

WYANGALA DAM PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Term 1 of 2019

Week 11
 10th April 2019



Dear Parents, Carers and Community Members,



Week 11 is upon us, and I think we are all looking forward to a break! The students and staff finish up on Friday 12th April, with staff returning on Monday 29th April, and students coming back on Tuesday 30th April.

Monday 29th April is a Staff Development Day, however, no-one will be at school on this day. Lea will be in Orange for Professional Development and I will be travelling to Newcastle with Mrs Tracy from Holmwood Public School for training in the Quality Teaching Rounds, which will see our cohort of small schools (Holmwood, Koorawatha, Gooloogong, and Wyangala) working together to continue to review and improve our teaching practice.



The students participated in a video conference with Carcoar Public School to round out the unit on mini beasts. Next term should be a cracker, as we learn all about toys!

Share Our Space

Your school is a vital part of our community, and we want you to use it.



In these holidays, as part of the Share Our Space campaign, our school grounds will

be open to the public, 8am – 6pm, every day between Saturday 13th April and Friday 26th April. I hope you enjoy using the grounds during the holiday period.

Dates to Remember

April

- 12th PJ Day for Asthma
- 12th Last Day of Term 1
- 19th Good Friday
- 22nd Easter Monday
- 25th Anzac Day
- 29th Staff Development Day
- 30th First Day Term 2

May

- 3rd Responsible Pet Education Program
- 10th District Cross Country
- 13th-17th NAPLAN
- 17th Walk Safely to School
- 21st GRIP Leadership conference
- 22nd National Simultaneous Storytime
- 24th CSSSA Athletics Carnival
- 31st Back Up - CSSSA Athletics Carnival

June

- 9th Wyangala Fireworks
- 10th Queen's Birthday

July

- 5th Last Day of Term 2
- 22nd First Day of Term 3



These holidays are very exciting for me, as I head off to Korea with a group of 19 Principals, including Mrs Williams from Woodstock, to participate in a Study Tour. We will be visiting a number of Korean educational institutions on our 10 day tour. This will be a wonderful opportunity to see another country's school system.

ANZAC Day falls in the second week of the holidays. Our students are working on some artworks to honour our servicemen and women, past and present. We will be displaying some at the Wyangala Country Club. I don't think I will be able to attend the Dawn Service at Wyangala this year, as I will have just arrived back in Australia. I will attend the Dawn Service in my home town, with my family, remembering the members of our family who have served over the years.



I wish you a safe and relaxing break and look forward to another hectic, but fun term!

As always, have a great week!

Sue Clark
Relieving Principal

Hope everyone has and is
having a great week >^^<

Wyangala Dam Parent's & Citizens' Committee
Thank you to the committee for continuing in their roles.

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**





Asthma Australia

Ever woke up and wished you could just stay in your PJs all day? Well now you can, all while helping out people with asthma.

Friday 12th April 2019

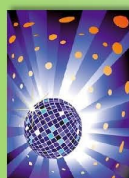
Wear your PJs for the day and make a donation to participate

*Cowra & Young Family Connections and Ability Links NSW
invite you to get your groove on and join us for an
all inclusive...*

FAMILY DISCO



**Thursday 18th
April 2019**



Where: Cowra Civic Theatre — 77 Darling Street Cowra
(fully accessible venue)

Time: 5pm-6:30pm (followed by a free sausage sizzle)

Who: Children 12yrs and under with a parent or
guardian (Parents and guardians must stay at the event)

COST: FREE

Please purchase your free ticket through the eventbrite.com.au
website by searching Eventbrite Cowra Family Disco!!

For more information please contact Kim Henry on 0418 115 383



Wyangala Country Club P & C Meat Raffle Friday 26th April 2019 6.00pm

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.



Operation Art is coming to Cowra Regional Art Gallery

We are holding full day visual arts workshops for students in Stages 1-3.

Presented by specialist teachers, workshops cover topic areas including painting, printing, drawing, mixed media and sculpture. Workshops are designed to extend skills and artmaking experiences beyond the classroom.

Stage 1 - (Year 1 & 2) - Monday 1 July 2019

Stage 2 - (Year 3 & 4) - Tuesday 2 July 2019

Stage 3 - (Year 5 & 6) - Wednesday 3 July 2019

PLACES ARE LIMITED!

BOOKINGS CLOSE FRIDAY 21 JUNE 2019 UNLESS FILLED PRIOR

HOW TO BOOK:

1. Parents visit the Arts Unit website to complete the online enrolment form to book a place <https://www.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/visual-arts/operation-art/operation-art-student-workshops>
2. Download the 'Permission Checklist' and 'Permission to Publish Form' and return to Operation Art - Locked Bag 1500, Petersham NSW 2049 by the closing date, Friday 21 June 2019
3. Use the following link to make payment before Friday 21 June 2019. Please select 'Program: Visual Arts' and 'Payment for: Operation Art Workshops' in the drop down menus <https://www.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/student/payment>

For Further Information Email: opart.artsunit@det.nsw.edu.au

COST: \$50.60 (incl GST) per student per day

VENUE: Cowra Regional Art Gallery
77 Darling Street, Cowra NSW 2794

TIME: 9:00am - 2:30pm

SUPERVISION: Students are supervised by Operation Art tutors from the Department of Education. Teachers are not required to attend workshops.

Students participate in 3 workshops including mixed media, printmaking and sculpture. All materials provided.

Please arrive to collect your child at 2:30pm for a presentation of the day's work

WHAT TO BRING/WEAR:

Closed in shoes are required - wear comfortable art making clothing and paint shirt
Ensure student name is marked on belongings & leave unnecessary valuables at home
Bring carry bag to help take your artwork home
Please bring recess and lunch. Do not bring food containing nuts.

CONTACT DETAILS:

Heidi Windeisen
Operation Art Project Officer
Ph: (02) 8512 1195

WORKSHOP / BOOKING ENQUIRIES:

Visual Arts Support Officer
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Email: opart.artsunit@det.nsw.edu.au

Partners



Wyangala Dam Social Golf Club

Easter Classic

Saturday, April 20th, 2019



18 hole 2 person Ambrose Event

Make up your own team, or we can get you a partner on the day.

Registration: 9:30am

Tee-off: 10am First 9 holes
12:30pm BBQ Lunch
1:30pm Back 9 holes

Cost: \$15 includes golf & lunch

Prizes: Winner & Runner up, Nearest the Pin, Novelty Events

Come & enjoy a fun golf day & a delicious lunch

BYO DRINKS

Contact: Julie Taylor taylor18951@gmail.com

Tel: 0263220439

The more you earn, the more they learn

It's easy to Earn & Learn. Just get everyone you can earning as many stickers as possible. You can then redeem these stickers for your choice of over 10,000 different pieces of brand new equipment.

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Back in 2017, over 15,000 schools and Early Learning Centres earned over 300,000 pieces of brand new school equipment for kids all over Australia.

This year, we're proud to once again be partnering with Australia's biggest supplier of resources for schools, Modern Teaching Aids. This means you'll once again have access to a huge range of new equipment. You can choose whatever it is that you need, across every possible category including ICT, science, sports, mathematics, arts and crafts and more.



Anyone can help you Earn & Learn

Earn & Learn only runs for a limited time, so spread the word and get everyone helping you collect stickers: kids, parents, grandparents, staff, neighbours and friends.

It's easy for everyone to stick together



Between 1 May and 25 June 2019, collect as many stickers as you can.



Stick them on the supplied posters or sticker sheets. Don't forget, you can always download and print extra sticker sheets at teaching.com.au



This time, you just need to count them up and let us know how many you've got. But it's important that you hang on to your stickers until your new equipment arrives.



FREE

Join our Easter Family Night



Thursday 11th April 5-7pm

Bring the family along for a great night of fun!

- Easter D.I.Y. Workshops
- Visit from Easter Bunny
- Fun Easter egg hunt
- Easter activities for the whole family
- Light refreshments will be provided



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BUNNINGS



Share Our Space

Your school is a vital part of our community, and we want you to use it. During these upcoming holidays participating schools across NSW will be opening up their play areas for your enjoyment.

**For more details visit
schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au**

Tell us what you think about the Share Our Space program by visiting: goo.gl/iBv3x2

This pilot is an initiative of the NSW Government.



Share our space

Your school is a vital part of our community, and we want you to use it. This play area is open daily over the holiday break from 8am. Gates will be locked at 5pm.

To ensure everyone's enjoyment, we ask that you follow these rules:

- ⊗ No fires
- ⊗ No littering or depositing of any material
- ⊗ No damage to school facilities
- ⊗ No unauthorised vehicles
- ⊗ No alcohol
- ⊗ No smoking
- ⊗ No animals, including leashed dogs
- No motorised skateboards/scooters/motorised vehicles/motorbikes/earth-moving vehicles
- No hawking or trading
- No activities that may interfere with the comfort, convenience and safety of the public
- No offensive or disorderly behaviour
- No meetings, public addresses, performances or organised activities without the school's written permission

These facilities are unsupervised. If you observe anyone violating these rules, call 1300 88 00 21.

In case of emergency, call 000.

This pilot project is an initiative of the NSW Government.



WYANGALA MEMORIAL CENOTAPH ANZAC DAY DAWN SERVICE



Thursday 25th April from 5.30am

Join us for breakfast afterwards

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