



PAGEWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

TERM 3 WEEK 8 2019
Monday 9 September 2019



CALENDAR TERM 3

SEPTEMBER		
WEEK 8		
Mon 9	ICAS Writing Years 3-6 to be completed in class time	
Wed 11	ICAS Spelling in Library	7.50am
	Assembly – Stage 1 Public Speaking Final	2.00pm
Thurs 12	Big Band Bash at Daceyville Public School – our bands will perform 10.15 -10.30am	
Fri 13	PSSA - Semi Final	
Sat 14	Market Carnival	9am-3pm
WEEK 9		
Mon 16	ICAS English in Library	7.50am
Wed 18	ICAS Maths in Library	7.50am
Thurs 19	Uniform Shop open	9.15am
	Cybersafety parent workshop	3.30pm
Fri 20	PSSA - Finals	
WEEK 10		
Fri 27	Parent Session: How to help your Year 4-6 child with maths	9:15am-10:15am
	Last day of school	

A reminder that Daylight Savings begins on Sunday 6 October at 2am!

CALENDAR TERM 4

OCTOBER		
WEEK 1		
Mon 14	Students return to school in full summer uniform	

RAINBOW AWARDS presented Wednesday

Taichu (KLR)	Aleksandar (KLR)
Gabriel (1/2H)	Kimily (2M)
Tom (2M)	Isabella (2M)
Nikita (KLR)	Eli (KLR)

SILVER AWARD presented Wednesday

Aidan (2M)



Saturday 14 September!

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

Last week at assembly we held our Early Stage 1 Public Speaking finals. Well done to all of our Early Stage 1 students who made the finals. This week will be our Stage 1 Public Speaking Finals at Assembly at 2pm.

Pawgwood Public School is a uniform school, which is supported by the P&C. Recently, some students have been out of uniform without a valid reason. I have asked all class teachers to monitor the wearing of correct school uniform. Sports uniform and sports shorts should only be worn to school on Friday, unless students are attending a gala day. This includes the wearing of **completely black** shoes/sport shoes. Students who participate in PSSA sport should wear their school shoes to school and bring their soccer/netball shoes to change into before the bus leaves and then change back after PSSA. We understand that at times a student may not be in correct uniform. Parents should write a note to explain and send this to school with their child. If financial difficulty is impacting on a child's uniform please approach me in confidence for assistance. Please ensure all clothing and lunchboxes are clearly marked with your child's name. Students will return to school in full summer uniform next term. Now is a good time to order summer uniforms if you need to as next Thursday (Week 9) is the last open morning for the Uniform Shop before Term 4 begins.



Thank you to the parents at the P&C meeting last week for your feedback regarding the non-local intake criteria for enrolling at Pawgwood Public School and to Danielle for her willingness to be the parent panel member for 2019. I will continue working on our procedures and there will be a panel meeting before the end of this term.

Market Carnival is less than one week away – not many sleeps to go! There is still a lot happening behind the scenes by our P&C Committee and parent volunteers who are organising everything so that we can all enjoy the day. Don't forget to pre-purchase your ride tickets otherwise they will be more expensive on the day and invite all your friends to join us.

Kindergarten 2020 enrolment interviews begin this week. Our Assistant Principals and myself will be conducting the interviews. If you have or know of a child entering Kindergarten in 2020 please contact the school office to enrol as soon as possible.

Have you seen the plans for our new playground space? If not, come into the front office to see the wonderful design. Thanks to the P&C for supporting our school with this project. Early feedback from students has been very positive. A sneak peek is on the next page!

Nicole Mayhew
Principal



PLAYGROUND SPACE DESIGN



DEBATING

Congratulations to our Year 5 debaters who won the regional quarter-final against Stanmore Public School last Thursday. They will now progress to the semi-final. The topic was 'That students should be picked for selective high schools based on their primary school report cards instead of a test' and we were the negative team. The team came up with some excellent ideas and were able to rebut the affirmative teams point successfully with evidence. Thanks to Ms Thomson for her work this year with the team, Ms Mayhew is enjoying working with the team now! The semi-final will be held at Pagewood PS in the next two weeks, date to be confirmed.



INTERRELATE

On Monday 18 November there will be workshops available for parents and their children after school provided at a cost by INTERRELATE. INTERRELATE have been teaching sexuality and relationship education to young people and their parents for over 90 years and have a reputation for non-discriminatory and open teaching on sensitive issues. Their primary programs cover issues including sexuality, gender identity, bullying awareness and respectful relationships. Further information will be sent home at the end of this term for Year 3-6.

MARKET CARNIVAL INFORMATION

A note was sent home on Friday to help you plan which goodies you'd like to bake for our cake stall! Please deliver cakes to school on the morning of Market Carnival, Saturday 14 September. If this isn't possible, please bring them to 4/5W classroom on the afternoon of Friday 13 September. Please note that we are unable to refrigerate cakes overnight and please ensure cakes are covered with cling wrap. We are still in need of more helpers for our fabulously busy BBQ. The Silent Auction is online and active now! Please see page 6 for all the details about Market Carnival.

NAPLAN

The preliminary national results for this year's NAPLAN assessments are now available. Student reports will be sent to schools to distribute to parents from 16 September. ACARA has included a note on this year's student reports advising caution in interpreting NAPLAN results if a child experienced disruptions when taking the tests online.

PSSA SPORT – 1pm

Netball	Heffron
Soccer	Heffron 55

UNIFORM SHOP

The Uniform Shop opens every second Thursday from 9:15am to 9:45am. Our lovely parent volunteers will open the uniform shop on Thursday 19 September at 9:15am.

NSW PUBLIC SCHOOLS MUSIC ENSEMBLES

Applications are now open for the NSW public schools weekly instrumental music ensembles. The Arts Unit offers six instrumental ensembles that rehearse on a weekly basis in Lewisham; two wind ensembles, two jazz stage bands, one string orchestra and one symphony orchestra. Our ensembles are open to public school students in Years 5-12.

For more information and to apply please see our website <https://www.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/weekly-instrumental-ensembles>
Applications close 23 September 2019.

ICAS TESTS

ICAS Writing test have been held today in class time for Years 3-6 students. On Wednesday will be ICAS Spelling at 7.50am in the Library. In Week 9 ICAS English is on Monday at 7.50am and ICAS Maths will be on Wednesday at 7.50am in the Library. If your child is enrolled for these tests, please ensure they arrive at school by 7.50am ready to begin the test at 8.00am sharp.

BIG BAND BASH

The 2019 Big Band Bash will be held at Daceyville Public School this Thursday 12 September from 9.30am-2.00pm. Our junior and senior band will be performing between 10:15am-10:30am. Please come and join us!



PPS P&C (Parents and Citizens) News

Highlights of the September P&C Meeting

- Update on Market Carnival preparations. See Market Carnival notice for details.
- Parents provided feedback on student enrolment criteria and Danielle N will be the parent rep on the enrolment panel for this year.
- There was also discussion regarding the Statement of Account. Ms Mayhew advised from now they will go out in Week 2 and be due in Week 4. There will also be information published before the term about expected costs.
- Progress is being made on the Solar Panels project and it should be completed by the deadline for the grant.
- Two of our P&C members and Ms Grisanti have put a lot of work into applying for an Orica Community Grant to fund resources for the school. We hope to hear of the outcome by the end of September.

Your P&C welcomes feedback from the wider school community. Please send any feedback or issues for P&C to our email address: pagewoodpublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au

Due to school holidays our next meeting is 5th November. The agenda will be published next term in the Week 3 School newsletter.

Many thanks for all your support

Your P&C



5 DAYS TO GO!

Everything you need to know

The Carnival will be **ON this Saturday 14 September** - even if it rains, though the forecast looks good!

Carnival **OPENS 9am - 3pm** - stalls will start selling from 9am

Parents/carers are **100% responsible for your children!**

The carnival is **CASH ONLY** - bring lots of notes & coins or go to the ATM before you arrive

Set up 7am - 9am - if you are a morning person & would like to help with the set up, please get in touch

RIDES operational 10am-2pm - don't forget to **bring your paper ride ticket to swap at the ticket booth** on the oval for your **unlimited rides wristband**. Buy your unlimited rides ticket on Tues or Thurs morning outside the canteen or online <https://www.trybooking.com/BBILl> for \$25 or pay \$30 on the day

Raffle tickets - Please return these **tomorrow**, Tues 10 Sept to your class teacher for the class prize draw. Any tickets and money sold after this can be returned to the front office this week or to the Hub on the day

Cake stall donations - please deliver your home baked treats on Saturday morning directly to the cake stall (near canteen) before 9am if possible or deliver to the 4/5W classroom on Friday afternoon. **Please note that we are unable to refrigerate cakes overnight and please ensure cakes are covered with cling wrap.**

P&C Information Hub - located on the basketball court if you have any issues or want to purchase raffle tickets and place silent auction bids on the day

Please volunteer on your class stall or get in touch with us to help in other roles if you can

Market Carnival Schedule, including Performances:

9.00am Carnival opens
10.00 Rides begin
10.00 Zumba with Camilla
10.30 South Sydney High School
11.00 Pose Performance Academy
11.30 Pagewood Public School Senior Band
12.00 Janice Breen Performance Studio
12.30 Pagewood Public School Junior Dance Group
12.40 Randwick Girls High School
1.00 Pagewood Public School Choir
1.20 Vocalist, Xanthe Longley-Bain
1.35 Tutu Studios Dance Group
2.00 Vocalist, Eddie Langford
2.00 Rides end
2.00 Silent auction ends
2.30 Raffle draw
3.00pm Carnival closes

Silent auction - The silent auction items are *different* to the raffle prizes and we have over \$8,000 worth of items on offer! Go to <https://airauctioneer.com/pagewood-public-school-market-carnival/>

To make a bid on a silent auction item you will need to set up a bidder account with an email address and password. Once your account has been created, return to the website & place your bids!

Every child has contributed to these class artwork masterpieces available for purchase in the silent auction!



1K



3C



1B



4M



KS



1/2H



2M



5/6C



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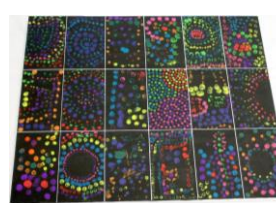
5/6G



4/5W



3A



KLR

BBQ helpers needed: Please click on this link to pop your name directly on the roster:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1WjMFs9DTg-XGwC_zjs9vr7G2pcsnXgIK8ySjvGanqkY/edit#gid=0

Face painters, hairspray & nails: we need more people! Please get in touch if you can help

Pack up 3pm-5pm - please stay or return to school to help pack away stalls, signage, and rubbish

Please do not bring dogs, wheels (bikes/ scooters) play ball games, and no tree climbing or smoking!

Any alcohol won at bottle lotto is not to be consumed on site

We're looking forward to a fabulously fun day - see you there!

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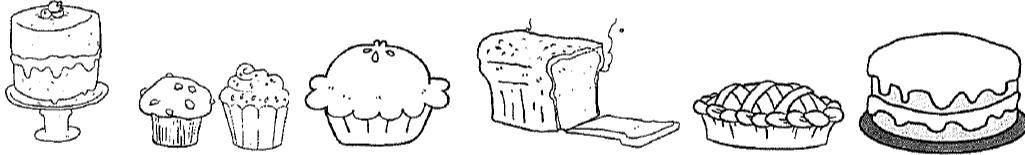
Market Carnival - cake stall donations please!!!!



What: Cakes, cup-cakes, muffins, slices, cookies, brownies & treats cooked at **HOME**, with an ingredients list if possible (no need to buy cakes, slices etc from the supermarket). Put in labelled (name & class) or disposable container.

When: Bring to the cake stall at school on the morning of Market Carnival **Saturday 14th September**

If this isn't possible, bring to 4/5W classroom afternoon of Friday 13th September (cannot be put in a fridge)



Thank you for your kind donations. They are what we need to make the cake stall a success!



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Term 3 2019

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday/ Sunday
Week 8	Sep 9	Sep 10	Sep 11 Stage 1 Public Speaking Final 2pm	Sep 12 Big Band Bash – Daceyville PS	Sep 13 PSSA - SEMIS	Sep 14/15 Market Carnival Saturday 14
Week 9 Wellbeing Week	Sep 16	Sep 17	Sep 18	Sep 19 3:30pm Cybersafety parent workshop	Sep 20 PSSA - FINALS	Sep 21/22
Week 10	Sep 23	Sep 24	Sep 25	Sep 26	Sep 27 9:15am Parent session 'How to help your Year 4-6 child with maths' Last day of school	Sep 28/29