Returning in 2017? Great!! If you have for any reason decided to not to return to WPPS in 2017. Please fill in the Exit Form inside. This is imperative for future class planning. Thank you.

By popular demand, the Christmas Card Fundraiser has been extended. Orders must now be in no later than Wednesday 23rd November.
See enclosed for order form.

NOVEMBER
11th Foundation Incursion—Hands on Science
16th Step Up Program #2
16th Year 4 Incursion Prime Science
22nd Year 6 Girls Hoop Time State Finals
22nd Year 3 History Incursion Two Friends Production
23rd Step Up Program #3
25th Future Stars Hoop Time State Finals
26th Twilight Fete – 3pm – 9pm
30th Step Up Program #4

DECEMBER
1st Foundation Teddy Maths Night 6-7.15pm
1st Music World Concert - evening
2nd Year 2 Science Incursion—Hands on Science
2nd Year 3 Science Incursion—Hands on Science
5th–8th Whole School Swimming Program
12–15th Whole School Swimming Program
5th Transition Morning Group 1
6th Transition Morning Group 2
7th Transition Morning Group 3
Year 6 to Year 7 Transition Day
Carols Night
14th Year 6 Big Day Out – Funfields
19th Year 6 Graduation
20th 1.30pm Finish Free Dress Day

2017
31st January – whole school resumes Term 1

Children are not to be in the school grounds before 8.45am unless accompanied by an adult or attending running club.

There are no teachers in the yard before this time.

If children are dropped off before 8.45am, they will be sent to before school care run by Camp Australia at a cost to the parents.

Fun Run Monies
Final deadline for Sponsorship Money for the Fun Run, must be no later than Monday 14th November.
Thank you to the many families/friends/etc who have sponsored your child/ren.

Working Bee coming up.
See inside for details

If you have anything you would like to go on to the Notice board please email to wattle.park.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au by the Wednesday of Noticeboard week. We will endeavour to include it.
On Thursday 10th November, the Year 2 students accompanied by an adult, took part in the annual ‘Year 2 Party Maths Night’. Students enjoyed a fun filled night of maths activities and tasks.

Read on to find out what the Year 2’s thought of their Party Maths Night.

“The Party Maths night was AWESOME! I loved making the hat with big pom poms for my Mum.” Abi
WPPS WORKING BEE

Sunday 20\textsuperscript{th} November 2016

9AM TO 11:30AM

Last working bee for the year.

Please bring your gardening gloves, brooms, secateurs, weeding tools and a smile.

Come for a short time or the whole time!

Any help is appreciated.

Morning tea will be provided.
FETE REMINDERS

16 DAYS TO GO!

- Don’t forget to check out our online auction – new items are continuing to be added each week. Thanks to those who are already bidding! Click on the link below.
  

- Save some money and buy your unlimited ride wristbands now.
  
  www.trybooking.com/NTHH

  (Please note that there will be individual ride tickets sold on the day)

- Thanks to those who have already volunteered their time via our online volunteer site. Please consider donating some time on the day – the fete needs your help to be a fun and successful day.
  
  http://signup.com/go/wDburm

- Thank you for your continuing donations – we are still after **CHOCOLATE BLOCKS** (a variety of sizes would be great!), **CLASS HAMPER ITEMS** (boxes are outside your year level classroom), books and trash and treasure.

- If you would like to help out with the delivery of flyers, please contact Astrid Blackburn (0408 001 300). Take the kids, take the dogs and get in your 10 000 steps!

- Any trestle tables and marquees would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Alison Ross (0414 765 815) if you have one or both you can lend for the day. They will be well looked after.

- Cake Packaging will be available from the office from next week – keep an eye out and start planning a baking session. Firm favourites are cookies, brownies, honey joys, cupcakes, lemon slices and whole cakes but we will welcome any of your delicious baking.
WATTLE PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL
225 WARRIGAL ROAD, BURWOOD

TWILIGHT FETE & FIREWORKS

SATURDAY 26 NOVEMBER, 3PM

STALLS ~ FOOD ~ RIDES ~ ENTERTAINMENT
WATTLEPARKPS.VIC.EDU.AU
WATTLE PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL
TWILIGHT FETE & FIREWORKS

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PRE-PURCHASE RIDE WRISTBANDS NOW!
TRYBOOKING.COM/NTHH
Orders now to be in no later than **Wednesday, 23rd November**

Delivery for these orders will be early December

**WPPS CHRISTMAS CARDS**

...it's only 2 months away!

The PFA is very excited to announce a new fundraising initiative – **CHRISTMAS ART CARDS** featuring YOUR child’s beautiful artwork!

These beautiful Christmas cards feature your child’s individual Christmas tree decoration or a Christmas tree with the whole class’ decorations. Each pack of cards contains 8 cards and envelopes of the same image. The cards are left blank inside for your message.

**One pack of 8 cards is $14  Two packs of 8 cards is $25**

You can order 2 different packs of cards for $25 i.e. one packet of your child’s decoration and one packet of their class Christmas tree or one packet of two different children’s cards.

Designs will be posted outside classrooms, at the office, and at assembly. Look out for an email from your class rep as well.

To order your Christmas cards please complete the attached order form. Payment can be made by cash or credit/debit card. Return the order form and payment in an envelope to the WPPS office clearly marked with your child’s name and class. **HO HO HO ... Happy Christmas Art Cards!**

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1 pack @ $14  2 packs @ $25  3 packs @ $39  4 packs @ $50 etc...

TOTAL $ __________

Please find enclosed cash of: $ __________
or Please debit my Mastercard/Visa/Bankcard for payment of: $ __________ (Minimum $25 by credit card)

Being for: __________

(Please give a description of payment)

Card number _________ _________ _________ _________ Expiry _________ / _________

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Postcode _________ _________ _________ _________

Signature of Cardholder __________

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Student Enrolments and Exits

We are well underway in planning for facilities and staffing for 2017. All planning is based on our student enrolment and exit numbers and we urge parents to complete an enrolment or exit form (see below) as soon as possible. Enrolment forms can be obtained from our website or from the office.

Exit Intentions for 2017

I wish to advise that my child/children as listed below, will not be returning to WPPS in 2017.

Name: __________________________________________________________________
Current Home Group: _______________ Year level: ________________

Name: __________________________________________________________________
Current Home Group: _______________ Year level: ________________

Signed: _________________________________
Date: _____________ ______________

Reason: We would very much appreciate your comments/feedback to assist with future planning.

☐ Moving house
☐ Family moving suburb/interstate/overseas
☐ Transferring to an independent school  The School is __________________________
☐ Transferring to public school    The School is _______________________________
☐ School does not adequately cater to the needs of my child/children
☐ Other

I am happy for a member of the school community to make contact with me:       Yes  No

PLEASE RETURN TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE ASAP
A SONG for Christmas
A Christmas Musical Play
for all the family

Opening Night Charity Event
Saturday 3rd of December at 8pm

All Tickets for Adults $20
(Children admitted free)

All Proceeds to South Vermont Lions Club

at:
Revival Centre Church Hall
275 Middleborough Rd.
Box Hill South VIC
(next to Officeworks)

Bookings through Karen Fuhrmann
on 0412 247 456 or email: karen@fuhrmann.id.au
**PLAYBALL BASKETBALL**
**TRAINING @ AQUALINK & CAMBERWELL HIGH**
**FRIDAY TERM 1 2017 YEARS 1-4**

**BASKETBALL TRAINING**
Playball is now taking registrations from current **PREP to Year 3 Boys & Girls** to commence training in Term 1 at Aqualink & Camberwell High. 40 minute weekly Training by Playball Coaches prepares children for **Friday Competition in Terms 2, 3, 4.**

**REGISTER FOR TERM 1 2017**
Register a training team at [www.playballbasketball.com](http://www.playballbasketball.com) under ‘Registration’ Tab. Teams guaranteed commencement. Individual children can register online.

**TERM 1 TIMES & DATES**
**YEARS 1-4**  **FRIDAY - 4:00-7:00PM**  **3 Feb - 31 March (9 weeks)**
Rings lowered to 8.5ft for training teams & Year 1 competition.

**TERM 1 COST**
Approx $96 per child  **Based on team of 8. Team Invoice $770. (9 weeks)**

**COACHES WORKSHOP**
By Melbourne Junior Tigers  **Sunday in Term 2.**

**CONTACT**
PH: 9585 6123  info@playballbasketball.com

Playball: An affiliated association of Basketball Victoria
WHOSE INVITED? Families (preschool & primary) and anyone else who’d like to join us! Please note: Children will remain in the care of their parents – not a drop off activity

WHAT’S HAPPENING? Christmas Craft, make Yummy Treats, a Scavenger Hunt, Carols, free play & a shared meal (all provided)

WHEN? Saturday 10th December 5.00 - 7.00pm

WHERE? Surrey Hills Uniting Church
cnr Canterbury Rd & Valonia Ave

WANT TO KNOW MORE? Talk to Rob on 9898 1097 or via email on robgotch@optusnet.com.au or Annabel on 9898 5236

Come and make something for you to take home and, if you wish, make some decorations to give to families who may not have so much to share at Christmas.

We will make a Christmas hamper to donate through Burwood Heights Uniting Care – if you would like to bring something that will last a few weeks without refrigeration to add to the hamper you are most welcome.

www.surreyhillsuniting.org.au