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Term 4 2025
15th October 2025

WYREEMA STATE SCHOOL

From Mrs Wilson's Desk:

I trust everyone had a good break from the school routine over the recent holidays. The students and staff have returned refreshed and ready for a busy Term 4. Thank you to our cleaners and schools officer for having the school ready for our start back.

It has been a pleasure to start at Wyreema State School. Thank you to the students, staff and families who have been so welcoming. I am looking forward to learning all things that make Wyreema SS special. A warm thank you to Mrs Peden for her leadership this year and for her support for my start while I become familiar with routines and processes in teaching and learning and student achievement.



I commend the student leaders for their conducting parade on Friday afternoon and ensuring I knew what to do! The Wyreema Warrior song shows such pride in our school. It is a great way to finish the week. Congratulations to all students who achieved an award last week.



This Saturday is the 130th Anniversary celebration and it is going to be an exciting day for our school community. Celebrating 130 years of education for the community with past and present staff, students and families will be a memorable event. I commend the P&C Executive of Andrea and her team for their huge amount of work in preparing for this significant event. A note has been sent home requesting assistance with volunteering on the day. Many hands make light work, so please assist where and when you can. It will be very much appreciated. Best wishes to students in the choir and

those performing in the band on the day. Thank you to Mrs Coote and Mr Todd for leading the students for these performances.

This week swimming starts on Wednesday and will run for the next seven weeks. Please assist your child/ren with organising their items for their swimming lessons so they are prepared and their experience runs smoothly.

The students have been responsible in wearing their hats in this current hot weather. We have also issued reminders for bringing a water bottle to assist in keeping hydrated.

Last Friday the Year 1 students attended the Cobb and Co excursion and it has been reported that they had a wonderful time, were well behaved and great learners. Well done Year 1!

This term, we will be running two Step Into Prep sessions:

- Wednesday, 13th November from 9:30–10:30am
- Wednesday, 27th November from 9:30–10:30am

These sessions are a wonderful opportunity for the 2026 Prep children and their families to meet our staff, experience fun activities, and start feeling comfortable and confident about beginning school.

With the dry weather, the ground is parched and there are prickles on the oval. We are doing our best for students with encouraging brushing and washing any prickles off and supplying an ice pack for the significant cases.

Please note the advertisement in this newsletter for a School Crossing Supervisor. If you, or you know of someone, who may be interested, please contact Darren Loughlan on 0438 390 826 or call the school office.

Parents/caregivers are respectfully reminded that students are to arrive at school from 8:30am. This is when supervision can be provided by staff. Playgrounds are not to be used by students or younger or older siblings before and after school. This is a safety requirement. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Last week we farewelled and thanked Mr Fritz for his work at Wyreema SS as Schools Officer over the past ten years. His work over this time on the facilities and school grounds ensuring they are well maintained has been excellent. We wish Mr Fritz the very best for the future. He will be missed!



When communicating with the school, please use the admin@wyreemass.eq.edu.au for office enquiries and communication to ensure your email is received by the right person. Thank you for your support with this.

Best wishes for the week ahead and I look forward to this Saturday celebrating together, 130 years of education in the Wyreema community.

Kind regards,

Sharon Wilson
Principal



Department of Transport and Main Roads

School Crossing Supervisor Position Vacant

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- Shifts during mornings and/or afternoons on school days
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Casual rates start at \$36.40 per hour, (maximum of 1.5 hours per day)

You will need to be available mornings and/or afternoons on all school days

You will need to work in all weather conditions and wear full Personal Protective wear.

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- Health Assessment
- Blue Card (for working with children)
- Training
- All personal protective equipment

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If interested, please contact Darren Loughlan at darren.j.loughlan@tmr.qld.gov.au
Phone 0438 390 826 or contact your local school

News from the Year 6 Classroom

In the last week of school, the year 5/6 went to Stanley River along with our wonderful staff members Mr Ross, Mrs Pukallus and Mrs Duncan. We had a short two-hour bus drive and arrived at Stanley River Outdoor Education centre near Kilcoy.

We started off the day by having some delicious morning tea and continued by engaging in some ice breaker games such as zombie tag, link tag and many more fun games. After that we made our tents with the instructor Jack by our side teaching us how to form the tents. After that, we had lunch and went for a beautiful bush walk and spotted a one-hundred-year-old tree. There was a beautiful sunset which was very calming out in the bush. That afternoon, we set off for showers and had a delightful dinner. After dinner, Jack took us for a bush walk where we set off stargazing. At the top of a hill, Jack read an amazing gratitude speech and told some very hear-felt aboriginal star stories. We were certainly sleepy after that and went back to our tents to try and get some sleep for a big day ahead.



The next day we ventured off for breakfast and walked down to the lovely Somerset Dam with the canoes. We first started off by helping Jack unload the canoes off the trailer. He quickly gave us a rundown on how to canoe and we found our buddies. Once we worked out how to get in the water, we set off with our first game "cowboy". It was extremely hard catching Jack as he had years of experience. After that game, we decided to find our picnic spot under a beautiful tree with a mob of cattle right across from us that somehow found their way to us behind. Once we snuck in a little swim, we finally went back to shore and cleaned off the canoes. As we are sure it was an accident, AJ capsized the poor helpless Mrs Pukallus who took it all with a smile.



Once we got back to the centre, we had lunch and played some more extremely fun games. It was time for afternoon tea and then we got to experience some orienteering. It was definitely a hot afternoon, with us running around, and we were all extremely sweaty and tired, but in the end, it was great fun. We had our free time playing volleyball, football, bullrush and just looking at the beautiful scenery.

On the second night, we ventured off for dinner and showers then watched a movie, while possums were getting into our scraps, and toilets. We lastly set off to bed for the last night of our wonderful experience. On the last morning, we woke up to some lovely breakfast then Jack walked us over to the fire and taught us how to make damper which was an enjoyable experience. It was a delightful trip but unfortunately we had to say goodbye and pack our gear. We jumped on the bus and set off to Wyreema. Overall we had a extremely fun experience and definitely will be going again sometime.



Koby Reithmuller & Charlee Rice

Day for Daniel

On Friday the 31st of October, Wyreema State School will come together to observe *Day for Daniel*, a day dedicated to raising awareness about child safety. We encourage everyone to wear something red to show their support and solidarity in promoting a safe environment for all children.

This important day reminds us to *Recognise, React, and Report* any concerns regarding child safety. We invite students, staff, and families to join us by wearing red and bringing a gold coin donation to help support child safety initiatives.

DAY FOR DANIEL

Wyreema State School



Wear something red
to show your support
for child safety and
awareness

Recognise . React . Report

Friday 31st October
Bring a gold coin donation



P&C Association News

Welcome back to Term 4! We hope everyone had a restful break and is ready for an exciting and action-packed final term of the year.

The highlight of Term 4 is fast approaching – our **130th Celebration Day** on **Saturday, 18th October from 10am to 2pm!** It's going to be a fantastic day full of fun, food, and festivities as we come together to celebrate this incredible milestone in our school's history.

❑ Can You Help?

We're still looking for wonderful volunteers to help make the day run smoothly. If you can lend a hand, please scan the QR code– even a short shift makes a big difference!

❑ Ride Tickets – Presale Ends Thursday at 3pm!

Don't forget – discounted ride tickets are available **exclusively on FlexiSchools** until **Thursday at 3pm**. Save time and money by purchasing early!

❑ Tuckshop Update

Please note there will be **no Tuckshop until Tuesday of Week 3**. Stay tuned – we'll be launching our **new summer menu** very soon!

Here's to a fantastic Term 4 – we can't wait to celebrate with you all!

Warm regards,

Andrea, Dani, Talia, Laurie & Emily



Petting Zoo ★ Market Stalls ★ InFLAtables ★ Food ★ Face Painter

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130 YEARS

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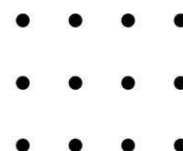


SCAN TO ENTER!
EACH ENTRY= A CHANCE TO WIN BIG!

DRAWN 18TH OCTOBER 2025

CELEBRATING OUR SCHOOLS 130 YEARS.

SEE YOU THERE!





WYREEMA STATE SCHOOL | TEAM KIDS NEWSLETTER – OCTOBER

Acknowledgments

We'd like to say a huge **thank you** to our amazing parents and students for your ongoing support of TeamKids OSHC. Our numbers have been steadily growing, and it's been so rewarding to see more families joining in on the fun! A special thank you also goes to **Wyreema State School** for their continued partnership and support. We absolutely love being part of this school community and look forward to keeping this wonderful collaboration going strong. And lastly, a big **thank you** goes out to the **Bunkers Hill Team** for once again being such wonderful hosts and helping make the holidays so enjoyable for our Wyreema kids!

What's been happening?

We hope everyone had a fantastic Spring Holiday, filled with fun, laughter, and plenty of sunshine!

We had an amazing time joining our sister service over at Bunkers Hill these holidays! The program was packed with awesome excursions, exciting incursions, and creative in-house activities that kept everyone entertained and engaged.

We've got a jam-packed Term 4 ahead with lots to look forward to:

🌍 **World Food Day – 16th October** – A celebration of global cultures, flavours, and food fun!

👻 **Halloween – 31st October** – Always a favourite! We'll have spooky fun and themed activities at after school care.

💖 **Day for Daniel – 31st October** – A very important day to raise awareness about child safety and to remind everyone about the importance of looking out for one another.

Term 4 is shaping up to be an exciting and meaningful one, and we can't wait to share it with all our amazing Wyreema families!

Warm regards,
Miss Michelle & Miss Tayia

UPCOMING EVENTS

WORLD FOOD DAY 16th October

HALLOWEEN 31st October

DAY FOR DANIEL 31st October



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DATES TO REMEMBER



Date	Event
Wednesday, 15th October	Swimming Lessons
Saturday 18th October	Wyreema State School 130th Celebrations
Wednesday, 22nd October	Swimming Lessons
Wednesday, 29th October	Swimming Lessons
Friday, 31st October	Day for Daniel
Wednesday, 5th November	Swimming Lessons
Wednesday, 12th November	Swimming Lessons
Thursday, 13th November	Step into Prep
Wednesday, 19th November	Swimming Lessons
Wednesday, 26th November	Swimming Lessons
Thursday, 27th November	Step into Prep
Thursday, 20th November	Prep / Prep 1 Amaroo Visit
Friday, 12th December	Last day of Term 4

Students of the Week

15/09/2025 GEM

10/10/2025 GEM

Prep
 Prep/1
 Grade 1
 Grade 2
 Grade 2/3
 Grade 4/5
 Grade 5/6
 Principal's Award

Finn S
 Amara A
 Dhruv S
 Isla E
 Carter W
 Tinku S
 Ruby C

Ivy N
 Sullivan S
 Harvey N
 Joseph W
 Sofie P
 Bailey T.M
 Sophie H

Patty B
 Sophia B
 Bella G
 Ruby S
 Olivia S
 Alisha S
 Haylee P
 Skylah M

Chase N
 Oliver W
 Zoe O
 Hayden W
 Mason G
 Addison V
 Ruby C

Congratulations!

