

The **WATTLE**

Noticeboard



Number 5

19th April 2012

**Wednesday April 25th
ANZAC Public Holiday**

NO School

A Special Welcome to WPPS's new Assistant Principal Ms Megan Ganter and new grade 2 teacher Ms Natasha Larocque. Also it is great to have Mrs Wheatley back in the Library.

From the Uniform Shop

Winter Uniform Orders went home earlier this week. Please return them to school by **Friday 27th April**. Orders will be filled from existing stock first. Items out of stock will be ordered on 27th April and usually take 4 weeks for delivery.

2nd hand Winter Tunic Sale
Size 8, 10 and 12's available
priced from \$15-\$25.

Any queries please call
Michelle on 9889-9759,

The W.P.P.S. Education Committee are excited to present the first Parent Forum for 2012 on the topic of

How do you talk to your children about sex?

When? Wednesday 2nd May, 2012 at 7.30pm

Where? Our new Learning Centre

Cost? A gold coin donation

See attached flyer for more information

**WPPS PFA Cake Stall –
Burwood Village Autumn
Festival- Sunday the 6th of May
10am to 3pm.**

Calling on all Bakers, Chefs and Cooks to put on your thinking caps and to start thinking about creating a culinary delight to sell at our cake stall.

More details on cake stall to come home soon.

Save the Date:

APRIL

25th ANZAC Day holiday
23-27th Canberra Tour, Grades 5/6

MAY

2nd Proposed Education Forum
3rd Whole School Maths Incursion
6th PFA Cake Stall – Burwood Village
8th May House Cross Country 3-6
15/16/17 Naplan Testing
15th May Proposed Council Meeting
Saturday 19th OPEN DAY
21st Grandparents Day
23rd District Cross Country Gr 3-6
24th 2013 Foundation Information Night 7pm
20-16th Education Week

JUNE

1st Curriculum Day
11th Queen's Birthday Holiday
29th End of Term 2, 2.30 Finish

Next PFA Meeting

Monday 23rd of April 7:30pm

At: WPPS Staff Room.

**All welcome – come along at
help support the PFA and
WPPS**

Notices gone home this week:

Foundation Newsletter

Uniform Notice

Grade 5/6 Cross Country Notice

School Photos

If you have anything you would like to go on to the Notice board please email Suskia at Kiatarna@hotmail.com by the Wednesday of Noticeboard week. We will endeavour to include it.

Thank You

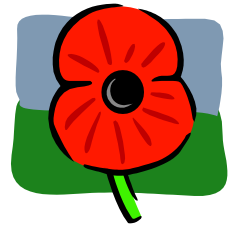
A big 'Thank You', to all the parents who assisted in packing up the computers, and to those who helped move to the new classrooms and clean the old ones.

**WPPS Open Day
Saturday 19th of May**

Invite your family and friends to come along and have a look at our wonderful school.



ANZAC DAY



Dawn Service 2012

Wattle Park Primary School with the permission of ANZAC House, holds a linkage (by ABC broadcast) to the dawn service on the school grounds.

We invite any interested persons in our school and community to join us in this opportunity to remember our fallen servicemen and women.

We feel this is a great opportunity for those unable to travel to the Shrine of Remembrance for the occasion.

We shall be following the order of ceremony as directed by the ADCC (Anzac Day Commemoration Council)

We ask those interested to gather at the School Administration area by 5.45am for a 5.50am start, concluding at 6.30am on Anzac Day, Wednesday 25th April.

The Ceremony is an important occasion, so that future generations of young Australians do not forget the horror of war and the importance of ANZAC Day in Australia's history.

Please join us in remembering and giving thanks to the men and women whose love and sacrifice in wartime has enabled all Australians to live in peace and freedom.

We encourage any children who may be in possession of their grandparent's medals to wear them on the day, noting protocol; medals should be worn to the right side.

Poppies will be available for a donation of \$1 (money collected shall be forwarded onto the Box Hill RSL).

The poppies can then be placed on the new memorial as part of the ceremony.

LEST WE FORGET



Term 2 Parent Forum

The W.P.P.S. Education Committee are excited to present the first Parent Forum for 2012 on the topic of **'How do you talk to your children about sex?'**

We welcome **Claire Maharaj**, Health Educator, to present on this interesting topic. Claire specialises in sexuality education and works with students, teachers and parents. She worked with Family Planning Victoria for many years and now lectures at Deakin. Claire is a contributing author to student textbooks on health as well as a curriculum consultant to schools.

When? Wednesday 2nd May, 2012 at 7.30pm

Where? Our new Learning Centre

Cost? A gold coin donation

Please let us know if you are planning to attend, either by email to

jrking38@bigpond.com or by returning the form below to the school office.

For any enquiries, please contact Rowena King from the Education Committee via the office on 9808 2165 or email jrking38@bigpond.com

We look forward to seeing parents from all year levels there on Wednesday 2nd May, 2012.

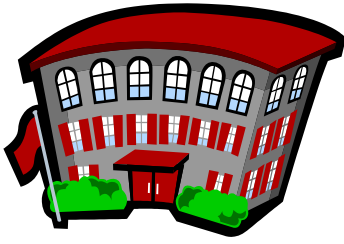
PARENT FORUM WITH CLAIRE MAHARAJ

I will be attending the Parent Forum on Wednesday 2nd May, 2012

Name : _____

Child's Name : _____

Child's Class : _____



Buildings and Grounds Committee Meeting

When: Wednesday 2nd May

Time: 7.30 P.M.

Where: 2A Oxford Street

Camberwell (at back of house)

Contact: Jo Holland 0409 447 533

Welcome New Convenor: Carol Hensley

