Dear Parents / Carers

Swimming Champions

Congratulations to our school swim team who were named Wallarah Bay Champions last Wednesday at the Zone Carnival!

School Photos—March 25

All class photos Kindergarten—Year 5 and family photos will be taken on Tuesday March 25. Today you will receive your photo envelopes which need to be returned to school on Photo Day. Year 6 photos and group photos will be taken in Term 3. Family Photo envelopes are available from the office.

Stewart House

Each year 1,800 public school children in need go to Stewart House from many parts of NSW and the ACT. During their stay, children are provided with optometric, dental and medical treatment as well as emotional support. This is balanced with health and educational programs and out of school activities to boost their self-esteem and to promote a healthier lifestyle. Each year we have the opportunity to nominate children to attend Stewart House. Isaac L from 5/6D attended Stewart House earlier this term and he has written a report for us about his stay.

Stewart House—A Magical Place

Stewart House is a place to be yourself and have fun. It makes you healthy also makes sure you are happy. Stewart House takes you to lots of places like the Power House Museum, The Great Moscow Circus, Taronga Zoo and so many more. Stewart House is a great place they give sad and troubled kids a holiday. I had the best time. By Isaac L

Scooters, Bikes and Skateboards

Just a reminder that scooters and skateboards are not allowed to be ridden to school. Bikes need to be wheeled in from Warnervale Rd entrance and helmets must always be worn. Students must be 10 years old to ride their bike to school. Younger students are permitted to ride as long as they are accompanied by an adult. Bikes must be stored on the bike racks each day.

Parent / Teacher Interviews

Please mark Wednesday April 2 in your diaries. We will be holding a Parent / Teacher Interview evening.

Harmony Day

Warnervale is celebrating Harmony Day this year on March 21. The day will provide a wide range of experiences including cooking, drumming, bamboo dancing, puppet making, calligraphy and International soccer. Families are welcome to spend time with their children. Our Harmony Day assembly will be held in the hall at 9:30 am

Website

Please take a moment to access the school website. Our class pages have been updated with some new information. Remember the Wordabout and all notes are uploaded each Wednesday.

Just log on to: www.warnervale-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Regards,

Ms Jill Carter
Principal
Student Representative Council 2014


Last week the SRC voted to raise money for the following organisations, Stewart House, Guide Dogs Australia and Camp Breakaway. Badges will be presented to SRC members during Week 8 at our Year 2—6 assembly on the 17th March. All parents are welcome Mrs Markulin & Mrs Buckton

Life Education

Please note payment of $9 is required for Life Education. The permission notes are on our website. Just a reminder that if you want to purchase any Harold Merchandise you will need to send money in with students on the day they will be attending the Life Education Session. See following timetable:

Wednesday 12th March 2H, 1P, 1HD, 4B
Thursday 13th March 6PC, 1J, 4C
Monday 17th March 5/6D, 1NC, 5C
Tuesday 18th March 3S, 2/3WM
Wednesday 19th March 2M, 3P + Parent session 2.15pm—2.45pm
Thursday 20th March 4/5M, 6K
Friday 21st March KO, KW, KHD

WPS Art Expo

In conjunction with our Harmony Day celebrations every class has created a spectacular Harmony-themed artwork. During Week 8 the library will be hosting the expo before and after school. All money raised will go towards our fantastic Harmony Day activities. Can’t attend the expo but still want to purchase your child’s artwork? Send the money with your child in an envelope marked – Art Expo, student’s name and class during the week.

When: Week 8 – Tuesday 18 March, Wednesday 19 March and Thursday 20 March.
Morning session 8:45am - 9:10am
Afternoon session 2:45pm - 3:15pm.
Where: The Library Cost: Gold coin

Book Club

Please return your orders complete with the correct money to school by Wednesday 19th March.

ZONE SWIMMING

Last Wednesday 21 students represented Warnervale at the Zone Swimming Carnival. Results of finals are as follows:

- Georgia M – 2nd Jnr IM, 1st Jnr Butterfly, 1st Jnr Backstroke, 2nd Jnr Relay – JUNIOR CHAMPION
- Zoe N – 7th 50m Freestyle, 3rd Jnr Butterfly, 2nd Jnr Relay
- Maddison B – 8th 50m Freestyle
- Ashley W – 5th 50m Freestyle, 2nd 11yr Backstroke, 2nd Snr Relay
- Cade M – 3rd 50m Freestyle, 3rd Jnr Backstroke, 4th Jnr Butterfly
- Rebecca W – 4th Jnr Backstroke, 4th Jnr Breaststroke, 2nd Snr Relay
- Lachlan M – 7th 50m Freestyle, 4th Snr Breaststroke, 2nd Snr Relay
- Brock R – 1st Snr IM, 1st Snr Breaststroke, 2nd Snr Backstroke, 1st Snr Butterfly, 1st 50m Freestyle, 1st 100m Freestyle 2nd Snr Relay – SENIOR CHAMPION
- Charlotte A – 1st Snr IM, 2nd Snr Breaststroke, 1st Snr Backstroke, 1st Snr Butterfly, 1st 50m Freestyle, 1st 100m Freestyle, 3rd Snr Relay – SENIOR CHAMPION
- Casey M – 2nd Jnr Relay
- Maya H – 3rd Snr Relay
- Jessica S – Snr Relay
- Holly G – Snr Relay
- Brodie W – Snr Relay

As you can see it was a very successful day and as such we were named ZONE CHAMPIONS. This is a fantastic effort and all 21 students need to feel very proud of the results they have achieved. We would like to wish those students who are representing Wallarah Zone at the Sydney North Carnival all the best.

Class lists

KO Matilda U / Jayde D, Ann F KW Kaitlyn C, Domenic Mc, Krystal M K/1HD Kylah H / Jye R
1J Hannah C / Tiarna M / Clarke P 1P Marli S / Koby H / Romy L 1NC Zach A / Mercades N / Kai Mc
2H Rhiannon P / Enanalyse O / Imarni S 2M Angel F / Tamzyn F / Ella E 2/3MW Jack B

Life Education 2014

A parent session will be held on Wednesday 19th March from 2.15pm to 2.45pm in the van. Everyone is welcome!
Come along and learn more about the relevant topics the Life Education Program explores.

I _________________________ will be attending the Parent Information Session on Wednesday 19th March