



# Windellama Public School

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Term 4 Week 2



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## RESPECT – RESPONSIBILITY - EXCELLENCE

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**BIG READ BUS**

**23 October 2019**

Don't forget the Big Read Bus will be returning to our school on Wednesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> October. Please return all books.

### NEW SENSORY GARDEN

Over the school holidays we had a new sensory garden completed by Sam Tabner Landscaping. It looks absolutely fantastic and we look forward to using this area of the school grounds.



**BANDANNA DAY**  
**FRIDAY 25TH**  
**OCTOBER**

This Friday 25 October is Bandanna Day and we will be selling bandannas to help young people with cancer. If you would like to purchase one to wear on Friday, please send in \$5.00 and the children can choose one from the box in the office. We will have a colouring competition with prizes for infants and primary classes. It's also a Mufti Day (casual clothes) with a gold coin donation to help raise funds so no young person has to go through cancer alone.

## A WORD FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to the last term of 2019. What a busy term we have coming up.

Big Read Bus is back this term. I know many of the children enjoy borrowing from the bus but don't forget our own fabulous library.

Sport this term will be cricket. We are fortunate that this program is at no cost and all equipment is provided. Our children are very lucky to have the opportunity to try new sports each term.

We are participating in Bandana Day this year, more information later in the newsletter.

Having participated in Windy Cup last year I am looking forward to this year's event. A couple of reminders to end my part, students are supervised from 8:30am until 3:30pm. Swim school is coming up and all students are expected to attend. If your child is not swimming they will still be accompanying us to the pool and will have to sit quietly while the other students have their lessons.

## P & C MEETING TODAY!

The next Parent and Citizen (P&C) meeting is today at 6pm.

Parents, grandparents and community are encouraged to come along. Everyone, including children are welcome to join us.

## BEHAVIOUR LEVEL AWARDS



Our behaviour levels are attained for earning the following merit tokens:

Bronze 1 = 10 tokens

Bronze 2 = 20 tokens

Bronze 3 = 30 tokens

Silver = 40 tokens

Gold = 60 tokens

Platinum = 85 tokens

Students receive a respect, responsibility or excellence ribbon for Bronze levels 1, 2 and 3; a book for Silver; a banner for Gold and a medallion for Platinum.

Due to camp last week, we postponed awards until this week.



## CRICKET PROGRAM

Starting this Thursday, we will be running a 5 week cricket program. Garry from Goulburn Cricket Association will be coordinating each session.

## BOOK CLUB

Brochure attached, please order online using LOOP. All orders to be submitted no later than Thursday 31 October. Please let Mrs Alessi know if any orders are for Christmas and you will be notified by phone when the order comes in.

## KINDER ORIENTATION 2020



Please note that the first week for kinder orientation has been postponed to the 31<sup>st</sup> of October. The dates for Kindergarten orientation 2020 are as follows:

- Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October (8:45am to 11:30am)
- Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November (8:45am to 1:30pm)
- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November (8:45am to 3:00pm)

A flyer has been sent to the *Windellama News* and *Tarago Times* publications for printing in the next edition. If you know of anyone who has a child starting Kindergarten in 2020, please share this flyer with them. Flyers will also be distributed at Windellama Playgroup and Tarago Pre-School. Morning tea will be provided to parents and carers on Thursday the 24<sup>th</sup> of October in the staff room.



# BERRY CAMP 2019





## PICTURED AROUND WINDELLAMA PS

Photos this week of our students were taken by Mrs Tinson.





# UPCOMING EVENTS IN TERM 3

EVENTS	DATES
Bandanna Day	Week 2 Friday 25 October
Kindy Orientation Starts	Week 3 Thursday 31 October
Windy Cup	Week 4 Tuesday 5 November



## What's Happening in K - 2

It has been a very small school this week without most of our primary students. We have enjoyed sitting in our new sensory garden during eating time and appreciate all of the hard work that *Sam Tabner Landscaping* completed in order for us to have this wonderful resource.

Last Thursday we went to see *Abominable* at the movies. Students then enjoyed fresh cinnamon donuts at Belmore Park and played on the equipment. It was a lovely day and all students made us very proud by displaying excellent behaviour.

## What's Happening in 3 - 6

What an exciting way to start Term 3! Camp was so much fun. We canoed, bushwalked, did archery, rock climbed, balanced on ropes courses, immersed ourselves in nature art, learned new games, ran market stalls and danced the night away. I was very pleased to see most of our children challenge themselves and step outside their comfort zone. They were also very well behaved.

