Bookweek
The school was awash with fairies, princesses, superheros and all manner of book personalities as the school kicked off bookweek. If you can read you can do anything!

Well done and congratulations to the many students and staff who dressed up for the day. The school held a photo story presentation during assembly on the Monday afternoon of all students dressed up, this replaced the usual book parade. Apologies to parents who were unaware of this change in procedure.

NAPLAN
NAPLAN test results are due to be mailed this week to schools. Once they arrive reports will be distributed to children in years 3, 5 and 7. Initial analysis of data indicates that Wondall continues its record of achievement in NAPLAN, particularly in year 3.

NAIDOC
Last Thursday Wondall Heights celebrated NAIDOC day with a timetable of Indigenous cultural activities. Some of the activities included painting, traditional stories, games and music, culminating with an assembly where our Indigenous students presented dances they learnt during the day along with members of our indigenous families playing the didgeridoo and clap sticks. Many thanks to the many families who contributed to a great day.

Attendance Superstars
Congratulations to Prep Blue and 4BH who are attendance superstars so far this term. Both classes have achieved 100% attendance for a fortnight. Prep Blue for their reward, had a zooper-dooper, read a book and played a game with myself. 4BH and I are yet to negotiate their reward. Attendance at school is compulsory every day.
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

NAIDOC Week
Last week Wondall Heights celebrated NAIDOC week. Rotations of activities on Thursday featured art, music, storytelling and traditional games. At the assembly in the afternoon, our indigenous students performed traditional dances including the welcome and farewell dances. We would like to thank Nicole and Angela for teaching the dances and Dean Tyson for playing the didgeridoo. These performances were a wonderful gift to our school.

U/8s Celebrations
Due to the inclement weather, our Under 8s activity for students from Prep to Year 3, has been postponed until the morning of Friday 29th August. Activities will be in the first session on this day commencing at 9:00am. Children may wear their sports uniform and must wear a HAT. Sunscreen should also be applied. Each child is asked to bring along a named plastic bag to carry any craft they make. Parents and caregivers are invited to attend. Younger siblings are most welcome, provided that they are supervised by parents. We look forward to seeing you all there for a fun morning of play!

Grandparents Day
This Friday 22nd August, we celebrate Grandparent’s Day and we are looking forward to seeing many families. On this morning we will begin with performances in the hall from 9:00am until 9:45 am and then move to classrooms for the next 30 minutes. Morning tea will then be served in the Hall from 10:15am – 10:45am.

At the time of printing, the order of the performances is:

1. 2H
2. 2D
3. Senior Choir (Yr 4-6)
4. 2U
5. 2HW
6. Instrumental Student/s (Yr 5)
7. 4D and 4BP Dance
8. 4AH and 4BH Dance
9. Performance Dance Team (Yr 6-7)
10. Yr 1 Dance

If your family has not sent an RSVP to the school with the number attending, please ensure this happens before Friday to assist with catering.

Trish McNeilage
Music News!
Junior Choir is FULL. We are unable to accept any more Junior Choir students as we have reached capacity. We have had a great response from our Prep and Year One students this year.

Dance News!
Wakakirri
Wakakirri ticket forms and payments need to be at the office by Thursday 21st August.

“Singer of the Week”
Intermediate Choir – Lily G-W. 3OB
Senior Choir – Lyzah T. 4BH

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
SENIOR BAND
Senior Band members were given invitations to the Intermediate level music event (called WAMMM) on Monday this week. This event takes place during the last week of this term. (There is no advanced camp this year so attendance at this WAMMM is recommended). Guest conductors are Jon Morrison (James Morrison’s brother) and Jackie Cooper. The day camp will conclude with an exciting evening concert to showcase what has been learnt. This will take place on the Thursday evening. Applications are due back THIS FRIDAY (August 22nd) so your prompt attention to this is appreciated.

ALL STUDENTS:
All band students are being given homework each week to extend their skills. Please help them with this by making sure they have a place to play without interruption and that they make at least 4 sessions of 15 minutes per week.

Library Borrowing

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"Singer of the Week"
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TUCKSHOP
Trading hours: Tuesday – Friday
8.30am – 1.30pm
Current menu is on PINK paper effective MAY 2014

Thank you to Vera and Tamara for helping at Tuckshop last week!

VOLUNTEER ROSTER
Coloured shading below indicates Tuckshop needs your help!
Please let us know if you can assist on a particular day.

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Unable to attend your rostered day? Please text or ring me asap!

BOOKWEEK AT TUCKSHOP!
Join in the fun with a $4 SHOWBAG (includes a SCHOLASTIC Book Lucky Dip)! It’s your last chance this Thursday 21st August to grab yourself a Showbag (including a Scholastic Book) for only $4 with any 2nd break tuckshop order. Please note: there are NO food items in showbags. When ordering please write SHOWBAG and the price of $4 and add this to your order total. Showbags will be given out at the end of the day. Example of How To Order Your Showbag:

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If you have any questions, please see us at the Tuckshop.

Suzette Beveridge 3906 6412

UNIFORM SHOP ATTENTION PARENTS!
PREP ENROLMENTS 2015

The Uniform Shop will be taking appointments during the month of August for all 2015 Prep children to be measured for their school uniforms.

Please contact Nikki on 3906 6474 Tuesday, Thursday and Friday between 8.00am to 9.30am to arrange a time that suits.

Regards Nikki

DATE CLAIMERS:

AUGUST 2014
Fri 22nd Grandparents Day
Fri 29th Under 8’s Morning 9am Yr 5—7 Interschool Sports

SEPTEMBER 2014
Mon 1st Assembly 2pm
Fri 5th World Teacher Aide’s Day
Fri 12th 2015 Prep Open Day
Sat 13th 2015 Prep Open Day
Mon 15th Assembly 2pm
Thurs 18th Rewards Day
Fri 19th Term 3 ends

OCTOBER 2014
Mon 6th Public Holiday
Tues 7th Term 4 commences

Gotchas

Aston A 1N Madeleine B 3M
Hayley Y 1V Luke J 4AH
Louka W 1V Zachary D 4AH
Lucas Z 1V Ella A 4BP
Kiarna N 1V Dallas O 6/7S

Don’t forget to go to Tuckshop to claim your reward.
Keep up the great work!!!!
YEAR 4 SPORTS EXPO - RESCHEDULED

Unfortunately, due to the wet weather on Friday the day was cancelled after we arrived.

The day has been rescheduled for Friday August 29. Same agenda as previously informed, just a new date.

SEMESTER 2 INTERSCHOOL SPORT

This semester’s interschool sport season commences in Week 7, Friday August 29 for 4 weeks and continues after the holidays until Week 4 Friday October 31. The sports this semester are AFL, Basketball, Softball & Touch. Venues for sports at this stage are:

AFL – Wynnum Bugs Sports Fields (Elanora Park)  Basketball – Wynnum West & Wynnum State Schools
Softball – Elanora Park Softball Fields  Touch – Memorial Park

With these venues there may not be canteen food/drink available so students will need normal pack lunches or to collect tuckshop in first break for lunch out at sport. Students have received their forms from their sports teachers. Non-competitive students need to collect their forms from Mrs. Squires. This Friday we will have a team run afternoon of games to prepare for the competition. Payment for this Semester Interschool Sport is $60 for competitive and $15 for non-competitive. Payment options, dates etc. are all explained on the forms. Payment is available at the payments window of the office from this Thursday morning. Please remember payment mornings are Tuesdays and Thursdays. Failure to pay prior to the first Friday may mean exclusion from inter-school sport until payment is received.

Strive to excel in sport
Stephen Bloxsom
Sports Coordinator/HPE Teacher

Poems By 5B

My Rose
I like to water my small rose
With a small hose
My rose smells like the water
From my hose
That’s why I like
My small rose
By Nathan H 5B

Earth
Earth is not like any other planet
And it is the only planet we can live on
Ready set snow is what we have only at 0deg or less
The centre of Earth is cold to the core
Here Earth is the fourth from the sun and I hope you had fun.
By Eli J 5B

A Poppy
The is sleep I’m so weepy
But on ANZAC I wake up
And celebrate the people
Who went to fight for me
And my country
By Courtney T 5B
A locked box will be located at the front of the library where all book club orders will need to be placed. Classroom teachers and the office will no longer accept orders. Students will be directed to take orders to the library and place them directly into the locked box. Please do not give orders to the library staff. Any spare order forms will be placed in the same location. The library is open Monday to Thursday. 

Book Club will now be cashless – the school will not accept cash payments for orders. Any orders placed into the box that contain cash will be sent home. Payments for book club can be made in one of three ways:

Online payment – go to www.scholastic.com.au/payment. Once your payment has been accepted you will need to write the receipt number on the bottom of the order form and return this to school (make sure you mark your book selections on the order form as well).

Phone payment – call the automated free phone service (available 24 hours) on 1800 557 908. You will again be given a receipt number to write on the bottom of the order form.

Payment by cheque – cheques need to be made payable to Scholastic Australia Pty Ltd and must be crossed “not negotiable”. Any cheques not made out correctly will be returned home.

The due date for each issue will be published in the newsletter and no orders will be accepted after this date. Any order that is returned late will be sent home.

If you have any questions regarding book club you can direct these to Karen Hills or Loralea Travis.

Thank you and happy reading!
SCOOTERS
Jump, Jump,
Awesome big tricks,
Scooters get
massive height,
Landings can be
very good and bad,
Falls hurt!
By Calym Yr 5

My Mum is
Happy
By Freya Prep
My cat was
running in my
house.

A Cow
By Harper
Prep
I saw a cow,
Taking a
haw.

Wakker, Wipper Woo
Put in an “N” and mix it with a “W”
and here’s what you will get at the
end of the day:
Nipper, nipper noo noo, wakker,
wipper, woo,
It will make you groove like a mad
kangaroo.
By Nic Yr 4
Cat Flat
By Rielly Prep
Declan kicks the ball with me,
Then he writes the letter “d”,
He doesn’t like to do many things,
Sometimes he likes to sing.

My Pet Monkey
Funky is my pet monkey.
He loves to eat anything that is chunky.
My monkey loves to swing around.
He loves to sing very loud.
By Isaiah Yr 4

My Dog is NJ
By Ryan Prep
My dog is black and white,
He likes looking at the light,
He runs very, very fast,
Sometimes he comes last.

My Pet Cat
Rosey is my pet cat,
She likes to sit on the mat.
My pet cat is very silly,
She likes to chew on Milly!
By Phoebe Yr 4
Dear

You’re invited to
Wondall Heights State School’s
Grandparents’ Day 2014

Friday the 22nd of August

Please meet in the Performing Arts Hall at 9:00

Followed by:

• Performance in the Hall
• Classroom Visits
• Morning Tea provided.
2015 Prep Parent Information Sessions

When:  Friday 12th September 2014
        Saturday 13th September 2014

Time:  10am

Where: Performing Arts Hall

Come along and see what makes Wondall a great school!
Changes to the School Dental Program

Good dental health begins at home. That’s why we’re making changes to our school dental program to give all parents the opportunity to be involved in their children’s dental care.

What’s changing?

We now ask that a parent or legal guardian attends every dental appointment with their child. To fit in with busy families, we’re offering free treatment at any of Metro South Health’s public clinics across the region.

That means you will now need to book an appointment for you and your child; we will no longer arrange appointments through your child’s school.

When you attend the appointment, you will have the opportunity to discuss any concerns and receive expert advice from our oral health professionals about your child’s dental care. Research shows that children have better long-term dental health if their parents understand their unique dental needs.

How can I make an appointment?

Simply call our new telephone line – 1300 300 850 – to arrange an appointment at a time and location convenient for you.

Who is eligible?

- All children 4 years old through to year 10 students
- Students in years 11 and 12 who have a current Centrelink Card, Healthcare Card or Pension Card
- 0-3 year olds whose parents have a current Centrelink Card, Healthcare Card or Pension Card
- 2-17 year olds who are eligible for the Child Dental Benefits Schedule

For more information, visit health.qld.gov.au/metrosouth/oralhealth