



**WAUBRA**  
PRIMARY SCHOOL



Respect: *Be Thoughtful*

Excellence: *Do your very best*

Integrity: *Do the Right Thing*

Responsibility: *Be in charge of  
yourself*

# Newsletter

Term 3 Week 2 18th July 2023

## Important Dates and INFORMATION

### July

20th—Basketball Clinics Start weekly  
21st—Term 3 Friday Hot Lunches starts  
26th—Kane PDP Ballarat 9.30-11.00  
26th—School Council Meeting (Springs)  
28th—Kids in Science Showcase (Melbourne)

### August

2nd—Kane Principals Forum Ballarat  
14th—Science Week  
15th—Scott's BMX Trick Show 9.30-10.30  
21st—Book Week

### Waubra Primary School's Vision

To develop academically and socially confident students in an engaging learning environment, where they are inspired to reach their full potential.



## FRIDAY HOT LUNCHES

- Term 3 Friday hot lunches will start this Friday, Thankyou to all that have volunteered to provide this service each week. It is greatly appreciated.

## BOOKCLUB

- Reminder all book club orders from Term 3 are to be paid for via the scholastic Book club loop online. The school is unable to accept cash for these orders.

**1 CREDIT CARD** – Visit [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://scholastic.com.au/LOOP) OR download the **LOOP** app.  
Your order will be electronically linked to the rest of your school's order.  
You do not need to complete the order form.

## HEAT—UPS

- Heat-ups will be available for Term 2 and Term 3. Please ensure food is wrapped in foil or in a oven safe container. **Please note due to Friday Hot Lunches there are no heat-ups offered on Fridays**

## FORMS DUE BACK

- Student Enrolment Information - Still some that haven't been returned
- Parent Payment Arrangement. If you wish to make a curriculum contribution for your child's curriculum costs for 2023.

## SCHOOL UNIFORM

- Just a quick reminder correct school uniform is to be worn at all times. If for some reason your child is unable to wear the correct school uniform, please make sure you write a note in your child's diary.

## ILLNESS

- We are well and truly into the cold and flu season. Please ensure that you do NOT send your child to school if they are feeling unwell. Runny nose, coughs etc. Lets all work together to help keep our school germ free.

## ***Hamish Lyttle***

*For demonstrating our school value of **Respect** by:*

Making a fantastic start to Term 3. Hamish has shown he is ready for learning in the new semester and has worked hard on our new procedural writing topic. Hamish has shown a positive attitude in his reading sessions as he continues to improve his letter and sound knowledge. Amazing work, Hamish!

***Awarded by Mr Barrett***



## ***Eden Arvidson***

*For demonstrating our school value of **Respect** by:*

Listening to instructions and being mindful of others. You have made a wonderful start to Term 3 and we have been impressed with your attitude, work ethic and the way that you have been treating others around you. Great work, Edie!

***Awarded by Tim.***



## ***Tom Arvidson***

*For demonstrating our school value of **Respect** by:*

being a kind and considerate friend and classmate. Your enjoyment during game time is infectious. You respect the rules, whilst your caring nature shines by taking into consideration others by sharing around the play. Well done, on a super start to the term, Tom!

***Awarded by Ms Mester***





# Respectful Relationships

## Award

*Term 3 Week 1 2023*

## Congratulations



**Angus Fettes,**

**Jemima Machin & Hope Herbertson**

Thank you for helping to promote and  
model respect, positive attitudes and  
behaviours in our school



# MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to all of our students and families after what I hope was a nice break. Some of our families had the chance to travel away from the cold and enjoy the warmer parts of Australia.

I would like to welcome back Caroline Hurse who has returned from 6 months long service leave. Caroline will take on multiple roles including Art Teacher, Tutor and 5/6 teacher (Fridays).

I would also like to inform the community that Mr Williams will continue on as our STEM teacher. I want to thank Mr Williams for his contribution and dedication to the specialist and 5/6 classroom teacher role he took on for Semester 1.

We have Nicola Robson completing her final teaching placement block in the 2/3/4. Nicola has made a great contribution to our school community over the last 12 months. Nicola's final block is for 6 weeks and following her placement, she will take up a classroom teaching role at Ararat 800 PS.

We also have Jen Melbourne completing her Ed Support placement at Waubra PS. Jen will be with us 1 day a week for the next term and a half.

## **OUTSTANDING WAUBRA CITIZENS**

At our week 4 assembly, we will acknowledge our newest Outstanding Waubra Citizens. Parents will receive a letter inviting them to assembly and informing them of their child's nomination.

## **KIDS IN SPACE—MELBOURNE TRIP**

Next Friday 28th July Mr Williams and Elise will take some of our grade 5/6 students to present at the Kids in Space Showcase in Melbourne. The whole 5/6 class have been working with Mr Williams in Stem on their projects. I look forward to showing off the students work on the next newsletter.



## Welcome back for term 3!

It is great to see everyone again after the mid year break. Our Foundation and Grade One students have worked to settle back in and have been introduced to new learning in English and Mathematics

Students have been working on procedural writing and discovering how they use procedures throughout their day to day lives. Our maths focus has been on solving simple addition problems using our skills to find the bigger of two numbers and count on to add two numbers together.

Fantastic start to term 3!





# Grade 2/3/4 news

Term 3 : WEEK 1 & 2

## Learning Focus:

Reading: Our reading focus to begin Term 3 is all about maintaining fluency. To be a fluent reader there are a few things that we need to focus on when reading aloud:

- Accuracy — Reading the words correctly.
- Rate — Not reading too fast or too slow.
- Phrasing — Grouping words together to make meaning.
- Expression — Reading with emotion in our voice.
- Punctuation — Pausing appropriately at punctuation.

Writing: We are currently learning about Procedure Texts in writing. Procedure texts tell us 'how to' to do something and include a title, goal, materials/equipment/ingredients and sequential steps.

Maths: In maths students are learning all about Fractions as well as 2-dimensional shapes and 3-dimensional objects!



**The students made a great start back at school this week! Well done everyone!**

## What's Happening?

Welcome back to school everyone, I hope you all had a relaxing break! Term 3 is my favourite term of the year because the students are settled and there is less assessment taking place, which means the teachers get more time to teach and the students get more time to learn!

For the first 6 weeks of Term 3, we will have Nicola Robson in the Grade 2/3/4 classroom, completing her final university placement which is very exciting. Welcome Nicola!

### Term 3 Important Dates:

- Japanese — Mondays in odd weeks.
- MARC Van — Mondays in even weeks.
  - Art every Tuesday.
- STEM — Thursdays in odd weeks.



# Grade 5&6 News!

In Grade 5 & 6 this week we have been investigating procedural texts. A procedure can be found in many areas of our life, like recipe books, compact furniture manuals and board or card games!

Maths is always jam packed and this term is no different as we are being to look at fractions and their parts as well as nets of shapes!

We are excited to get stuck into Art, Marc Van, STEAM & PE! Please encourage your child to bring their diary to school each day so we can write in our GEM area and mark down important parts of the week.

Photos: memories from camp!







## Friday Term 3 Hot Lunch Roster

WEEK	DATE	FAMILY	SOUP/MEAL
2	21/07/23	Ross Family	Sausage Rolls
3	28/07/23	Bourke Family	Pizza
4	04/08/23	Koros Family	Lasagne
5	11/08/23	Briody Family	Lamb Shank Soup
6	18/08/23	Soulsby Family	Chicken & Veg Soup
7	25/08/23	Clark Family	
8	01/09/23	Fettes Family	
9	08/09/23	JSC Footy Day	Pies & Sausage Rolls

# THURSDAY

## Treats

\$2

Money is to be collected in the child's classroom and name added to a list. Money is not to be sent via the office. Lists are made every Tuesday so we would prefer if students paid every week rather than pre pay.



## Term 3 Roster 2023

13/07/23	Sarah White	Slice
20/07/23	Grail Family	
27/07/23	Ross Family	
03/08/23	Fettes Family	
10/08/23	Clark Family	
17/08/23	Soulsby Family	
24/08/23	Davidson Family	
31/08/23	Lucy Koros	Choc Brownies
07/09/23		
14/09/23	Grail Family	

Please note students will be able to purchase one treat each and if there are leftovers after every child has purchased they may be an opportunity to purchase a second treat.



# WPS BEANIES



Beanies have arrived.

They look great!

They are available to purchase from the office for \$15.00. Or alternatively send money in an envelope marked "Beanie" and your child's name.

**JSC FUNDRAISER**

# Sports Tops



First shirt for each student in 2023 is \$20. (New Students)

Second shirt for each student is \$30.

*Available from the Office*



Buy a book from

 **SCHOLASTIC**

## Book Club

to help build  
our classroom  
resources

**OSHClub** 



**How to enrol**





# How to enrol



## What You'll Need:

- Centrelink Customer Reference Numbers (CRNs) for yourself and your child if you would like to claim Child Care Subsidy (CCS). Note that the person completing the enrolment must be the same person linked to the child for CCS
- Bank account details or card for direct debit
- One or more emergency contacts
- Doctor's contact information, management plan for any relevant medical conditions and your child's immunisation record

## Steps:

- 1 Scan QR Code above or head to [oshclub.com.au/register](https://oshclub.com.au/register) and click on Get Started to register as a new Kidsoft user
- 2 Validate your registered email address (you will receive an email)
- 3 Create your account password
- 4 Select your service in 'Find a Place'
- 5 Complete the 'Waitlist' form by adding your child's details (separate one for each child)
- 6 Complete the enrolment form and your local service team will be in touch



## Tips:

- Please allow 10-15 minutes to enrol, so it's a great time to grab a cuppa!
- Your email address will be your username and the main point of contact.
- Download the Kidsoft app on your mobile to manage your bookings!

## We're here to help!

Our friendly customer service team is here to assist with any enquiries.

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☎ 1300 395 735

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