



WARRAGUL NORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

#13

19th September 2019



CALENDAR 2019

Fri	20 Sept	JSC Sport Team dress up fundraiser for the West Gippsland Paediatric Unit
		Year 5 and 6 Footsteps Dance
		Year 3 students return from Phillip Island Camp
		Last day of school for Term Three - 2.30pm finish
Mon	7 Oct	First day of school for Term Four
Tues	15 Oct	Regional Athletics at Newborough
Thur	17 Oct	Junior School Concert at West Gippsland Art Centre
Fri	18 Oct	Year 5 Excursion to Warragul Regional College
Fri	25 Oct	Year 2 Sleepover

TERM FOUR ASSEMBLIES

Friday 18th October - Years 3 to 6

Friday 1st November - Foundation to Year 2

Friday 15th November - Years 3 to 6

Friday 29th November - Foundation to Year 2

Friday 13th December - Years 3 to 6

Principal's Report

2019 NAPLAN Results

On Tuesday 3rd September the 2019 NAPLAN (National Literacy and Numeracy Testing) results were received. Warragul North Primary School had been selected as a test school for NAPLAN Online. Consequently our students completed the NAPLAN tests online. The results were very pleasing as they indicated that Warragul North Primary School students have achieved above the state level for Year Three and Year Five in Literacy and Numeracy. Also very pleasing was the 'Relative Growth Report' that showed most students between mid-year 2017 and mid-year 2019 achieved medium to high growth in their learning.

At this week's meeting School Councillors were delighted and acknowledged that NAPLAN results are the efforts of staff in assisting students learn. Staff are hoping School Council will provide morning tea for staff to celebrate!

NAPLAN results are a whole school responsibility at Warragul North Primary School. Staff know that the results of each Year Three student reflects the learning that has been achieved during their Foundation, Year One, Year Two and part of Year Three. Similarly the growth in each student's progress from mid-year three to mid-year five requires a whole of school focus and team work.

Congratulations and well done to our staff and our students who are motivated to achieve. Top effort everyone!

WNPS Continues to be a Vibrant, Happening School

As you read this newsletter the opportunities for students to be involved in excursions, sport competitions, awards and soirees is evident. Warragul North Primary School continues to be a vibrant, happening school.

Corinne Collins
Principal



Warragul North Primary School Values



School Values

Literacy

Enagement

Achievement

Respect

Numeracy

Integrity

Nurturing

Getting Along



School Values

Nurturing

What is it?

To nurture someone means to care for them and protect them. Just as a parent nurtures a baby or a gardener tends the growing seeds and plants.

The value of nurturing means that you look after each other, that you attend to the needs of another and that you support and tend to others.

In a 'nutshell' Nurturing means looking after each other and caring for each other in a safe manner.

ACHIEVEMENT – Foundation – Charlie (0ME)

NUMERACY – Year Two – Maycee (2KH)

RESPECT – Year One – Skyla (1SP)



School Values medals were awarded at assembly on Friday 13th September to Charlie, Skyla and Maycee. Congratulations!



Hello from the Acorn Room



As children start to navigate the online world and interact with others more independently, they are more likely to be exposed to risks of bullying or unwanted contact, accidentally coming across inappropriate content or racking up bills through in-app purchases.

As parents and carers you know your child better than anyone and have the best opportunity to support and guide them to have safer online experiences. I encourage you to visit the eSafety Commissioner website at <https://www.esafety.gov.au/>. This easy to navigate website includes key online safety issues for young people as well as a range of practical tips and advice on what to do if things go wrong. You can also find a list of important services that can offer extra support.

Here are just a few tips for kids aged 5 to 12. It is important to:

- Keep the computer or device in an area of your home that can be supervised. And check in regularly with your child to see what they are viewing.
- Stay engaged with their online activity. Consider setting up your own accounts with the sites they use most so you can see how they work and understand the risks.
- Think about social media readiness. Most social media sites require users to be at least 13 years of age before they can register.

- Encourage respect and empathy. Teach them to avoid sharing or posting things that may upset others.
- Start building resilience. Teach your child that there are ways they can deal with material that worries or frightens them. This includes immediately telling you or another trusted adult of any concerns or uncomfortable material.
- Use parental control tools appropriate for the age and experience of your child. Be upfront about this and get your child on board. Let them know that these can be reviewed and changed as they get older and they continue to demonstrate responsible behaviour.

Be mindful of the way you react if you learn your child has been affected by something negative online. Blanket bans on the use of devices can cause children to hide or cover up issues from their parents for fear of losing their online access in the future. You want to be able to support your children as they learn to make good choices online. I highly recommend visiting the eSafety website for tips on how to prevent things from going wrong, and what to do if/when they do.

*Mrs Sheryn Cutler
WNPS Chaplain*

Warragul North Primary School offers chaplaincy and pastoral care to students and families in the Acorn Room on Tuesdays and Thursdays.



Chesterfield Farm

Excursion

On Tuesday 10th September the very excited Foundation students boarded the bus for Chesterfield Farm. They were greeted by sheep, cows, pigs and chickens and saw a huge range of different farm animals. Highlights of the day included a tractor ride around the farm, milking a cow, watching a sheepdog work and the shearing presentation. The Foundation students were able to feed the farm animals and cuddle the baby animals in the nursery while learning about why we have farms. The weather was perfect and all the children had a fantastic day at the farm!

Mr Ross Jones
Excursion Co-ordinator

Student reflections from 0MU & 0ME...

"On Tuesday we went on an excursion to Chesterfield Farm and we fed the animals." *By Willow (0MU)*

"I had lots of fun at Chesterfield Farm. There were guard dogs and sheep dogs. My favourite animal was the deer."
By Ava (0MU)

"At Chesterfield Farm I fed a camel and we saw a man shave a sheep. It was fun." *By Max (0MU)*

"I went to Chesterfield Farm and my favourite animal was the peacock because it had beautiful feathers." *By Chad (0MU)*

"I saw two eggs when we went on the tractor ride. There was a lot of mud at the farm." *By Georgie (0MU)*

"I had never seen a goose before but at Chesterfield Farm I fed one. It was very strong!" *By Charlie (0ME)*

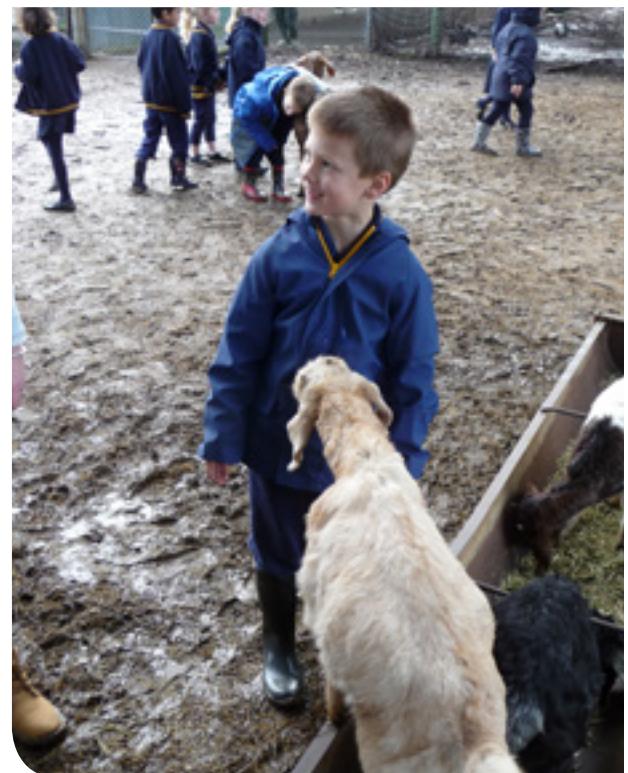
"I liked Chesterfield Farm because there were lots of animals and I LOVE animals." *By Macy (0ME)*

"I liked it at Chesterfield Farm. We got to see some deer. The boy deer grow new antlers each year." *By Josh (0ME)*

"We went on a tractor ride. It was bumpy. On the tractor ride we got to see all the different animals." *By Livy (0ME)*

"At Chesterfield Farm I got to feed a camel. It ate the food out of my hand. A camel's lips are very dry." *By Max (0ME)*

"There were peacocks at Chesterfield Farm. The boy peacocks have very colourful feathers in their tails. They are very cute." *By Hayley (0ME)*





Artists of the Week

Artist of the Week awards were presented at assembly on Friday 13th September to many talented children who had created beautiful works of art during their Visual Arts lessons. Great job!

Mrs Shelley Roberts and Ms Jo Draisma
Visual Arts Teachers



Walk to School 2019

Walk, ride or scooter and build healthy habits for life.



Official community partner:



WALK TO SCHOOL |  *an initiative of* VicHealth



Every October, Walk to School encourages Victorian primary school children to walk, ride or scooter to and from school. It's a great way to help students learn healthy habits and achieve the recommended 60 minutes of physical activity, every day.

Along with the health benefits, active travel options to and from school reduces traffic congestion, saves on parking and helps the environment. It's great for the entire school community.

By participating our school will have a chance to win a \$2000 voucher from Intersport. Each grade will have a chart for children who walk to or from school to record their walks. More information will be sent home at the beginning of Term Four.

Lions Junior Public Speaking Competition

The District Final of the Lions Junior Public Speaking Competition was held on Sunday 8th September in Traralgon. Angus (6TH) did a fantastic job and was excited when he was announced as the winner. We wish him well as he prepares for the final competition to be held in October.



Canteen Roster

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE CANTEEN IS ONLY OPEN ON THURSDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

DATE	TIME	VOLUNTEER
Thursday 19th September	9.00am to 10.15am	Rachel Steenholdt
Friday 20th September	9.00am to 10.15am	Angela Brown Helen Sibley
	1.00pm to 2.15pm	Kylie Sage

P.E. ‘Wall of Fame’

Every week in Physical Education one student from the Junior (Years 1/2), Middle (Years 3/4) and Senior (Years 5/6) school is rewarded with being named the P.E Wall of Fame champion for that week.

The P.E Wall of Fame champion is a student who has shown great determination, effort, encouragement, sportsmanship and resilience during their Physical Education class.

*Mrs Lisa Pyle, Mrs Deb Magyar and Ms Karyn Porch
Physical Education Teachers*

Term Three - Week 8 Champions

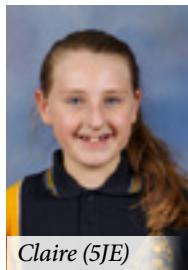
Junior



Middle



Senior



ABSENCE REPORTING LINE



2020 FOUNDATION (PREP) ENROLMENTS



Enrolment forms are available from the school office for families wishing to enrol a child for 2020 in Foundation (Prep). Please enrol siblings as soon as possible to ensure all children are included in the orientation program which will commence early in Term Four, and to assist with class planning for 2020.

SUNSMART



‘Catch ‘em being good’ raffle

Our ‘Catch ‘em being good’ raffle winner is **Claudia (2RA)**
Well done!



Parents are reminded that Warragul North Primary School sunsmart hats are a compulsory part of our school uniform in terms one and four. Children not wearing a Warragul North Primary School sunsmart hat will need to play in the undercover area.

Thank you!

A timely reminder to all families. Please use the forthcoming school holidays to check your child's hair for head lice. It is a good opportunity to get on top of this pesky problem. Thank you!

Treating and controlling headlice

health

While children are at school many families will have contact with head lice. The information contained here will help you treat and control head lice.

Catching head lice

Head lice have been around for many thousands of years. Anyone can get head lice.

Head lice are small, wingless, blood sucking insects. Their colour varies from whitish-brown to reddish-brown. Head lice only survive on humans. If isolated from the head they die very quickly (usually within 24 hours).

People get head lice from direct hair to hair contact with another person who has head lice. This can happen when people play, cuddle or work closely together.

Head lice do not have wings or jumping legs so they cannot fly or jump from head to head. They can only crawl.

Finding head lice

Many lice do not cause an itch, so you have to **look carefully to find them**.

Head lice are found on the hair itself and move to the scalp to feed. They have six legs which end in a claw and they rarely fall from the head. Louse eggs (also called nits) are laid within 1.5 cm of the scalp and are firmly attached to the hair. They resemble dandruff, but can't be brushed off.

Lice can crawl and hide. The easiest and most effective way to find them is to follow these steps:

Step 1 Comb any type of hair conditioner on to dry, brushed (detangled) hair. This stuns the lice and makes it difficult for them to grip the hair or crawl around.

Step 2 Now comb sections of the hair with a fine tooth, head lice comb.

Step 3 Wipe the conditioner from the comb onto a paper towel or tissue.

Step 4 Look on the tissue and on the comb for lice and eggs.

Step 5 Repeat the combing for every part of the head at least four or five times.

If lice or eggs are found, the hair should be treated.

If the person has been treated recently and you only find empty hatched eggs, you may not have to treat, as the empty eggs could be from a previous episode.

Treating head lice

Treating head lice involves removing lice and eggs from the hair. There are two ways you can do this:

1. Buying and using a head lice lotion or shampoo, following the instructions on the product
2. Using the conditioner and comb method (described under 'finding head lice') every second day until there have been no live lice found for ten days.

If you choose to use a head lice product always read and follow the instructions provided with the product carefully. The following points may also be helpful:

- Head lice products must be applied to all parts of the hair and scalp.
- No treatment kills all of the eggs so treatment must involve two applications, seven days apart. The first treatment kills all lice; the second treatment kills the lice that may have hatched from eggs not killed by the first treatment.
- Cover the person's eyes while the treatment is being applied. A towel is a good way to do this.
- If you are using a lotion, apply the product to dry hair.
- If you are using a shampoo, wet the hair, but use the least amount of water possible.
- Apply the treatment near the scalp, using an ordinary comb to cover the hair from root to tip. Repeat this several times until all the hair is covered.

There is no need to treat the whole family - unless they also have head lice.

Concentrate on the head - there is no need to clean the house or the classroom.

Only the pillowcase requires washing - either wash it in hot water (at least 60°C) or dry it using a clothes dryer on the hot or warm setting.



A Victorian
Government
initiative

Department of Health

Melbourne Boomers Basketball Visit

Our HoopTime teams were recently put through their paces by the very talented Maddi Garrick and Rachael Brewster from the Melbourne Boomers Basketball team. We are extremely fortunate and very grateful to be offered these incredible experiences at Warragul North Primary School. Rachael and Maddi were both impressed by the talent of our students and most importantly by their engagement and enthusiasm. The students were absolutely exhausted after the clinic but were thrilled to be involved.

Mrs Lisa Pyle
Physical Education Teacher



PARKING | TRAFFIC FLOW DISABLED PARKING



Please be aware that the 'reserved' parking permit area near the administration building is for staff use only and permits must be displayed on the windscreen.

If everyone adheres to the agreed parking areas and

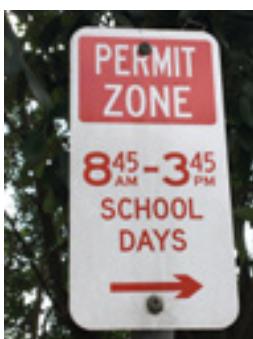
direction of traffic flow it creates a safer environment for children during drop off and pick up times.

Just a friendly reminder that the disabled parking space provided outside the administration building is for people with a disabled parking permit only. It is also requested that you be mindful of other people who use this space and not double park across it. Please do not park across this specially designated car space. Thank you.

To assist families to clearly understand the various parking signs displayed around our school, in our newsletters we will include detailed information from the VicRoads website.

Permit Zone Signs

Only vehicles displaying a valid permit issued by Baw Baw Shire can park or stop in a permit zone.



BPAY



Warragul North Primary School is now offering BPAY as an option for paying any school costs such as student supplies, camps, excursions and Outside School Hours Care. Each family has an individual BPAY reference number which can be found on the bottom of a current family statement. Please contact the school office if you do not have a current statement and would like to find out your BPAY information.

'FOR THE RECORD' 2019

You will have noticed that your school account has the inclusion of a \$30.00 contribution for your family's copy of our school magazine 'For the Record'.

'For the Record' is a fantastic record of school events; has photographs of every child at the school on 'photo day'; a list of every child attending Warragul North Primary School just prior to the printing of the magazine and an item from every student attending the school on 'For the Record' submission day.

Should you wish to receive a copy or copies of the school magazine, then the cost must be paid by **FRIDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER**. Only those families who have paid for the magazine by this deadline will receive a copy. No extra copies will be printed beyond those paid for and ordered.

We look forward to presenting this year's magazine to you on the last day of school for 2019.

Mrs Ann Burton
'For the Record' Co-ordinator

END OF TERM ARRANGEMENTS

The last day of school for Term Three is Friday 20th September and school will finish at 2.30pm. Buses will depart just after 2.30pm. The first day of school for Term Four is Monday 7th October.

YEAR THREE & FIVE NAPLAN INDIVIDUAL STUDENT REPORTS AVAILABLE



During May students in Years Three and Five participated in the nationwide National Assessment Program for Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN). Your child's individual NAPLAN results are available for collection from the school office.

Parents of children in Year Five are reminded that secondary schools may request a copy of your child's Year Five NAPLAN results. It is suggested that you file these results in a safe place for future use. An administration fee will be charged if another copy of your child's NAPLAN results is requested.

WNPS Environment and Sustainability News

CERES Environmental Leadership Summit

A great day was had by Year Five and Six Environment and Sustainability representatives at Yinnar South PS on Tuesday 10th, September.



The students made the trek as a follow up to our recent CERES Student Environmental Leadership Program incursion.

The day was about meeting up with other schools in the Gippsland area for a summit to discuss their school's future directions and goals in relation to the environment and sustainability.

After a tour of the school and introductions, the students completed their first activity, the Card Matching game:



“The Card Matching game was to encourage us to interact with other people. I enjoyed it because the questions on the back prompted a conversation.” **Riley (4/5P)**

Another of the activities involved a super-sized version of ‘Jenga’. This involved a tower of blocks labelled ‘atmosphere’, ‘water’, ‘soil’, ‘plants’ and ‘animals’. On top of this was perched a model city representing ‘humans’. Students were given a card showing a human activity that damaged one of these areas.

They then removed a block related to the area that was damaged (for example, plastic in the ocean damages ‘water’, a water block needed to be removed). As more and more blocks were carefully removed, it demonstrated that human life depends on all these areas, and by repeatedly damaging them, we begin to jeopardise our own survival:



“We played ‘Jenga’, and it was about the ecosystem. We read our card and then removed a block – each block is important!”

Tom (6HI)

Students also completed an activity about water:

"In our Water activity, we were put into groups and given a particular country. We were told we had a certain amount of water allocated per day. We had 'India' and were able to use about 135 litres of water per day. Another country, Mozambique, had just four litres available per day. We found out that Australian's use about 350 litres per day."

We learnt that we need to be more responsible with water, as some countries have less than a tenth of what we have. I quite liked this activity because I learnt that a lot of countries aren't as lucky as we are." *Connor (6BA)*



Students also learnt about how we learn important things from the environment, such as "Biomimicry".

"Biomimicry' is when humans copy nature's way, to help our creations work better. We did an activity with Clare, and we created a super-hero based on animal characteristics." *Mia (5WI)*

Each school made a presentation that was viewed and commented on by students from other schools.

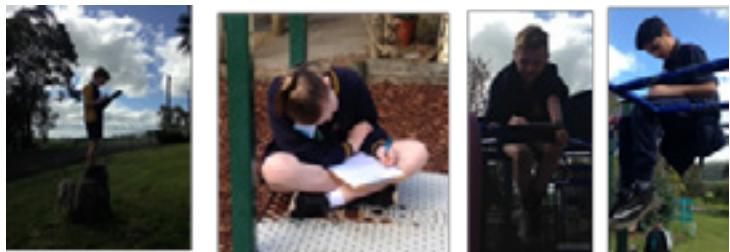
"Our school made a presentation about how we'd like to work towards getting recycling bins at our school. I enjoyed being a part of this project and hope we are successful in being better recyclers at Warragul North PS."

Suleyman (6TH)

Students were also asked to reflect on why they feel strongly about the environment and sustainability:

"We wrote a short story about how we've connected with the environment. I wrote about the Mitta River, where I've spent time on holidays. I enjoyed this activity, as it was fun and inspiring, and I reflected on how pollution litters the Earth."

Hamish (5PS)



Students also learnt about groups outside school who help preserve and develop the environment:

"We were told that there are things we can do inside and outside of school to help the environment. We were told we can join groups outside of school, like Landcare. A lady from Landcare spoke to us about the work they do, and we were given a free indigenous (native to our area) plant to take home." *Brylie (5JE)*



Finally...

"The Environment and Sustainability Group would like to thank Lauren Eastwell for kindly volunteering to drive a rowdy group of boys to Yinnar South Primary School. Lauren willingly agreed to drive for forty-five minutes to Yinnar South while enduring the bad taste in music ('The Wiggles') that the boys all shared. *Henry (5/6P)*

The behaviour and enthusiasm displayed by our Environment and Sustainability Group representatives was excellent. The CERES Leadership Summit was an enjoyable experience for all who attended.

*Mr Brendan Cox
Environment & Sustainability Coordinator*

Hooptime

On the 3rd of September WNPS participated in the HoopTime competition held at the Warragul Leisure Centre. We entered an All-Stars Girls Team and an All-Star Boys Team. Both teams represented our school to the best of their ability. The boys made the grand final however, they were unfortunately beaten by St Pauls. Our girl's team won all of their games and because there were only 2 teams entered in their division they will be going through to the Regional Final. The date for this is yet to be confirmed.

Thank you to the parents who came along to support us and help out with the scoring and a huge thank you to Lachlan Pyle for coaching our teams. Thank you also must go to the children for making the day such a pleasure. Your behaviour was excellent.

*Mrs Lisa Pyle
Physical Education Teacher*



The All-Star Girl's Team with Mrs Pyle – Ava (5JE), Dominique (6BA), Sophie (6BA), Madison (6TH), Ellie (6HI), Addison (5PS) and Abi (5/6P).



The All-Star Boy's Team with coach, Mr Pyle – Back row: Lachlan (5/6P), Flynn (5PS), Ashley (6HI), Charlie (5/6P) and Josh (6HI) Front row: George (5/6P) and Arli (6HI).





FRIDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL FUNDRAISER



WEST GIPPSLAND HOSPITAL FUNDRAISER FOR THE PAEDIATRIC WARD

Paediatrics is the branch of medicine that deals with children and their diseases. The paediatric ward at our local hospital in Warragul is in need of additional equipment.

Come to school on Friday 20th September dressed in colours of your favourite sport team. It could be a team you support or a team you play in.

**PLEASE BRING A GOLD COIN DONATION
FOR THE HOSPITAL**

WEST GIPPSLAND
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RAISING MONEY
FOR THE
PAEDIATRIC WARD

DRESS IN YOUR
SPORT TEAM
COLOURS

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Division Athletics

What a lovely day we had at the Division Athletics. The sun was shining and the students from WNPS achieved excellent results. Everyone did their very best and behaved themselves beautifully. Thanks to Ollie and Cohen for stepping up and participating in the 11 year old boys relay. The boys did an amazing job and only just missed out on achieving a place. Look out next year!

Thanks to Mrs Sharon Magyar for all her hard work on the day. Sharon does an amazing job supervising and recording our results. Thank you also to the parents and grandparents who came along to show their support.

We have 13 out of 20 students progressing through to the Regional Athletics. This event will be held on the 15th of October at the Joe Carmody Track in Newborough. Further details will be sent home when we receive them.

Mrs Lisa Pyle
Physical Education Teacher







TICKETS FOR JUNIOR CONCERT FOUNDATION TO YEAR TWO ON SALE NOW

With the Junior Concert only a few weeks away this note is to let you know how to purchase your tickets which are now on sale from the West Gippsland Arts Centre. The details are as follows:

DATE OF CONCERT: Thursday 17th October, 2019

TIME OF CONCERT: First performance at 6.00pm

Second performance at 7.30pm

VENUE: West Gippsland Arts Centre, Smith Street, Warragul

HOW DO I BUY TICKETS FOR THE JUNIOR CONCERT?

PLEASE NOTE: TICKETS ARE NOT AVAILABLE FROM THE SCHOOL

WHERE: Directly from the West Gippsland Arts Centre

WHEN: Monday 16th September from 9.00am

HOW: Website - wgac.com.au/

Telephone - 56242456 (**box office is open between 9.00am and 5.00pm**)

In person from the box office at the West Gippsland Arts Centre

PRICE: \$15.00 each

HOW MANY CAN I BUY? As many as you like - there is no limit on the number of tickets each person can purchase.

**THE 6.00PM PERFORMANCE IS VERY POPULAR
AND MAY SELL OUT SO PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS
EARLY TO AVOID MISSING OUT.**



Book Week

Poster Competition

As part of the Book Week celebrations at Warragul North Primary School, our Parent Club held a poster competition. It was fantastic to receive so many entries from all year levels across the school. After much deliberation the winners were announced at the junior assembly on Friday 13th September. The winner for each year level was presented with a certificate and a \$20.00 book voucher. The winners were:

FOUNDATION

Winner – Charlie (0ME)

Honourable Mention – Matilda (0MU)

Encouragement Award – Alyssa (0HU)



YEAR ONE

Winner – Sienna (1DE)

Honourable Mention – Siena (1BO)

Encouragement Award – Ella (1DE)



YEAR TWO

Winner – Hesara (2RA)

Honourable Mention – Shayla (2BR)

Encouragement Award – Claudia (2RA)

YEAR THREE

Winner – Kaylee (3GA)

Honourable Mention – Stephanie (3GA)

Honourable Mention – Emma (3/4M)

Encouragement Award – Riley (3GA)



YEAR FOUR

Winner – Benjamin (4SE)

Encouragement Award – Henry (4HA)



YEAR FIVE

Winner – Eliza (5PS)

Honourable Mention – Claire (5JE)
and Ava (5JE)

Encouragement Award – Zak (5JE)

YEAR SIX

Winner – Adia (6TH)

Honourable Mention – Madison (6TH)

Encouragement Award – Josh (6BA)

Year Three – Riley, Kaylee, Stephanie and Emma

Warragul North Primary School

JOIN US FOR
Storytime



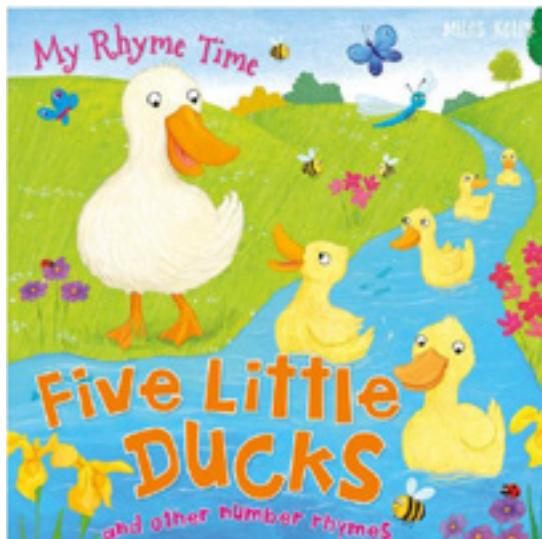
Children ENROLLED for Foundation in 2020
 are welcome to come along with a parent to these
 fun 30 minute sessions in our Foundation (Prep)
 Learning Centre from 2.45pm to 3.15pm.



OCTOBER:

Friday 11th
 Friday 18th
 Friday 25th

NOVEMBER:
 Friday 1st
 Friday 8th
 Friday 15th



Please ring the school on 56234066 for bookings.

Term Three Soiree

Thursday evening 12th September 2019 saw Warragul North Primary School Private Performing Arts program, put on yet another fabulous Soiree. Students sang and played to a wonderful audience of approximately 60 family and friends. The confidence and poise in which each act was delivered was outstanding.

Many thanks to our wonderful teachers, Steve Brown, Joe Patrick, Anthony Gardner, Judy Harris, Jessica Benn, Sarah Considine and Sam Stephens. Their commitment to and support of our students is outstanding.

Special thanks to Mrs Chris Heseltine for help in organising such a successful and enjoyable evening.

Congratulations to all of the amazing students who performed and a big thank you to their parents and friends for coming along to support them.

*Mrs Sue Legg
Performing Arts Co-ordinator*



Year Five Ballarat Camp

On Wednesday 4th September the very excited Year Five students headed off to Sovereign Hill for their highly anticipated two night camp. With perfect weather in Ballarat, the Year Fives were able to enjoy the various activities on offer at Sovereign Hill. The highlights for many students included panning for gold, exploring the Red Hill Mine, watching the sound and light show 'Blood on the Southern Cross', and of course, spending their money in the famous, Sovereign Hill lolly shop!

On the way home we visited the Museum of Australian Democracy at Eureka where we enjoyed seeing the Eureka flag. It was a wonderful camp that I'm sure all students thoroughly enjoyed.

*Miss Ellee Polman-Short
Year Five Camp Co-ordinator*

Thank you to the Warragul North Primary School staff and the parent volunteers, Josh Duiker, Michael Stephenson, Anton Meyer, Caroline Allen and Amy Moss for their hard work and for making the camp possible by volunteering their precious time. Thank you to the Year Five teachers for co-ordinating the camp process so thoroughly.

Staff members and parent volunteers said that the Sovereign Hill staff and proprietors commented positively on the excellent behaviour and manners of our students. Top effort Year Fives, we are proud of you! We hope you enjoyed the New York Bakery!

*Corinne Collins
Principal*

OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

It has been a busy term at Outside School Hours Care. The weather has been cold and wet some afternoons so the children have entertained themselves with games, colouring, science experiments and making origami creations. Now the afternoons have started to fine up the children have enjoyed spending time in the playgrounds at the end of the school day before crossing the road to the house.

Wishing all the Outside School Hours families a safe and enjoyable break and we look forward to seeing you back for the last term of 2019.

OSHC is available on a permanent or casual basis. Some sessions are fully booked and a waiting list is held for those sessions. Please remember that the Office or OSHC must be notified if your child is not going to attend a session they have been booked in for. That place can then be used for a casual booking.

Once you have a permanent booking you will be billed for that placement whether your child attends or not.

Phone numbers for bookings and cancellations are:

School Office 5623 4066

OSHC Mobile 0418 662 225

Hours for OSHC are:

Before School Care: 7am. to 8.45am.
NO EARLY DROP OFFS

After School Care: 3.30pm. to 6pm
NO LATE PICK UPS

*Judy Eastwell
OSHC Co-ordinator*



Community News




HAVE A BLAST!

FREE BIG BASH FAMILY FUN PASS!
Sign up to claim your 4x general admission passes!

BE PART OF THE CREW!

Get into Woolworths Cricket Blast. It's a fun and active program for kids of all abilities - whether it's your first time with a bat or you're a backyard cricket star!

- ✓ It's easy to join a crew and make awesome new friends.
- ✓ Wear the colours of your Big Bash heroes.
- ✓ Parents warm up, you can join in too!



JOIN A CREW NEAR YOU TODAY



PLAY CRICKET

*TERMS & CONDITIONS APPROX MELBOURNE STARS HOME GAMES ONLY. EXCLUDES THE DERBY. REGISTRATION LINK INCLUDED IN CONFIRMATION EMAIL.

OFFICIAL KIDS PROGRAM



WESTERN PARK CRICKET CLUB

JUNIOR BLASTER | Ages 5-7

Programs starts: Sunday 10th Nov 2019 Times: 10 – 11:30am Where: Western Park Reserve, Tarwin Street, Warragul
For further information contact Richard on 0417407647 or email: wpcc_juniors@outlook.com

MASTER BLASTER | Ages 7-10

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The important thing in life is not to win, but to take part. The important thing in life, is not the triumph but the struggle. The essential

2019 GEOFF WATT MEMORIAL Fun Run

To eat well. And to sleep dry... All else is profit.
One day, somewhere, find time for the trials and get to know what adventure means.
With sincere best wishes,
Warragul

2.5k Walk/Run, 5k & 10k Walk/Run, Half Marathon

20.10.2019

EVENT TIMES: 9am - Collection of Numbers and Race Packs
9.30am - Grand Ridge Geoff Watt Memorial Half Marathon • 9.30am - Waterford Kite 10k
9.30am - Warragul 5k • 10am - Box Box Shire & Warragul Distance 2.5k

SUPPORTERS: FAMILY FRIENDLY FRIENDS

SPONSORS: MERCURE HOTELS, ALLIANCE BANKING CO-OPERATIVE, WATERFORD KITE, MITCHELL GRV, EDWARDS, R3HYDR8, BTA, ACTIVE FEET, MARS WRIGLEY, VONROC, SANDBOOM, WARRAGUL TOYSOTA, THE GAZETTE, BIG4 TWENTY SQUARES, WARRAGUL HOME SHOPPE, 531-SOO-SPORTS, SPORTSCOVERT, FIT, JUMPING JACKS JUNDIVILLE CRICKET CLUB, www.geoffwattrun.com.au, facebook.com/geoffwattrun, enquiries - (0499) 710338





WE WANT

Looking to join a summer sport for 2019/2020?
Season starts in October.
All ages. Boys and Girls.
No experience needed.
Learn new skills.
Meet new friends.
Be a part of a club not just a team.
Don't miss out be a part of the fun.

Interested please call Steven 0401 022 944 or Mark 0401 181 144

JUMPING JACKS JUNDIVILLE CRICKET CLUB

LET'S DO THIS

LEARN THE NETBALL BASICS, GET OUTSIDE AND MAKE SOME FRIENDS.
PLAY SUNCORP NETSETGO AT YOUR LOCAL CENTRE.



Registrations Close 20 September 2019

Competition starts Monday, 7 October 2019 | Burke Street Courts

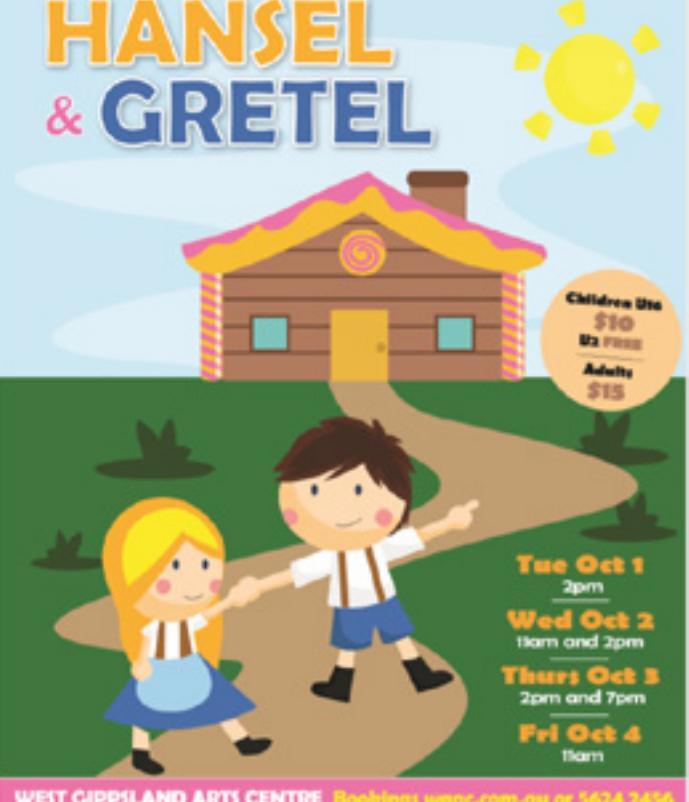
NetSetGo 5-7	NetSetGo 8-10	All Abilities
11&U Mixed	13&U Mixed	15&U Mixed
17&U Female	Open Female	Open Mixed

Join as a team or as an individual player
[Registration & Competition Details www.wdna.org.au](http://www.wdna.org.au)
 Enquiries wdna@hotmail.com.au | Karen Romano 0417 524 916



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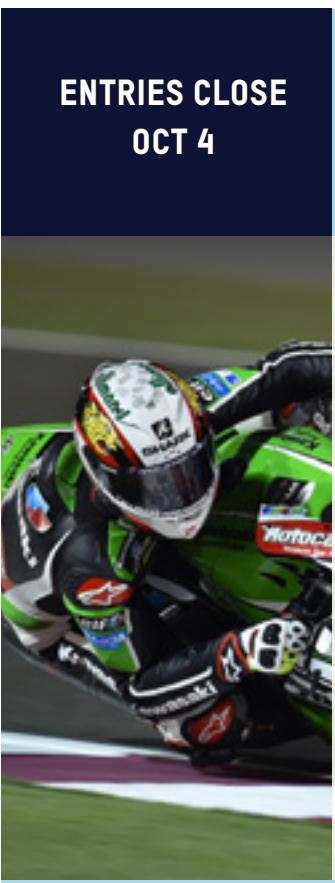
Tue Oct 1 2pm
Wed Oct 2 11am and 2pm
Thurs Oct 3 2pm and 7pm
Fri Oct 4 11am

WEST GIPPSLAND ARTS CENTRE Bookings: wgac.com.au or 2624 2456

ENTRIES CLOSE OCT 4

ENTRY FORMS AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY

RACE TO THE LIBRARY TO WIN!



Write a four line racing poem for a chance to win one of four family passes to the Phillip Island MotoGP, 25-27 Oct 2019

TICKETS KINDLY DONATED BY BASS COAST COUNCIL AND AUSTRALIAN GRAND PRIX CORPORATION

West Gippsland Libraries

LET'S TALK ABOUT PARENTING
 A Parents Building Solutions Program



Anglicare Victoria

Do you want to know how to talk so children will listen?

WHEN: Tuesdays for 5 weeks
15th October – 19th November
(excluding 5th November Melbourne Cup Day)

Understand what is normal children's behaviour?

TIME: 10am – 12pm

Communicate better with your child?

WHERE: Drouin Library
136 Princess Way
DROUIN

Stay connected to your child?

COST: FREE. Bookings essential.

Come along to these 5 sessions to learn strategies, share stories and take some time out for you!

Bookings and further information:
Parentzone Gippsland on 5135 9555 or parentzone.gippsland@anglicarevic.org.au



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SCHOOL
UNIFORMS



SEPTEMBER 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
15-	16-	17-	18-	19-	20-	21-
CLOSED	9:30am - 5pm	9:30am - 5pm	CLOSED	9:30am - 5pm	Last Day Term 3 CLOSED	CLOSED
22-	23-	24-	25-	26-	27-	28-
CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
29-	30-					
CLOSED	9:30am - 5pm					

OCTOBER 2019

	1-	2-	3-	4-	5-
	9:30am - 5pm	EXTENDED TRADING 9:30am - 5pm	9:30am - 5pm	9:30am - 5pm	EXTENDED TRADING 10am - 1pm
6-	7- First Day Term 4	8-	9- EXTENDED TRADING 9:30am - 5pm	10-	11- EXTENDED TRADING 10am - 1pm
CLOSED	9:30am - 5pm	9:30am - 5pm	9:30am - 5pm	9:30am - 5pm	10am - 1pm

SPARK

St Paul's Art and Recreation for Kids

WARRAGUL

Wednesday 2 October

Tuesday 1 October

Bush Survival Skills – \$35

9:00 am to 12:00 noon

The SPARK kids asked for it – so we are delivering! Get back to basics with a morning of real Aussie bush skills and outdoor fun! With the help of the St Paul's World Challenge team, we will create a camp, do some orienteering in the parkland surrounding the school and end our session with a campfire, damper and stories! Ages 5 to 13

Extreme Sports – \$35

1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

If your child is looking for an active afternoon, likes to build cubbies, enjoys NERF wars and loves to play strategy games, this afternoon is for them! The session will be run by staff and members of our World Challenge team. It will involve creating a base camp before playing an action packed game of capture the flag. This one is guaranteed to burn energy and be tonnes of fun! Participants may bring NERF weapons, NERF darts will be provided. Ages 8 to 13

Children staying all day will be supervised at lunchtime (12:00 noon to 1:00 pm) extra cost \$5



Bookings open
MONDAY 2 SEPTEMBER
<https://www.trybooking.com/BEYWL>

We want to ignite some fun and creativity into the school holidays!

St Paul's has created another fun filled and interesting holiday program open to all children in the community aged 5 to 13 years to enjoy. Each session has been designed and will be delivered by experienced teachers and professionals.

Thursday 3 October

'Mousetrap' Physics in motion – \$35

9:00 am to 12:00 noon

Can your child build a complex machine to complete a simple task such as ring a bell? Inspired by the board game Mousetrap, participants will construct a chain reaction machine named after American engineer and cartoonist, Rube Goldberg. It will be so much fun, they will not even know they are learning! Ages 7 to 13

B4K BattleBots (EV3 Mindstorms) – \$45

1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Today your child will need to be on their innovative 'A' game to design, program and test a 'BattleBot' with a difference. Participants will work in teams of two and will be presented with a mystery robot model and a select choice of additional parts. They will then modify their robot to create a 'BattleBot' worthy of entering the 'BattleBot' arena. Prepare to create, program, test, modify and test again. The afternoon will conclude with a 'Battle-off' in the arena with loads of laughs guaranteed! Ages 8 to 13

Friday 4 October

Once upon a Disney Musical – \$35

9:00 am to 12:00 noon

A magical session that allows your child to play the lead role in a Disney musical! Learn all about the elements of performing on stage including singing, dancing and characterisation... all whilst dressed as your favourite Disney character! Participants will learn a song and dance routine to a famous number from a Disney musical and be ready to perform to their adoring audience of parents and carers! Ages 5 to 13

Be a little Picasso! – \$35

1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

We welcome local artist and Alumna Jo Draisma to our SPARK workshops! Jo teaches the very popular after school art program at Warragul North Primary School and we are excited to be able to offer our young artists the opportunity to learn about one of the most famous artists in history, Picasso. At the end of the session all artists will take home a Picasso style portrait on canvas. Ages 7 to 13

Children will need to bring their own snacks and drinking water.

Those staying a full day will also need to bring lunch.

No nuts or nut products please.

All workshops sign in at
**St Paul's Anglican Grammar School,
Warragul Secondary School,
150 Bowen Street.**

Places are limited so book early!