Welcome to all our existing and to our new students and families, I hope your holidays were relaxing and full of enjoyment.

This year is again jammed packed with a variety of curricular and extra curricular events to engage, enhance and promote creativity and innovation in our students learning. I will send home a list of the current events we already have in the calendar for 2017 next week to help you with your planning. We have already had our year 10s and VCE students attend an ELEVATE study session in Sea Lake Monday and Tuesday of this week. This is to set their year up for a successful learning experience and to switch their minds back on to school.

Staff will be available for appointments from 3:10pm - 4:15pm on Monday and Wednesday afternoons as the other nights are scheduled for staff meetings and professional development. All staff emails are provided in this Pipeline or alternatively you can contact the front office to leave a message.

HATS & SUNSCREEN & RASHIES

Term 1 & 4 all kinder and school students are required to wear their school hats at recess and lunch. The school ordered new hats last year and all students received their new hat yesterday. It is an expectation that all students put sunscreen before recess, lunch and PE, we have plenty of bottles for the students to squirt and apply at these times. If you would prefer your child to wear a skin sensitive or a specific brand of sunscreen please supply a tube in your child's bag.

Swimming for all students starts next Monday, please ensure your child brings their bathers and a RASH VEST everyday. No student will be permitted to swim without a rash vest if the UV Index is 3 or above (this is most days in our area), if you don't have access to one or are unable to get one before Monday please let the school know and we will lend one to your child/ren.

MOBILE PHONES & TECHNOLOGY

No student is permitted to have their phone on them during the hours of 8:45am - 3:10pm school days. If a staff member sees a students phone it will be confiscated and the student can collect it from the front office at the end of the day, a second infringement the phone will be confiscated and a parent must retrieve the phone from the front office, a third time and any subsequent infringements further action will be taken as the student is blatantly showing disregard for the school rules. All students have been informed of this rule and I don't expect any students to disregard any of the school rules.

Students were also reminded about their use of technology and how they are to only be on the sites their teacher instructs them to be on and that ALL social media sites are banned whilst at school or on a school based excursion unless stated otherwise.
SWIMMING SPORTS & WERRIMULL WHACK

The school swimming sports are on Friday 17th FEBRUARY. This is an all day carnival with students from prep through to year 12 participating. The long distance swim for secondary students will be held on Thursday 16th February, further information will be sent home next week.

The Werrimull Whack has been postponed to the last Friday of the Term - 31st MARCH. This is due to the professional development staff are participating in this Friday and also in the past the weather has been too hot for the day to be a real success, so please jot down in your diary the new date.

BREAKFAST CLUB, PIE WARMER TUESDAY, TASTY THURSDAY & OTHER FOOD INFO.

Breakfast club will operate from next Thursday 9th February all community members are welcome and we will start with a bacon and egg muffin breakfast. The Werrimull Hotel has changed it’s menu (attached) and is also only able to offer lunches Wednesday and Friday’s for 2017, therefore the school council decided to offer the students the use of a pie warmer on Tuesday’s. Students will need to bring their food wrapped in foil with their name clearly on it and they can place it in the warmer before school or at recess for it to be ready at lunch time. Tasty Thursday’s are still on the menu with the microwaves and toasters available from tomorrow. A list of Red Food Friday’s and special school lunches is also attached.

Just a reminder that if any families are unable to get into town to organise recess snack and/or lunch due to whatever reason please just let the school know as we always have fruit, snacks, bread, spreads and meat for sandwiches available.

THIS FRIDAY 3rd FEBRUARY PUPIL FREE

Friday all teaching staff are in Ouyen for our 1st Mallee Cluster professional development day for 2017. The office will still be open from 8am - 3pm for any enquiries.

RED FOOD FRIDAY’S (RFF) & SPECIAL SCHOOL LUNCHES (SSL)

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Werrimull K—12 School
Lunch Menu 2017

WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY LUNCHES ONLY

Fillings available: Chicken / Ham / Lettuce / Tomato / Beetroot / Cheese / Carrot

Extra’s: Avocado (50 cents), Pineapple (30 cents)

Sandwiches:  1 Filling $4.00
              2 Fillings $4.30
              3 Fillings $4.50

Toasted Tortillas:  2 Fillings $4.30
                        3 Fillings $4.50

Wraps:

Salad no meat $4.50
Meat & Salad $5.00

Turkish Bread: Toasted with 2 / 3 fillings $6.50

Salad Bowls: Ham OR Chicken with Lettuce, Carrot, Tomato, Cheese, Beetroot with a low fat dressing—French of Balsamic

$6.00

Jacket Potato: with cole-slaw, cheese, low-fat sour cream or baked beans & cheese, both topped with shredded ham

$6.00

Steamed Dim Sims: with soy sauce

$0.60 each

Drinks:

Pop Tops $2.20
Frozen Cruncha $1.20
Choc milk $3.00

Soup: Vegetable / Minestrone / Pumpkin with bread roll (May—Sept only)

$5.00

RED FOOD DAY

Chips: $5.00 with gravy $5.50
Wedges $6.00
With gravy $6.50 / with sour cream & chilli sauce $7.00
Nuggets/Dim Sims: $0.60 cents each
Meat Pie: $4.00 with sauce
Giant Sausage Roll: $3.50 with sauce
**BOOK CLUB**

This year students will again have the opportunity to purchase books and literacy/numeracy based products from Scholastic Book club. Any purchases go towards providing free books and resources for our students. The first issue of book club will be sent home tomorrow. If your child would like to purchase anything from the brochure, please have the completed order form and money to Mrs Carter no later than

*Thursday 16th February*

Thank you
Millewa Pre-School

What’s Happening

It was fantastic to welcome our new three and four year old groups to the Pre-School on Tuesday, they all settled in beautifully and none of them wanted to go home! Our new four year old group had the routines down pat from last year and helped our new three year old group to learn the ropes.

Dates to Remember

- **28 March**: Easter Celebrations at the Pre-School — Family Day
- **30 March**: Last Day of Four Year Old Kindergarten for Term One
- **18 April**: First day of Kindergarten for Term Two
- **25 April**: ANZAC Day — No Kindergarten