

Week 4 Term 4



# Wyoming Public School

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Tuesday 31 October**

Year 6 Cultural Program

**Wednesday 1 November**

Stage 3 Terrigal Beach

**Thursday 2 November**

K-6 Assembly - KA to perform an item

**Friday 3 November**

Swimming for Sport

**Tuesday 7 November**

Year 6 Cultural Program

**Wednesday 15 November**

Mini Fete

## PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

Hello to All,

### WORLD TEACHERS DAY

Last Thursday we celebrated World Teachers Day with a delightful morning tea supplied by our SaSS team. Our teachers work hard to give each child at Wyoming an exceptional education and we are pleased to have this opportunity to stop and acknowledge their efforts.

I would also like to acknowledge Mrs Surinda Walton who was successfully nominated for a Central Coast World Teachers Day Award. Surinda is a long-standing member of Wyoming Public School who has always shown more than 100% dedication and enthusiasm to all roles that she has held at the school.

Congratulations Surinda!



## CHORAL FESTIVAL

Congratulations to our Choir who joined with over 300 students from varying Central Coast Public Schools to perform as part of the 2023 Choral Festival.

I was fortunate enough to be in the audience for the night show and took great pleasure in hearing the many positive comments made by parents and community members regarding the talent displayed.

Thank you also to Mrs Megan O'Riley who has coordinated our choir this year and to all parents who assisted in transport.



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## COOINDA CUP

Earlier this Term, our Stage 3 Aboriginal students participated in the Cooinda Cup. This inaugural event was organised by the Cooinda AECG and supported by Mrs Sharen Herbert, Miss Jessica Evans, Miss Harper Rydlewski-Walker and Mrs Katie Hansen. All reports have been that the day was a terrific success and fun was had by all.

## SPOOK-TACULAR DISCO

From all reports, a wonderful evening of dancing and games was enjoyed by all students who attended our spook-tacular disco last week.

We faced many challenges in the organisation of this disco resulting in a date clash with the Choral Festival. This was not an ideal outcome, and we give our sincere apologies for any disappointment caused.

## GRANDPARENTS DAY

Thank you to all Grandparents and Grandparent figures who joined us for a morning of open classrooms and morning tea on Grandparents Day. We hope you had as lovely a time as your children did having you join them.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE SMITH FAMILY ABOUT SAVER PLUS

Saver Plus is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government Department of Social Services. This not-for-profit program aims to help eligible participants with free online financial education workshops and \$500 matched savings for education costs such as laptop, uniforms, books, sports equipment, excursions, etc. The program started in 2003 and has helped more than 58,000 Australians.

### Program eligibility criteria include:

- be studying OR have a child in school (can be starting school next year)
- have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card and eligible Centrelink payment
- have regular income from work (either yourself or your partner)\* or other income
- be 18+ years old
- Never completed Saver Plus in the past

\*Please note that Saver Plus accepts Child Support Payment, Carer payment, as well as employment and casual payment in the income criteria

Some program details and eligibility criteria can be found at <https://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/programs/financial/saver-plus>

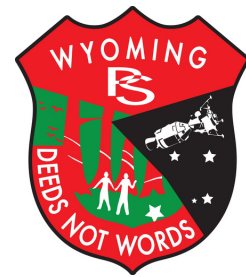
Take Care

Rebecca Wild  
**PRINCIPAL**



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## P&C UPDATE

Thank you to everyone for sponsoring the students in the Spell-a-thon.

Thank you also to the cake stall donations and volunteers on the day. We have received a tremendous amount of support from our school community recently which will all go towards future exciting school projects!

A new order of school hats has arrived, please see Annette in the canteen if you would like to purchase one. They are \$20 - cash only.

Thank you

Sarah Viola

**P&C PRESIDENT**

## MINI FETE

On Wednesday 15 November 2023, Years 5 and 6 will hold their Mini-Fete. The Mini-Fete will begin at the end of recess. This will be a great day for all students to celebrate a successful school year and raise money for the Year 6 Farewell.

As we are keen to foster independence in our younger students as well as the leadership skills of our older students, this is a student only event.

The Year 5 and 6 students will run many exciting games and activities, including:

novelty games, hair spray, face painting, ice-cream cones, cookie decorating, sponge throwing, treasure hunt, a disco and much, much more ...

### Cost

Each activity will cost a certain amount of Wyoming Dollars. By using Wyoming dollars, we eliminate the problems involved with losing money, giving change etc. Wyoming Dollars must be purchased BEFORE the day of the Mini-Fete. The last day for Wyoming dollars to be purchased will be Friday 10 November 2023. \$1.00 will equal 5 Wyoming Dollars.

### Wyoming Dollars

To purchase Wyoming Dollars, place your money and the cut-off slip below in an envelope with your child's name and class on it. The envelope will need to be placed in the Mini-fete box that will be at the front office. Class teachers will hand out Wyoming Dollars on the day of the Mini-Fete.

Please note: If you have more than one student attending Wyoming Public School, please put Wyoming dollars money in separate envelopes – one for each child.

**WYOMING DOLLARS MUST BE PAID BY CASH AND NOT THROUGH THE POP PAYMENT SYSTEM.**



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## SELECTIVE HIGH SCHOOL APPLICATIONS OPEN

If you would like to apply for your Year 5 child to attend a selective high school in 2025 (Year 7, catering to high achieving gifted students), the NSW Department of Education Selective High School application site is open from 9 Oct - 20 Nov. Go to <https://shsoc.education.nsw.gov.au/>.

Key dates to note are:

Apply online - 9 October - 20 November 2023

Test centre advice released - 25 April 2024

Selective HS Placement Test - 9 May 2024

Placement Test Outcomes released - late August 2024

If you have questions or would like more information, contact Mrs Lara Lenton through the office

### CERTIFICATE OF MERIT

Maliha J  
Konnah C  
Natalie R  
Olivia W  
Hunter B  
Naomi Y  
Mackenzie J  
Loxley J  
Charlie B  
Scott A  
Destiny D  
Matari M  
Olivia B  
Aelah P  
Eliana S  
Bentlee P  
Uriah P  
Kora C  
Xavier B  
Angelyn G  
Alexis C  
Aaleyrah S  
Holly J  
Mason M  
Nicolas V  
Milarni B

### PRINCIPAL AWARDS

Taj B  
Rory C  
Xavier I  
Tully M  
Oscar R  
Cooper J  
Blaze B  
Ethan A  
Summer B  
Evi C  
Aaleyrah S  
Mackenzie J  
Alexis C  
Naomi Y  
Korin C  
Lachlan G  
Hamish D  
Tempest S  
Charlotte V  
Kailee M  
Taj J-P  
Abigail P  
Nate S  
Taliah O  
Kora C

### HONOUR CERTIFICATE

Scott A  
Cade P  
Jack O  
Tyson B  
Jeremiah M  
Eleiya M  
Tadhg C  
Noah H  
Cooper B  
Caleb A  
Daniel H  
Savannah H  
Chace M  
Loxley J  
Mia G  
Jacob B  
Tyler S

## CRAZY SOCK DAY

Thank you to everyone who participated in crazy sock day and bought an ice-cream. We raised \$720 to donate to HeadSpace!



## WYOMING PS - FORTNIGHTLY WELLBEING FOCUS

Each fortnight we are going to have a whole school wellbeing focus. There is a display on one of the library windows to remind students and parents what our fortnightly focus is and resources to help. Below are what our focuses are for each fortnight:

### **10: School holiday focus**

#### **Term 4, 1**

**Focus** - Be active: Being active is good for our brains. It helps regulate our emotions and promotes positive mental wellbeing. The focus for this week is to be active! Some suggestions are: at recess and lunch play an active game with friends, when you get home in the afternoon go into your backyard and play a game with your family.

#### **Weeks 2-3**

**Focus** - Be kind to your mind: Find some time to participate in mindfulness and relaxation activities. This can include activities that make you feel calm and relaxed. Some examples are colouring, listening to music, yoga, drawing, reading and going for a walk with your family.

#### **Weeks 4-5**

**Focus** - Learn something new: We are encouraging all students to learn a new skill or hobby! Ask a friend or family member to teach you something new.

#### **Weeks 6-7**

**Focus** - Be kind to our friends: Random acts of kindness are doing things for a family member or friend that will make them feel loved or happy. Some examples are write a nice letter for a loved one, draw a picture for your friend, tell your family or friend something you like about them.

#### **Weeks 8-9**

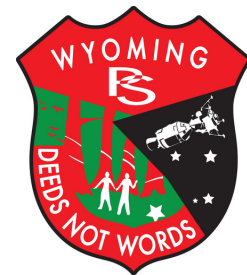
**Focus** - Be thankful: What are you thankful for this year? What is something that has happened this year or you have achieved that you are thankful for? Have a conversation with your family or friends and reflect on the year 2023.

## WYOMING PS PARLIAMENTARIANS





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## Every Day Matters

Attending school every day allows your child to get the most out of their learning and improve their career and life options.

Regular school attendance can help expand your child's learning and create positive relationships with their peers.

If you require support in getting your child to school for any reason, please reach out to us.

If you need interpreter assistance to contact the school, please call 131 450, tell the operator what language you need and ask them to phone the school. The operator will get an interpreter on the line to assist you with your conversation. You will not be charged for this service.





## TICKET REQUEST FOR THE WORLD FESTIVAL OF MAGIC SHOW

Hosted by Lions Club of Wyoming- East Gosford

Sponsored by THE LOCAL BUSINESS COMMUNITY

LIVE SHOW DATE: SUNDAY 12th November, 2023

LOCATION : NIAGARA PARK STADIUM – 18 WASHINGTON AVE, NIAGARA PARK 2250

SHOW TIME: 11.00 AM AND 2.00 PM

(PLEASE INDICATE WHICH SESSION BELOW) ON THE RECEIPT OF THIS EMAIL, THE TICKETS WILL BE POSTED TO YOU. PLEASE ENSURE YOU INCLUDE YOUR POSTAL ADDRESS.

Any queries, please contact PROJECT ADMINISTRATOR DIANA IVIC 0432 633 582

Affiliated Organisation/Family/School:

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|-------------------------------|---|----------------|
| Ticket Holder Details:        |  |                |
| Main Contact's name:          |   |                |
| Mobile Number:                |   |                |
| Email Address:                |   |                |
| Postal Address:               |   |                |
| Session Time: (Please Circle) |   | 11.00AM 2.00PM |
| Number of Tickets Required:   |   |                |

**GET YOUR ORDERS IN EARLY TO ALLOW 2 WEEKS DELIVERY TIME.**

**NOTE: THIS IS NOT A TICKET. TICKETS WILL BE SENT AFTER ORDERS HAVE BEEN PROCESSED**

Tickets are not for sale. Given **FREE** of charge.

### Terms and Conditions

1. Tickets by application only.
2. Tickets will not be issued without a booking.
3. Tickets are allocated and distributed by International Entertainment (Aust) Pty Ltd (hereafter IEAU) on behalf of the HOST of the event.
4. IEAU collects personal information for COVID-19 contact tracing purposes, and to advise you of changes or cancellations to your event.
5. Your personal information will not be disclosed to third parties except when required by Law and will be kept for 56 days.
6. Audience members consent to be photographed, filmed and/or otherwise recorded at the venue, and consent in perpetuity to the use of such for the purposes of promotional activities by IEAU or its assignees.
7. You agree to follow venue controls and only attend the event/performance if you are in good health and have not been in close contact with a person who is COVID-19 positive or have travelled overseas or to a COVID-19 hotspot in the past 14 days.
8. Please do not upload or post pictures, photos or images of your ticket on social sites. Posting can lead to fraudulent behaviour.
9. Entry to the event is subject to the above conditions. Attendance signifies acceptance of these terms and conditions.