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Term 3 Week 2

Newsletter

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Principal Message



WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to Term 3 and another busy term! Students are very settled and have immersed themselves straight back into learning. This term promises to be an important one with many events planned such as, Education Week, Book Week, choir and high school transition to name a few activities.

It was so lovely to be back at work this week and see all of the faces I have missed for the past 6 weeks. I missed the teachers, parents and most importantly the students. It has also been great to get into classrooms and see the fantastic learning happening across the school. I look forward to working alongside teachers in classrooms and see where the future takes us at Warilla North Public School.



ENROLMENTS 2020

We are now accepting enrolments for Kindergarten 2020. All non-local applications must be considered by the school's enrolment panel, according to the Department of Education's policy and are subject to selection criteria such as availability of appropriate staff and classroom accommodation. Our office staff have a copy of the boundary maps if you are unsure.

The Department of Education enforces the policy that children who are enrolling must be known by the name that appears on their birth certificate, unless the parent enrolling the child can demonstrate they are legally known by a new name. It is therefore essential that a child's birth certificate is presented to office staff for enrolment purposes. Immunisation records, birth certificates and proof of address must be sighted before children can commence in Kindergarten.

Transition this year will begin in Term 4 Week 7. The more information and confirmed enrolment numbers we have the smoother the transition can run.

Education Week 2019



Education Week is Week 3 Term 3 and our celebrations will include an assembly, choir performance and open classrooms just to name a few. Parents and carers are invited to attend. An Education Week Invitation was sent home with the students today. We are looking forward to seeing you.

VISITING THE SCHOOL



Just a quick reminder that if you are coming up to the school throughout the day you need to come to the office and sign in. All visitors will be given a visitor badge when they sign in. Visitors include parents, grandparents and carers. This is a Department of Education requirement and a way the school can ensure that we keep all the students safe.

ENTERING THE SCHOOL



All visitors including parents must enter the school via the admin gate after 9:30am and before 2:40pm . No access will be given to the new side entrance after or before these times.

Head Lice

Please check your child's hair for head lice tonight using the methods. If you find any eggs or lice please commence treatment as recommended.

Further information on head lice is available on the NSW Health website and the NSW Department of Education websites at: <http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/environment/headlice/Pages/treatment.aspx>



Head lice are extremely contagious and it really doesn't have anything to do with personal Hygiene...

95% of lice are transmitted through close contact, which means sharing hats, head bands and pillows—and to top it off with the no hat no play rule makes it even more difficult to control head lice.

Ensure that you are protected from head lice this season and take the necessary preventative steps to keep away head lice.

Below are 4 crucial steps to keep your school head lice free:

- ☑ Avoid sharing clothing: especially hats, ribbon, head bands and helmets
- ☑ Discourage children from playing with each other's hair
- ☑ Don't share brushes, combs, towels and pillows
- ☑ Keep long hair plaited or firmly tied back to prevent

contact from other kids

We hope that the above tips will help you keep head lice away for good!

For further information go to KP24.com.au to download fact sheet.

Coming Events – August

Weeks 3 & 4

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| Monday 5 August | Education Week Assembly 9:00-9:30am Open Classrooms 9:30-10:30am Free Sausage Sizzle 10:30-10:50am |
| Wednesday 7 August | Outdoor Literacy Activities 2:30-2:50pm |
| Thursday 8 August | Outdoor Maths Activities 2:30-2:50pm |
| Friday 9 August | Outdoor Indigenous Games 2:00-2:50pm |
| Tuesday 13 August | Stewart House Clothes Collection Due |
| Friday 16 August | District Athletics - Selected students |

Community News

Disclaimer: Warilla North Public School advertises in this column as a service to parents. Warilla North Public School does not endorse, sponsor or accept responsibility for the management or organisation of the advertised events or services.



The simplest way

... to pack a healthy lunch box

The average school child will eat more than 2,500 lunches during their 13 years at school.



Cancer Council's website healthylunchbox.com.au is a one-stop-shop for everything families need to know about packing a healthy lunch box.

Parents will find information on the five food groups, what constitutes a healthy lunch box, sandwich alternatives, sandwich filling ideas, snack ideas, swaps for unhealthy snack foods, recipes and tips. The website features an [interactive healthy lunch box builder](#) where parents can get their kids involved in planning the lunch box and choosing foods they will eat and enjoy.

healthylunchbox.com.au



FREE Information Sessions
Provided by **Uniting**

What is the NDIS and getting ready for your NDIS Planning meeting

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| WED 3 JULY | 10.30am to 12.15pm | Oak Flats Library |
| MON 19 AUG | 11.00am to 12.45pm | Albion Park Library |
| WED 18 SEPT | 5.30pm to 7.15pm | Shellharbour Civic Centre |

Using your NDIS plan

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| WED 17 JULY | 5.30pm to 7.15pm | Shellharbour Civic Centre |
| WED 14 AUG | 10.30am to 12.15pm | Oak Flats Library |
| MON 9 SEPT | 11.00am to 12.45pm | Albion Park Library |

Self-Managing your NDIS plan

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| MON 29 JULY | 11.00am to 12.45pm | Albion Park Library |
| WED 28 AUG | 5.30pm to 7.15pm | Shellharbour Civic Centre |
| WED 25 SEPT | 10.30am to 12.15pm | Oak Flats Library |

Spaces Limited - BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

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| To book phone... | Shellharbour Civic Centre Oak Flats Albion Park | Ph: 4221 6222 Ph: 4256 3772 Ph: 4256 2001 |
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If an Auslan interpreter is required please contact Uniting on 4253 6580.



Regular activities and events held at Warilla North BaptistCare Community Centre

Early Intervention programs

Playgroup Wednesday and Thursday at 10am-12pm weekly for parents & children 0-5 yrs.

- BAM Baby & Me Monday fortnightly 9.30-10.30am young mums under 25 yrs. with children 0-2 yrs.
- Dad's Connect: Support group for Dads with young children 0-5 yrs.

Tuesdays

Exercise Challenge with Sue Reid

- 9:30am-10:30am
- \$8

Toastie Tuesday:

- 11.30am-1pm
- \$2 for a toasted sandwich with ham/cheese/tomato and includes a coffee/tea

Fridays

Women's Social Group 10-12pm

3M Men's Social Group 6:30pm -9.00pm



BaptistCare
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E warillanorth@baptistcare.org.au
baptistcare.org.au

Contact us on 42987200 for more information on any of these events/programs

Other Services

- NILS- loans up to \$1500
- StepUp loans- up to \$3000
- EAPA- assistance with gas & electricity bills
- PAS- Payment Assistance Scheme Sydney Water
- Work Development Orders
- Community events & activities
- Breakfast club
- Born Again Op Shop

Wednesday

Walking group:

9am every Wednesday Meet at Lake Illawarra PCYC, Reddall Parade

Healthy Cities Tweens Drop-in:

3-4.30pm after School Program

The Movement Hampers:

- Every Friday
- 12.30pm-2.30pm
- Not-for-profit charity distributing free hampers
- Eligible to receive a hamper once a fortnight

Care you can trust.



Online bookings at libraries.shellharbour.nsw.gov.au



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LAKE ILLAWARRA ATHLETICS

2019-2020 Season Registration Information

Lake Illawarra Athletics Centre is entering its 49th year of competition, and our 2nd year with Athletics NSW

Registrations open on the 1st August 2019 and all registrations must be done online at <http://lakeillawarralac.net.au/registrations/>

COST

Tiny Tots and Under 6's—\$100.00*

Under 7's to 17's—\$120.00*

17's + start from as little as \$60.00

*registration fees will increase after the 1st October 2019

Please note that all registrations need to be completed and paid online

COME AND TRY NIGHTS

Come and try our centre before registering on the following nights:

Friday 23rd August 2019 from 5.15pm

Friday 30th August 2019 from 5.15pm

These nights are designed to give all athletes the chance to try events they may not know or do at school and for parents to ask questions of the committee. We will also take payments for online registrations.



WHO CAN DO ATHLETICS

Lake Illawarra is referred to as a one sport club.

We are the only one in the Illawarra/South Coast that caters for athletes of all ages on the same night.

Registrations start from 3 years of age until 99+

Athletes of all abilities and backgrounds are able to compete at our centre

We are an athletics centre for all the family.

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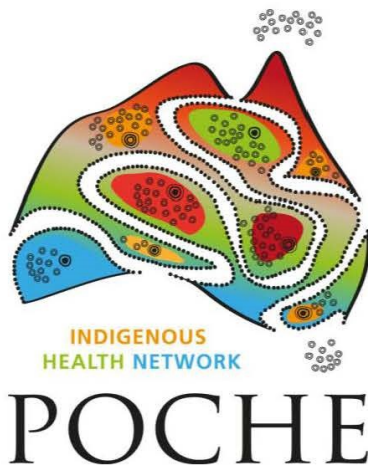
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The [Poche Indigenous Health Network](#) was created to help close the gap in life expectancy and achieve health equality for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. We hold two Key Thinkers Forums each year. Our next Key Thinkers Forum is on “**Ear Health in Aboriginal & Torres Strait Island People**”.

Ear health continues to be an issue with widespread long-term effects on overall health and lifestyle in the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population. We are coming together to talk about what needs to be done to change this.



THE UNIVERSITY OF
SYDNEY



KEY THINKERS FORUM

Ear Health in Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander People



When

Tuesday, 6th August 2019

09:00 – 12:30

Lunch will be provided

Where

Ground Floor Seminar Room

Room 203

RD Watt Building (H04)

University of Sydney

NSW, 2006

More information

poche.admin@sydney.edu.au

02 9114 0829

Register

Information on how to register.

www.tinyurl.com/KTF-earhealth

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Panel Members

- Carmen Parter
- Prof. Dennis McDermott
- Prof. Kelvin Kong
- Samantha Harkus
- Facilitated by Prof. Tom Calma (AO)



SOUTHERN STARS COMES ALIVE IN 2019 – Tickets on sale!

Last week Southern Stars 2019 **COME ALIVE** was officially launched at the BlueScope Visitors Centre in Wollongong, where Executive Producer, Paul Roger, announced the theme, and that tickets were officially on sale to the public.

There were some fantastic performances from our featured artists offering a sneak peek of some of the great items from this year's show. Our 4 Tenors in particular really made an impact, bringing the audience to tears – it was incredible!

The show once again will have something for everyone. The theme and show segments are all based around how students come alive when they perform.

It's the biggest show in the history of Southern Stars with over 3,000 students from over 100 schools in the Illawarra and around NSW. The students will take part in a world-class two hour arena style variety show that will feature pop, country, rock, and opera.

COME ALIVE includes two circus troupes, audience favourites - the NSW Public School Millennial Marching Band, a 600 strong choir, rock band, our Aboriginal dance ensemble, massive student orchestra, the Black Swans with an original item based on stories of the Illawarra, 2000 dancers, amazingly talented featured artists, the signing choir and disABILITY students fully integrated with our drama students and vocalists, and much more.

As in past years, community support of Southern Stars is vital to ensure its success, and the easiest way of showing your support is by attending one of the four blockbuster shows.

It doesn't matter if you know anyone performing in the show or not – Southern Stars is a high energy spectacle which provides great entertainment for people of all ages. The talent, energy and enthusiasm of our students, is something not to be missed. Anyone who has attended a show says so!

Over 12,000 people are expected to attend the four performances at the WIN Entertainment Centre in Wollongong on Friday August 23 (10am and 7.30pm) and Saturday August 24 (2pm and 7.30pm) - make sure you are one of them!

Please note that tickets should be purchased **only** through the official ticket booking site of Ticketmaster. <http://ticketmaster.com.au>

You can stay informed about what's coming up in the show, by visiting our Facebook page **Southern Stars – The Arena Spectacular** and Instagram **@southernstarsarespectacular**. Please like us and share the stories and pictures with all your friends and family.



ILLAWARRA SPORTSHIGH

SUPPORTING TALENTED ATHLETES THROUGH EDUCATION

2019 Sports Program Year 6 Trials

Trials are open to year 6 students looking to enrol in year 7, 2020 and students currently in years 7 - 10 for enrolment in 2020. Athletes must be enrolled in a community club. Register online www.illawarrasports.h.schools.nsw.gov.au

 A collage of circular images showing various sports activities: a person surfing, a person playing netball, a person playing basketball, and a person playing soccer.

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| Rugby League Rugby Union Touch & Tag Sydney FC Football FSC Football | Wednesday 14 th August 8.00am - 11.30pm Illawarra Sports High School Gym | Hockey Surfing Netball Basketball |
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