Dear Parents / Carers

Education Week 2014

Education week is an opportunity to celebrate the wonderful things that happen in our public schools each and every day. At Warnervale we are focussing our activities this week on Science and Technology. We look forward to many of you joining us tomorrow for our Crazy Science Day. Students can dress as a mad scientist for a gold coin donation. Join us as all classes are involved in Science activities within their stage groups. Our Year 1—6 classrooms will be open from 10.15 am —1.45 pm. Our Kindergarten rooms welcome visitors from 11.45 am —1.45 pm.

Public Speaking Assembly

Congratulations to the following students who are our 2014 Public Speaking Finalists:

Early Stage 1: Amelia W, Sana K
Stage 1: Austin R, Chelsea R
Stage 2: Billy C, Milly P
Stage 3: Georgia N, Laila J

Please join us on Monday for our K—6 Assembly at 2.15 pm. Our school Public Speaking finalists will present their speeches to the school community before they attend the Regional Finals.

You Can Do It

Our playground has some bright, colourful new signs. We are going to create a special new garden to set this area off. The 5 Keys to Success are the major components of our You Can Do It program: Persistence, Organisation, Getting Along, Resilience and Confidence.

Peanut Allergy

Peanut allergy is an increasingly common food allergy, especially in children. The allergy is seen in about one in 50 children and one in 200 adults. It is the allergy most likely to cause anaphylaxis (sever allergic reaction) and death. There are students who attend our school who have peanut allergy. At Warnervale there are no peanut products in the school canteen. I would like to encourage you to support this decision as you pack lunches for your children.

Kindergarten 2015

We are in the process of planning for 2015. We will be holding a Kindergarten Transition program on the following dates October 10, 17, 24 and 31. Children will attend school each week from 9.15—11 am. If you have a child who will be turning five before 31st July 2015, please pick up an enrolment form from the office. If you know of any children in your street who will be ready to begin school please advise their parents to contact the office to pick up an enrolment form.

Regards,

Ms Jill Carter
Principal
RELAY TRAINING
Hamlyn Terrace Oval has been booked for the next four Fridays for relay training. It will take place during the lunch break. If your child has been selected to represent Warnervale in a relay at Zone Athletics please ensure they wear appropriate footwear and bring a drink bottle on these days. *Ms Davies*

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS 2015
We are now accepting Kindergarten enrolments for 2015. If you have a friend, relative, neighbour or know of someone with a child who will be starting Kindergarten in 2015 and lives in the Hamlyn Terrace/Warnervale area please remind them to contact the school on 4392 1358 or call in to the office to collect an enrolment package.

YEAR 6 CAPA GATS
A reminder that Year 6 Capa Gats applications close this week for Wadalba Community School 2015. Auditions will be held on the 6th August.

ROBOTICS
Year 3 were the first year to attend the robotics workshops on Monday morning and really enjoyed their action-packed activities. They programmed their robots to draw shapes, letters and lines. They were then given the challenge to program their robots to navigate around a race track and make it to the finish line as fast they could.

All teachers were very proud of the students’ behaviour and commitment to succeed in the challenges!

PLANET ARKS NATIONAL SCHOOLS TREE DAY
On Friday 25th July 1J and 5C students teamed up to plant lots of flowering shrubs near the new demountable and in other existing gardens. Well done to all of the children for their teamwork. Thank you to the parents who came to assist the students and Mr Garry for his continued support.

*Mrs Clarke and Mrs Jacobs*