



Wentworth Public School Newsletter 2nd September 2009

Spring has once again come around which means the year is fast flying by. Good to have the rain fall over the weekend and to be so widespread. What a great show weekend. Well done to all the participants and to the special help from staff and Lesley Burnett who put so much time into the children's entries and performances.

We wish all our Year 6 students a wonderful trip to the nation's capital. What an adventure. All the very best for a safe and enjoyable trip to Broken Hill for our Year 4s and Year 5s.

NAPLAN RESULTS

NAPLAN Test results will go home on September 23 for all Year 3 and Year 5 students.

WORKING BEE—5TH SEPTEMBER 2009

This Working Bee is using heavy machinery to organise the Heritage Garden so will involve only adults because of the risk of harm to children. At the end of the session the garden will be laid out ready for paving.

The School received a further \$2200 for the Kitchen Garden from the Sydney Fruit and Vegetable Markets. The Stephanie Alexander Grant Application opened this week and we will apply as soon as Mrs Hopcroft returns. Our application to the Coomealla Club was unsuccessful.

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Raised**Responsibility
and Values**

*The school values
are;*

*Be polite and
consider others*

*Show respect for
everyone and
everything*

Be an active listener

*Be honest in words
and actions*

*Work and play
safely*

*Have a go and stay
on task*

P&C MEETING 2ND SEPTEMBER

Don't forget P&C tonight at 7:00pm. All parents and friends are welcome to come and present ideas.

SCHOOL HATS

We don't have any spare school hats should children forget their hat. Our policy is 'No Hat Sit in the Shade'. As the weather starts to intensify, please ensure your child has the approved school hat to protect them from the effects of the sun.

kindest Regards,

Warren Davies

Principal

WENTWORTH SHOW POSTERS

The following children received prizes in the Poster competition:

Kinder: 1st Matthew Hancock

3rd Hannah Darby

Year 1: 3rd Olivia Hopfner

Year 3: 1st Sara Hancock

Year 5: 1st Tegan Kuzman

2nd Zac Wheatley

WANTED!

We have recently been cleaning out our art supplies and are short of material scraps and wool. If you have anything at home that would be suitable to use for arts and crafts, please send them into school. They will be put to great use.

Tracey Bradford

FATHERS' DAY BREAKFAST

Once again, we will be celebrating the importance of Dads to the family by having an early morning breakfast. This is being held this **Friday, 4th September**. It will commence at 8am, in the school grounds and run through until 9:00am.

If you are able to donate some eggs for this special occasion, would you please send them in tomorrow? Any assistance would be greatly appreciated.

SECOND-HAND UNIFORMS

Second-hand uniforms will be for sale.

Monday mornings — 9:00-9:30am. \$3 per item.

Heaps of Pants, Windcheaters and Polo Shirts available.

BINGO HELPERS

Kieran Kelly would love to hear from you if you are able to help with Bingo on **Monday afternoon** at the Wentworth Club, from **1:30 to 3:15**. Please ring him on **0438075203** or leave your contact details with the School Office.

PIE FUNDRAISER

Thank you for all the pie orders. We had a wonderful response.

The pies will be ready to pick up from the school on **Wednesday, 16th September**.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

NEWSLETTERS ON THE NET

A compressed version of the School Newsletter is available on the School's Web page: www.wentworth-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

STUDENT SCHOOL BANKING

The Students can bank through the Bendigo Bank every Wednesday. Please bring the bank book and money to the School office before 9:30am. Bank books will be returned on Thursday.

MEDICATIONS AT SCHOOL

We are only permitted to give medication to the students using the following procedure:

- ⇒ The medication must be clearly labelled with child's name.
- ⇒ The parent/caregiver must include a signed letter giving permission for the child to be medicated, stating the dosage and time.

FRUIT BREAKS—FRUIT REQUIRED

At 10:30am every morning the children stop for a fruit break. If you are able to donate fruit, it would be greatly appreciated.

HEAD LICE

Please check your child's hair regularly for Head Lice. Hair must be treated before children are permitted to attend school.

PEANUT BAN

As we have students who have a **SEVERE** allergy to nuts, children are requested **NOT** to bring any nuts or products containing nuts, in their lunches. Thank you.

EARLY LEARNING GROUP

Once again, Wentworth Public School will be running its successful **TRANSITION TO SCHOOL PROGRAM** called **EARLY LEARNING GROUP**.

Early Learning Group will commence on **Friday, 23rd October**, starting at **9:00am** and finishing at **11:00am**.

If your child turned 4 before **31st July 2009**, he/she is eligible to attend.

Please contact the school office for more information and enrolment forms.

If you know of any parents who might be interested in sending their children to Early Learning Group, could you please pass the information on?

GUMNUT GUIDES CARE & SHARE

Guide Hall, Cadell Street, Wentworth. Girls 5-10 years old.
Wednesday, 4pm to 5:30pm. Leader: Norma Cox, phone 50273548

WENTWORTH PRESCHOOL—NOW TAKING ENROLMENTS FOR 2010 OPEN DAY—TUESDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER 2009, 1PM TO 2PM

Please come to our Open Day for all new children. All new families welcome. Bring your child along to meet us and visit the local preschool. Activities will be available for the children.

\$12 FAMILY PORTRAIT FUNDRAISER - LAST CHANCE!

To book your family portrait photography session being held on **Sunday, 13th September, 2009** at Wentworth District Preschool. It's time to complete your voucher and return it with \$12 to our Preschool, no later than **Friday, 4th September, 2009** or contact Leanne Hancock on 50272126 or sehmah@bigpond.net.au

COOMEALLA WENTWORTH CRICKET CLUB JUNIOR TRAINING

Under 10 and Under 12—Training to start Wednesday, 9th September at Wentworth Oval, from 4pm

Under 14 and Under 16—Training to start Wednesday, 2nd September at Dareton Oval from 4pm, reverting to Thursday from 4pm, once football has finished.

All new and existing players, most welcome.

Sholta Douglas

Jeremy Giddings

CWCC Junior Coordinator

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IT'S ALL ABOUT BIKES—AGAIN

Let's give a warm Wenty Welcome to the Tour Riders as they Finish @ 3pm. Mums, Dads, kids, bring your bikes for the "Dash to the Finish," following the riders over the line!

Bike Orienteering, Treasure Hunt , Obstacle Course, & Jumping Castle !!!

Don't miss the Unicycle Display! Wentworth Public School students in action!

Get on 'ya' bike and be there to see our wonderful Community Groups in Action!

When: Saturday, 5th September, 2009

Where: Wentworth Services Club Car park, Darling Street, Wentworth.

Time: 1:30pm-3:00pm

September/October 2009

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
|---|---|---|--|--|---|--|
| | 31/8 Homework Grid | 1/9 | 2/9 Dare to Lead Team P & C Meeting 7.00 pm | 3/9 Dare to Lead Team | 4/9 Canteen Fathers Day Breakfast 8.00—9.00 am | 5/9 It's All About Bikes Day 1.30 — 3.00 pm |
| 6/9 Year 6 Canberra Excursion 6.30 am | 7/9 Secondhand Uniform Shop 9-9:30am | 8/9 | 9/9 Broken Hill Excursion Leave—9:30am | 10/9 Broken Hill Excursion | 11/9 Canteen Broken Hill Excursion Return. Canberra Excursion Return Homework Grid Due | 12/9 |
| 13/9 | 14/9 Secondhand Uniform Shop Open 9-9.30 Homework Grid | 15/9 | 16/9 Pie Order pick up. | 17/9 Year 3 & 4 SAFE Day— Mildura | 18/9 Circus Challenge Workshops Canteen | 19/9 Family Fun Day— Mildura Aero Ovals |
| 20/9 | 21/9 Secondhand Uniform Shop 9-9.30 Cricket Clinic Year 5&6 | 22/9 | 23/9 Concert Rehearsal | 24/9 Leaders' Conference Year 6 | 25/9 Canteen Leaders' Conference Year 5 Homework Grid Due | 26/9 |
| 27/9 | 28/9 Secondhand Uniform Shop 9-9.30 Sunraysia Technology Camp | 29/9 Sunraysia Technology Camp | 30/9 | 1/10 | 2/10 Term 3 ends | 3/10 |

Joke!!

Q: When do 2 and 2 make more than 4?

A: When they make 22!

Infant Brain Teaser

Q: What has no end, beginning or middle?

A:

Name:

Primary Brain Teaser

Q: Your mother's brother's only brother-in-law is asleep on your couch. Who is on the couch?

A:

Name:

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NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH FAMILY FUN DAY
21ST ANNIVERSARY OF NHW IN SUNRAYSIA

When: Saturday, the 19th of September, 11am to 3pm.

Where: Aero Ovals in 11th Street, next to Park for Play.

Things to bring along: Maybe a chair, picnic blanket, sunscreen and a hat.

Free Jumping Castle, Pony Rides and entertainment. Free sausage sizzle.

Police, Fire, Ambulance and SES vehicles on display.

For further information contact: Margret Ryczec

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