

# WALBUNDRIE PUBLIC SCHOOL

## Newsletter

Term 4 – Week 4  
8 November 2019



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### Arriving late or leaving early?

A reminder that if your child arrives late or needs to leave school early for a valid reason (e.g. doctor's appointment), students must be signed in or out via the register in the office. This must be completed every time your child arrives late/leaves early.

### Stage 3 Excursion

Our Year 5 and Year 6 students are excitedly counting down the days until they head off on their major excursion to Ballarat. It's now less than a week! Mrs Gales will be supervising our students whilst on the excursion. Don't forget the drop off/pick up times are as follows:

Walla Walla Public School :	7:00am Wednesday 13 November
	4:45pm Friday 15 November
Burrumbuttock Public School :	7:30am Wednesday 13 November
	4:30pm Friday 15 November

### Out of Uniform

On Friday 22 November we will be having an out of uniform day where our students will need to donate a bag of lollies. Students will still need to wear enclosed shoes and shirts with sleeves (no singlets).

### ... Here Comes Summer

As the weather continues to heat up, our SRC will again be selling icy poles as part of their fundraising. Icy poles are \$0.50 each and are available during break times with a limit of one per day.

### Christmas Hampers

It's that time of year again! Our P&C are seeking donations of Christmas themed or gift items (i.e. napkins, candles, lights, non-perishable special occasion food, etc.) to fill out our hampers. All donations can be left at the office up until Tuesday 10 December. The hampers that are made from your donations are raffled off as prizes to be drawn at our Presentation Night celebrations.

### Growing into 2020

Congratulations to Mrs Chang, who has announced that she is expecting! Mrs Chang will return for Term 1 next year, then she will be taking maternity leave to celebrate the new addition to the family.

Yours in Education  
Kirrilee Twyford  
PRINCIPAL

A big thank you to Athlete's Foot Albury for coming to visit and presenting us with a very generous cheque!



### Upcoming Events

**Wednesday 13 November - Friday 15 November**

Stage 3 Excursion to Bendigo/ Ballarat

**Monday 18 November**

Life Education Day @ Brocklesby PS

**Thursday 21 November**

Music Lessons

**Friday 22 November**

Out of Uniform Day

**Monday 25 November - Friday 6 December**

Swimming Scheme

**Thursday 12 November**

Presentation Night

**Our Program & Resource Fee is now due. Cost per child is \$40.00. Thank you to those families that have already paid.**

#### Note Reminders:

Life Education Visit - due Thursday 14th November  
Swimming Scheme - due Friday 22 November

#### Statement of Accounts:

A statement of accounts was sent home to every family today, please ensure all outstanding balances are paid by 13 December.

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# Sport News

## School Swimming Scheme

Once again all students be participating in the School Swimming Scheme. Instruction will take place at Gould Swim Academy in Lavington under the supervision of teachers and qualified instructors. All children from Kindergarten to Year 6 will attend and be instructed in various aspects of water awareness and safety.

Swimming will commence from Monday 25 November until Friday 6 December 2019 inclusive.

The lesson times will be slightly different each week:

Week 1:

Lessons will be held from 12:45pm -1:45pm.

Week 2:

Lessons will be held from 12:30pm -1:30pm.

To help cover the costs of the program, our P&C have generously donated a significant amount to help our families. The school will also be covering a portion of the costs. As a result the cost per child will be \$35.00 this year - this works out at only \$3.50 per day (what a bargain!).

A permission note with more information was sent home today.



1 or 2 days a week doesn't seem much but...

If your child misses...	That equals...	Which is...	And over 13 years of school that's...
1 day per fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly <b>1.5 years</b>
1 day per week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over <b>2.5 years</b>
2 days per week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over <b>5 years</b>
3 days per week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly <b>8 years</b>

If you want your child to be successful at school then **YES**, attendance does matter!

**EVERY DAY COUNTS!**

WALBUNDRIE PUBLIC SCHOOL  
PRESENTS



Follow Simba on his journey through the Pridelands as he discovers new friends, learns to face his fears and finally take his place in the Circle of Life.

*Thursday 12 December 2019  
Walbundrie Community Hall  
7:00pm*



# Walbundrie Whereabouts



Term 4	Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1	<b>14/10</b> First Day of Term 4 for all students  Mobile Library	<b>15/10</b>	<b>16/10</b>	<b>17/10</b> Music Lessons	<b>18/10</b>
	2	<b>21/10</b> School Library	<b>22/10</b>	<b>23/10</b>	<b>24/10</b> Super 8s Cricket Carnival	<b>25/10</b>
	3	<b>28/10</b> Mobile Library	<b>29/10</b>  Assembly 2:45pm P&C Meeting 3:15pm	<b>30/10</b>	<b>31/10</b> Music Lessons	<b>1/11</b>
	4	<b>4/11</b> School Library	<b>5/11</b>  School Photos	<b>6/11</b>	<b>7/11</b> Music Lessons	<b>8/11</b>
	5	<b>11/11</b> Mobile Library	<b>12/11</b>	<b>13/11</b>	<b>14/11</b>	<b>15/11</b>
				< -----Stage 3 Excursion----->		
	6	<b>18/11</b> School Library  Life Education @ Brocklesby PS	<b>19/11</b>	<b>20/11</b>	<b>21/11</b> Music Lessons	<b>22/11</b> Out of Uniform Day - Lollie Donation
	7	<b>25/11</b> Mobile Library	<b>26/11</b>	<b>27/11</b>	<b>28/11</b>	<b>29/11</b>
				< -----Swimming Scheme----->		
	8	<b>2/12</b> School Library	<b>3/12</b>	<b>4/12</b>	<b>5/12</b>	<b>6/12</b>
					< -----Swimming Scheme----->	
	9	<b>9/12</b> Mobile Library	<b>10/12</b>	<b>11/12</b>	<b>12/12</b> Presentation Night	<b>13/12</b> Reports Home
	10	<b>16/12</b> Year 6 Farewell  Thank You Morning Tea	<b>17/12</b> Fun Day	<b>18/12</b> Last Day of Term 4	<b>19/12</b>  <b>SDD</b>	<b>20/12</b>  <b>SDD</b>

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