



# 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 5 Term 2

23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023

## Welcome to our Toppo Team

We welcome Mrs Meincke to our teaching staff this week. Mrs Meincke will be team teaching in the morning and middle sessions on kindergarten and will be doing release from face-to-face in different classrooms in the afternoon. She will also be running wellbeing groups for some students.

Please note that Mrs Meincke is not replacing anyone but due to our Building Mathematics Specialisation in Primary School Initiative, we have been given more staffing allocation which benefits all our students!



## National Sorry Day & Reconciliation Week

On Friday, we will be celebrating Sorry Day at the community's ceremony at Barnado Park. National Sorry Day remembers the Stolen Generations and the Survivors and reflects on how the wider community can share in the healing process. The event also marks the beginning of Reconciliation Week.

National Reconciliation Week takes place between May 27th and June 3rd every year in Australia. These dates commemorate two significant milestones in the reconciliation journey: the successful 1967 Referendum and the High Court Mabo decision, respectively.

In 2023, the theme for National Reconciliation Week is **Be a Voice for Generations**. The theme encourages all Australians to be a voice for reconciliation in real ways in our everyday lives.

Next Monday, our Year 6 students will be going to the TAFE to listen to Taylor Hampton read his book, 'Our Mob'.

Next Wednesday, we ask students to wear a touch of **YELLOW** for Children's Ground.

## Safe on Social

Please "Save the Date" for the Safe on Social parent information session that will be held at the S&C Services Club, on Wednesday 31st May at 7pm. This information session will be available to all parents and carers in the West Wyalong area and will provide up to date information about online services, apps and cyber safety. Students in Years 2-12 will also be taking part in workshops at our school, West Wyalong High School and West Wyalong Public School. This will provide the whole community with the same content and strategies to support children, teenagers and young adults with mobile devices, cyber security and social media. We thank Evolution Mining for a grant donation to subsidise the cost of this initiative.

## Good Luck to our Sport Events the Week

We wish our netball team all the best for Thursday as they compete against Cobar at Lake Cargelligo. We also have 18 students representing our school at the District Cross Country on Friday. Best of luck to all the students!

## Check-Ins

Most Year 4 and 6 students have completed their reading and numeracy check-in. Students all tried their best and should be proud of their efforts. Teachers will be sharing the data with parents during the parent-teacher interviews in week 7 and students during class.

## Transition Day

On Thursday, our Year 6 students will be at the High School for their first transition day. Students will be participating in mathematics and HSIE activities.

## Positive Detective



Last week, one of our positive detectives spied Dustin for helping another student without being asked.

Have a wonderful week!

Kylie Taylor  
Principal



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**National Simultaneous Storytime**

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2023

**PSSA Netball – Lake Cargelligo**

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May

**Year 6 transition day @ High School**

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May

**National Sorry Day**

**District Cross Country – Ungarie**

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May

**Mornings, Melodies & Memories**

**Kindergarten – Year 5**

**'Our Mob' TAFE – Year 6**

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May

**Wear it Yellow for Children's Ground**

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May

**Safe on Social**

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May

**Parent Teacher Interviews**

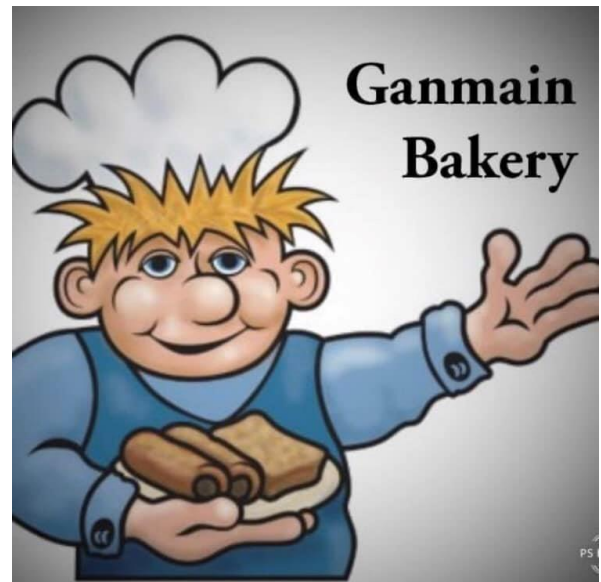
Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June

**Debate Gala Day**

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Jun

**CANTEEN IS BACK  
ON THIS WEEK!**

Please use the new price list  
attached.



**PIES ARRIVE ON  
FRIDAY**





# SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

**Milly Helfrich**  
**Ashley Auricht**  
**Lily Worner**  
**Nash Mitton**  
**Billy Rivers**  
**Skye Brown**  
**Iyah Pettit**  
**Izabella Burns**  
**Amelia Walsh**

**Archer Vandyk**  
**Clementine Tillman**

for continuing to develop her active listening skills.  
for learning how to give constructive support to others in a mature manner.  
for always working hard and using her class time effectively.  
for always speaking politely to staff and peers.  
for becoming more responsible when looking after his own belongings.  
for being an inspiring learner who is always eager to aim high.  
for being a responsible student, ready to learn.  
for not allowing playground issues to interfere with her learning.  
for being a reflective learner who continually takes on board feedback to help her improve.  
for using resilience to improve his blending skills when reading.  
for enthusiastically embracing new learning experiences and relishing in challenges.





# West Wyalong Local Aboriginal Land Council visit







**SAFE ON SOCIAL**  
TRAINING AND EDUCATION

# Presentation

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

**Are you confident that you know everything about cyber safety? Think again. Staying informed and up-to-date on the latest online risks and strategies to protect your family is crucial. The "Safe on Social Media" presentation and Q&A session is your chance to learn what you need to know now including real-life case studies that educate and empower, rather than instilling fear.**

**Safe on Social is the most trusted and in-demand education, training, and consulting service in the cyber safety sector.**

**Topics covered but not limited to:**

- Why don't doesn't work
- What you signed up for terms and conditions of use and what they mean.
- Identity theft, Privacy and Security. Are you really keeping your personal information private?
- Sexting and image-based abuse and respectful Online relationships.
- Sextortion and what to do when things go wrong.
- Cyber-bullying, Online harassment and strategies to build resilience.
- AI Text and Images Generators and Cyber safety.
- Group Chat management.
- Legal responsibilities.
- Online gaming safety, and strategies for managing screen time management and digital addiction
- Posting and sharing photos and the law.
- Respectful Online relationships and consent.
- Major apps and what you need to know about them now.
- And more!

We also leave plenty of time for questions.

**Please note this presentation is for ages 18+**



**DATE: Wednesday 31st May**

**TIME: 7pm-8pm**

**VENUE: West Wyalong S&C Club**



# BE IN THIS TOGETHER

**Monday 29 May 2023**  
10:00am to 11:30am  
West Wyalong TAFE

**National Reconciliation Week**  
Reconciliation is a journey for all Australians

'Our Mob' reading by Author Taylor Hampton  
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Try your hand at returning a Boomerang in Birrang Cultural Connection's throwing workshop  
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NSW TAFE NSW

## Mornings, Melodies WYALONG & Memories

Monday, 29 May  
10.30am - 12.00pm  
**TOPPY HALL**

FREE event for Seniors residing within the Wyalong/West Wyalong District.

Phone 6979 0287 for more information and to register.

**Join us for morning tea and share some memories.**





We are  
wearing it yellow   
for Children's Ground  
this National Reconciliation Week.

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2023  
Gold Coin Donation



# **YAMMA DUMMARUNG**

**YOU ARE INVITED TO  
RECONCILIATION  
DAY 2023!**

**WEST WYALONG HIGH INVITES YOU TO  
RECONCILIATION DAY IN THE PARK!**

**BARNADO PARK**

**11:30 AM**

**MAY 26, 2023**

**FREE LIVE MUSIC**

**JOIN THE YOUTH OF THE BLAND  
AS WE WALK TOGETHER  
ON THE PATH OF RECONCILIATION  
AND HEALING.**





**Senior Early Childhood Practitioners / Educators representing Intereach Limited  
National Disability Insurance Agency – Early Childhood Partner are attending West  
Wyalong at Bland Preschool**

- Have you or your family heard about or have been recommended to look at accessing the NDIS?
- Does your child currently see two or more early intervention services? (Psychologist, Occupational Therapist, Speech Pathologist, Physio)
- Is your child eligible for NDIS?
- Does your child already have NDIS but you are overwhelmed and/or don't know WHERE TO NEXT?

**If you answered 'yes' to any of the above questions then please make a booking below  
before FRIDAY, 2<sup>nd</sup> JUNE**

**Did you know:** The Early Childhood Approach, supported by Intereach, can help your understanding of early intervention supports for a child with a developmental delay or a disability. The Intereach Early Childhood program can assist with Early Connections, of providing information about local mainstream services, early intervention supports and where eligible, in requesting access to the NDIS.

**My child already has NDIS:** What assistance/advice can Intereach provide? Advice on how to use your NDIS therapy hours, you may be feeling overwhelmed and not sure what to do now that you have the plan, understanding your child's personalised plan and unpacking its contents. Your child's plan review may be coming up and you may like guidance on this process.

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Parents Name..... Best Contact Number.....

Child's Name:..... D.O.B.....

NDIS number (if you have one):.....

Appointment regarding (please tick)

- ☐ Support with the referral process (where to start) and advice on connecting with GP/Paediatrician and Community Health, Early Intervention Services (30 – 40 minutes)
- ☐ More information about Early Intervention, and what supports I could connect with, upskill knowledge on child's development (just make general contact) (40 minutes – 1 hr)
- ☐ My child already has completed an NDIS referral and has emailed it to [Intereach.EarlyChildhood@ndis.gov.au](mailto:Intereach.EarlyChildhood@ndis.gov.au) I am up to the next step of having an Early Connections meeting and/or a first planning meeting (1- 2 hours)
- ☐ My child is already an NDIS client and their 12 monthly / 2 yearly plan review is coming up, I would like to schedule this for face to face (1 – 2 hours)
- ☐ My child has NDIS, however, I am unsure what I do now and would like guidance on how to understand my child's plan and services I can obtain using their NDIS (40minutes – 1 hour)

**Please return to Carlie Iverach at Bland Preschool, or La'shey Cattle at Little Wattle Preschool & Long Day Care**



**THURSDAY ONLY****LUNCH**

Chicken Nuggets	.50c ea
Tub Gravy	.50c
Tomato Sauce	.50c
BBQ Sauce	.50c
Pizza cheese & bacon on English muffin	\$3.00
Ham & Cheese Toasty	\$4.00
Cheese Toasty	\$4.00
Chicken Burger	\$5.00
Party Sausage Rolls	\$1.00 ea
Party Pies	\$1.00 ea
Chicken or Beef Noodles	\$3.00
Lasagne	\$4.00

**DRINKS**

Fruit box/popper	\$2.00
Strawberry Flavoured Milk	\$2.00
Chocolate Flavoured Milk	\$2.00
Juice Bomb – lemon, apple blackcurrant & watermelon	\$2.50

**RECESS**

Honey Soy Chips	\$1.00
Jumpy's	\$1.00
Zooper Dooper	.50