
- Luncheon at RSL Hall we must have an RSVP for the luncheon as numbers are limited (Secondary School children only). Please contact Roslyn Johnson on 0428 133 874 or Mekella Hannant on 0407493901 to RSVP by the 20th April 2024.
 - * 12:30pm Start
 - * \$30 per head
- Two-up Woodenbong Hotel and run by the RSL
 - * Start at 4:00pm till 8:00 pm
 - * Dinner provided by hotel (normal menu charges apply)



YEARS OF ANZAC THE SPIRIT LIVES 2014 - 2018 WOODENBONG SUB BRANCH NSW 2015



RICHMOND RIVER BEEF PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION





April 27th, 2024

Venue: Kyogle Showgrounds

Judging from 10am

Worthwhile experience for competitors!

Great prizes!

- Classes for pen of Three (3) Vealers Milk Tooth
- Single Class Milk Tooth Vealers
- Pen of Three (3) Replacement Heifers Exhibitor Bred
- Class for Led Steer [Points awarded can be included in the Casino Beef Week Steer Series.]
- Class for Junior Parader
- Class for Junior Judging
- Class for Junior Judging

For more information and entry form please contact secretary@rrbp.org.au



Providing access to mental health support in Northern NSW

Phone 1300 160 339 www.neaminational.org.au/CTWNC

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Connect to Wellbeing North Coast helps people to connect with mental health and alcohol & other drugs (AOD) services across the NSW North Coast region.

A 'no wrong door' approach

Connect to Wellbeing North Coast provides a flexible, responsive, single point of contact for consumers, carets, GPs, allied health professionals, and other agencies who are seeking to access or refer people to mental health and AOD services.



Connect to Wellbeing is a Neami National service funded by Healthy North Coast through the North Coast PHN program. How to refer To find out more about the service or to

make a referral, contact us: Phone 1300 160 339 www.neaminational.org.au/CTWNC

Helplines Lifeline 13 11 14

Suicide Call Back Service 1300 659 467 NSW Mental Health Line 1800 011 511 Kids Helpine 1800 55 800 1800 Respect 1800 737 732 MensLine 1300 789 978 Beyond Blue 1300 22 4636

Please note that Connect to Wellbeing is not intended to support people who are at cacke and immediate enk. If you are someone you care for needs immediate emergency support, please call 000 or Uteline 13.11.14.

A healthier lunchbox can help your child go, grow and glow



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Copies of the WAG newsletters can be picked up form the silver box at the Pit Stop Café.

Thank you.



Capteen Menu 2024 Hot Foods:



Sandwiches/Wraps:

Cheese \$3.00 Cheese & Tomato \$3.50 Ham & Cheese \$4.00 Ham \$3.50 Ham & Salad \$6.00 Ham, Cheese & Tomato \$ 4.50 Egg \$3.50 Egg & Lettuce \$4.00 Salad \$5.00 Chicken \$4.00 Chicken & Salad \$6.00 Chicken Lettuce & Mayo \$5.00 Chicken, Cheese & Onion \$5.00

Falafel & Salad Wrap \$5.00

Sweet Chilli Tender Wrap \$6.50 (2 Sweet chilli chicken tenders, lettu cheese, tomato, sour cream & sweet chilli sauce) Vegemite \$ 2.50

*Toasted \$1.00 extra *Bread Roll \$1.00 extra *Gluten Free Bread \$1.50 extra

BLACK= EVERYDAY

Chicken Burger (Grilled Chick/cheese/lettuce/mayo) \$6.50 or with the lot \$7.00

Beef Burger (Beef Patty/lettuce/tomato/beetroot/ onion/cheese/BBQ sauce) \$7.00

Pulled Beef & Gravy Roll \$5.00 Roast Chicken & Gravy Roll \$5.00

Chicken Salsa or Meatball Salsa & Cheese Roll \$6.00

Cheese Burger (Meat/cheese/lettuce/tomato & tom sauce) \$5.00 Vegetable filled Pastry/Pie \$5.00

Quiche - Pumpkin & Chive, or Spinach & Fetta \$4.50 Chicken Nachos \$5.00

Sweet Chilli Chicken Tenders \$1.50

Hash Browns \$1.00 Beef Traveller pie \$5.00 Hotdog & sauce \$4.00 + cheese \$4.50

HEALTHY WOODENBONG CENTRAL SCHOOL CANTEEN 75% Everyday 25% Occasional

Lite'n Up Sausage Roll \$4.00 Lite'n Up Party pies \$1.00 6 X Chicken Nuggets \$4.00 Pizza - Ham & Pineapple \$4.00 Chick Nugget & Gravy Roll\$5.00



Snacks:

Fruit Salad Cups Sm \$2.00 Lg \$4.00 Fruit Salad XL \$6.00 Seasonal Fruit \$1.00

Pancakes \$1.50 Red Rock Sea Salt Chips \$1.00

Grainwaves Chips \$1.00

Choc or Blueberry Muffin \$3.00

Freezer snacks:

Frozen Yogurt - Twisted healthy treats: Strawberry/Vanilla, Watermelon/Mango or Chocolate/Vanilla - 120ml \$2.00ea

Frozen Yogurt Cups -Strawberry or Mango - 200ml \$2.50

Quelch \$0.50

TNT \$1.00

Calipo \$1.00 Paddle pop \$2.20

Dixie Cup \$1.00

Moosies \$1.20



Water, 600ml \$2.00

Chill J 100% Aerated fruit juice, 250ml \$2.50

Popper 100% Apple & Mango, Apple & Blackcurrant or Tropical, 250ml \$2.00

Glee 99%/Juice Bomb Raspberry, Watermelon, Grape, Tropical or Orange & Passionfruit 250ml \$3.00

Pop Tops 99% Apple or Apple & Blackcurrant, 250ml \$2.50

M2GO Chocolate or Strawberry 250ml \$2.00

Up & Go, Chocolate, Vanilla, Ba-nana or Strawberry 250ml \$3.00

Norco Chocolate or Strawberry Milk 300ml \$2.50

Cup of Milo/Milk \$2.00

Highschool only

Norco Choc Milk, 500ml \$4.50 Norco Iced Coffee, 500ml \$4.50

Condiments - \$0.50 each Tomato or BBQ Sauce, Sweet Chilli, Sour Cream. Mayonnaise, Garlic Aioli, Guacamole, Italian Dressing, Gravy

RED= OCCASIONAL

Reflection For The Week

Having job security

God created the Garden of Eden, then He created Adam, and then He told Adam that his job was to take care of it. Why? Because work gives dignity and meaning to our lives. That's why the Bible says, 'Those who work their land Iwill have abundant food, but those who chase fantasies have no sense' (Proverbs 12:11 NIV). Let's talk about how to have job security.

Negative world events can have a devastating impact on the economy, which in turn affects employment security. Accidents or linesses can result in unemployment. It's easy to see why so many of us live in fear of becoming unemployed. The fear of losing your job is rooted in the following core fears.

Lack: 'How will I meet my obligations?' Inadeq uacy: 'I'm not good enough.' Helplessness: 'What do I do now?' Loneliness: 'I'll be isolated from my social network.'

For some, the shame and humiliation of losing a job is as devastating as the loss of income. Fretting about being fired can become a self-fulfilling prophecy because the anxiety makes you less efficient and effective. So if you live with the constant fear of losing your job, it's time to stop worrying and start developing a strategy that will enhance your position on the job or assure you of a soft landing if you get laid off.

Your first and foremost strategy must be to trust in God's faithfulness: 'The LORD your God will make you prosper abundantly in all the work of your hands I Indeed, the LORD will again delight in your prosperity, as he delighted in that of your ancestors I' (Deuteronomy 30.9-10 CSB).

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Including: Lettuce, Tomato, Cucumber, Carrot, Capsicum, Onion, Avocado, Beetroot, Egg & Cheese. Just Salad Sm \$5.00/Lg \$6.00 Meat & Salad

(Chicken, Ham or Meatballs) Sm \$6.50/Lg \$7.50

2 Egg Salad Sm\$6.50/ Lg\$7.50 Chicken Burrito Bowl Sm \$7.00/Lg \$8.00

Gluten Free

6 x Chicken Nuggets \$4.00

Chicken Tenders \$1.50 each

Chick Tender Burger (on GF bread) \$6.00

Mini Banana & Vanilla Muffins (Dairy & Egg Free + Vegan) \$2.20

Salad Bowls:

(All Gluten Free)

Salad Dressing/Mayo/Aioli \$0.50

Jam/Honey \$2.50

