



# SEAHORSE *Tales*

## Woolgoolga Public School

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By the end of this week, we only have half a term (5 weeks) until the end of the school year. This time will be very busy with lots of school events building up the end of the year's formal events, such as reports, presentation day, the year six farewell dinner and graduation. We also have continued recycling excursions for our infants' classes, year 4 Cascade Excursion (next week!), year 3 visit to Arrawarra, SRC speeches and elections, regular swimming groups, as well as the Intensive Swimming Scheme. Enjoy the end of year activities but stay safe and sensible, so you can enjoy all the opportunities that our school provides for our wonderful students.

Returning from one of the great opportunities our school provides, is our talented choral group which performed at the Sydney Opera House on Tuesday night. Thank you to our students and Mr Anderson for their dedication and wonderful behaviour. Hopefully we'll hear more about this excursion in next week's newsletter and best wishes to all our students and staff attending the Cascade Excursion next Tuesday and Wednesday. Have fun and enjoy the great learning opportunities. Have a great week everyone! *Kind regards, Matt Hankinson*

### Woolgoolga Retirement Village Visit

Students in 1B visited the Woolgoolga Retirement Village on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November. During the visit students read guided reading books and shared their favourite toy and talked to a resident about what they do at school. Elderly people are a vitally important part of our families and community. Students and residents thoroughly enjoyed their visit together.



### K-2 Assemblies during Intensive Swimming

This week our K-2 assembly will go ahead as usual. For weeks 7, 8 and 9, K-2 assembly will be held at 2:30pm to 3.10pm to cater for Year 2's participation in intensive swimming.

## Students Leaving or Enrolling in 2018

To assist our school planning for next year, could you please contact the school office if you are aware of any families leaving or moving into our area in 2018. This information helps in minimising disruptions to the start of the new school year.

As the end of year approaches we would also like to remind parents to ensure your contact details are current. Please contact Carol or Marion in the front office to update any changes.

Thank you for your assistance.



Seahorse Cafe



### Finger Bun/Cheese Topped Bun and Zooper Dooper Day

Our Seahorse Café is holding a special end of year 'Recess Meal Deal' day on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November.

Order forms will be sent home on Monday and need to be returned to the canteen by Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November.

## Woolgoolga Public School Weeks Ahead

Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8
<b>Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November</b> Stg 2 Swimming	<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November</b> Stg 1 Recycling Excursion Book Fair continues  <b>Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November – Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November</b> Year 4 to Cascade  <b>Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November</b> K/1M visiting Woolgoolga Retirement Village  <b>Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November</b> KS visiting Seagulls Respite Centre Stg 2 Swimming	<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November</b> Kinder to Recycling Centre  <b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November</b> Stg 2 & Stg 3 Swimming 2A visiting Woolgoolga Retirement Village  <b>Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November</b> Intensive Swimming commences  <b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November</b> Final 2018 Kindergarten Orientation visit 9.30am – 11.30am  Red Cross Visit	<b>Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November</b> Intensive Swimming continues  2W visiting Woolgoolga Retirement Village  <b>Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November</b> Yrs 3 Excursion  <b>Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November</b> Stg 2 and 3 Swimming



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## SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES

Stages 2 & 3 - Fridays @ 12:00

Stage 1 – Fridays @ 12:45pm

### Let's go for gold – Beauty Product Recycling Challenge

We are currently 1st place on the leader board but we still have a month to go and so much more to do to win. We need you to VOTE for our school online at: <http://www.terracycle.com.au/en-AU/contests/garnierplayground>

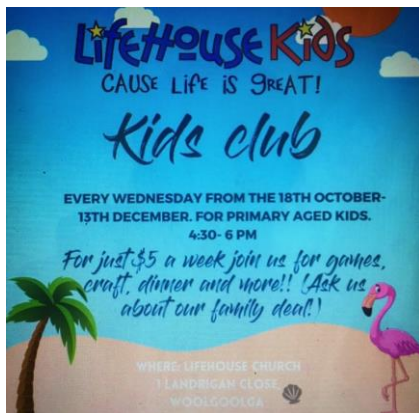
Voting is open from 13<sup>th</sup> November to 8<sup>th</sup> December – every vote is one credit for our school. You can vote every day.

Please tell your family and friends and get behind this campaign. Let's show our children we can all make a difference together 🍷

### Plastic Bottle Tops

It is time to take a break from saving and collecting the plastic bottle top lids as our mural is now complete and awaiting installation.

Keep an eye out for the great unveiling of our recycled mural in coming weeks. If you have any ideas for recycling projects, please get in touch with the P&C.



## AWARDS

### CONGRATULATIONS

To this week's  
Award Winners

#### Certificate of Merit

- Ryleigh Briggs KF
- Ekamdeep Kaur KF
- Emma Toms KS
- Ryley Wetherell KS
- Ekamjot Sidhu K/1M
- Jay Byleveld 1A
- Manisha Binning 1/2B
- Balkaran Johal 1/2B
- Herkiran Kaur 2A
- Ethan Macpherson 2A
- Lola Clarkson 3A
- Charli McVey 3A
- Saxon Burton 4D
- Kyleah Stratton 5R
- Ethan Milligan-Webster 6A
- Rianna Binning 6E

#### Certificate of Excellence

- Jiya Aujla KS
- Rajbir Mann KS
- Crystal-Lee Smith KS
- Manisha Binning 1/2B
- Max Deist 3A
- Alyssa O'Hare 6A

### Silver Award

Congratulations to Emma Featherstone of 2A who will receive her silver award later in the year.

# \*Abstract Sculptures\*

Created by the talented students in 4D



To create our wonderful sculptures, we used wood, wire and stockings.



We then added 3 basecoats of white acrylic paint. Once our sculptures were dry, we finished them off with some bright and vibrant colours.