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# Woodburn Public School

Week 6 Term 4

Wednesday 16 November 2022

## For Your Diary

**Week 7 21 - 25 November**

Mon- Fri Swim Scheme  
Tues Kinder Transition

**Week 28 Nov - 2 December**

Mon-Fri Swim Scheme  
Mon Assembly 1pm  
Tues Evans River Year 7  
Transition  
Thur Captain's Speeches

Next P & C Meeting Wednesday

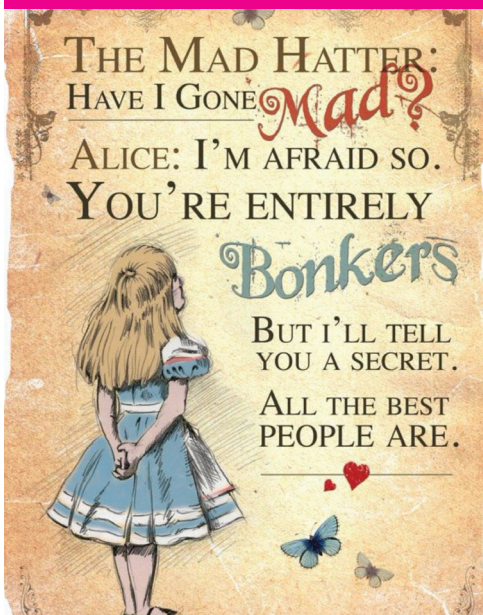
30 November 2022  
at 5pm in the hall.  
ALL WELCOME!

## Stage 3 Camp

Last week's Stage 3 excursion was, by all accounts, AMAZING! Students have been talking about their experiences all week and some of their favourite parts include; the zoo, being a prisoner, swimming, the bus driver, the giant pendulum ride at Aussie World and the FOOD! I want to thank Ms Bateman and Mrs J for their organisation, as well as Mrs Simpson and Tania for all of their support while on camp. Phil Vale also looked like he was having a good time!



Our students are to be congratulated on their behaviour and attitude while on camp. For teachers who are tired and busy planning/managing a camp, having appreciative and cooperative students is a blessing.



## Richmond Valley Council (RVC) – Future Planning in Woodburn

RVC contacted the school earlier in the year to ask if our students could provide some insight and feedback on what they think would be important to have in Woodburn. The floods delayed the consultation, however the RVC reached out again this term. Their goal is to get the perspective of our students for future planning over the next 10 years. Classes had discussions on their ideas and the SRC Representatives from each class took these ideas to the SRC Meeting and our School Captains went over these and made a master list to present to Council. The ideas were organised into 30 suggestions and some ideas included; Indigenous signs, exercise equipment, BMX track/pump track, a camp ground and even a

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## Muzza's Milkbar!

This was discussed with a member of Council today. Perhaps we will see some of these thoughts turned into action in the near future?

## Goanna Academy – Module Two

Our second Goanna Academy module will be held next Thursday (Week 7). This will be for our Stage 3 students, and they will hear Greg Inglis present on further steps to creating a healthy mind and body.

## Swim Scheme

Our intensive swimming scheme will begin next week, and it will run for 2 weeks. The aim is to provide additional swimming lessons for students in Yrs 2-6 who can't swim 25m confidently. With the environment that we live in - with the abundance of beaches, rivers, creeks and pools, this scheme is very important to ensure our

## Evans River



Year 7 Adviser – Fraser Munro

Year - 7 Orientation Day - Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2022

### Program:

Venue: Performance Hall

9:30am	General Welcome by Year - 7 Adviser	Fraser Munro - Year Adviser
9:35am	Welcome to Year- 7	Rob Walker - Principal Jenny Hart - Deputy Principal Penny Cooper
10:00am	Speakers to address school issues	Connie D'Anna - Head Teacher Special Education P & C - Representative Uniform Coordinator - Uniforms

Parents are now free to leave, while the students take part in the school day

10:30am	Peer Support Leaders lead groups in "Getting to Know You" - Peer Support Booklet
10:55am	<b>RECESS - You will need to bring your recess</b>
11:20am	Peer Support Groups - Challenge Activities in the Gymnasium
1:00pm	<b>FREE BBQ LUNCH – You will need \$1.00 for a drink or bring your own</b>
1:50pm	Peer Support
2:55pm	Assemble for farewell in Gymnasium

### Remember:

- Wear a hat and sunscreen
- Bring recess and money for a drink
- The uniform shop will be open on the morning for uniforms. If parents wish to organise uniforms after this day, the uniform shop is open every Friday morning from 8:30am to 9:30am

students are confident in the water. Notes will be sent home today for those identified for the program. Please return these notes ASAP.

## P&C Trivia Night Success

A big thank you to the P&C for their trivia night held last Saturday. It was a great night as always, (at least it is in my experience), and was filled with more laughs than correct answers. The next P&C meeting is in Week 8, Wednesday 30/11 @ 5pm.

## Year 7 Orientation Day

Parents and carers of students in Year 6, please put Tuesday 29/11 (Week 8) in your calendar, for the Year 7 Orientation Day. This day is the orientation for all public high schools. Please see information below.

Until next newsletter!

Michael Lord

## The Rivers



**THE RIVERS**  
SECONDARY COLLEGE

The heart of secondary education for Lismore

**Year 6 Orientation Days in Term 4**  
**Tuesday, 22 and 29 November 2022**

**Save the Date:** Parents and caregivers of Year 6 students transitioning to the college next year are invited to accompany their student on the morning of the first campus visit – 22 November. Further details next term.

**Times:** 9am – 3.15pm

**Venue:** The Rivers Secondary College campus that your Year 6 student is transitioning to in 2023. (Kadina High, Lismore High or Richmond River High)

**Purpose:** To provide Year 6 students with the opportunity to experience a day at high school.

**Details:** The event is run as an excursion by our partner primary schools.

A variety of activities will run during the day that may vary a little from campus to campus. Each principal will provide activity details to the primary schools coming to their campus.

We look forward to welcoming you to The Rivers Secondary College.



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# Our Stars



*from our Merit Assembly on Monday*

Class	Respect	Safety	Engagement
KL	Dexter Herring	Billy Leonard	Flynn Brown
1J	Shilah Baker	Stevie Dufty	Knox Hodson
2D	Lilly Graham	Bella Graham	Kiah Wood
3/4J	Hunter Pursey	Dustyn Cross	Tom Ford
3/4Z	Mac Lickiss	Riley Stewart	Shayla Boland
5R	Kaitlin Faint	Sophie Alchin	Amelia Simpson
6B	Sophie Butler	Baylen Hull	Tom Daly
K-6W	Ella Stevens		
K-6J	Connah Pinnegar		
Book Awards			
KL	Whyette Laurie for excellent effort and engagement during writing lessons.		
1J	Fletcher Boyd for great effort in presenting news about his duckling.		
2D	Kai Simpson for an all round great effort in every single aspect of his work.		
3/4J	Tyson Rogers for his outstanding consideration of the grandparent's needs when they were visiting.		
3/4Z	Maisie Lord for consistently working hard over all key learning areas and being a mature team leader during research activities.		
5R	Nevaeh Laurie for asking interesting questions on camp.		
6B	Chilli Smithicks for her amazing attitude towards camp and caring nature towards her teachers.		
K-6W	Isabel Stevens for outstanding effort in book work.		
Rippers			
Eyla Engebretson	Samuel Gosling	Jimmy Harris	Mac Lickiss

## Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just... they miss weeks per year and years over their school life

1 day per fortnight = 4 weeks = Over 1 year missed

1 day per week = 8 weeks = Over 2.5 years missed



# SENIOR CAMP 2022

