PRINCIPAL

Congratulations

At Wondall ‘We Strive to Excel’. Once again, Wondall has proven that it is a great school. Last Saturday our Musicians and Dancers performed at the Halloween Festival at Manly. Both groups excelled and proved themselves to be great ambassadors for the school, themselves and their families.

Stephen Bloxsom our Phys Ed teacher received the following email from an Active After School Care program provider last week.

Dear Stephen,
I just wanted to say what a FANTASTIC group of kids you have in your AASC program. They were all keen to try hockey (even loved how the chaplain joined in!!!) and give their best for the whole hour. They were polite, and VERY well mannered!
In the 6yrs of doing AASC coaching, we have never come across such a lovely group....
thankyou - they are a credit to the parents, teachers, carers & school.
Can't wait for Mon.
Regards Stacey

Parklands
It has come to the school’s attention that some students are playing in the creek bed and bush area behind the school on weekends and after school. Parents, please be aware that inappropriate items eg used syringes have been found in these areas at times.

End Of Year
As we move towards the end of the year at a great pace with student leadership discussions, academic reporting, concerts, swim carnivals, rewards days, class break-ups and graduation, it is important to keep the focus on the main priority of schools – learning. Wondall must continue to Work Respectfully, Work Responsibly and Work Safely so we can enjoy the second half of term 4.

Majella Frith

A/Deputy Principal
Mrs Trish McNeilage

A/Deputy Principal
Mrs Pamela Kondys

A/HOC
Mrs Bridget Hawkins

A/HOSES
Mrs Debra Stephens

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

Booklists 2015
It is anticipated that booklists for 2015 will be sent home with students by the end of next week (Thursday 13 November). At present the supplier is ensuring that the online ordering system is running smoothly.

Library
As you can appreciate, for our Library to be operational on the first day back in 2015 certain processes need to be put in place this term. Last day of library borrowing for all students is next Thursday 13 November. All library books are then to be returned to school by the end of week 8, Friday 28 November. Thank you for your assistance with this.

Manly Halloween Street Party
It was wonderful to see Wondall students representing our school, proudly performing in the concert band and on the dance stage. Well done!

Enrolment for 2015
We continue to receive enrolments for 2015. If you know of any prospective students for Wondall for 2015, please ask the families to contact the office.

Chicken Pox
There has been a case of chicken pox reported at the school this week. For information regarding chicken pox go to www.health.qld.gov.au

Trish McNeilage
### Uniform Shop

**Tuesday, Thursday, Friday**

8.00am — 9.15am

### Tuckshop Hours

**Tuesday — Friday**

8.30am — 1.40pm

### P&C Meeting

**Tuesday**

18th November

@ 7pm

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# Save the Date!

Wondall’s Term Calendar for term 4, 2014.

Please be aware that dates on this planner may need to change ... make sure you revisit this calendar each week to check!

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* Assembly: Yr 4-7 | 5 November | 6 November | 7 November | 4 November (Melbourne Cup Day)! |
| 6  | 10 November  
* Assembly: P-3 | 12 November | 13 November  
* Junior Musical Concert 6:00pm, P.1,2, class performances and Junior Choir | 14 November  
 Public Holiday (Brisbane only): G20 |
| 7  | 17 November  
* Assembly: Yr 4-7 | 18 November  
P&C Meeting 7:00pm | 19 November | 20 November  
* Senior Concert 6:30pm: Yr 3-7 class performances  
* Prep & P1/P Concert & Museum | 21 November  
* 2015 Prep Students: Orientation Day |
| 8  | 24 November  
* Assembly: P-3 | 25 November | 26 November  
* NOTE DATE CHANGE: Yr 4 Excursion: GOMA, Science Centre  
* Disney Delights Concert 6:30pm: Int and Sen Choirs, Jun and Sen Bands, Wondall Dance Team | 27 November | 28 November  
* Volunteers’ thank you 9.00am—10.00am |

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* Assembly: Yr 4-7 | 2 December  
* Yr 2/3 swimming carnival | 3 December  
* Yr P/1 swimming carnival  
* Lion King excursion: 57 music/dance students | 4 December  
* Yr 4-7 swimming carnival | 5 December | |
| 10 | 8 December  
* Assembly: Whole School: School Leaders for 2015 announced. | 9 December  
* Yr 7 Graduation | 10 December  
* Year 6 Graduation  
* Report Cards sent home | 11 December  
* Break-up Day and Rewards Day  
* Yr 6/7 Chermside Water Park | 12 December  
* Clean-Up Day | |
Wondall’s ICAS Results for years 4 – 7
As promised, certificates were presented at assembly this week to the yr 4-7 students who participated in the ICAS (International Competitions and Assessments for Schools) tests this year. Congratulations to all Wondall students who chose to challenge themselves in this way!

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Music News!

End of Year Concerts
Congratulations ‘1N’ for being the first class to return ALL your concert slips. We are still hunting for a winning class for the Senior Concert. The yellow Junior Concert slips were due back at the end of last week. Please get them in as soon as possible.

Junior Concert – Thursday 13th November 6:00pm
Prep, Year 1, 2 and Junior Choir.

Senior Concert – Thursday 20th November 6:30pm
Year 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7. Reply slip due by Friday 7th November.

‘Disney Delights’ Concert - Wednesday 26th November 6:30pm
Intermediate Choir, Senior Choir, J-Band, Senior Band and the Wakakirri dance students. Reply slip due by Friday 7th November.

Dance News!

Halloween Performance
Congratulations to all the dancers who performed at the Halloween Street Party in Manly over the weekend. Once again you performed beautifully and made your parents, teachers and community very proud. Special mention to Mrs Whiting’s dance group who struggled through music issues and lived up to the phrase ‘The show must go on!’

Performance Dance Team
There will be no more Tuesday dance rehearsals for the rest of the year.

Costume Return
Keep returning the Wakakirri costumes in your blue bag. They are to be handed to Miss Ellis.
Book Fair

–Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who supported our annual Book Fair.

Thanks to your generosity we have been able to add a significant number of books to our library collection for many students to enjoy, now and in the future!

We would also like to thank the many helpers who assisted to make this fair such a success!

Katrina O’Neill
(On behalf of the Wondall Heights State School Library Staff)

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TUCKSHOP

Trading hours: Tuesday – Friday
8.30am – 1.30pm

Current menu is on GOLD paper effective OCTOBER 2014

The new SUMMER menu on gold paper was sent home in week 2. Please check new menu before placing your next order as there have been a few price increases and some items have been to deleted to make way for Summer favourites. Orders will be altered if money is incorrect. Please note a serve of NUGGETS is now equivalent to one CHICKEN TENDER (a crumbed chicken tenderloin) and cost $1.60.

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

Please note: Sakata BBQ Crackers are no longer available from the supplier. Please delete these from your menu copy at home.

There have been several orders come through without Name and/or Class written on the bag. Without this information it is impossible for us to send the order to the correct person so PLEASE remember: NAME, CLASS and either 1st or 2nd Break.

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

Suzette Beveridge 3906 6412

School Bankers

Hello School Bankers,

We have a new promotion to reward regular savers. All you have to do is bank between 20th Oct to 30th Nov to be placed in the draw.

The prizes available are:

40 x GoPro Hero3 Cameras
150 x Slip n Slide Double Wave Riders

When you get your ten tokens don’t forget to send them in before Week 8 of this term to claim your prize.

Keep up the great work !!

Your Banking Co-ordinator

GOTCHAS

Lev L 4AH
Courtney T 5B
Tyrese T 5KS
Tristan F 6I
Lily P 6I

Don’t forget to claim your prize from Tuckshop.

Great Work !!
Terms 4 Swimming
Apart from serious injury or illness (accompanied by a parent note), students must not miss their swimming lessons. This is a life skill and in our country and climate, encounters of swimming in pools, lakes, rivers and surf are overwhelming. As during lessons students will be swimming, it is advised that students wear togs and not board shorts. For boys, jammers (tog material tight fitting upper leg shorts) are fine. Board shorts are used for trips to the beach and a splash in the water with assistance from waves. For swimming in a pool, our bodies carry enough drag as it is. We do not want to add to this. This goes for our swim carnivals as well.

Swimming Carnivals (Week 9)

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<td>Relay</td>
<td>Top 3 will compete in 100 I.M. at end of carnival</td>
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Swim-offs commence this week from Wednesday 5/11 for 12/13s Thursday 6/11 for 11s and Friday 7/11 for 10s. 9s don’t require any swim-offs. YR 3 Swim-offs will commence the following week on Tuesday 11/11 and Wednesday 12/11. YR 2 Swim-offs will commence Thursday 13/11 & Tuesday 17/11.

All Swim-offs will be held in 1st & 2nd Lunch times. Students will be reminded of this on their Assemblies. It is important that they remember their gear on these days as failure to bring gear may result in exclusion from the premier race. It is important to show intent to swim and it is only fair that if staff give up lunch times to allow qualifying that swimmers in turn remember and arrive promptly.

Please note if a swimmer does not make it through the Swim Offs stage they will still be able to swim all strokes at the carnival. It just means they won’t swim that stroke in a Premier Race.

AASC (Active After School Communities)
Just 3 spaces left on both days! Get in quick!
If you would like your child/children to participate in AASC for the remainder of this term on Tuesdays to Week 9 (December 2) and/or Mondays to Week 10 (December 8) you will need to fill out the form from the office. The list of participants can also be found at the office. Sports are Hockey on Mondays and Golf/Taekwondo on Tuesdays. Parents are reminded to physically pick your children up from the oval/arena at 4.15PM.

Strive to excel in sport

Stephen Bloxsom
Sports Coordinator/HPE Teacher
## Class Library Borrowing Times

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