



# Wyalong Public School

*At Wyalong Public School students, staff and the community are 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!*

Week 8, Term 3

6<sup>th</sup> September 2022

## Show Week!

Students and staff are very excited about the West Wyalong Show on Wednesday. Students have completed their entries and this afternoon staff are going to the pavilion to setup our school display. Please make sure you visit our section and see our 'School Bus' that showcases some of our learning experiences this year.

Our P&C will be running the Show canteen on the day up in the Trotting Club. They are still looking for donations of cakes and slices. If you would like to volunteer to work in the canteen for an hour on Wednesday, please ring the school or pop into the canteen on the day. This event helps to raise funds for our school that supports your child/ren.

Students can wear mufti on Wednesday for the half day. Please remember school closes at 12pm and the bus will arrive to pick up the students.

## Today's Students are Tomorrow's Future

Last week was busy and exciting week for our career experiences!

Tahlia Spackman from Cuts n Curl spoke to students from 3-6 about pursuing a career in hairdressing. She talked about the opportunities that being a hairdresser has and the qualifications that are needed for the profession. Our local Fire and Rescue team visited on Wednesday to talk to students about a career in Fire and Rescue, as well as the importance of fire safety. A highlight was definitely using the fire hose and dressing up in safety clothing. That afternoon, four lucky students enjoyed helping at the Health & Community Aged Care centre with bingo. It was lovely to see the students interact with the elderly bingo players.

Today Cindi Kremer and Steve Tillman brought horses to school and shared their experiences and knowledge as a horse trainer and farrier with our students.

## NAPLAN

Last week Year 3 and 5 parents received their child's NAPLAN results. Congratulations to all our students who showed outstanding results in reading, writing and numeracy. The staff over the next few weeks will be analysing this data as well as our internal data to see how we can continue to develop our students. If you have any questions about your child's results or learning please contact me.

## Kindergarten Orientation Evening

Thank you to our parents who were able to attend last Tuesday's meeting. It was fantastic to meet some of our future families and so many familiar faces engage in the meeting. If you were unable to attend, Mrs Blackwood and I are happy to answer any of your questions.

## Parent Portal

Thank you to all the families who have registered, we have over 85% of families using the portal. Last week we added our calendar to the portal to keep parents informed of upcoming events. Please contact the school if you need support in registering.

## Engineers Without Borders

On Thursday students in Year 3-5 participated in Engineers Without Borders, student outreach program. Our students were super lucky to be able to complete two sessions. In one session students were biomedical engineers who had to design and build their own prosthetic leg from common household materials. In the other session, they were electrical engineers who had to build an electric circuit and write a code that emulates a search and rescue device.

Thank you to the young university students from Engineers Without Borders UNSW who were engaging and inspired our students.

Have a wonderful week!

Kylie Taylor  
Principal





Please notify the office by phone or the parent portal by 9.30am if your child is absent from school that day.

**EVERY DAY COUNTS....**

**A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...**

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...	This means that the best your child can achieve is...
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

*Give your child every  
chance to succeed...*

**Every day counts!**



Canteen is on Fridays.  
Menu can be viewed on Sentral

## West Wyalong Show Day

*Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September*



## Western Region Athletics

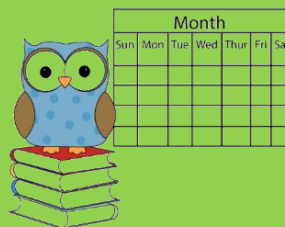
*Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2022*

## ***Human Body Enrichment Day***

*Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2022*

## ***Last Day of Term 3***

*Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2022*



School Calendar  
can now be  
viewed on  
Sentral





# CAREER DAY











### **The Digestive System**

Do you know how important the digestive system is? Well then, I am going to tell you all about it. The digestive system provides us with the nutrients which gives us energy to be active. It uses saliva to help break down the food we consume. Did you know that the small intestines are about 7 metres long? That is longer than 3 cars on top of each other! Even though the digestive system is important, we need the other 10 systems to ensure we are healthy. If this has made you interested about our body systems, then you can go and learn more about them!

Skye Year 3

### **The Skeletal System**

The skeletal system is very important to humans, as it helps us move around.

What are bones? They are living tissue that makes up the body in the skeletal system. Adults have 206 bones in their bodies but when they are born, they have about 300 bones, these bones eventually fuse together. In the human body, our bones give us our structure and they join to make a human body shape. Although the skeletal system is important to the human body, there are 10 other systems which are imperative to the functioning of our body.

Lily Year 4

### **The Respiratory System**

Why do you need your respiratory system? The respiratory system, made up of the trachea, lungs and diaphragm, is located in the chest area and helps your body breathe. When inhaling (breathing in), oxygen enters the body and when exhaling (breathing out), carbon dioxide leaves the body. The lungs are an important part of the respiratory system as they control your breathing. Even though one lung is smaller making room for the heart, it still works as hard as the other. The lungs are the second largest organ following behind the skin. Although the respiratory system is important, there are 10 other systems working to keep our body running.

Layla Year 6

### **The Circulatory System**

Do you know what your circulatory system does in your body? The circulatory system, blood, arteries, veins, capillaries and the heart, works very hard to send blood around the body. Did you know if you put all of these parts end to end, they would wrap around the earth 2.5 times? The heart aka the cardiac muscle is vital to the body. Without the heart there would be no blood pumped around your body. If we did not have a heart, we would die.

Riley T - Year 6





## **The Human Body**

The human body is the most biologically and scientifically complex network to ever exist. There are eleven different systems in the human body, but the skeletal system, digestive system and nervous system are the three systems I have chosen to discuss in this informative text.

### **The Skeletal System**

The skeletal system is such an essential attribute to the human body. The skeletal system, bones, ligaments and cartilage, provides structure as well as posture for the human body. Do you know that babies are born with 350 soft bones and as they grow their bones fuse together so when they are an adult, they have 206? In the human body there are different types of bones such as hard, smooth and soft. The centre of these bones is filled with marrow which is a soft tissue that some people eat! Although the skeletal system is amazing, there are also other essential systems in the human body.

Charlie - Year 6

### **The Muscular System**

The muscular system is one of the most important systems in the body. One of the most important organs in our body, the heart, is a muscle. One human can have up to over 650 muscles. If a human did not have any muscles, they would not be able to move. Some muscles work without us thinking like the heart, abdominals and hamstring. Now that you know all about the muscular system, you can go brag to your friends about how smart you are!

Tyrone - Year 5

## **The Human Body**

What did the left hand say to the right hand?

How can you always be right?

There are 11 amazing system which make up the human body. I am going to inform you about the two I find the most interesting, the muscular and skeletal systems.

### **The Muscular System**

Did you know the muscular system is one of the 11 system in our body? The muscular system, bones, tendons and ligaments, helps with movement, posture and circulation in the human body. The human body has 650 muscles that work together to move your body. There are two types of muscles in the human body, voluntary and involuntary muscles. The voluntary muscles move when we choose it to, but the involuntary muscles move when we are not thinking about it. The biggest muscle in the human body is the gluteus maximus. If we did not have the muscular system, we would not be able to do our daily exercises.

Ryder - Year 6



# school photographs are coming up

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2022



**Please note:** Traditional or Composite group and the presentation format are chosen by your school. Sibling photos, if available, can also be ordered online and must be ordered prior to your photo day. A late fee will apply for photos purchased after ordering has closed.

## how to order

### order online

Online payment options include Visa, Mastercard and PayPal. Alternatively, you can choose to pay over 10 weeks using LatitudePay.

#### STEP 1

Go to [www.advancedlife.com.au](http://www.advancedlife.com.au) on your computer, phone or tablet.

#### STEP 2

Enter your school code:

**HZR VKW GYR**

in the 'order and download' box. This will take you to your school's secure online ordering site.



#### STEP 3

Click on 'Order Photos' and complete your details and procedures. During this process you can place orders for additional children at your school and sibling photos, if available



### cash/envelope ordering

Your school prefers orders to be placed online. However, if you are unable to order online, please complete your order using the order envelope provided.

#### STEP 1

Complete a separate order envelope for each individual child's package/s ordered. If ordering for more than one child, payment should be enclosed in the envelope of the eldest child and this should be indicated on the envelope of the other child/children (the envelope that does not have cash enclosed).

#### STEP 2

Enclose exact cash payment in one envelope for the package/s you are ordering. Payment for more than one child should be in the eldest child's envelope and marked at the bottom of the envelope in the space provided.

#### STEP 3

Return your completed envelope/s, with correct cash payment, to our photographers on the day.

**Please note:** You must enclose exact correct payment, as change is not available. Credit card payments can only be made online and we no longer accept cheques. There is a separate envelope for sibling photo orders, should your school choose to offer sibling photos.

**School photographs will be returned to your school 4-6 weeks after the day of photography**

#### IMPORTANT - "not for publication" students

If you have instructed your school that your child's image is "not for publication" (sometimes called "do not publish" or "not for media release" instructions), the school will ensure that your child is not presented to our photographers on photo day and school photographs will not be available for purchase. If you wish to change your instruction, then you must notify your school, so they change their records and identify your child as able to be photographed for school photography purposes. All students presented to our photographers by your school on photo day will be photographed, their images will appear in school photography packages with their fellow students and these packages will be available to purchase by all families.

Contact us: [www.advancedlife.com.au/contact](http://www.advancedlife.com.au/contact)

**advancedlife**  
school photography & print specialists



# Celebrating 100 Years of CWA



To celebrate 100 years of CWA, Bellarwi CWA is hosting a special free community event featuring author, foodie, farmer and former Australian Rural Woman of the Year Sophie Hansen

West Wyalong S&C Club

Tuesday 20 September at 7pm

As part of CWA Awareness Week, focusing on the need for maternity services in rural and regional NSW, guests will also hear from – Diana Edis and Prue Martin, Child and Family Health Nurses, Murrumbidgee Local Health District

Free supper provided

This event is proudly funded by the NSW Government



**Free family fun at the Parliament of NSW**

**Friday 7 October 10am to 3pm**

**FREE ENTRY**

**Cartooning workshop**  
Draw people and objects with the award-winning illustrator and cartoonist Eric Lobbecke.  
Every half hour from 11:00am, finishing at 2:00pm

**Vote for me!**  
Learn how to vote with the NSW Electoral Commission.  
Every half hour from 10:00am

**Mock Committee Hearing**  
Have your say as a participant in our committee hearings.  
Every half hour from 10:00am

Visit us at Australia's oldest Parliament as it opens its doors for **Family Fun Day**, an open day packed with free, fun activities for children from 4 to 12 years and their families. In addition to the above, there will be many activities on offer for families to enjoy, including craft, tours of our historic chambers, roving musicians and more...! (You might even get to meet some very important people.)

**\$4 Democracy Sausage**

**AUSLAN interpreters available**

**The Public Café open**

**BOOK NOW**

**BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL**  
P: (02) 9230 2047  
E: [communityengagement@parliament.nsw.gov.au](mailto:communityengagement@parliament.nsw.gov.au)

**WHERE**  
6 Macquarie Street, Sydney - opposite Martin Place

**MORE INFORMATION**  
[www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/events](http://www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/events)



**Bland Shire Library**

Presents  
Guest Speaker  
**Sophie Hansen**

- 2016 Australian Rural Woman of the Year
- Journalist
- Food Writer
- Primary Producer



**Tuesday 20 September 10.30am**

**Booking essential for catering** **Ph. 69790272**





# SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

## School Holiday Activities @ BLAND SHIRE LIBRARY

# LEGO

Free

**Wednesday  
28 September**

**10.30am - 11.30am**

**For school children  
5+**

Children 5 - 7 years must  
attend with an adult

**Booking essential.**

**Ph. 69790272**



### Seashell Collage

**\$10**

*Paint a canvas and create  
a collage using seashells*

**Thursday  
29 September**

**10.30am - 11.30am**

**For school children  
5+**

Children 5 - 7 years must  
attend with an adult

**Booking essential.**

**Ph. 69790272**

### HALLOWEEN BISCUIT DECORATING WITH DAGMAR

**\$20**

**Wednesday  
5 October**

**10.30am - 12pm**

**1.30pm - 3.00pm**

**For school children  
5+**

Children 5 - 7 years must  
attend with an adult

**Booking essential.**

**Ph. 69790272**



# PLAY CRICKET

Join your local club  
Play cricket with your  
friends and stay active



### JOIN YOUR NEAREST CLUB

West Wyalong Junior Cricket

0416 199 719

Commencing Saturday 15th October

www.wyalongjca@outlook.com

Holly Brooks

FB: West Wyalong Junior Cricket Association



### HOLIDAY CLINICS

**DATE:** 28/9/2022

**TIME:** 10.00am - 1.00pm

**AGE:** 5-12 years

**COST:** \$49

**WHERE:** Ron Crowe Oval, West Wyalong



**LEAGUE  
STARS**

### POSITIONS VACANT

**Joss**

★ NO WEEKENDS

★ BE PART OF YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

★ CERTIFIED TRAINING AVAILABLE

★ PERMANENT WORK



We are looking for reliable permanent and casual cleaning staff members across West Wyalong, to support the ongoing additional cleaning at NSW Schools & Agencies.

All you need is a valid Working with Children Check, be COVID-19 vaccinated and able to complete a pre-employment, and we can help with the rest! Joss will pay for your Criminal Record Check, provide uniforms and ongoing training.

We look forward to hearing from you and welcoming you to our family owned Company. Please email us at [careers@jossgroup.com.au](mailto:careers@jossgroup.com.au) for an application pack! Visit [www.jossgroup.com.au](http://www.jossgroup.com.au) to see the NSW areas we cover!



Play Cricket



PROUDLY  
PRESENTED BY





Help us turn  
**BREAD BAGS** into  
**SCHOOL PLAY EQUIPMENT**

**COLLECTIONS CLOSING SOON!**

**Our school is taking part in the Wonder Recycling Rewards campaign this term.**

Help us collect bread bags so we can earn points to redeem on new RHSports equipment.

It's simple! All you need to do is keep your empty bread bags and send them to school with your kids! We will then place them in Wonder's pink collection box and post them off to be recycled. The more we collect the more points our school earns!

**Collections close 9th September.**

**Tip for collecting:**  
Use one empty bread bag to collect a bunch of other bags.

**Did you know?**  
We can now collect our bread bags over the holidays!

**BRING IN YOUR BAGS BEFORE SEPT 9TH!**

\*Includes early learning centres and pre-schools.

Tag [@wonderaustralia](#) [#wonderrecyclingrewards](#) to share all your recycling champion stories!

**Wonder**  
Full of goodness

**West Wyalong**

**Show**

**Wednesday  
7th September**

WILL SANCHEX—BREAK DANCER      SHOWBAGS \* RIDES \* FOOD STALLS

OLD KENTUCKY ANIMAL NURSERY      DOG SHOW      REPTILE AWARENESS DISPLAY

DINKUM DINOSAURS      SCOOT THE STUNT JUGGLER      CATTLE COMPETITION

POULTRY COMPETITION      SHEEP COMPETITION      EQUESTRIAN COMPETITION

BARMINCO COLOURING COMPETITION

**AND SO MUCH MORE**

**WYALONG PUBLIC SCHOOL**  
taking enrolments for 2023

Everyone is Someone at Wyalong Public School

**Kinder Orientation Program**

21st October 2022—1/2 day  
28th October 2022—1/2 day  
4th November 2022—Full Day  
11th November 2022—Full Day

Please contact the school for more information and to secure your child's place at Toppy School for 2023.

Phone: 0269722140  
Email: [wyalong-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:wyalong-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

**BLAND SHIRE**  
**CHILDREN SERVICES UNIT**  
**ENROLMENTS 2023**  
expressions of interest

Are you thinking about enrolling your child in an Early Childhood service in 2023?

Bland Shire Children Services offers a variety of Early Childhood Services which provide a quality educational program for children, in a nurturing and calming environment.

- Bland Preschool
- Bland Shire MRU (Bland and Ungarie)
- Family Day Care
- ITAV and Toy Library

Enrolment packs for all these services will be available from -  
**Monday, 12 September to Friday, 23 September**






If you would like a pack for any of these services please phone the office on 69722795 to arrange pick up or postage.

Bland Shire Children Services Unit is located at—  
130 Pine Street, West Wyalong





# Coopers Farm Gear Caragabal Sheep Races

## Saturday 10 September



**Caragabal Country Club, Mid Western Highway**  
A great family-friendly event celebrating rural life.

- 6 race event: get Involved with pre-race sweeps and sheep auctions - terrific prize money on offer.
  - Great fun for kids! Lolly drop (from a plane), jumping castle and chasing the sheep to the finish line.
  - Full bar (No BYO), canteen, coffee van, BBQ, baguettes and delicious roast rolls to feed your mob.
  - Local band will be playing from 6pm - 10pm... fire buckets provided
  - Campers and caravans welcome!
- ENTRY: \$10 Adults, \$5 school aged kids. Gates open 11.30am

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COOPERS FARM GEAR





Wyalong Public School are focusing on reducing the amount of paper we use.

Did you know that on the Sentral Parent Portal you can:

- View the weekly newsletter
- View and sign permission notes
  - View Canteen menu
- Report your child's absence for the day
- *Coming soon* – book parent teacher interviews

**Please return to the front office.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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I would like to view the newsletter online.

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I would like the newsletter emailed to me.  
email address\_\_\_\_\_

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I would like to continue receiving a paper copy of the newsletter