



## DATES TO REMEMBER

### P&C Quiz Night

Saturday, 31 October  
6.30pm start (18 + event)

### Book Fair

2-6 November  
8.30—8.45am  
3.00—3.30pm

### TA 12 & 13 Assembly

Friday, 6 November

### Yr 6 Sleepover at camp school

Thursday, 12 November

### Yr 6 Dongara Activity Day

Friday 13 November

### Canteen help required

The school canteen is only able to operate five days with the help of volunteers. If you can spare a couple of hours on a weekday morning please see Genevieve or Sue in the canteen or call them on 9938 1481.



Dear Parents and Guardians,

Term 4 has started with a flurry of activity. We welcome a number of new families that have enrolled at the beginning of Term 4. Welcome to Waggy!

Miss McEvoy and her team of Irish Dancers have been hard at work perfecting their performance for Showcase today. They performed at 9.30am, with another performance this evening. We wish them all the best! (See inside for pictures of their dress rehearsals).

Our Kindy induction program has been running since last term with a large number of families bringing our 2016 Kindy students to our Friday morning sessions. Inductions will continue this term until Week 8. This term we have a short information session for parents, to share with them school readiness, expectations and some ways in which parents can help. We have invited the **Allied Health Team** from the hospital to visit on **Tuesday 3 November at 7.00pm** to present a short talk on:

- Child Development Services: who are we, what do we do and how to make contact
- Being 'Kindy Ready': what skills does your child need to achieve the best start at Kindy, what can parents do to help

A Speech Pathologist and a Dietician will run the session. This is a great way to listen to what our partners in Allied Health can provide.

This session is open to all parents of young children, and a light supper will be provided. We hope to see you there. Please RSVP to the office for catering purposes by 30 October.

The 5th October was World Teachers' Day. As this was over the holidays, I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge and celebrate the dedicated, passionate, professional team of teachers we have at Waggrakine. The staff at Waggy are committed to providing the best possible education for every student through a caring and supportive environment.

Our P&C Halloween Quiz Night is fast approaching. Please ring the office to secure your table of 6 for what is sure to be a fabulous night out. Please remember this an 18 + event.

A huge thank you to our P&C for fully funding the resurfacing of the basketball/netball courts. They were marked over the holidays and look sensational.

Zoei Nixon, Principal

You're invited to our  
**BOOK FAIR!**



All purchases  
benefit our school!

**Date** Mon 2 Nov to Fri 6 Nov **Time** 8.30-8.45am & 3.00-3.30pm  
**Place** Waggrakine Primary School Library

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## Book Fair - Week 4

The Scholastic Book Fair will be held the week commencing Monday, 2 November in the Library. A catalogue is included with this newsletter which has a sample of books available. If you are unable to attend during the week, you can order online. Payment will be accepted by cash or EFTPOS.

## TA 10 Rocks Waggrakine



## Will you be at Waggy in 2016?

To assist with planning for 2016, we request you advise us if you are planning on leaving Waggrakine Primary School at the end of this year. If you know you are moving on (with the exception of Year 6's) can you please complete the slip below and return to the office.

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_

My child **will not** be attending Waggrakine Primary School in 2016

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

## Bandanna Day

Friday, 30 October is National Bandanna Day. This day is held each year to raise funds for CanTeen which supports young people with cancer.

Bandannas are on sale for \$4.00 from the office and may be purchased before and after school each day, ready to wear on Friday.

We hope to see lots of colourful bandannas worn on Friday.



## Irish Dancing



## P&C News

### CANTEEN NEWS

During Term 4 the canteen will be trialling new recipes for their new menu. Please see the specials board each day to taste our tantalizing treats.

Next Friday, 30 October will be Halloween Hamburger Day! You can purchase a hamburger and a drink for \$6. See flyer insert for pre-orders.

The P&C has recently funded the purchase of a new oven and fridge for the canteen. There are also additional improvements to come.

The canteen is still looking for support and help. If you have a free couple hours in the morning please see Gen or Sue in the canteen.

### TERM 4 - DISCO

**Friday, 4 December** is Term 4 disco time. In preparation for our Christmas festivities we would like to make it a Christmas theme. K-Yr 3 from 5.15 - 6.30pm and Yr 4 - 6 from 6.45 - 8.15pm. Please join us in celebrating the end of a sensational year.



Transition Week will begin on Monday, 23 November for all Year 6 students coming to John Willcock College in 2016. The week will run from Monday, 23 November to Friday, 27 November.

**All Year 6 students intending to attend JWC in 2016 will need to submit a completed enrolment pack to the JWC Front Office as soon as possible**

If you need a replacement pack – please call JWC Front Office on 9965 8300.

### QUIZ NIGHT

Saturday, 31 October the P&C are holding a Halloween Quiz Night. Tables are going fast, so get in quick to secure a table of 6 friends. There are prizes and raffles throughout the night and all proceeds go to upgrading our technology devices at school. Call into the office or email Amy on: [amsky85@hotmail.com](mailto:amsky85@hotmail.com) to book your table.



### LOST PROPERTY

The P&C have gone through the enormous pile of lost property and returned the items that had names on them. There is still a large quantity of items that remain. Next Friday, 30 October, items such as lunch boxes and water bottles will be disposed of and clothing items will be washed and sold second hand for \$2.00 each.

If your child is missing items, please take the time to have a look before next Friday.