

Welcome 2018

Welcome back to all our students and families after what we hope was a relaxing Christmas break.

Our year 1 to 6 students jumped straight into Term 1 participating in the Woolomin School Swimming Carnival on their first day back. Kindergarten had an extra day to prepare starting Wednesday, with our 8 students; Emma Adams, Declan Scharkie, Jackson Hoad, Matilda Bonner, AJ Self, Laylah O’Malley, Ryda Oliver and Amba Graham, ready to start with Miss Burford.

This year, we also welcome two new families into the school with Maverick and Lily Parkinson and Oscar and Pearl Fenby joining us.

We also have Ms Nagle joining the teaching staff; bring along her expertise in STEM.

Matilda

Ryda

Emma



Amba

AJ



Jackson

Laylah



Declan

Swimming carnival

On Tuesday 30th January we welcomed our Year 1-6 students back for their first day of Term 1 and our School Swimming Carnival at Nundle Swimming Pool. The day ran smoothly thanks to our parent helpers assisting with time keeping, whilst we were also lucky enough to have Jacquie Bromfield join us again in the pool, helping students improve their swimming skills.

Congratulations to our Medal winners with results as follows:

**Minor Girl Champion** – Pearl Fenby

**Junior Girl Champion** – Allee Thompson

Junior Girl Runner Up – Talia Summers

**Junior Boy Champion** – Tyler Woodard

Junior Boy Runner Up – Tobias Douglas

**Senior Girl Champion** – Eva Schefe

**Senior Boy Champion** – James Sampson

Senior Boy Runner Up – Bryce Thompson & Tyler Summers

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School Information Night

An information night will be held on Wednesday 7th February commencing with a sausage sizzle at 6pm. The information session will commence at 6.30pm in the primary classroom.

Information will be provided regarding:

• School and classroom timetables, routines and expectations

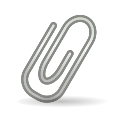
• Staffing

• Curriculum

• Excursions

• Participation in special events

This is a great opportunity to get an overview of the initiatives and events the school will be engaging in throughout 2018, meet or touch base with your child’s teachers and receive information about school routines and services.

Mini Canteen 

This week we kick off our mini canteen with Ham & Cheese toasties available for $2.50 Monday to Thursday with SRC resuming their Friday specials.

Specials for this term are:

This Friday - Hot Dogs $2.50 each

Week 3: Mini Sausage Rolls

Week 4: Tacos

Week 5: Pizza

Week 6: Spaghetti Bolognese

Week 7: Meat Pies

Week 8: Fettuccine with Garlic Bread

Week 9: Mini Sausage Rolls

Week 10: Dumplings

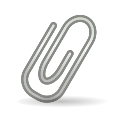
Week 11: Curry Puffs

Please complete the attached order form and return by Wednesday to assist with catering.

Australia Day Award

Big congratulations to James Sampson for receiving the Community Recognition Australia Day Award for 2018 for his applications to his schooling and sports. Well done James!



Music Tutoring

Previously we have had some interest in individual music tutoring. We are currently looking into a tutor coming out from the Conservatorium to the school and offering 20 min lessons either weekly or fortnightly to interested students. At this stage we have enquired about guitar as this has been the most popular instrument enquired about previously but if interested in another instrument and we have enough numbers we can look into other instruments. Lesson pricing and availability will depend on numbers but as a rough guide will be $25-30 per 20 min lesson. Once signed up for lessons, students will be committed for the whole term. If you are interested please return the attached form by Thursday 8th February to assist with further information and booking.

[](http://www.google.com.au/url?sa=i&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=images&cd=&cad=rja&uact=8&ved=0ahUKEwiCopWVzo3ZAhVBT7wKHXeeByAQjRwIBw&url=http://guildguitars.com/g/westerly-d-150l/&psig=AOvVaw1E4uXeLZHxNuEdHCLpixZ4&ust=1517880096392402)

P&C – News

Welcome back! We have given out our new Sports Uniforms to all our students.

Everyone looked amazing on Thursday!

WPS P&C have been invited by P&C Federation NSW to send a photo of our students in their smart new uniforms for inclusion in the P&C Federation Journal!

This first uniform has been funded by P&C and any uniforms needed after this will have to be purchased by families.

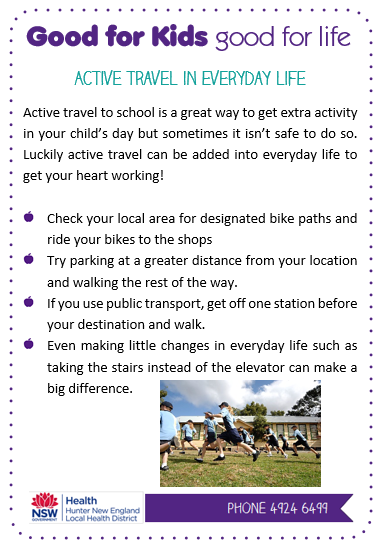
Please contact Mishalee - Uniform Co-ordinator - 0411884173 for your uniform needs

Shirts - $25

Shorts - $15

Skorts - $18

A payment plan can be arranged if needed. Please speak to P&C for more information.

Due to costs going up NEW Ties are now $25 each and NEW Hats are now $13. As always we usually have second hand items at great prices.

Term 1 2018

Week 2

Wednesday 7th February School Information Night

Week 3

Friday 16th February Peel Valley Swim Carnival

Week 4

Monday 19th February Pillow Case Project 12pm

Tuesday 20th February WLA Meeting – Mrs McMahon

Friday 21st February Small Schools Cricket

Week 9

Friday 30th March Good Friday

Week 10

Monday 2nd April Easter Monday