



WYANGALA DAM PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Term 2 of 2018

Week 2

10th May 2018



What another big week we have had!



I hope everyone saw our fabulous school showcased on WIN News Central West on Wednesday night. We have to thank Ellie for inviting us to be the focus small school and promoting all the fabulous things we do here.

A BIG thank you to the students for being so confident and articulate. It is a bit scary speaking in front of a camera, and I am very proud of you all. It's been lovely reading the positive feedback on social media. I've also had a lovely message from a former student, Peta, who remembers Wyangala Dam PS, and Mr Pom, fondly.

As well as being television stars, the students have been to Woodstock for their free dental health check. They received a toothbrush and toothpaste to help keep their teeth nice and strong and cavity free!



The students had another fantastic gymnastics session at PCYC Cowra.

Dates to Remember

May

- 11th P&C Meat Raffle
- 13th Mother's Day
- 14th Environmentors
- 17th Gymnastics
- 18th Small Schools Athletics Carnival
- 18th Walk Safely to School
- 23rd National Simultaneous Storytime
- 23rd Bunnings Visit
- 24th Musica Viva
- 24th Gymnastics
- 31st Gymnastics

June

- 7th Gymnastics
- 8th Pirate Day
- 10th Wyangala Fireworks
- 14th Gymnastics
- 14th P&C Meeting
- 15th P&C Meat Raffle
- 21st Gymnastics
- 28th Gymnastics

July

- 5th Gymnastics
- 6th Last Day of Term 2
- 24th First Day of Term 3

On Tuesday, the students participated in a Video Conference with Botany Bay Education Centre and have created a painting in response to the book "Tanglewood". They enjoyed using the watercolour paints with Mrs Nottingham on Monday when they began their artworks of endangered Australian native animals.



Today, The Cowra Guardian visited to learn about Road Safety with our students. The students are learning to use the Safety Town website to learn more about road safety. If you're interested in having a look at the website, the address is www.safetytown.com.au. The Facebook page, Road Safety Education – NSW Department of Education has lots of information about road safety and road rules.

Next week is another busy week, with a visit from the Environmentors program on Monday, NAPLAN Tuesday to Thursday, and the Cowra Small Schools Athletics Carnival.

Don't forget it's the P&C Meat Raffle at the Country Club tonight, so that means a yummy bistro dinner for me and my family. Hope to see you there!

Cheers,
Sue Clark
Acting Principal

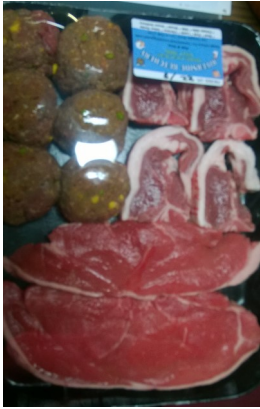
Wyangala Dam Public School has a mobile phone for excursions, etc. Please only use in case of emergency whilst we are away from school. The number is

0401 614 184



Wyangala Dam Parent & Citizen Association

Our next meeting will be held on
Thursday 14th June 2018
at 2.30pm in the Library
Please feel free to come along.



Wyangala Country Club P &C Meat Raffle Friday 11th May 2018 6.00pm

Come and support our local small school.

Tickets on sale from 6.00pm and raffle drawn
approximately 7.30pm

If you are available to assist in the selling of tickets please
come along to the Wyangala Country Club. All
assistance greatly appreciated



Dental check and teeth cleaning fun at
Woodstock Public School on Thursday 10th
May 2018.

The students all got a "WATER ONLY" drink
bottle, toothbrush and toothpaste.



Athletics Carnival



- Date** – Friday 18th May 2018
- Time** – Arrive at oval from 8:45am, Carnival will start at 9:00am.
- Where** – Twigg Oval, Taralga Street, Cowra
- Who** – All students K-6
- Transport** – Private vehicle to be organised by parents
- Uniform** – School Uniform and sneakers
- What to bring** – Hat, sunscreen, jackets, jumpers, beanies, gloves, lots of water, recess and lunch. Koorawatha Public School P&C will also be operating a canteen on the day.

Parents are asked to assist with transporting children to the oval, as well as supervise their child during the day, as all staff will be involved in carnival jobs. There will be no staff present at school, and it is expected that all students will attend the athletics carnival.

Gymnastics



- Date** – Each Thursday,
from Thursday 3rd May 2018
to Thursday 5th July 2018
- Time** – Depart from School at 12.30pm
Gymnastics from 1.00pm to 2.00pm
Return to School at 2.30pm

- Where** – Cowra PCYC, 40 Young Road, Cowra
- Who** – All students K-6
- Transport** – Wyangala Country Club Courtesy
Bus driven by Mrs Sue Clark and
Mrs Lea Smith
- Uniform** – School Uniform
- What to bring** – A drink bottle



Gymnastics at PCYC

Every Thursday 1.00pm to 2.00pm from
3rd May to 5th July 2018

Small Schools Athletics Carnival

Twigg Oval, Cowra

Friday 18th May 2018



National Simultaneous Storytime

Wednesday 23rd May 2018

Musica Viva

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Thursday 24th May 2018



P & C Meeting

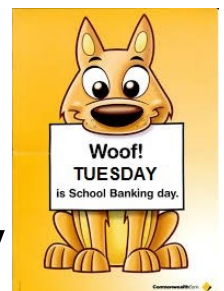
Thursday 14th June 2018

2.30pm in the Library



Library Day is Friday

School Banking Day is Tuesday



Wyangala Bonfire & Fireworks Spectacular 2018

Proudly sponsored by
Cowra Tourism
Corporation

Sunday of this
June Long Weekend

Matt Morrison Oval, Sixth Avenue, Wyangala



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ACTIVE KIDS ARE SMARTER KIDS

FRIDAY 18 MAY 2018

Until they're ten, children must always hold
an adult's hand when crossing the road



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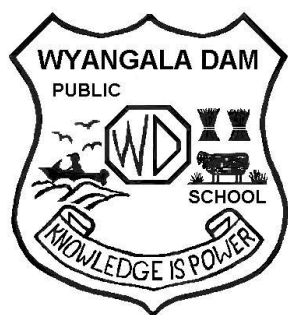


Messages to share with your children in Kindergarten to Year 2

- Hold a grown up's hand when:
 - you cross the road
 - you're on the footpath
 - you're in a car park
- Hold an adult's hand when you cross the road

Messages to share with children in Years 3 to 6

- Use a safe place to cross the road
- **Stop! Look! Listen! Think!** every time you cross the road and keep checking until safely across



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Dear Parents/Caregivers,

The annual Cowra Small Schools' Athletic Carnival will be held on Friday 18th May 2018. Details regarding the Athletic Carnival are as follows:

<u>Date</u> –	Friday 18 th May 2018
<u>Time</u> –	Arrive at oval from 8:45am, Carnival will start at 9:00am.
<u>Where</u> –	Twigg Oval, Taralga Street, Cowra
<u>Who</u> –	All students K-6
<u>Transport</u> –	Private vehicle to be organised by parents
<u>Uniform</u> –	School Uniform and sneakers
<u>What to bring</u> –	Hat, sunscreen, jackets, jumpers, beanies, gloves, lots of water, recess and lunch. Koorawatha Public School P&C will also be operating a canteen on the day. See attached order form

Please note that ALL events will be timed finals. There will be novelty games and races throughout the day. The first TWO placegetters in each event will qualify for the Cowra District Athletics Carnival to be held in Cowra on Friday 10th August 2018.

Parents are asked to assist with transporting children to the oval, as well as supervising their child during the day, as all staff will be involved in carnival jobs. There will be no staff present at school, and it is expected that all students will attend the athletic carnival.

Please complete the attached permission note and return to school by Wednesday 16th May 2018.

Kind Regards,
Mrs Sue Clark
Acting Principal



COWRA SMALL SCHOOLS' ATHLETIC CARNIVAL PERMISSION NOTE

I _____ give permission for my child/children _____

to attend the Cowra Small Schools' Athletic Carnival on Friday 18th May 2018. I understand that transporting my child to and from the carnival is my responsibility and I will also be responsible for supervising my child whilst at the carnival.

My child has the following special/medical needs - _____

I consent to my child/children receiving emergency care if required.

Signed _____

Date _____

Koorawatha Public School P & C Athletics Carnival Canteen

Friday 18th May, 2018/ Alternate Date Tuesday 22nd May, 2018

For those wanting to order lunches there will be a meal deal Package as shown on the order form at the bottom of the page. There will be food available on the day including:

Sausage Sandwiches

Steak Sandwiches

Chips and Lollies

Rocky-Road

Slices

Soft Drinks, Poppers and water

Jelly cups

Also there will be a 100 club for anyone interested.

To order the Meal deal please return your orders to school on Monday 14th collate and have to Koorawatha School by Tuesday 15th May for shopping purposes.

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Cowra Athletics Carnival Lunch order Meal Deal

Name:..... School:

Sausage Sandwich – one sausage on Bread	
Onion Yes / No	
Sauce Tomato / BBQ / None	\$5.00
Popper Orange / Apple	
Chocolate Treat	

Please circle your selections

Canteen Menu

Steak Sandwich\$5.00

Sausage Sandwich.....\$3.00

Kids Lunch Packs (Sausage Sandwich,

Popper and Freddo Frog)\$5.00

Chips (All varieties).....\$2.50

Cans of Drink.....\$2.50

Poppers\$1.50

Water\$2.00

Coffee/Tea.....\$2.00

Cakes/Slices.....\$2.00

Lolly Bags.....\$2.00

Rocky Road (Homemade).....\$3.00

Jelly Cups.....\$1.00

Thank you for your support

SELECTION CRITERIA FOR COWRA & DISTRICT ATHLETICS TRIALS

Children, 8 years—13 years will be selected for the Cowra & District Athletics trials based on finishing first or second in each age division for the 100m running event (8,9,10,11,12,13 years)

1st and 2nd competitors in the 200m, 800m, and ALL Field events will be selected in the following age divisions Junior (8,9 or 10), 11 Years or Senior (12,13 Years)

Qualifying heights exist for High Jump competitors.

POINTS SCORES FOR CARNIVAL

5 points = 1st in Final 3 points = 2nd in Final

1 points = 3rd in Final

All children who enter an event will score participation points for their school

REMINDERS

DO NOT take children to school. Please go directly to Twigg Oval, Taragala Street, Cowra and pick up children in the afternoon from the oval.

DO bring or send along the following:

Food
Drinks
Hats and Sunscreen
Parents and Friends

Koorawatha P&C will be running a canteen on the day. Canteen Orders and Price Lists have been distributed to schools.

If the weather is looking doubtful, please listen to ABC 549, 2LF or 2GZ Radio station from 7:30am onwards for any cancellation notices.

COWRA SMALL SCHOOLS' ATHLETICS CARNIVAL PROGRAM 2018

**Welcome to the Cowra Small Schools'
2018 Athletics Carnival!**

Friday 18th May or

Tuesday 22nd May

2018

The Carnival will begin at 9.00 am SHARP
with the March Past



Children are encouraged to participate in both competitive and non-competitive events throughout the day.

PSSA Eligible Competitors - These are children who have, or will turn 8 years or older in 2018. PSSA events include all 100m, 200m, 800m, High Jump, Long Jump, Shot Putt, Discus and Relay events.

**CHILDREN COMPETE IN THE AGE GROUP THEY HAVE,
OR WILL TURN IN 2018**

Participating Schools include:

Gooloogong, Greenethorpe Holmwood, Holman
Place, Koorawatha, Rye Park, Woodstock and
Wyangala Dam

Athletics Carnival ~ Order of Events Program

Midget Track Events

Event	Age Races	Distance	Lanes
M1	5 Years Girls	70m	3 to 8
M2	5 Years Boys	70m	3 to 8
M3	6 Years Girls	70m	3 to 8
M4	6 Years Boys	70m	3 to 8
M5	7 Years Girls	70m	3 to 8
M6	7 Years Boys	70m	3 to 8
M7	Midget Relays	70m	3 to 8

inclusive of Holman Place

M8	Midget Tabloids
run to lunch only	

The 800m races run at the same time as the Midgets age races

Primary Track Events		
Event	800m	Distance Lanes
1	Senior Girls	800m 1 & 2
2	Senior Boys	800m 1 & 2
3	11yr Girls	800m 1 & 2
4	11yr Boys	800m 1 & 2
5	Junior Girls	800m 1&2
6	Junior Boys	800m 1&2

Field Events Program

Rotations

Events 28	1	2	3
Juniors (8,9,10 yrs)	LJ	SP	HJ
11 Years	HJ	LJ	SP
Seniors (12/13 yrs)	SP	HJ	LJ

Discus

Competitors perform discus inbetween HJ, LJ & SP

Primary 100m Races

22	9 Years Boys	100m	L1-8
23	8 Years Girls	100m	L1-8
24	8 Years Boys	100m	L1-8

25 Small Schools' Relay [A]

Consists of the 4 fastest runners from your school. These may be all seniors or a combination of Junior and Senior
P6/P5 Winners to Region
Overall winner = CSSA trophy

Small Schools' Relay [B]

for fun

26	Junior [B]	4x100m
27	Senior [B]	4x100m

Primary 200m & 100m Races

7	Senior Girls	200m	L1-8
8	Senior Boys	200m	L1-8
9	11 Years Girls	200m	L1-8
10	11 Years Boys	200m	L1-8
11	Junior Girls	200m	L1-8
12	Junior Boys	200m	L1-8
13	13 Years Girls	100m	L1-8
14	13 Years Boys	100m	L1-8
15	12 Years Girls	100m	L1-8
16	12 Years Boys	100m	L1-8
17	11 Years Girls	100m	L1-8
18	11 Years Boys	100m	L1-8
19	10 Years Girls	100m	L1-8
20	10 Years Boys	100m	L1-8
21	9 Years Girls	100m	L1-8