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# Windellama





## A WORD FROM THE PRINCIPAL

It's hard to believe that I am writing the last newsletter for 2023! I would like to thank all our families for your ongoing support of our school this year. I would also like to thank our staff, Mrs Casey and Mrs Robertson for their commitment to giving students quality learning experiences, and Miss Plumridge and Miss Hind for the support they have provided to our students each day. Thank you to Ms Burton, for her outstanding organisation behind the scenes to keep our school running. And thank you to Mr Webster for ensuring our school is always looking immaculate.

Sadly, Ms Burton will not be returning to Windellama next year, as she has gained a position at Wollondilly Public School. Although we are very excited for Ms Burton's new chapter, we are going to miss her!

With our current enrolment numbers for 2024, we will continue to have two classes: Juniors (K-2) and Seniors (3-6). I will return as the junior classroom teacher, and Mrs Casey is remaining on the senior class. Mrs Robertson will spend some time working with both classes and small groups of children. We are hoping to utilise our additional staff members for smaller, targeted literacy and numeracy groupings in order to maximise individual student learning.

Finally, we hope to see you all on Tuesday 12 December for our annual presentation assembly. The presentation will be held at the Windellama Hall and will begin at 1.30pm.

Jordan Huntley Rel. Principal











An awesome effort from all the Year 5 students for doing their very best with their speeches.

On Tuesday our Year 6 students for 2024 delivered their own speech on how they will make a great leader. The whole school then voted. The results will be announced at the End of Year Presentation by Mayor Peter Walker.

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# NEW PLAYGROUND

It is with great excitement that we unveil our new playground.

This playground installation is the result of careful planning throughout the year. The new playground offers another space to further encourage imaginative and creative play for our students.

The students were able to start playing on the playground on Monday of this week, which they all enjoyed.





Orders are due in by Wednesday 6 December.



### SCHOOL PHOTOS

Please remember to return your child/s school photo order envelope by 4 Dec. 23.

### PRELOVED SCHOOL UNIFORM

We have an array of used uniform available. If anyone would like some of this uniform, please contact the office.







Students can wear crazy socks and crazy hair for a gold coin donation. Students may also participate in a donut eating competition for an additional gold coin donation.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS IN TERM 4 2023**

EVENTS	DATES
Year 6 Fundraiser – Crazy Day	Week 9, Tuesday 5 December
Windellama PS - Presentation Day at 1:30pm	Week 10, Tuesday 12 December
Special Llamas Lunchbox – Pasta & Garlic Bread	Week 10, Thursday 14 December
Year 6 Dinner	Week 10, Thursday 14 December
Last Day of Term 4 2023	Week 10, Friday 15 December
First Day of Term 1 2024	Week 1, Thursday 1 February
School Photos	Week 1, Thursday 1 February

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