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What's happening:

Regular Events

Bikes and Scooters every
Thursday and Friday.
Netball on Thursday.

Sunday 24 February
Wyndham Village Market

Tuesday 26 February
Welcome BBQ 5:30pm

Wednesday 27 February
AFL Gala Day

Thursday 28 February
SAKGP 11:15am

Friday 1st March
Clean Up Australia Day

Saturday 2 March
Krystal's Book Launch.
Tura Library 12:00pm

Sunday 28 March
Wyndham Irish Auction

Attachments:

Unexplained absences
Where required

AFL Gala Day Permis-
sion note (Years 5-6)

Welcome BBQ Invita-
tion

P&C AGM Minutes

Wyndham Public School Newsletter

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Term 1 Week 4

19th February, 2019



A huge congratulations to our swimmers, each gave their very best!

Principals Report

FSC Small Schools Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to the nine students who participated in the Small Schools Swimming Carnival last Thursday. I am very proud of the effort everyone put in and the way in which everyone encouraged each other, it was a great day! Well done Laycee, Krystal, Tierhys, Shyann, William, Connor, Natalia, Emma & Eva and a huge thank you to the parents who were able to assist on the day. Without parent support these events may not be possible.

Colour and comfort in the classroom

Over the next few weeks students will be noticing a few changes in furnishings in both classrooms. The K-2 students are already enjoying a large floor mat and the new stools for the Engine Room table. The 3-6 class have 2 curved bench seats for the front of the classroom. There is more to come for both classrooms.

As research suggests that students work best when they can choose where their best learning can happen, it is important to provide learning spaces where this can occur.

Thank you to the P&C for assisting the school in funding these classroom learning strategies. Without P & C support these important projects would not be possible.

See Class News for photos of some of the new furniture.

New P&C Office Bearers and Committee

Congratulations to the new P & C Committee members and thank you to those members who took on positions in the executive. I look forward to working alongside you to provide support for our wonderful students throughout 2019.

Welcome BBQ

A 'Welcome Barbecue' will be held next Tuesday, 26th February at 5:30pm. The sausage sizzle will provide a lovely casual atmosphere for teaching staff and parents to gather and discuss students education and the School Plans for the immediate future. Please find the note attached.

SAKG Program

A huge thank you to parents and community members who have put their hand up to support this wonderful program.

Our first session for the year will be Thursday 28 February. Could parents and volunteers please meet with me for a cuppa and a short briefing about the program prior to the Kitchen Garden Session. The briefing will be held at 11.15am. and the Kitchen/Garden program will start at 12.00pm and continue until 1.30pm.

I look forward to working with you all and I know our students appreciate and value the time spent with them.

Krystal's Book Launch

For our parents that didn't know, Krystal had her picture book 'Isla's Talent' published last year. It was the successful culmination of Krystal's hard work with the Webcats team. The formal book launch will be held at Tura Beach Library Saturday 2 March at 12:00pm. Congratulations Krystal, a great book.

Netball each Thursday

A grant from Sporting Schools has allowed us to invite Janifer, a Netball Coach from our area to join students each Thursday morning. The school will spend an hour for the next 5 weeks getting fit and learning all the skills to become a future 'Australian Diamond'.

AFL Gala Day

Students from Years 5 and 6 are invited to join students from Wolumla School to create a mixed team to contest the Paul Kelly Cup at Pambula Sporting Complex Wednesday 27 February.

There is a participation fee of \$2 per child and parent transport will be required.

Please see the permission note attached for further details. Notes must be returned with the fee by Friday 22 February.

Clean-Up Australia Day

On Friday 1st March Wyndham Public School will be our bit to clean up Australia! Mr Reeves Class will be focusing on the school grounds while Mrs Bells class will work around the immediate vicinity of the school. Students will be asked to bring a pair of gardening gloves from home for the occasion. A reminder note to come home soon.

Bike and Scooter Days

Bike Days will be continuing each Thursday and Friday. Helmets must be worn.

Attendance

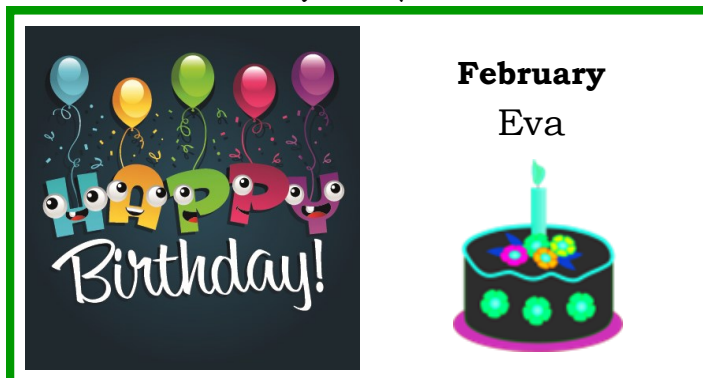
Unexplained absences come home today. Please return details to schools as soon as possible.

Book Club

Book club orders are in, and a huge thank you to the parents that have opted to take advantage of the LOOP online ordering system.

Thank You

Heather Bell—Relieving Principal



P&C News

Thank you to all who attended or put in apologies for our 2019 AGM.

Congratulations to all the parents who have taken on committee roles and to all our volunteers.

We are however in need of a treasurer, if you are able to help with this position please contact Stacey

- ◆ **President:** Stacey Asplin
- ◆ **Vice Presidents:** Karen Gray/Lani Nunan
- ◆ **Secretary:** Leasa Holzhauser
- ◆ **Treasurer:** Add your name here!
- ◆ **Uniform Officer:** Karen Gray
- ◆ **Market Officer:** Lani Nunan
- ◆ **Raffles Officer:** Candice Cooper

See the attached minutes for more detail.

We are in the kitchen this Sunday 24th February for the Wyndham markets, if you are able to assist even if only for an hour or two please contact Lani. We also need cake donations, which can be left at the hall Saturday afternoon or dropped off Sunday morning or by arrangement with Lani or Stacey.

The markets are our biggest fundraiser each year for the school, and the support from every family is very much needed and appreciated.

We look forward to an awesome 2019! Thanks Stacey.

School Uniforms.

We are currently performing a uniform stocktake and ordering new stock.

Our apologies if you have been unable to get your item of clothing in the correct size we will have all stock available as soon as possible. Thanks Karen



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Class K-1-2 News

Our new Kindergarten students have settled into school routines and seem to be really enjoying school and learning new things. Some of the things we have been working on include, learning the sounds and the correct formation of letters- s, a, t, i, p, n and c. The rest of the class have been working on our recounts.

The Kindergarten students have been counting forwards to 20, recognising and writing those numbers and making numbers to 10. The rest of the class have been practising counting forwards by 1's and 5's. For the next few weeks we are working on addition (Week 4), time (Week 5) and patterns (Week 6). It always helps to practise counting forwards and backwards with your children.

Thanks to those parents and siblings who have been listening to their children read while they are at home. I did hear of one Kindergarten student reading their book 10 times at night. K-2 parents need to pack a spare change of clothes, in case there are accidents at school. Thank you. Mr Reeve

Class 3-6 News

Last week students completed online assessments in Maths and Reading. These assessments give us an overview of where your child's strengths and weaknesses lie so that we can better support their learning. In the next couple of weeks, I will be working with each child to write their learning goals based on where they are and what they need to do to improve.

In English, we are looking at characterisation and are currently working on creating narratives using more complex sentences and descriptive language to build up a character. In Math, we will be continuing working on place value in larger numbers and focusing on units of measure in length. We will also be commencing our Science and Technology unit 'Earth and Space', building on our understanding and knowledge of our natural environment.

Thank you Mrs Bell.

Calendar Term 1 2019

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 4 18—22 Feb				Netball	
Week 5 25 Feb—1 Mar		Welcome BBQ		Netball SAKGP	Clean-up Aus- tralia Day
Week 6 4—8 Mar				Netball	
Week 7 11—15 Mar				Netball SAKGP	
Week 8 18—22 Mar	School Photos	Performance Circus Skills		Netball	
Week 9 25—29 Mar				SAKGP	
Week 10 1—5 Apr					
Week 11 8—12 Apr				SAKGP	Easter Hat Pa- rade Last Day Term 1

