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WYREEMA STATE SCHOOL

From Mr. Fogwell's Desk:

Hello everyone, and welcome to Week 8 at our outstanding school! I cannot believe that we are so deep into the school year and that Christmas decorations are already well and truly in full swing on my street and across our communities.

It has been a fantastic term so far, and I have been impressed by the efforts highlighted by our students in and outside of the classroom. When visiting our classrooms throughout the term and over the year, I have also been impressed with our student's work ethic, passion and commitment. As we slowly start to cast our eye towards 2024, I am very excited to continue the great work we have implemented this year and continue our strong focus towards ensuring that 'Every Student Is Succeeding' and provided with 'Equity and Excellence' in their education.



Over the term, we have been busy planning and preparing for next year, and I am happy to communicate some very important news for 2024. Due to predicted enrolment, our school will host a mixture of straight and multi-age classrooms, and our teacher allocations are as listed below. I have attached the student classes for 2024.

Please note that our (Prep & Prep/1) classes are yet to be finalised due to the need for 'Prep Interviews' to take place. These classes are a priority and will be completed ASAP, then released accordingly to our new Prep parents.



2024 Wyreema SS: Predicted Classes:

Prep – Emily Booth *

Prep/1 – Kylie Caldwell *

Year 1 – Celina Connors (Mon-Weds) – Lucie Darr (Thurs – Friday)

Year 2/3– Kait Robotham (Mon-Weds) – Nicole Green (Thurs – Friday)

Year 3/4 – Carol Palfi

Year 4/5 – Jessica Duncan

Year 6 – Jessica Doyle

HPE/Health – Jaime Scott

A/Principal – Joel Fogwell

Head of Department (Curriculum) – Tracey Peden

Special Education Teacher (SET) - Barbara AC





Please note that Thursday the 30th of November (Week 9) will be our Year 6 Celebration Day. Students will travel by bus to Sunset Superbowl for an afternoon of bowling and laughs. There will be no cost for this activity. Students will not be required to bring any money as we will have lunch prior to departure to bowling. We will depart school at 11:30 am and arrive back at school before 3 pm.

The graduation dinner will follow that night at 'The Barn' Rudd's Pub Nobby beginning at 6 pm for students in Year 6, staff and two invited adult guests of the student's choice. There is no cost for students to attend this formal event thanks to our P&C, although invited guests will be required to pay \$38.50/pp directly to Nobby on the night. Please note this event is only for graduate students, staff and invited guests. Unfortunately, siblings are not invited to the event as we want this night to be all about our graduating class of 2023.



Our last parade and 'School Dedication Awards Morning' will be held on Monday, the 4th of December, at 9:00 am, and I would like to encourage all of our community members to attend our last parade for 2023. This parade will replace our customary Friday parade, and it will be a great way to conclude and acknowledge our students' efforts from the school year and announce our 'Student Leaders' for 2024.

I would like to sincerely thank our outstanding School P&C Committee for supporting our Year 6 Graduation, where our 'graduating students' will have their meal purchased by the committee. Our amazing P&C team, led by Mrs. Jessica Barber, does a fantastic job supporting our school, and I would like to sincerely thank all of you for your hard work across the year.

Finally, I would like to again sincerely thank everyone who makes our school amazing. Our success is received by the hard work and dedication of our whole school community, and your partnership is appreciated. Across the holiday period, please stay safe and have a wonderful time with your families.

Many Thanks
Very Warm Regards

Joel Fogwell



Students of the Week



Prep 1:

Prep 2:

Grade 1:

Grade 2:

Grade 3:

Grade 4/5:

Grade 5:

Grade 6:

Principal's Award:

HPE Award:

Attendance:

10th November

Harrison G.

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Theo

Dylan

Alex B.

Lily

Tyler

Caleb

Eli

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Prep 1 97.89%

17th November,

Florence

Mason M.

Lane

Addison

Ambrose

Sophie H.

Jack M.

Flynn

Alycia

Yr 6

4/5 96.84%



Congratulations!

Sports News

Congratulations to our swimmers who will be heading to Glennie next Monday to compete in the Small School's Carnival.

Ivy, Heath, Sharlotte, Sienna, Charlie, Connor D, Cooper G., Harper, Jahkara, Hayden H., Ashton, Emisyn, Jacob, Grace, Parker P., Ambrose, Xander, Scarlett P., Haylee, Jason, Koby, Indie.

We wish them all the very best.



News from the 4/5 Classroom

Students in Year 4/5 have been super busy this term! We have been especially busy this past week finishing our convict historical recounts in readiness for our presentations. All of us have taken the role of a child convict of the First Fleet and have had to tell 'our story' as to how we came to be on the streets on England, being thrown in the crowded jails and then herded onto the 11 ships bound for Botany Bay. It wasn't the most enjoyable trip, so we discovered. It has been great having the opportunity to tell our experience as though it was 'us' sitting below those cramped decks with little food or water, just to learn we would be on the ship for near on a year. Wow, what a tale we have to tell! So much work and imagination has gone into our costumes! What do you think?



WYREEMA SS P&C

GET INVOLVED!

THE P&C AGM WILL BE COMING UP IN FEB 2024 AND ALL EXECUTIVE ROLES WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR NOMINATION.

HAVE YOU THOUGHT OF JOINING?

IT'S INCREDIBLY REWARDING AND SO MUCH FUN!

FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES

MOTHER'S * FATHER'S DAY STALLS
ELECTION BBQS * SPORTS DAY BBQS
DISCO * MANGO DRIVE * MOVIE NIGHT
COMMUNITY BBQS * BAKE SALES
RAFFLES * PPP DAYS * PIE DRIVE
CRAZY HAIR DAY * RED FOOD DAY
CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE

WHAT DID THE P&C CONTRIBUTE IN 2023?

- Bus trips – Excursions, Swimming, Camp
- New Marquee • Reading Resources
- Yr 6 Graduation Dinner • Chaplaincy Program Support
- Prep Parents Welcome Pack



POSITIONS VACANT

We need these positions filled at the AGM so that the P&C can continue to operate.

PRESIDENT: Encourage participation, foster good communication between the school, committee and community.

VICE PRESIDENT: Support the President, Secretary and Treasurer when needed.

SECRETARY: Organise, record and maintain P&C documents, prepare and distribute meeting agendas and minutes.

TREASURER: Maintain financial records, prepare reports for meetings.

ORAL HEALTH CARE FOR SCHOOL STUDENTS

Free dental care is offered to all Queensland students from the age of 4 to the completion of Grade 10 through the School Dental Service. Children aged 0 - 4 years and students in Year 11 -12, may be eligible for treatment if they receive Childhood Dental Benefit Scheme or if they have a current concessional health care card. The Dental Team consists of a Dentist, Dental Therapists, Oral Health Therapists and Dental Assistants. You will be advised if your child needs specialist dental treatment. Students at Wyreema State School are now being offered dental treatment through the School Dental Service at the Dental Van at Wyreema State School.

If you would like your child/children to participate in the free dental care program, please complete each section of the registration form, sign and return it to the School Office by **Friday 01 December, 2023.** Please note that by signing this form, you are only advising our service of your wish to participate in the dental care program and providing personal information to allow us to contact you.

Our process for making your child's first appointment with us has recently changed. Our first point of contact may be via SMS. If responding via the Call Centre on 1300 082 662, please choose Option 3 to speak with School Dental Service.

Please remember

- Students will be seen at the **Dental Van at Wyreema State School, Wyreema.**
- Parents/Legal Guardians **must** attend all appointments & must hold a current Medicare Card- please bring this card to the appointment.
- There are limited appointments available before and after school and most appointments will have to be during school time.
- Oral Health does not accept any responsibility for transport of the children to and from their appointments.
- **Appointment changes are often advised via SMS.** Please read all text messages carefully.

2024 Classes

(Prep/1)

Kylie Caldwell
Classroom M5

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| Prep Student |
| Prep Student |
| Prep Student |
| Prep Student |
| Prep Student |
| Prep Student |
| Prep Student |
| Prep Student |
| Prep Student |
| Prep Student |
| Azel, Bridget |
| Brown, Maddox |
| Buckingham, Chelsea |
| Congram, Savannah |
| Edson, Dustin |
| Fitzgerald, Ellie |
| Johnston, Benjamin |
| Muirden, Mason |
| Sauverain, Sofia |
| Smith, Aoife |
| Soanes, Grady |
| Thiemann, Nate |
| Weier, Hayden |
| Young, Lachlan |

Year 1

Celina Connors (Mon–Wed)
Lucie Darr (Thur & Friday)
Classroom M2

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|-----------------------|
| Capewell, Ivy |
| Chauntler, Shakti |
| Di Mauro, Lucas |
| Evans, Florence |
| Evans, Isla |
| Gibbons, Harrison |
| Gill, Carter |
| Gorton, Mason |
| Green, Lincoln |
| Ingle, Nathan |
| Knowles, Finn |
| Leadbeatter, Cayden |
| Maloney, Eli |
| Masterman, Olivia |
| Mengel, Theodore |
| Mortimer, Callum |
| Muzic, Havana |
| Riethmuller, Maddison |
| Ruhle, Francesca |
| Sly, Ruby |
| Stallan, Vada |
| Tatere-Miller, Waylon |
| Ulbrick, Charlotte |
| Wilkins, Carter |

Year 2/3

Kait Robotham (Mon– Wed)
Nicole Green (Thur & Fri)
Classroom M3

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| Baker, Sophia |
| Boshammer, Lillian |
| Colman, Stella |
| Greer, Mac |
| Hamilton, Kahmari |
| Ingle, Adam |
| Jones, Emily |
| Markey, Lane |
| Medcraft, Aaron |
| O'Donohue, Lincoln |
| Pratt, Jasmin |
| Pratt, Sofie |
| Prior, Malia |
| Smith, Brody |
| Strickland, Olivia |
| Thompson, Bonnie |
| Timperley, Alycia |
| Vahua, Atticus |
| West, Noah |
| Woodbury, Jaxon |
| Brown, Sienna |
| Crockford, Chelsea |
| Jones, Jethro |

Year 3/4
Carol Palfi
Classroom M4

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| Buckingham, Peyton |
| Collins, Issac |
| Denaro, Samuel |
| Di Mauro, Olivia |
| Evans, Harrison |
| Fitzgerald, Lillian |
| Gibbons, Alexander |
| Kahler, Dylan |
| Macura, Jace |
| McMahon, Ashton |
| Mills, Fergus |
| Muzic, Brayden |
| Pukallus, Scarlett |
| Sumesh, Tinku |
| Vahua, Addison |
| Baker, Alex |
| Koch, Tahlia |
| Brown, Jack |
| Johnston, Daniel |
| Lotz, Riley |
| McAllan, Amelia |
| Pattel, Anna |
| Sly, Alisha |
| Tatere-Miller, Bailey |

Year 4/5
Jess Duncan
Classroom E1

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|-----------------------------|
| Attwood, Ivy |
| Carter, Ruby |
| Colman, Charlie |
| Denaro, Connor |
| Ingle, Maddison |
| Hough, Lyric |
| Barber, Callie |
| Philbey-Montgomery, Ambrose |
| Richards, Jason |
| Stallan, Ryder |
| Strickland, Spencer |
| Woodbury, Wyatt |
| Hamilton, Kyarn |
| Heffernan, Sophie |
| Pratt, Haylee |
| Prior, Oliver |
| Pukallus, Chloe |
| Riethmuller, Koby |
| Robinson, Lily |
| Sikora, Indie |
| Wilson, Archer |
| Wilson, Kaleb |
| New Enrolment |
| New Enrolment |

Year 6
Jess Doyle
Classroom E2

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| Biltoft, Heath |
| Black, Caleb |
| Coleman, Kaicia |
| Collins, Calijah |
| Gilmour, Parker |
| Hamilton, Jahkeen |
| Heagney, Hayden |
| Johnston, Ryan |
| KAHLER, Tyler |
| Koch, Kasari |
| Leahy, Quinn |
| Lotz, Summer |
| Marshall, Chase |
| Masters, Montana |
| McLennan, Jack |
| Moseley, Emisyn |
| Pattel, Parker |
| Peters, Pyper |
| Richards, Billy |
| Sly, Dallas |
| Sowerby, Simon |
| Vanderwal, Cooper |
| Wilson, Eddison |



DATES TO REMEMBER



| Date | Event |
|--------------------------|--|
| Thursday, 23rd November | Step into Prep 9.30-10.30pm |
| Friday, 24th November | P&C Mango Drive time to be advised |
| Monday, 27th November | P&C Tuckshop Last day Small School Swimming Carnival at The Glennie Pool |
| Tuesday, 28th November | Year 4 Cycle Safety—Groom Park |
| Wednesday, 29th November | Year 4 Cycle Safety—Groom Park Playgroup in WSS Library, 9-10am All Welcome |
| Thursday, 30th November | Year 6 Sunset Super Bowl Excursion Year 6 Graduation |
| Friday, 1st December | Dental forms to be returned to school |
| Monday, 4th December | End of Year Parade |
| Friday, 8th December | Last day of Term 4 |
| Monday, 22nd January | First day of Term 1 2024 |



PBL



Week 8

This week's PBL focus is all about being a good sport.

We're looking for inclusive practices and supporting our peers on the sports field.

Week 9

Next week we will be looking at our before school expectations.

Students are asked to drop their bag at their classroom, go straight to the parade area and wait in their Warrior Line.

Keep a Watch on our School these Holidays



With the holidays fast approaching, we need local communities looking out for our schools. If you do see something suspicious, please don't intervene. Call the School Watch number on **13 17 88** and let the local police or State Government Protective Security Service address the matter.

