



# Wyalong Public School

*At Wyalong Public School students, staff and the community are committed to being respectful, responsible and resilient learners. We have high expectations of ourselves and others. We are life-long learners and responsible citizens.*

*Everyone is someone at Wyalong Public School!*

16<sup>th</sup> March 2021

## Working Hard For 8 Weeks!

### Congratulations

A massive congratulations to Reggie who was the successful applicant for the permanent position of School Administrative Manager, Reggie has been working for the Department for twenty years doing an amazing job. The students and staff would be lost without Reggie. Her welcoming smile greets all our visitors, her patience with supporting the staff, particularly me, and her kindness to the students makes her an asset to the Toppy Team.

Congratulations Reggie!

When we know better, we do better!

At Wyalong Public School, the staff are deeply committed to delivering high quality education and equipping every student with the ability to read and read well! As a part of this commitment the staff have been busy studying about the latest evidence-based research on the Science of Reading. The staff have been implementing their new learning into our classrooms. Some of the strategies have included:

*Phonemic Awareness* – This is the ability to get to the individual sounds in words by listening and to identify and manipulate those sounds orally. Research says that the ability to hear sounds is hugely important in the ability to read and write.

*Decodable Readers* – Our early readers will be working with our new decodable readers. These books only include words the students can 'decode' (sound out) according to the skills they have been

taught thus far. Our students need to practice with the phonics skills they are learning, and these books provide that practice.

*Fluency* – Is the ability to read with accuracy and expression. Students will practice their fluency by reading the same book or reading material for five days to a buddy.

*Knowledge Building and Vocabulary* – Research has indicated that reading comprehension is closely connected to the background knowledge we have on a topic we are reading about and by understanding the vocabulary contained in the text.

### Harmony Day – Wear Orange

This Friday the SRC have organised games around the world for Harmony Day. Students are encouraged to wear something orange this Friday.

### Sport

Today was our last swimming for sport. It has been exciting to see the improvement in student's swimming ability as the weeks have gone by. Some of our kindergarten students were unable to put their heads under the water and now they are gliding and kicking in the water. Our lap swimmers have gained the endurance to swim more consecutive laps whilst still focusing on their technique.

Sport for the next few weeks will be cross-country. Our cross-country carnival will be held on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2021 at Redman Oval. Parents are welcome to come to this event and cheer our students on.

This Friday our school tennis team will be competing against West Wyalong Public School. We wish our team all the best, and remember it doesn't matter if you win or lose but as long as you had fun and did your best!

#### Gardens

Thank you to Jayne and BJ who have been working very tirelessly in our gardens this term. Our lawns are looking lush, the roses are blooming and the pruning has opened up our outside areas.

#### P&C AGM

The P&C meeting will be held tonight at 5:30pm in school library. This will be the AGM. Please come along and support the P&C. It is also a great time to have your input into the school and find out what is happening.

Have a great week,

Kylie Taylor  
Principal



16<sup>th</sup> March 2021 – Swimming for Sport

19<sup>th</sup> March 2021 – Harmony Day

26<sup>th</sup> March 2021 – Cross Country

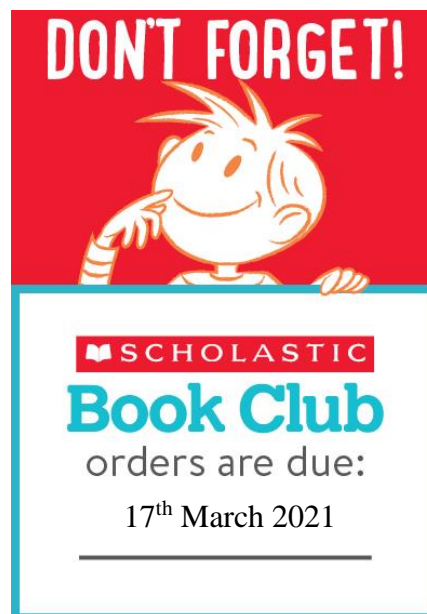
30<sup>th</sup> March 2021 – 3-6 Cricket day

31<sup>st</sup> March 2021 – Easter Hat Parade



Due to current restrictions, please adhere to the following rules when entering school grounds:

- Present to the front office
- Sign in using our unique QR code
- Sanitise hands



Toppy  
School

# EASTER HAT PARADE!

Please join us for:  
Easter hat making  
Easter hat parade  
BBQ Lunch & Easter Egg hunt  
Easter raffle will be drawn

Wednesday 31st March 2021

Parent  
Information

## P&C Easter Raffle

Please help our P&C by  
donating Easter Eggs  
towards our Annual Easter  
Hamper raffle.  
Eggs can be left at the front  
office before  
Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2021.

Thanks





## Keen to try Rugby League or League Tag??

This year **WWJRL** are offering **DISCOUNTED** registration fees for any participant who has already used their Active Kids Voucher!

Email [westwyalongjrl@gmail.com](mailto:westwyalongjrl@gmail.com) for more info

We play a home & away series in Lachlan District JRL on Saturdays, with our first game on the 1st May

### AGES

Rugby League 5-14  
League Tag 5-17



West Wyalong Junior Rugby League Football Club



[westwyalongjrl@gmail.com](mailto:westwyalongjrl@gmail.com)



[www.playrugbyleague.com](http://www.playrugbyleague.com)



Grant Blackstock 0428 418 635

Leesa Bryant 0427 274 107



## Vacation Care



Vacation Care is located at Children Services Unit, 130 Pine Street, West Wyalong. Our service is for children attending school, aged 5-12 years. Session Times- 8:30am-5pm

Monday 5th April	Tuesday 6th April	Wednesday 7th April	Thursday 8th April	Friday 9th April
<b>Public Holiday</b>	<b>Easter Day</b> Children will enjoy creating Easter crafts and playing Easter themed games.	Depart 9am Return 4pm Lunch Provided \$10 Additional fee Children explore and learn about nature and science with Sally Russell at LCCC.	<b>Footy Day</b> Come dressed in your favourite footy team colours and let's play footy and other outdoor games.	Children can explore the wonder of science and process of abstract art. <b>A day of Art, Science and Wonder</b>
Monday 12th April	Tuesday 13th April	Wednesday 14th April	Thursday 15th April	Friday 16th April
<b>Fishing Day</b> Children will walk to the Wet lands and attempt a bit of fishing. <b>ALL EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED.</b>	<b>1st Aid for Kids</b> Children will complete a 1st aid session with Shannon Evans at 10am then enjoy Taco lunch.	<b>Splatter Gallery</b> \$10 Additional fee Children will walk down to Splatter Gallery and participate in an art session.	<b>Western Texas Day</b> Children can enjoy Cowboy/Cowgirl games and activities.	<b>PJ Day</b> Children come dressed in their PJ's chill out daytime slumber party.

Cost: \$30 per session (excursions may have an additional cost)

What your child requires: recess, lunch, water bottle, hat and suitable footwear.

Please contact CSU admin on 6972 2795 for booking or further information.





## An empowering adventure with your daughter awaits

The award winning Daughters and Dads program is coming to Lake Burrendong  
[sport.nsw.gov.au/daughtersdads](http://sport.nsw.gov.au/daughtersdads)



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**DAUGHTERS & DADS**  
Active & Empowered

**A weekend adventure with your daughter awaits!**

Enjoy quality time with your daughter and experience the multi-award winning Daughters and Dads program developed by the University of Newcastle, filled with traditional camp adventure activities.

**OUR DAUGHTERS AND DADS WEEKENDER PARTICIPANTS:**

- Enjoy quality one-on-one time together
- See daughters develop confidence and skills in a range of sports
- Have fun being active together with fun dad-tested activities
- Learn about building self-esteem and resilience in girls



**DAUGHTERS AND DADS WEEKENDER PROGRAM INCLUSIONS**

- Two-night weekend stay at Lake Burrendong Sport and Recreation Centre. Each dad and their daughter will have a private room at our scenic centre and your stay includes all outdoor recreation activities and meals
- Our fun practical sessions focus on rough and tumble play, sport skills, and fitness
- Our theory sessions focus on building confidence, self-esteem, and resilience in girls
- The emphasis is on fun and the program caters for all physical activity and skill levels
- Daughters and dads both receive a program t-shirt, drink bottle and activity book

WHEN	PROGRAM TYPE	WHERE	COST
5.30pm Friday 14 May - 3.00pm Sunday 16 May	Weekender	Lake Burrendong Sport and Recreation Centre 205 Tara Rd, Lake Burrendong NSW	\$208 dad/carer \$153 daughter

\*Father or significant male role models/father-figures are welcome  
 \*Daughters should be primary school aged, minimum of five years old

**To book your place visit:**

 [sport.nsw.gov.au/daughtersdads](http://sport.nsw.gov.au/daughtersdads)  
 or for more information call 13 13 02

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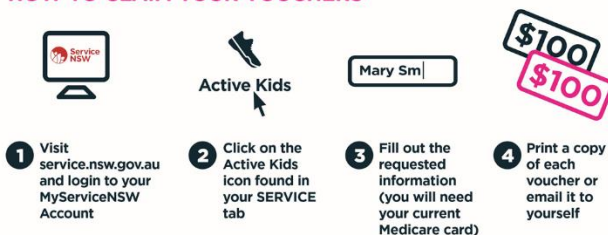


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## CLAIM TWO \$100 ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS

All NSW school-enrolled children are eligible for **two \$100 Active Kids vouchers** each year. The vouchers can be used with any approved Active Kids provider, to help cover costs towards registration or membership fees for sport and active recreation. **Voucher one is valid January to December and voucher two is valid July to December.** After 1 July, the second voucher can be claimed immediately after the first voucher.

### HOW TO CLAIM YOUR VOUCHERS



Visit [sport.nsw.gov.au/activekids](http://sport.nsw.gov.au/activekids) for terms & conditions and FAQs

### HOW TO USE YOUR VOUCHERS

- 1 Find a provider by visiting our website: [sport.nsw.gov.au/activekids](http://sport.nsw.gov.au/activekids)
- 2 Once you have chosen an activity give the voucher number to your activity provider, or log onto your provider's website and enter the voucher number

\*Vouchers can always be found in your MyServiceNSW account by looking in the My Applications tab



# creative KIDS

## Claim your \$100 voucher today.

Parents, guardians and carers can apply for a voucher with a value of up to \$100 per calendar year for each school-enrolled child and young person aged 4.5-18 years.

The voucher may be used with an approved Creative Kids provider for registration, participation and tuition costs for performing arts, visual arts, coding, languages, literature, music and other eligible creative and cultural activities.

Vouchers are valid from **January until December** each year.

### HOW TO CLAIM YOUR VOUCHER



### HOW TO USE YOUR VOUCHER



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Visit [service.nsw.gov.au/creativekids](http://service.nsw.gov.au/creativekids) for terms and conditions and FAQs



## West Wyalong Anglican Church Book Fair

at the Parish Centre  
14 Court Street,  
West Wyalong

**Saturday 3rd April,**  
9.00am to 6.00pm

**Sunday 4th April**  
10.30 am to 5.00pm

**Monday 5th April 2021**  
9.00am to 3.00pm

A huge range of second hand books and lots of Children's Books ideal for reading during the winter months for sale!!!!

COVID 19 Regulations will apply if necessary.

For more information contact John or Fran Mitchell on 6972 4221

## End of Daylight-Saving Breakfast

**Sunday 11 April 2021**

**West Wyalong Anglican Church**  
**at the Parish Centre**  
**Court Street, West Wyalong**

**7.00 am to 11.00am**

**Cost \$12.00 a head**

**Under years 12 \$6.00 - Under 5 years free**

**Orange Juice, Cereal, & Fruit**  
**Bacon, Sausages, Eggs,**  
**Lamb's Fry & Bacon; Tomato & Onion Gravy,**  
**Toast, Tea or Coffee**

**Trading table**  
**Basket of Goodies Raffle—\$1.00 a ticket**

Wyalong Public School - George Bland Avenue - Wyalong NSW 2671 - 0269 722 140  
[wyalong-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:wyalong-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

**BE AMBITIOUS**

# BE EMPLOYED IN NURSING

**ENROL IN STATEMENT OF ATTAINMENT INTRODUCTION TO  
NURSING**

[ENROL HERE](#)

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

The training will provide the participant with the skills and knowledge to assist clients' with mobility and transportation whilst participating in a safe working environment.

## **THIS COURSE IS SUITED IF:**

You are interested in further studies in the nursing and health sector.

These studies may include:

- Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care
- Health Services Assistance
- Aged Care
- Allied Health Assistance
- Diploma of Nursing

## **COURSE DATES:**

- 24 March to 16 June 2021

## **UNITS OF COMPETENCY**

- HLTWHS001 – Participate in Work Health and Safety
- CHCCCS002 – Assist with Movement
- CHCCCS026 – Transport Individuals

## **COURSE STRUCTURE**

- 2 hours per week 5.45pm to 7.45pm from 17 March to 16 June 2021, (excluding holidays 7 and 14 April 2021).
- 3 x 3 hour Skills workshops held on 21 April, 12 May and 2 June 2021 at West Wyalong Campus

## **COURSE SNAPSHOT**

### **Location:**

Delivered via "Connected Classroom". Attendance possible at West Wyalong or from home/work through a PC with internet connection. Course runs for 12 weeks.

**Cost:** This training is subsidised by the NSW Government. To be eligible you must be:

- 15 yrs or older
- No longer in school
- Living or working in NSW
- an Australian citizen, Australian permanent resident, humanitarian visa holder or New Zealand citizen

**CONTACT US 131 601 [tafensw.edu.au](http://tafensw.edu.au) / Nursing**



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\*Terms and conditions may apply.



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Assembly

Respectful



Responsible



Resilient

Learners







## Assembly Awards

### *Respectful, Responsible & Resilient learners*

*Kahli-Jane Moles*

*Bodhi Read*

*Dusty Nicholson*

*Scarlette Orr*

*Alan Nawaqatabu*

*Jake Weeks*

*Lachlan Beiser*

*Kylan Imrie*

*Suzie Norris*

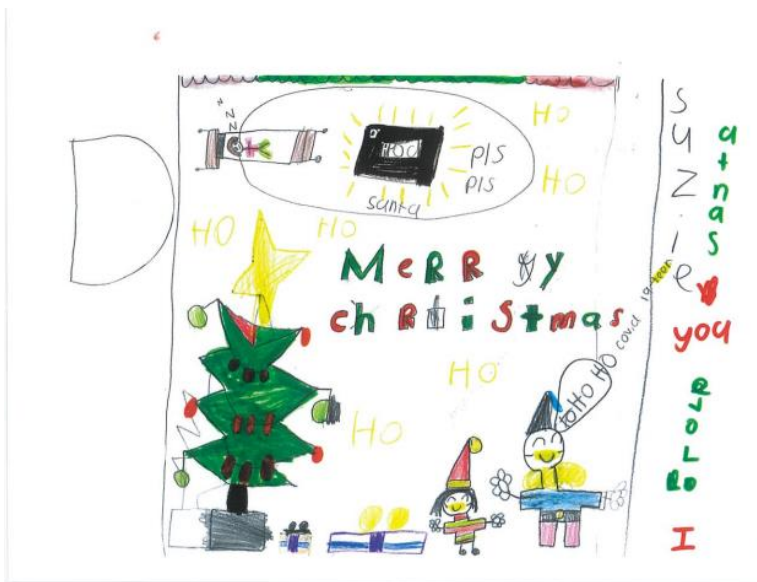
*Ava Hall*

*Kylah-Ann Moles*

*Hayley Wilton*

- for working quietly in class.
- for concentrating while learning to tell o'clock time.
- for trying hard to learn his sounds.
- for remaining focused during stamina reading time.
- for ensuring his class work is completed to the best of his ability.
- for continued effort and application in reading.
- for remaining focused on all tasks.
- for being a responsible and helpful student.
- for continued effort in writing.
- for being respectful towards others.
- for being a responsible learner.
- for trying her best in maths.

Congratulations to Suzie Norris who created the winning Christmas card in the RFBI Christmas card drawing competition.



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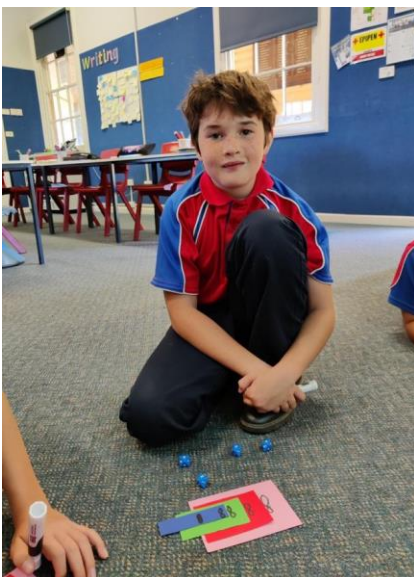
CARD DESIGN  
Suzie Norris  
Wyalong Public School  
RFBI West Wyalong Masonic Village

Welcome to  
Classrooms  
Week 8

LITERACY



Read!



Maths



# Kinder science™

Students made shelters out of junk material for Sid the Sloth  
this week in science.

Sid is now protected from the wind, sun & rain.



Week	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
8	15	16 Swimming for Sport	17 Library PE	18 Middle School (Yr 6)	19 Harmony Day
9	22	23	24 Library PE	25 Middle School (Yr 6)	26 Cross Country
10	29	30 3-6 cricket day	31 Cross Country Back Up Easter Hat Parade	1 April Middle School (Yr 6)	2 Good Friday
Holidays	5	6	7	8	9
Holidays	12	13	14	15	16
Term 2 Week 1	19 Staff Development Day	20 Students Return	21 Library PE	22 Middle School (Yr 6)	23
2	26	27	28 Library PE	29 Middle School (Yr 6)	30
3	3 May	4	5 Library PE	6 Middle School (Yr 6)	7
4	10	11	12 Library PE	13 Middle School (Yr 6)	14
5	17	18	19	20	21



Where to buy our school uniform?

Wendy's Embroidery Services Main St West Wyalong stock most of our school uniform for all seasons including; shirts, jumpers, jackets, pants, skorts and shorts. You can pop instore to check out her range of WPS school clothing.

**Alternatively** the P&C stock a range of our school uniform and orders can be taken through the school by filling out the order form below and returning it to the school office.

**\*Please note school shirts and jumpers are only available through Wendy's Embroidery Service, Main St, West Wyalong**

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## Wyalong Public School Uniform Order Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone no: \_\_\_\_\_

Uniform Item	Size (circle)	COST	Quantity	Total
Bucket Hat	S M L	\$15.00		
Dark Grey Short	6 8 10 12 14 16	\$15.00		
Royal Blue Short	6 8 10 12 14 16	\$15.00		
Skort	6 8 10 12 14 16	\$20.00		
Royal under short	6 8 10 12 14 16	\$9.00		
Dark Grey Pant	6 8 10 12 14 16	\$18.00		
Royal Blue Track Pant	4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$25.00		
Red Skivvy	4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$10.00		
White Socks	S M L	\$4.00		
Royal Polar Fleece Vest (with Logo)	4 6 8 10 12 14 16 S M L XL XXL	\$18.00		
Checked Pinafore	6	\$58.00		
Checked Pinafore	8 10	\$62.00		
Checked Skirt	6	\$38.00		
Checked Skirt	8 10 12	\$42.00		
Checked Skirt	14 16	\$45.00		
Bibs		\$20.00		
			<b>Grand Total</b>	

### **Direct Deposits:**

Account Name: Wyalong Public School P&C

BSB: 802367

A/C No: 400593985

Please put students name as the reference.

## Tuesday & Friday

### LUNCH

Ham Salad Roll	\$4.00
Chicken Salad Roll	\$4.50
Chicken Nuggets	.50c ea
Tub Gravy	.50c
Tomato Sauce	.50c
BBQ Sauce	.50c
Pizza ham & pineapple on English Muffin	\$2.50
Pizza cheese & bacon on English muffin	\$2.50
Toasty (ham/cheese/tomato)	\$4.00
Chicken Burger	\$4.00
Party Sausage Rolls	\$1.00 ea
Party Pies	\$1.00 ea
Chicken or Beef Noodles	\$2.00



**New!**

### DRINKS

Water	\$1.00
Fruit box/popper	\$1.00
Strawberry Flavoured Milk	\$1.00
Chocolate Flavoured Milk	\$1.00

### RECESS

Moosies (chocolate or bubblegum)	\$2.00
Pop Corn	\$1.00
Cheese and Crackers	\$1.00
Small Sunny Boys	\$1.50
Honey Soy Chips	\$1.00
Jumpy's	\$1.00





Topsy fresh is a healthy snack available for students to purchase  
on

Thursday Week 8 (18th March 2021)

&

Wednesday Week 9 (24th March 2021)

Money must be returned to the school by the day before.



**Thursday 18th March 2021**

*Sugar free healthy jelly cups*

**\$1.00**



NAME/S: .....

**ORDERS AND PAYMENT DUE:**

Wednesday 17th March 2021

\*No late orders due to catering\*



**Wednesday 24th March 2021**

*Sugar free healthy jelly cups*

**\$1.00**



NAME/S: .....

**ORDERS AND PAYMENT DUE:**

Tuesday 23rd March 2021

\*No late orders due to catering\*