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THE WARATAH WEEKLY

Endless is the Victory



Happy or Sad?

What kind of day are you having today? Are you happy or sad?

I know that God wants me to be a better person.

Sometimes I feel like I am making a difference. Sometimes I do what I know God would want me to do and I feel happy. Other times, I try to be a better person but I make mistakes. Sometimes I do things or think things that I know makes God sad. That makes me sad too.

The Bible tells me - think about things that are right, pure and lovely.

Philippians 4:8 Finally, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable - if anything is excellent or praiseworthy - think about such things. Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me - put into practice. And the God of peace be with you.

If today's thoughts are tomorrow's actions, then how are your thoughts going? Do you think too much about sad things? Are you sad when other people do things well? If this is you, then the older you get, the sadder you will get. God asks us in the Bible to think about those things that will improve us. He asks us to set aside our sad thoughts BUT to then fill the space with good things - with noble, pure, admirable and praiseworthy things.

Think of the people you admire. Is it the sad person who says bad things about other people? I think not. Is it the happy person: The person who sees the possibilities in situations, the thinker, the dreamer, who keeps on keeping on when the goal is noble and worth the pursuit: The person who seeks God and encourages others to do so by word and by action - I think so: This person is worth looking up to. Perhaps this person is you. If it is - keep it up - you are what makes this place special.

There was a lady in the Bible and her name was Sarah. It is a real story about a real person. She was sad because she wanted to have a baby. After many years of trying to have a baby, she gave up. She was too old and her husband was too old. But, God promised Sarah that she would have a son. This made Sarah laugh.

"How can this be?" asked Sarah. I am too old. But God kept His promise. God always does.



But Genesis 21 tells us that -

⁵ Abraham was a hundred years old when his son Isaac was born to him. ⁶ Sarah said, "God has brought me laughter, and everyone who hears about this will laugh with me." ⁷ And she added, "Who would have said to Abraham that Sarah would nurse children? Yet I have borne him a son in his old age."

Sarah had a child when she was 91. She named her son Isaac which means laughter. Sarah was happy that, after so many years, she now had a son. Sarah was happy that she was so loved by God that He would be so kind to her.

Like Sarah, God will never leave us, even when we are sad ...

... and that should make us happy



College Event Calendar - Terms 2 & 3

College

Friday, 5 July

Last Day of Term 2

College Event Calendar - Term 3

College

Monday, 29 July

Monday, 5 August

Saturday, 24 August

Wednesday, 28 August

Monday, 2 September

Friday, 6 September

Saturday, 7 September

Saturday, 14 September

Friday, 27 September

First Day of Term 3

P&F Meeting

Working Bee

College Council Meeting

P&F Meeting

Family Chapel

Year 12, 2009 Reunion

Country Fair

Last Day of Term 3

Primary

Friday, 9 August

Tuesday, 13 August

Thursday, 15 August

Friday, 16 August

Wed, 21 Aug - Fri, 23 Aug

Friday, 23 August

Wed, 4 Sep - Wed, 11 Sept

Thursday, 5 September

Thursday, 12 September

Tuesday, 24 September

Book Week - Librarian Visit (Years 5 and 6)

Primary Learning Assembly

Primary NASSA Athletics

Book Week Performance

Great Book Swap

Year 5 Camp

Book Parade

Scholastic Book Fair

Grandparents' Day

Primary CIS Athletics

Primary Learning Assembly

Secondary

Wednesday, 31 July

Mon, 5 Aug - Mon, 19 Aug

Wednesday, 7 August

Thursday, 8 August

Friday, 16 August

Wednesday, 21 August

Thurs, 29 - Fri, 31 Aug

Thursday, 5 September

Friday, 6 September

Monday, 9 September

Mon, 16 - Mon, 23 Sept

Thursday, 26 September

Friday, 27 September

Years 7-10 Parent-Teacher Evening

HSC Trial Examinations

Years 7-10 Parent-Teacher Evening

NASSA Secondary Soccer Gala Day

NASSA Secondary AFL Gala Day

Vietnam Mission

Silver/Gold D of E Expedition

Year 7 Vaccinations Visit 2

Year 7 Taster Day

AICES Athletics

Year 11 Exams

Year 12 Graduation Assembly

Year 12 Formal



PASTORAL CARE T-12



Anxiety Presentations and Workshops

All Year 7 students have recently participated in a presentation on Anxiety. The focus of this is to normalize anxiety and make students aware that anxiety is something that everyone experiences. It is also the focus that for some students anxiety is something that can become problematic if the student isn't equipped with strategies to manage it from becoming a concern.

At WAC we have developed a program that attempts to address anxiety in a proactive manner. This involves this initial presentation to all students with students having the ability then as part of a feedback form to indicate whether they feel they could do with some further support in this area. Students can self identify, parents can nominate their child or staff may also provide feedback around students who would benefit from additional support. Students who indicate they would benefit from additional support can participate in a six week workshop program that can be viewed below

- Session 1 Identifying specific anxiety triggers
- Session 2 Thinking strategies for anxiety
- Session 3 Breathing and movement strategies for anxiety
- Session 4 Behavioural exposure to fight fear in an achievable way
- Session 5 Identifying strengths and promoting assertiveness
- Session 6 Preparing for the future

At the conclusion of the six week program to ensure ongoing support for the nominated students, students will be followed up to monitor their progress via reunion groups that take place once or twice a Term. This is to follow-up with students regarding the use of the strategies that they have been taught and to reassure them that the support does not end at the conclusion of the six week program.

The presentations and workshops are run by our Learning and Pastoral Care Advisor Miss Lize Booy.

If you have any questions about the program or your child's involvement please feel free to contact me at the College.

Family Chapel Food Drive

Thanks to all families that attended and donated to support WAC Cares on the night of the Family Chapel. The following is a breakdown of the scores that contribute in points to the Overall House Shield.

1st Grevillea	437
2nd Sollya	352
3rd Wollemi	279
4th Telopea	274
5th Acacia	175

Mr Liam Toland
Director of Pastoral Care T-12



College Hours

Monday - Friday 8.00 am - 4.30 pm

The College Office is open during the
Holidays

PASTORAL MATTERS - MIDDLE YEARS 5-8



Holiday Screen Time

Many parents have fond memories of analogue, summer holidays spent unplugged and engaging in life's simple pleasures - outdoor play, ice creams, hours spent at the pool or beach, camping trips and unstructured time with family and friends. However, school holidays today are markedly different - they're often synonymous with screen-time stress for parents.

Parents face two broad concerns as they attempt to **manage screen use** over the holiday period:

- The amount of time kids and teens will spend with technology;
- Safety concerns about what content kids and teens are exposed to and who kids interact with online.

The chief concern parents wrestle with, regardless of their child's age, relates to the sheer amount of time kids and teens will spend with their digital devices over the holiday period. Some kids and teens will spend more time with pixels than with people, simply because of the absence of College routines.

Fortunately, there are things you can do to limit your child's use of screens during holidays:

Plan don't ban

Create a tech plan before the holidays begin. Establish firm rules about what, when, where, with whom and how much time your child can spend with screens. Do this in consultation with your child/teen and set realistic and achievable limits for best results.

Quality over quantity

Find high quality, age appropriate content. What your child does with technology is more critical than obsessing over 'how much' time they spend plugged in. Is it leisure or learning? Are they active or passive? Is it age appropriate? The Australian Council on Children and the Media have some great review tools (**movie reviews** and **app reviews**), as do **Common Sense Media** (who review apps, games, movies).

Use internet filtering software

Filtering software is great to ensure kids aren't accessing inappropriate content when you're not around to physically supervise them during the holidays. I personally use and recommend **The Family Zone** because it allows you to restrict what content children can download and access on devices, but it also helps to enforce limits on the amount of time children can access and when they can use devices (this is especially helpful for working parents or for children who have their 'own' devices).

Establish cut off points or time

Rather than prescribing an amount of 'screen time', give children precise quantities and clear cut-off points. For example, tell them: "You can have five Fortnite battles" or "You can watch two episodes of your favourite show on Netflix". This prevents them entering the 'state of insufficiency' where they never feel 'done' or 'complete' when they're online.

Prime to prevent

Give children and teens ample warnings before their screen-time will end. This is called 'cognitive priming' and these simple verbal reminders allow children to prepare themselves for the end of screen-time. This can prevent the dreaded techno tantrum.

Establish tech free zones at home

Ideally, children should use screens in publicly-accessible parts of the house like the kitchen or dining room. I recommend bedrooms, bathrooms, meal zones and play areas should be tech-free.

Crowd out screen-time

Plan tech free activities each day where children are engaged in physical activity (maybe a bush walk, surfing, soccer camp), interacting with friends or a project of interest (construction, craft). Children more than ever, need 'green time', time in nature, so ensure they have plenty of time outdoors (this helps with their self regulation skills, eye health and also helps to regulate their circadian rhythms which assists their sleep).

Avoid digital sticks and carrots

Avoid using screen time as a reward or punishment tool. Using screen time as a 'digital carrot' to reward good behaviour, or for completing chores (or to threaten children for inappropriate behaviour) only works in the short term and can have negative long term consequences (for example, we know kids are unlikely to report cyber bullying to parents if there's a threat of 'digital amputation').

Mr Peter Hazlewood

Pastoral Care Coordinator 5-8

YEAR 11 PDHPE FIRST AID

On Friday 21 June, the Year 11 PDHPE class completed their formal First Aid accreditation at the College as part of their study of the First Aid option. The class completed an online pre-course learning module prior to the day. On the day students undertook further theoretical work as well as practical sessions on CPR, bandaging, slings and anaphylaxis.

Students were theoretically and practically assessed on the day. Congratulations to all students for the way they applied themselves on the day.

Mr Joshua Hewitt
PDHPE Coordinator

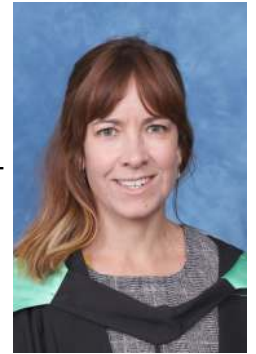


VIETNAM MISSION TRIP 2020

An 'Information Evening' will be held on **Wednesday, 21 August (Week 4)** for the 2020 Vietnam Mission Trip. This will take place in the Deakin classrooms (next to Student Reception) from 7.00 pm. Interested students, along with their parents are encouraged to attend. Stay tuned for further details regarding the evening.

All inquiries should be directed to e.madden@wac.nsw.edu.au

Mrs Emily Madden
Year 12 Year Patron



GEOGRAPHY EXCURSION

On Wednesday, 26 June students in Year 9 Hope and Peace attended a mandatory site study to Cabramatta and Oran Park Town. The purpose of the excursion was to deepen their knowledge of multiculturalism and urbanisation which are two key areas of focus in the Stage 5 Geography syllabus.

Students experienced the sights, sounds, smells and tastes of multicultural Cabramatta during a walking tour and learnt about the rich and diverse history and development of the Cabramatta area. Hayley Underwood in Year 9 said '*I was amazed by the diversity of people and cultures*'.

The day also included a presentation by Greenfields Developments at Oran Park Town and a discussion about the urban development occurring on the outer areas of Sydney and its implications.

The students in 9 Hope and Peace represented both themselves and the College to a high standard. It was a pleasure accompanying them.



Mr Timothy Clarke
Geography Teacher



NEWS FROM THE INFORMATION RESOURCE CENTRES

Premier's Reading Challenge ends Friday, 30 August

The Premier's Reading Challenge finishes on Friday, 30 August - that is Week 5 of Term 3! The holidays are a good time to catch up on your reading and complete the challenge. Remember there are a wide variety of books including Non-Fiction and Picture Books for each level. Not all books on the challenge are long-reads. See the NSWPRC website for rules and conditions.

Visit your local public library over the holidays if you need more books - or, Secondary students can login to Wheelers ebooks. K-2 do not need to do anything as their reading is done in class. If you are in Years 3-9 and need your login please contact: library@wac.nsw.edu.au



New Library website: <https://libguides.wac.nsw.edu.au/library>

Mrs. Justine Colombo
College Librarian

PARENT-TEACHER INTERVIEWS - YEARS 7 TO 10

By end of this week, parents of all students in Years 7 to 10 should receive an email with details on how to book interviews with teachers. **Remember - place the teachers in order of preference.** For your information, the following will occur in the next weeks prior to the Parent-Teacher Evenings.

Monday, 29 July (first day of Term 3)

Last day to book teachers before interviews are calculated.

Tuesday, 30 July

Interview times are calculated - bookings cannot be made until the schedule has been fully calculated. By 5.00 pm, interview times should be available, subject to everything running smoothly. Parents can book with teachers if they have gaps or need to adjust their bookings until 8.00 am on the following Wednesday morning.

Wednesday, 31 July

Bookings or adjustments to bookings will not be possible after 8.00 am. Years 7 to 10 Parent-Teacher Evening will run from 3.00 pm to 8.00 pm. Students are encouraged to attend (in College uniform).

Thursday 1 August to Tuesday 6 August

Parents can again book with teachers if they have gaps or need to adjust their bookings until 8.00 am on the following Wednesday morning.

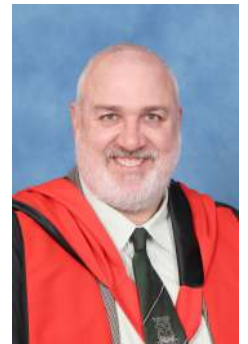
Wednesday 7 August

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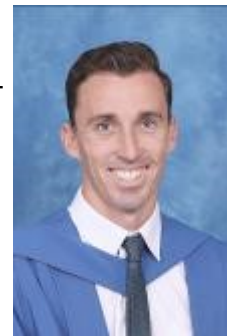
FAQ: What if I haven't received an email **by next Monday**? This is possibly because we are having difficulties with the program or because the College does not have your current email or the email went through to spam/junk. If there is an issue with bookings, an email and a Skoolbag message will be sent. If you haven't received an email, you can call the office and request your booking code (please also check your email address is correct on the Parent Portal).

Go to the website <https://spring.edval.education/login> to make your bookings.

Dr Andrew Eaton
Science Teacher



SECONDARY SPORT



Term 3 MISA Trials

This week we trialled for our Term 3 MISA Sports. These teams have now been selected and have been posted on the sports noticeboard. Our first game is in Week 1 of Term 3 so please ensure you have all the required equipment to participate (please see below for specific requirements for certain sports).

MISA Rugby League and AFL Teams

Students in both Rugby League and AFL are reminded that they must wear a mouthguard during games. Due to the contact nature of these sports notes have been sent out to inform parents of these requirements. Mr Goldsbrough has a small range of mouthguards that can be purchased otherwise they can be purchased from local chemists and sporting stores. Students are also encouraged to purchase the College socks and Football shorts if they are yet to do so. These are available from the Canteen.

AICES Athletics - Additional events

Students will receive notes for AICES athletics early next term with the event taking place in Week 7. There is the opportunity for students to nominate themselves for several 'additional events' that are run at AICES. These events are the 3000m and Triple Jump. Students need to submit a verified time/distance to be considered. This can come from Little A's meets or other equivalent events. For more information, please speak with Mr Goldsbrough.

NASSA Soccer Gala Day

Teams for this year's NASSA Soccer Gala Day have been selected from our MISA teams this year. Students are reminded to return their permission notes asap as this event is in Week 2 of next Term. Students must wear the College socks and shin pads to participate.

After School Football (Soccer) Program - Term 3 registration

Registrations will be closing very soon for the After School Football Term 3 Program. In Term 2 over 30 students from Years 3-8 were involved in the weekly program to develop and sharpen their skills and knowledge of the game on Wednesday afternoons. Registration forms can be picked up from Mr Goldsbrough, Mr Houweling or Student Administration. Get in quick to secure your place in the Term 3 Program!

Mr Mark Goldsbrough Secondary Sports Coordinator

Upcoming Events

Thursday, 8 August	NASSA Soccer Gala Day
Wednesday, 21 August	NASSA U/15 AFL
Thursday, 29 August	NASSA Open Basketball Gala Day
Monday, 9 September	AICES Athletics

There is a new flag flying at the College

Our Secondary Cross Country team were the successful winners of the NASSA Carnival held earlier in the Term.

Not only did we win the Carnival on the strength of individual performances; it was the depth of the teams that entered and the number of competitors who turned up for their team mates.

The team celebrated with a sausage sizzle at the College followed by the NASSA Flagraising

Congratulations to all competitors!!



PRIMARY SPORT



NSWPSSA Rugby League

Last week Jacob Birta took part in the NSWPSSA Rugby League Championship. This three-day tournament saw Jacob play six games of Rugby League. After drawing their first game, the NSWCIS team struggled against some quality opposition. However, they bounced back to win the last game of the tournament. Being selected in this squad is an outstanding achievement, congratulations Jacob.

NSWPSSA Cross Country

After finishing 4th at the NSWCIS Cross Country earlier in the term, Isabella Evans will compete in the NSWPSSA Cross Country. This will see Isabella compete against the best runners in the NSW. All the best Isabella!

IPSSO

There were no IPSSO games played this week.

The Winter season will continue in Term 3. The first game will be played on the first Wednesday of Term 3. These games will be played at the College against Broughton.

Stage 2 games will start at 12.00 pm. Stage 3 games will start at 12.40 pm.

Finals for the Winter competition will be held on the Wednesday, 11 September at Broughton Anglican College.

Mr Stuart Houweling
Primary Sport Coordinator

Upcoming Events

Friday, 26 July	NSWPSSA Cross Country
Wednesday, 31 July	IPSSO games against Broughton
Wednesday, 31 July	NASSA Athletics Training
Thursday, 15 August	NASSA Athletics Carnival

YEAR 10 2019 - YEAR 11 2020

The Senior Uniform Shop is open in Term 3.

All students in Year 10 2019 are required to try on a uniform and place an order at this time even if they are unsure of returning in Year 11 2020.

Opening times: Tuesdays 2.30 pm - 4.00 pm
 Wednesdays 2.30 pm - 4.00 pm

Where: Deakin Administration Building.

Mrs Leanne Molluso
Administration Assistant





In Terms 2 and 3, 2019 Wollondilly Anglican College will be hosting an after College Football (Soccer) Development Program for students in Years 3-8. This program will be run by an external provider, Football Development Academy, to provide students with access to the best training programs with specialist coaches with years of experience. The program is open to all students in Years 3-8. Below is a brief outline of the program.

Who are the FDA:

Football Development Academy is a soccer academy based in the Macarthur South West Region of Sydney, Australia. Boasting a coaching team who have coached and played at the highest levels of the NSW NPL, we strive to develop aspiring footballers and guide them to reach their full potential both on and off the field. We know what it takes to get you there. Our AFC accredited coaching staff create a fun and safe environment where skills, technique and tactical awareness of the game are nurtured. We cater for all skill levels, from beginner to elite footballers.

About the Class Sessions:

In each session you will be learning the ins and outs of the beautiful game while making friends along the way. All players aged between 7 to 13 years of age will receive a football education which covers the four core skills on a rotating basis. All players will receive an FDA Evaluation Report at the end of each term.

Each phase will complement each other so that all players are receiving a football education with lots of fun small sided games. Each session we will work on skills, technique and tactical understanding through training and game play.

All sessions are conducted in accordance with the FFA Football Coaching Philosophy.

When will the program run:

The program will run each week in Term 3 on **Wednesday afternoons between 3.00 pm - 4.30 pm.**

Cost: (payable directly to the Football Development Academy)

Term 3 - 9 week program (\$135.00 per person)

How to register:

Simply fill in the registration form and return it to your Sports Coordinator asap. Payment must be received before the first session of each Term. Places in the program are limited. If you have misplaced the original, spare registration forms can be collected from your Sports Coordinator or Student Reception.

JUNIOR FORMAL ASSEMBLY



SENIOR FORMAL ASSEMBLY



KINDERGARTEN ADVENTURE

On Tuesday, 25 June, Kindergarten went on a great adventure. We trekked down towards Cuthbert Cottage, where we were met by some expert guides. These guides took us onward to a secluded location where they shared with us the secrets of horticulture.



Kindergarten have been learning about where food comes from. This adventure was part of developing their understanding that food grows on plants.

Alyssa Galea, Kirstin Robinson and Lisa Fouche of Year 5 showed a great depth of knowledge in explaining to Kindergarten how they have been working with Mr Gooden and a number of other students to grow different vegetables in the College vegetable garden.



Kindergarten students thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to assist in watering, weeding and picking fruit and vegetables in the garden. Thank you to Mr Gooden and the three students for working with Kindergarten in this way.

Mr Travis Coutts-Smith
Kindergarten Teacher



KINDERGARTEN EXCURSION

Kindergarten will be attending their excursion to Mowbray Park Farm in Picton on Friday, 2 August. The students will be required to wear full winter sports uniform with the coloured College sport shirt.



The excursion will run during normal College hours so there will not be any anticipated interruption to normal drop off and collection routines. We look forward to this exciting event!

Mrs Tracy Turner
Kindergarten Teacher



STAGE 2 LUNCHTIME SOCCER COMPETITION 2019

Last Tuesday we played our finals. Well done to the 16 teams (64 boys and girls) that played each week. Thanks to Year 6 students who gave up their lunchtimes to referee the matches. In the boys' grand final, *Ronaldo's Disciples* defeated *Running Bulls* and in the girls' grand final, *Team Tigers* defeated *Sporty Girls*.

Ronaldo's Disciples: Dylan Hemans, Max McPherson, Noah O'Neill and Tane Pycroft.

Team Tigers: Kayshah Daher, Kiah Evans, Ruby McKay and Tilly-Rose Vermaak.

Next Term we will be playing OzTag.

Mr Darren Wayne
Primary Teacher



FLOWERS NEWS

Calling all volunteers - we need your assistance for Term 3. If you are available to help out in Canteen next Term please fill in a form and drop it into Student Reception or the Canteen. Any help will be greatly appreciated. If anyone wants to help out on a Tuesday, you could just do two hours from 11.00 am - 1.00 pm.



Please be aware that towards the end of Term many regular food items from the menu will become unavailable. We will have some snack foods that are not on our regular menu for sale on the last day of Term priced from 50 cents.

Excursion Bags are available from the Canteen. They are \$15.00 each. Scarves are \$13.50.

Mrs Carolyn Richards
Canteen Supervisor
Think healthy, Eat healthy, Live healthy

Skoolbag App - A Helpful Communication Tool

WAC uses the Skoolbag App to communicate with parents from time to time regarding excursions, sporting events and other College happenings.

Parents are asked to download the app from the app store and create an account.

NB: Make sure you subscribe to your child's year group to receive relevant information.



APPLICATIONS FOR ENROLMENT

Applications continue to pour in for 2020 and beyond across all year groups, but especially our entry years of Transition, Kindergarten, Year 7 and Year 11. All current College families looking to enrol siblings for the coming years are encouraged to do so without delay to avoid disappointment.

Application packs are available from the College Office or from the College website.

Mrs Kristy Biddle
Development Officer



EARN AND LEARN

Tomorrow is the last day to return your stickers!

Please make sure that you have cleaned out the car, students College backpacks and your handbag and returned those last remaining loose stickers and half filled sheets to the office by tomorrow.

Even if you only have one sticker on a sheet at home stuck to the fridge, we would rather use it than lose it!

Thank you to all of our College families who collected this year, we have definitely beaten our 2017 record of 35,000 stickers. Please keep an eye on the Waratah Weekly in the future to see the amazing resources that we collect from this years haul.

Our tally today stands at **50,460!**

Mrs Lisa Grzasko
Earn and Learn Coordinator



INFORMATION FROM THE COLLEGE NURSE

If your child is above a healthy weight, please consider the following free program for your child brought to you by NSW Health.

Registration for this program must be attended by Week 2, Term 3. For more Information, please refer to flyer in the Community Section.

Mrs Sally Lloyd
College Nurse



We have a reported case of **Influenza A** within our Junior College.



For more information, please follow below link
https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/Infectious/factsheets/Pages/influenza_factsheet.aspx



A PSALM TOO GOOD TO NEGLECT

Many ways and paths are available to those who seek refuge and comfort, but one is best.

Reaching to the skies never fails, and Psalm 121 is too good to neglect.

Daily ENJOY this popular Psalm of faith personalised for prayer:

Dear Father,

I lift up my eyes to the mountains -

where does my help come from?

My help comes from You my Lord,

the Maker of heaven and earth.

You will not let my foot slip -

You watch over me and will not slumber;

indeed, You who watch over all your people

neither slumbers nor sleeps.

Lord, You watch over me -

You are my shade at my right hand;

the sun cannot harm me by day,

nor the moon by night.

Lord, You keep me from all harm -

You will watch over my life;

Lord, You will watch over all my goings-out and comings-in

both now and forevermore. I TRUST YOU and THANK YOU. Amen

Today's Soul Snippet:

'Jesus did not sin so He could understand our life, but rather did not sin so we could understand His life.'

~ Michael Cartwright

COMMUNITY

- **Wollondilly Cares**
From time to time, families undergo trauma such as severe or terminal illness. There are short term **support structures in place at the College to assist families** during these times. The WACCares Program offers practical support such as meals for families. Please contact Mrs Hay at the College, to assist. Confidentiality will be respected when requested.
- **Free HSC Lecture - English Area of Study - Human Experience**
Where: Upstairs at Picton Library - (The View Room)
When: Tuesday, 9 July
Time: 10.30 am - 12.00 pm
Books www.library.wollondilly.nsw.gov.au/bookings or phone 4677 8300
Bookings are essential
- **NAIDOC Day - Family Picnic Day**
When: Saturday, 20 July
Where: Burragorang Road, Nattai
Time: 11.00 am
Email: kazanbrwn2@gmail.com - for registration
- **Football Clinics - Registrations Now Open**
Week 1 Monday, 8 July to Thursday, 11 July
Week 2 Monday, 15 July to Thursday, 18 July
Cost: \$95.00 per person
For more information, email office@footballsouthcoast.com or call 4285 6929
- **Skills Training**
When: Monday, 22 July - Monday, 23 September
Where: Wollongong and Albion Park
Fore more information, please visit my.sydenyfc.com to register
- **Wollondilly Shire Council - Future Options Survey - 'Our Library 2030'**
Complete the survey online, in the Library, at a mobile Library service or request a copy. Need Help? Please call (02) 4677 8300.
Complete the survey at library.wollondilly.nsw.gov.au
All completed surveys go in the draw for a \$100.00 Gift voucher.



SALES ENDS JULY 31ST 2019.
*T&Cs apply. Savings off original prices. While stocks last. Cannot be used with any other offer.



Please note that the above is a service to the Community and items advertised do not necessarily carry the endorsement of the College. The College tries to be selective with what is advertised but cannot take responsibility. Please look into events advertised carefully.

Sponsorship 2019

...friendraising and fundraising



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Pinnacle Tax & Accounting
Tahmoor Garden Centre

Thank you to our Diamond, Double Gold, Gold and Silver Sponsors shown above. We also thank our Bronze Sponsors who will be advertised on the College website on the Sponsors' Page along with the above. If you would like to sponsor the College, please contact Mr Bill Norman (P&F President) or Mrs Deborah Cook in the College office.

P&F ...friendraising and fundraising

Clothing Pool

The Clothing Pool has a variety of good quality used clothing for sale at reasonable prices. Also available for purchase is a selection of new socks and ties!

Opening Hours

Monday	7.45 am - 8.30 am
Tuesday	7.45 am - 8.30 am
Friday	7.45 am - 8.30 am

Location

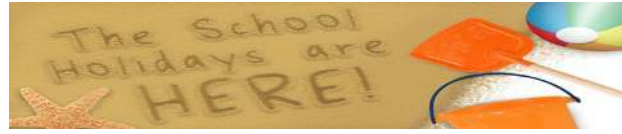
White Cottage - side windows opposite FLOWERS Canteen.

If you can spare an hour in the morning to volunteer at the Clothing Pool, please contact Melissa on 0415 402 013. It is a great way to meet other parents and save a few dollars.

The Clothing Pool is part of the P&F with all funds raised going towards the College.

Mrs Melissa Whishaw
P&F Clothing Pool Coordinator

Term 3, 2019



Country Fair Photo Competition 2019

The Country Fair is just months away! All enthusiastic photographers from Primary, Secondary and the broader Wollondilly community are welcome to participate in the Country Fair Photo Competition (another great project for the coming College holidays).



Categories include: Portraiture, Black and White, Action and Landscape or Cityscape. Age Groups are: 7 and under, 8-12 years, 13-16 years and open. Forms will be available from Student Reception in Term 3

White Elephant Stall Calling for all Donations

Have your kids outgrown their toys?
Do you have loads of games hidden away in cupboards?
What about that pile of books gathering dust on the shelf?
Why not declutter and support a worthy cause at the same time.



We accept:	Preloved books, toys, games & bric-a-brac.
We do not accept:	Electrical items and NO clothing please.
All donations:	Must be clean and in good working order and still have lots of play value.

Donations will be accepted during the weeks leading up to the Fair. Times will be advertised closer to the date.

Please contact Kerstin King on 0403 104 207 for further information.

This year's Country Fair is being held on Saturday, 14 September from 10.00 am - 3.00 pm.

We wish everyone a Happy & Safe Holiday and see you all in Term 3 ready for the Country Fair.

If you are on Facebook please head over and like our new Country Fair site under Wollondilly Anglican College Country Fair <https://www.facebook.com/Wollondilly-Anglican-College-Country-Fair-2098463290442962/>



HEADMASTER HAPPENINGS



July

Thursday, 4

Junior Formal Assembly

Student Interviews 2020
Junior Chapel
Staff Meeting

Friday, 5

Last Day of Term

Student Interviews 2020
Staff Meeting - Fred's Shed
(evening) Wests V Easts

Monday, 22 -
Friday, 26

Professional Development Week for Staff

Monday, 29

Day 1 Term 3



MITTAGONG ANGLICAN CHURCH

Contact: Children's Minister Rochelle Fussell, 0439 455 005 or rf@mittang.com.au. All leaders in Follow and Kids@Mac have Working With Children Checks, and are trained in accordance with Safe Ministry Guidelines. All our groups run during school Terms.

CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN WOLLONDILLY

Everybody is welcome to attend our Service on Sunday at 9.00 am. We would love to see your family there.

Facebook@christchurchwollondilly
www.christchurchwollondilly.com
PO Box 43, Bargo
Reverend Stephen Swanepoel

LEARNING - LOVING - LIVING



PRETEND HEADMASTER



Pretend Headmasters - Patrick Weaver (KJ) and Emily Turner (KJ) are spending their last days of Term 2 rejoicing about the College Holidays and the extra family time they will have to spend together. Stay safe, God bless and see you in Term 3.

Prayer Points

Prayer Points from Rev Kevin and Karen Flanagan in Africa



Please Thank God for:

- the opportunity to visit Milala and other church plants.
- the evangelistic zeal and perseverance of the evangelists.
- Mama Gideon

Please Ask God:

- that teaching we have given recently at church plants will bear fruit.
- for good planning and preparation for the Mobile Bible School.
- that following our house break-in our security will be in Christ alone.

Psalm 127:1 Unless the Lord builds the house, its builders labour in vain.

Excellence, Endurance, Eternity.