Year 10 & 11 Work Experience
Congratulations to all of our year 10 & 11 students for completing their work experience successfully. Work experience is a perfect way to sample different career options available and it gently introduces students to the world of work.

Year 7 & 8 Federation University Experience
It was pleasing to receive positive feedback from the Year 7 & 8 students following the University Experience Camp, coordinated by the Regional Schools Outreach Program (RSOP). The program is extremely beneficial for the students – making them aware of the benefits and possibilities of further education through interactive activities with current university staff and students. It encouraged students to step outside their comfort zone whilst having fun and exploring a range of study areas.

Flying Start
This week, students will have the opportunity to ‘kick start’ their 2015 studies as they transition into their new classes. I would like to welcome our new preps; Lily Harmer and Mackenna Douglas and wish Tom Fox, Dana Kingi, Cam Symes and Zoe Shorrock all the best as they move into secondary school.

Compass School Manager Training
All staff participated in Compass School Manager training yesterday. In 2015, Compass will replace our existing Learning Management and Reporting System (GenED). The new parent portal will allow families to manage admin tasks online, such as giving approval for absences and paying for excursions. Further information and training will be provided throughout 2015.
Final Week of Term Program

There are a number of changes to the last week of term, please take note of these changes. Notes for the activity day on Monday 15th December are due this Friday 12th December.

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The final School Council meeting is tomorrow night, beginning with dinner at the Werrimull Hotel at 6pm.

This is the final Pipeline for 2014. On behalf of all the staff at Werrimull P-12 School I would like to thank you all for your ongoing support and wish you a safe and enjoyable holiday!

Jamie Russell

Merry Christmas
Dates to Remember

December

Flying Start Week 9th–12th December
Red Food & Casual Dress 12th December
Activity day 15th December
Early Finish 1pm 16th December
Concert/Awards night 16th December
Craft Day Casual Dress 17th December
Pool day (Werrimull Pool) Casual Dress 200pm finish 18th December
Last day of Term 4 11.30am Finish 19th December

January 2015

School Office Opens Tuesday 27th January
First day of Term 1 29th January
Family Cricket Day 2.00pm finish 30th January

February

Werrimull P-12 Swimming Sports 13th February
JMMMS information session 16th February
MMM Swimming Sports 20th February

Happy Birthday

Kieran Simmons 11th December
Angus Crockett 16th December

Help stop the ‘Summer Slide.’

Holidays are often a time to relax and take a break from the usual daily routines. Ensuring your child continues to read is often difficult however just because the school year has ended doesn’t mean the learning has to stop!

DID YOU KNOW that students who don’t read over the Summer school holidays are at risk of having fallen behind when they return to school at the start of the new school year?

We call this the ‘Summer Slide.’

To keep your child’s mind active, keep up a reading routine at home and encourage your child to read for at least ten minutes each day during the holidays.

READ EVERY DAY. LEAD A BETTER LIFE!

Reminder

Raffle ticket books need to be back by Friday 12th December also any donations for the hamper
Thank you
Werrimull P12 School presents
WERRIMULL OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT

FREE ENTRY

The movie will be held on the WerrimullP12 School Oval.

24th of January 2015
BBQ starts at 7pm
Films will start at 8:30pm
Barbeque Dinner and other
Stalls will be available.
This event is family friendly and aims to bring the whole community together

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What's Happening

2014/2015 Kindergarten Enrolment/Transition

It was wonderful to see our new kindergarten families this morning as part of our transition program. Our new three year olds settled in quickly to our combined three and four year old group, using the morning to try as many different activities as possible. Our 2015 four year olds are excited to stay the whole day and have used the extra time to extend their play.

If you haven’t already returned your enrolment paperwork please bring it along with you next week. Fee forms will be sent home at the beginning of next year and payment plans are available through Werrimull P-12 School.

End of Year Celebrations

Tuesday 16 December is our last day of kindergarten for 2014. We will be having a Christmas party along with a visit from Santa on this day. Parents and families are welcome from 11am with lunch at 12pm followed by the excitement of Santa arriving at 12:30pm. We finish at 1pm as it is the last day and buses are running early due to the Awards Night that evening.

As it is a shared lunch we ask that you bring along a plate of food to share on the day.

Presents are provided to all currently enrolled kindergarten children but we ask that you wrap up a book to be presented to any younger or older siblings by Santa.

End of Year Concert

We are performing in the Werrimull P-12 School Concert on December 16. You are invited to join us for a shared tea at 5:30pm with the Awards Night and Concert starting at 6:30pm. If you planning on attending the shared tea please let me (or the School) know by the end of this week.

The children have chosen their characters so if you have clothes of a similar colour that would be great, the rest of the costume we will make at Pre-School. Pumbaa (Mia and Marliah) - brown/red, Timon (Mackenna, Lilly and Maddie) - light brown/fawn/yellow and Simba (Max and Paddy) - lion colours. If not, white or black clothes are fine.

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