Remembrance Day Ceremony

Remembrance Day (11th November) marks the anniversary of the armistice which ended the First World War (1914–18). Each year Australians observe one minute silence at 11 am on 11 November, in memory of those who died or suffered in all wars and armed conflicts. Students and staff at Werrimull P-12 School took the time to remember all those who have served and sacrificed for Australia. Thanks to Miss Smith for organising the ceremony.

2014 Student Leadership Positions

The application process to find the 2014 School Captains, House Captains and Primary Leaders is underway. Interested students were provided with the relevant information to apply for the leadership positions. Applications close on Tuesday 26th November.

Year 9-11 & VCE Exams

All Year 9 – 12 students are currently completing exams. The feedback from the Year 12 students has been very positive; I wish them luck for their final exams!

Year 9 – 11 students started with a 2 hour English exam yesterday. The final exams are scheduled for Thursday however normal timetabled classes will run Thursday and Friday because many of the students will have already finished. Exam reports will be provided in the week following exams.

Secondary Camp

Plans for the Secondary camp have been finalised, and for those of you who don’t know I will be attending the camp in Mr McLeod’s place. I look forward to the challenge of surfing, something I haven’t done since my days at University. Students will be transported to the Sokil Arts Eco Retreat in Aireys Inlet in a 22 seater bus and my vehicle, leaving Werrimull at 8am. Students are reminded to bring a packed lunch on Monday; all other meals for the week will be provided.

If you have any questions regarding the camp don’t hesitate to contact the school.

Work experience

Students are currently finalising work experience plans for the week following the secondary camp. Please complete the necessary paper work and return it to Mr Whittle ASAP.

Congratulations

Congratulations to both Dana and Nathan Kingi; they passed their Irish Dancing exams with flying colours! I would also like to congratulate Mitchell Roads; he was selected for the U14 Sunraysia Cricket team. Mark Thomson also found some form in his cricket match on the weekend with bowling figures of 3-36, well done

Jamie Russell
Dates to Remember

November

- 9/10 Exams: 11th-15th November
- Secondary Surf Camp: 18th Nov- 22nd Nov
- Work Experience 10/11: 25th-29th November
- P-2 Sleepover: 28th November

December

- University Experience Camp: 3rd–5th December
- Ballet Excursion: 4th December
- Flying Start: 9th–13th December
- Activity Day: 16th December
- Awards Night: 17th December

Happy Birthday

Tom Skinner 14th November
Cameron Symes 16th November

Citizen of the Week is
Tom Fox
Aussie of the Month is
Claudia Fox

Reminder

As it’s a departmental requirement for students that are absent, a parent or guardian needs to fill in an absentee note (green note) as soon as the student returns to school. These need to be brought up to the office for Mrs Wright to enter on Cases21.
What’s Happening

Thank-you to those parents who have returned the Parent Section of the Transition Statement. By the end of next week you will have received the completed copy of the Transition Statement and if you have given permission this will also be sent to your child’s school.

A letter regarding transition to school for those children attending Prep at Werrimull P-12 School was sent home last week. If your letter got lost along the way please let me know so that I can send home another one.

There will be an information session available for parents next Wednesday (our first Transition Day), please return the attached form indicating whether or not you will be participating in the session by the end of the week. Along with the letter a 2014 enrolment pack for Werrimull P-12 School was sent home, thank-you to those parents who have already returned this to school!

Information regarding kindergarten transition will be in the Pipeline and Millewa News from next week. If you have any questions please don’t hesitate to contact me on 5028 1293 (kinder days), 5028 1251 (school days) or via email at smith.caroline.l@edumail.vic.gov.au at any time.

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