



# Newsletter

WEEK 10 TERM 1

31 MARCH 2016

## CALENDAR DATES

### 1 APRIL

Whole School Assembly—all are welcome.  
9am at the school.

### 2 APRIL

Disco 5-8pm at the  
Wooli Hall

### 28 APRIL

Small School's Cross  
Country  
Junction Hill

### 3 MAY

P & C Meeting  
3:15pm at school

### 5 MAY

District Cross Country  
Junction Hill

### 9 MAY

FINAL DAY FOR  
Stewart House donation envelope to be  
returned.

### 17 MAY

School Photo Day

## CHAPLAINCY POSITION HAS BEEN FILLED STEWART HOUSE DONATION DRIVE

We are very pleased to announce that Jamie Trevillian has been appointed the position of Chaplain at our school for 2016. We look forward to working with Jamie in his supportive role to assist with the social, emotional and wellbeing of our students. Jamie is expected to take up this role at the beginning of Term 2.

### SCHOOL NURSE VISIT

Permission notes were sent home last week for selected students to see the School Nurse next Tuesday. If you received the note and would like your child to take up this opportunity, please return the form to the school by this Friday 1/4/16. If you did not receive a note and have any concerns for your child's vision or hearing, please contact the office.

### WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

We will be having a whole school assembly tomorrow 1 April 2016. The 2016 Swimming Champions will also be announced. Parents and carers are welcome to join us at 9am.

### ANZAC DAY

ANZAC Day is on Monday 25 April, which is the first week back of term. We are hoping that many of our school community can be there to represent our school. We will gather at the Wooli Bowling Club at 10:45am. Students are required to come dressed in full school uniform.

Each year 1,800 public school children in need come to Stewart House from many parts of NSW and the ACT. During their stay, children are provided with optometric, dental and medical treatment as well as emotional support. This is balanced with health and educational programs and out of school activities to boost their self-esteem and to promote a healthier lifestyle.

Children in the care of Stewart House attend a specific purpose school onsite for 8 days of their 12-day stay. The NSW Department of Education and Communities provides infrastructure and staffing support for this school. All other costs associated with the childrens' stay are met from charitable donations.

Stewart House needs your support to ensure we can continue to provide important services to children.

During the program children:

- Receive free eye, dental and health screening and treatment.
- Develop self-care and conflict resolutions skills.
- Learn to relax and overcome anxiety.
- Participate in excursions and activities to develop a broader outlook on life.
- Establish friendships and routines in a safe community.
- Increase their self-esteem.

If you would like to make a donation, place it in the attached envelope and return to school by 9 May 2016.

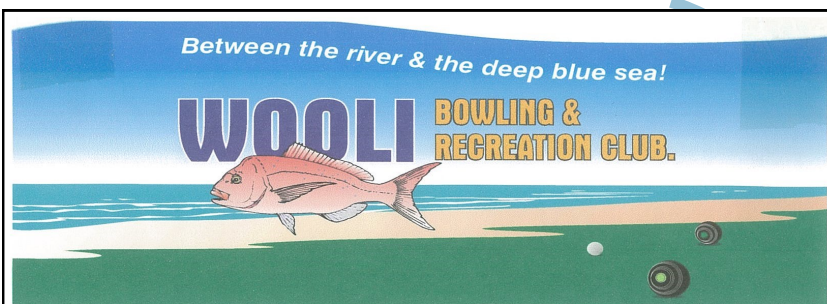
## 4/5/6 News.

I hope everyone had an enjoyable Easter break. We completed Easter craft and basket weaving which was sent home last Thursday. We also had an Easter Egg Hunt and everyone received an Easter Egg for working in teams to locate parts of the Easter puzzle and piece it together.

I would like to thank Mrs Essex for organising such an amazing day at the Mini Olympics last week. Thank you to students in my class who were helpers and organisers of their activities. You all displayed great leadership skills throughout the day.

In literacy we have been focusing on writing with correct grammar and punctuation. In mathematics we have been learning about fractions and decimals.

We are still focusing on reading and home reading each night.



## 101st Anniversary of **ANZAC DAY** *Monday 25th April, 2016*

**Dawn Service**  
5.30 am at the Cenotaph

**Morning Service**  
10.30am Muster at the Club  
10.50am March Starts  
11.00am Service at the Cenotaph

*All attending the Dawn Service are cordially invited to join the Management in the Clubs Restaurant for Breakfast. All Ex-Service Men and Women and their partners are cordially invited in the Clubs Restaurant for lunch after the march.*

*Phil Baynham  
President*



## EVERY DAY COUNTS....

**A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...**

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...	This means that the best your child can achieve is...
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ a years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

*Give your child every chance to succeed...*

**Every day counts!**





## FRIDAY LUNCHES

### ROSTER

8 APRIL

Leanne Plowman

Next week we will be having Stuffed Jacket Potatoes. If you would like to order, please return your order slip and money by Tuesday. Thank you.



**Kids Disco**

**FAMILY FUN NIGHT**

**WOOLI HALL**

**SATURDAY 2/4/16**

**MUSICAL PERFORMANCES**

**BY STUDENTS OF WOOLI PUBLIC SCHOOL**

Plus much more

**5PM TO 8PM**

**Lucky Door Games Prizes**

**Food Available**

**\$3 per person or \$10 family**

*All children must be accompanied*

*This is an alcohol free event*

**This is a fundraising event for the Wooli P&C**



**Calling all parents!!!**  
The Wooli P&C would appreciate donations of food and prizes as well as helpers for the **Family Disco 2/4/16**  
If you think you can help please Call:  
Melanie Shanahan 0412370772  
Or Mel Smith 0488027722

## FRIDAY LUNCHES - 8 APRIL 2016

My child/children\_\_\_\_\_ would like to order Stuffed Jacket Potatoes. I have included \$2.50 payment per serve with the order.

**ORDERS NEED TO BE IN BY TUESDAY FOR CATERING PURPOSES.**

**THANK YOU :)**

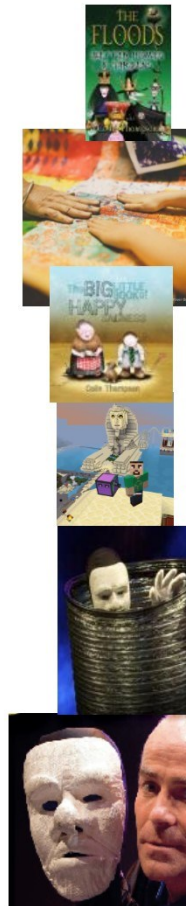
# holiday activities

@ grafton library

april

mon 11th	10:30am-4:30pm (ages 8+)	<b>writing, rapping and dancing</b> - bookings required.
wed 13th	10:30am-12:30am (all ages)	<b>Colin Thompson</b> author talk popular kids author/illustrator - bookings required
thu 14th	10:30am  6:00pm-9pm (ages 12- 18)	<b>storytime</b>  <b>live 'n' loud</b> U18 performers bands & individuals
sat 16th	10:30am-12:00pm (ages 10+ & must be with an adult) 1-6pm (ages 12+)	<b>grafton heritage tree walk</b> - bookings essential. limited places  <b>dungeons &amp; dragons</b> come adventuring
tue 19th	10:30am - 12:00pm (ages 8+)	<b>minecraft coding.</b> program a robot in the minecraft world - bookings required
thu 14th	10:30am	<b>storytime</b>
fri 22th	10:30am - 12:00pm (ages 7-13)	<b>giant slinky workshop</b> <b>Dennis Clare</b> - bookings required.
	2:00 pm (ages 8+)	<b>mime workshop -Dennis Clare</b> - bookings required.

**board games are available to play throughout the holidays**



@ mobile library

tue 19th <b>wooli</b>	9:00-12:00pm (all ages)	<b>print making</b> monoprinting on a gelliplate
thu 21st <b>glenreagh</b>	10:30am -12:30pm (all ages)	<b>print making</b> monoprinting on a gelliplate



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