

Woolomin Public School

Newsletter Week 3, Term 1

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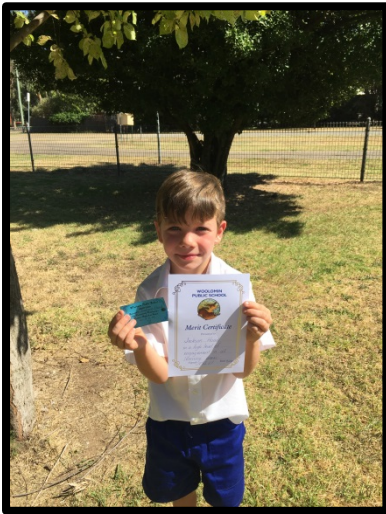
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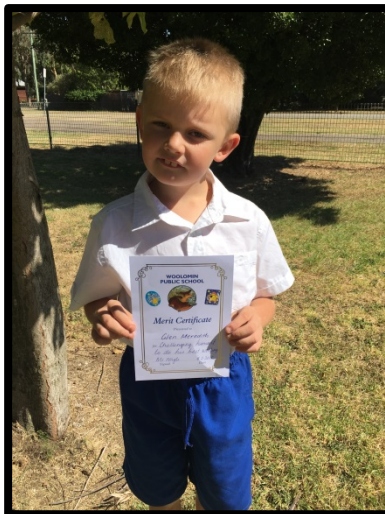
Monday, 19 February 2018

Assembly Week 2



Miss Burford's Award

Jackson Hoad: For a high level of engagement in all learning areas



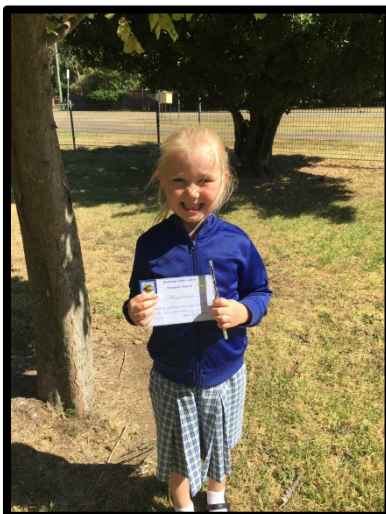
Ms Nagle's Award

Glen Meredith: For challenging himself to do his best writing



Mrs McMahon's Award

Oscar Fenby: For demonstrating on task focus in class and attentive listening skills



Principal's Award

Maiya Douglas: For demonstrating courteous behaviour that reflects respect for self and others



Caught You Being Good Prize

Laylah O'Malley



Merit Awards

Jackson Hoad and Amba Graham

Peel Valley 50 m Swimming Carnival

On Friday 16th February, the Peel Valley Swimming Carnival will be held at Nundle Swimming Pool. This is a 50-metre carnival for students over 8 years of age who can swim two laps of the pool unaided. This year we will be sending a strong team along to represent our school. We wish our swimmers all the best on the day.

School Information Night

Thank you to everyone who was able to come to the school information night held last Wednesday night. It was great to see so many parents were able to attend to learn about our school routines, policies and expectations. It was lovely to be able to share a sausage sizzle and quick chat with families before the information sessions began. Information packs were sent home on the Friday after the event to families who were unable to attend. Please do not hesitate to contact the school if there is anything you are unsure about or would like more information on.

Mini Canteen

Ham and Cheese toasties are available Monday to Thursday for \$2.50. Toasties will not be available Friday due to SRC Special Lunch. This Friday the SRC will have Tacos available for \$2.00 each.

Specials for the remainder of this term are:

Week 4: Mini Sausage Rolls

Week 5: Pizza

Week 6: Spaghetti Bolognese

Week 7: Meat Pies

Week 8: Fettuccine with Garlic Bread

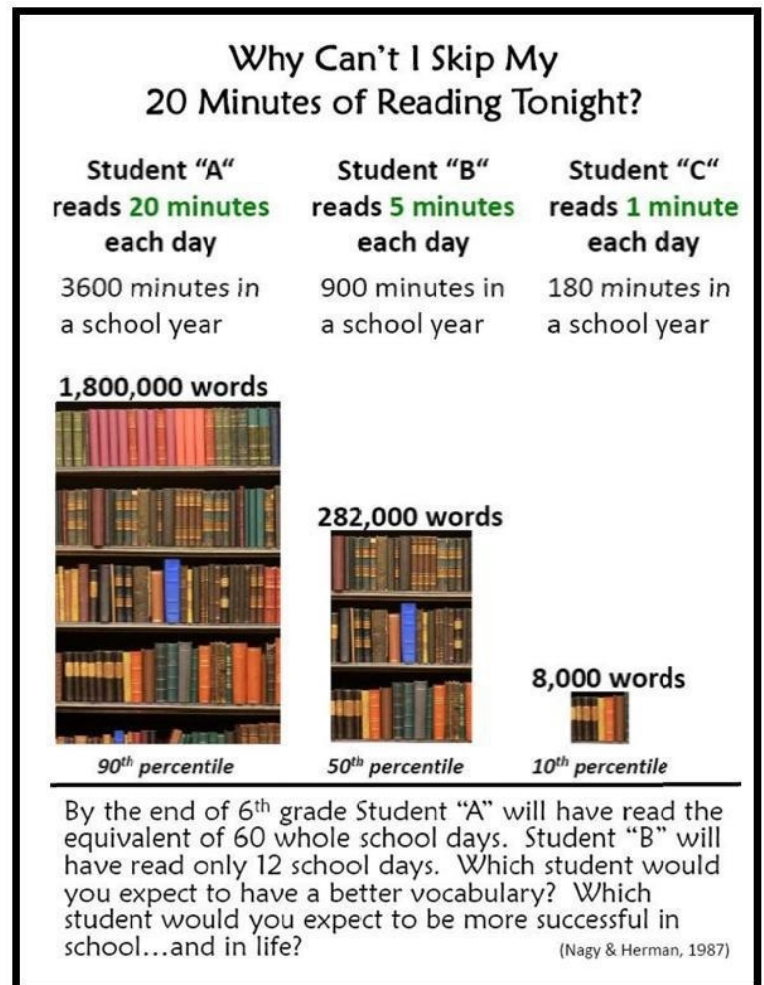
Week 9: Mini Sausage Rolls

Week 10: Dumplings

Week 11: Curry Puffs

Please complete the attached catering form and return by Wednesday.

Importance of Reading- Stop and discuss this with your child today!



Attached to this newsletter is a sheet that has a number of reading strategies to assist students with reading at home. We hope it is helpful in supporting your child's progress and engagement in reading.

Dungowan Cricket

On Friday 23rd February, Dungowan Public School will be hosting the Small Schools Cricket. Students will travel by bus to Dungowan PS and participate in a fun, inclusive learning day and will receive information on how they can continue a healthy and active lifestyle.

SRC Friday Lunch

Our first SRC special lunch for Term 1 was a big hit with Hot Dogs!



Active After Schools

We are currently organising this terms Active After Schools program and hope to have more information sent home later in the week.

Community Meeting

On Monday 12th February, a community meeting will be held in the school to further discuss the Community Playground. There will be Council and Community Representatives present to discuss fundraising, ideas and types of equipment to install. All community members are invited and welcome to attend and participate in the discussion.

The meeting will be held at 3.00pm just prior to the P&C AGM and parents and community members are welcome to stay on to join and attend the P&C AGM.

Please come along with any ideas, questions or concerns you may have.

Hope to see you there!

P&C Meeting

Our next meeting will be held on 12/02/2018. This will be an AGM to elect our Executive for 2018 and General meeting to follow. Animal Nursery at Nundle Go for Gold weekend is fast approaching and we will start plans for this also with an Animal Nursery Sub-Committee.

We welcome anyone wanting to join P&C and there is \$2 Annual joining fee, due at the AGM. ALL help and ideas greatly appreciated!

Parents, as partners in the education process, have a right to play an active role in the education of their children!

Hope to see you - Jo Meredith - President WPS P&C – 67693341

Term 1 2018

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
Thursday 22nd February SRC Cancer Centre Donation
Friday 23rd February Small Schools Cricket

Week 6

Tuesday 6th March HOME Program Teacher Training – Miss B Mrs Mc

Week 9

Friday 30th March Good Friday

Week 10

Monday 2nd April Easter Monday

Good for Kids good for life

DINNER IDEAS FOR SUMMER

Summer is a great time to introduce more salad vegetables into your diet. There are heaps of variations for each of the ideas below:

- Plain beef, chicken, fish or vegetable burgers with loads of salad
 - Tacos or burritos with lettuce, tomato, corn, beans, carrot and more
 - Kebabs with a combination of meat and vegies such as mushrooms, capsicum and onion
 - Pizzas topped with lots of vegies and a side salad
 - Salads, salads and more salads and they don't have to be just a garden salad.
- Try roast pumpkin, cherry tomato, avocado, cucumber and grilled chicken with a honey mustard dressing.



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Aquatic AND Leisure Facility

Information Booklet

It's time to upgrade our aquatic and leisure facilities to meet your needs now, and into the future. Help us create an aquatic and leisure facility that promotes:

- Good health
- Active living
- A vibrant community

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Strategies for Word Attack e.g CARNATION

(Please remember this is only an example. Not all of these strategies will work for every word. In short, be creative.)

A few ideas for parents/tutors to AVOID “telling” or “saying” the difficult word when helping a learner reader.

Suggest.....

1. Look at the word; can you see any smaller words?
“car”, “at”....do they help?
2. Which is the hardest part of the word? “tion” (shun)
Do you know any other words with that sequence of letters?
3. Break the word up into syllables from the front
“car..... na....tion” (See #8)
4. Break the word up from the back. “tion (shun)....ation
(ayshun)....nation (nayshun)....arnation....carnation
5. Substitute “wheelbarrow” and see if you can work the word out from its context in the sentence.
6. Opposite hint “Not a geranium.” ie a similar thing/flower
7. “It sounds like barnation.” Create a word that sounds similar but the child still has to decode.
8. Look at the first sound “C” and do some chunking
“Car” + “na” (nah?; nuh?; nay?) + “tion” one of the above may be better!