

Newsletter

We are Safe, We are Respectful, We are Learners

Principal's Paragraph

Dear Parents and Caregivers,
How fast the time is flying by this term!
Firstly, a huge thank you to Chappy Terri for hosting our Mother's Day stall and Raffle and allowing our students to purchase a special gift for Mother's Day. Congratulations Paul Tonion on winning the Mother's Day Hamper Raffle, lots of amazing goodies in there for you to spoil that someone special.

Week 2 and week 4 saw us having 4 day school weeks with the ANZAC and Labour Day public holidays. These short weeks are now over with full 5 day weeks for the rest of the term. Remember every day counts. Next week is our year 5 and 6 camp. Our students are so excited to journey off to Virginia Park Station at Charters Towers and immerse themselves in agriculture and history.

Our Year 6 students have been invited to engage with First Nations culture at Railway Estate State School this Friday the 10th of May. They will be learning how to tell stories with Aboriginal symbols and create a collaborative artwork that they can bring back to WSS and display now and into the future. They will travel with Miss Nugent and get to connect with other year 6 student leaders and develop their social and cultural capabilities. We are all looking forward to this opportunity and thank Railway Estate SS for

having us.

In week 5 we welcome back Mrs Karen Schneekloth, our much valued cleaner and hope she has enjoyed her leave. We thank Mrs Brenda Field for stepping up into the role of cleaner for the past 4 weeks. Our school is always very well cared for, neat and tidy and your work is much appreciated.

I would like to personally thank the community for attending Wednesday's community meeting. We have successfully worked collaboratively to bring our P&C out of caretaker mode. We have endorsed 10 new memberships and elected our 2024 P&C executive committee. We would like to introduce our new committee:
President—Zach Gowling
Vice-President- - Tannis Broxham
Secretary - Peta Lee Kleine-Deters and Treasurer-Robin Griggs
and we thank you all in advance for committing to providing our students and school with the support of a P&C in 2024.

With Smiles,
Miss Kara Nugent
Acting Principal

Attendance for Term 2:

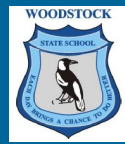
We are currently sitting at 92% for the Term. This means we are working towards our goal. **Our goal is 95%.** Thank you to the parents who ensure that their children get to school every possible day, as this will also ensure your children are given the opportunities they require to do well in school. Let's all make sure we are attending school EVERY DAY!!! School is important.



School Improvement Priorities:

- **Implement the Inquiry Approach in Mathematics to cultivate deep thinking to solve complex problems**
- **Use of marker students in the upper 2 bands in English and Mathematics**
- **Familiarise, engage and plan for the implementation of the Version 9 Curriculum for Mathematics and English for 2025.**

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DATES AND TIMES

Breakfast Club:
Wednesday 8:30am to 8:50am

Woodstock Little Maggies: Every
Wednesday 9:00am to 10:45am

Newsletter:
Thursday, Even weeks

Walk to School Day:
Friday 10h May

Auskick: Commences
Monday 13th May @ 3:00pm

Year 5/6 Charters Towers Camp:
Wednesday 15th to Friday 17th May

P&C Meeting:
Wednesday 15th May @ 3:15pm

Cross Country:
Tuesday 21st May (10-12 yr old)

Under 8's Day:
Wednesday 22nd May

National Simultaneous Storytime:
Wednesday 22nd May



PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Week 2, Term 2

P-3 Danica Onslow

For working hard to complete her Sound Waves and Spelling activities.



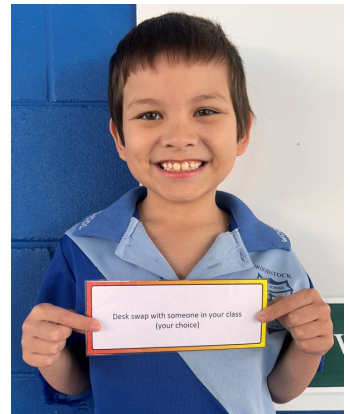
Week 3, Term 2

P-3 Paisley Bolton

For writing an amazing retell about The Paper Bag Princess.

Y4-6 Shaun Lennon

For his amazing definition and summary of an independent and subordinate clause. Great work, Shaun!



Onya Awards

Week 3

Sean Rost—Desk swap with someone in your class (your choice)

General Notices:

Please check your child's diary daily for any upcoming events or communications.

There will be no bus run next Wednesday, 15th May. This is due to Mr Wheeler transporting our Year 5/6 students on camp to Charters Towers.

Believe you can and you're halfway there!

Woodstock State School

School Expectations

We are **SAFE**

We are **RESPECTFUL**

We are **LEARNERS**



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Classroom News

Prep/1/2/3

Hi everyone, we have some future tennis aces among us! The students are thoroughly enjoying Wednesday tennis lessons with Miss Kacey and their skills are improving every week. Please remind your students to bring a water bottle and their hat daily, but definitely on Wednesdays for tennis.

Tilly from the Cowboys ran us through a warm-up session on Tuesday and then we played our Ball games for Sports Day...let's just say a little more practice is advised. 😊

Next week we will move from the learning phase in English to the assessment phase. Maths, PE/Health and HASS will follow very soon. Remember, every day counts.

Happy Mother's Day to all of the Mum's and Grandma's for this Sunday. I hope you are spoilt.

Robyn Hurst



P&C News

The next P&C meeting is Wednesday, 15th May at 3:15pm. The meeting is being held to get the Tuckshop up and running again.

Everyone welcome.

Year 4-6

How are we almost through term 2 already? There is so much chatter and excitement around our classroom about camp coming up. Please don't forget that it is getting chilly during the night out there, so make sure you pack some warm clothes.

This term we have been working on our historical recounts and have written some amazing sizzling starts so far. The students are getting super engaged in this unit and it is fabulous to read their thinking of these historical times.

Eliza by Max Griggs

We have stopped. I think we are at the end of the road. It's dark. It's hard to see. I slowly hop down off the wagon. I help Tom down. My eyes slowly adjust to the dark. We tiptoed two steps. Something tapped Eliza on the shoulder. Eliza froze, the adrenalin running through her body. She turned around.

kfedo2@eq.edu.au

Kirra Fedorniak

Teacher

The poster features a group of students in school uniforms standing outdoors. The text "OPEN DAY" is prominently displayed in large, bold, yellow letters with a black outline. Below it, the school name "WILLIAM ROSS STATE HIGH SCHOOL" is written in a smaller font. A circular logo on the right side of the poster contains the school's crest and the motto "SUCCESS THROUGH COMMITMENT". A text box in the lower left corner provides details about the event: "Come along for an afternoon of interactive experiences. Take part in the hands-on activities, meet our friendly staff, and visit the food trucks. We can't wait to show you what William Ross SHS has to offer." The date and time "MONDAY 27TH MAY 4 - 6 PM" are highlighted in a yellow banner at the bottom.

Enrolment Date of Birth Year Level Chart

When does my child start school?

Date of Birth	Calendar Year & School Year Level										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
July 1 2005 - June 30 2006	9	10	11	12							
July 1 2006 - June 30 2007	8	9	10	11	12						
July 1 2007 - June 30 2008	7	8	9	10	11	12					
July 1 2008 - June 30 2009	6	7	8	9	10	11	12				
July 1 2009 - June 30 2010	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12			
July 1 2010 - June 30 2011	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
July 1 2011 - June 30 2012	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
July 1 2012 - June 30 2013	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
July 1 2013 - June 30 2014	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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July 1 2015 - June 30 2016		P	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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July 1 2017 - June 30 2018				P	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
July 1 2018 - June 30 2019					P	1	2	3	4	5	6
July 1 2019 - June 30 2020						P	1	2	3	4	5
July 1 2020 - June 30 2021							P	1	2	3	4
July 1 2021 - June 30 2022								P	1	2	3
July 1 2022 - June 30 2023									P	1	2
July 1 2023 - June 30 2024										P	1
July 1 2024 - Jun3 30 2025											P


School Hours—Monday to Friday

Commencement of Classes	8:50am
Morning Break	11:00am-11:45am
Afternoon Break	1:15pm-1:45pm
End of School Day	3:00pm


Absence from School: In line with the Education Act regarding compulsory attendance, it is necessary for Parents/Caregivers to provide a letter of explanation, or phone the school, regarding their child's absence from school.

We now have a departmental directive relating to student absences that state schools are required to notify parents on the same day a student is absent from school without explanation. Please ensure we have a preferred, current mobile phone number to receive an SMS message and in case of absences, please phone the Student Absence Line (47802333) before 9.30am to advise the school of absence. We suggest you store this number in your phone for future reference.

Student Council News



Student Council
Icy Poles
On Sale
Monday & Wednesday
50 cents



Woodstock State School's
Student Council

Breakfast Club

To be held
Every Wednesday Morning
8.20 – 8.50


Come along and enjoy breakfast with
your friends.

Gold Coin Donation



Little Maggies

Early Years Learning Program



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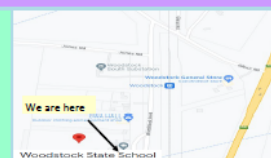
Woodstock State School
Welcomes Parents and Children from Newborns to Pre-Prep Age
Every Wednesday during school term
9.00am—10.45am
Parents must be attendance with their children


Benefits of attending:
Build relationships between children, families and the wider school community.
Enhance development through play.
Provide opportunities to build relationships between other adults and children, as they play together, and share learning experiences.
Support children to learn social skills to negotiate with peers, resolve conflict, take turns, share and make friends.
Learn through play, in a structured supportive environment.
Assist with transition into school
Organised and facilitated by school staff.

What to Bring:

- Hat
- Morning Tea
- Water Bottle
- Change of clothes—optional

We are here



For more information please contact us on
4780 2333 or follow us on 

Woodstock State School respectfully acknowledges that our school sits on the lands of the traditional owners, the Birral people.

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READY TO PLAY?

Woodstock State School

4 Sessions

Monday's from 3:00pm-4:00pm

Starting May 13th
Contact Dan on daniel.murthal@afl.com.au

play.afl/auskick

nab AFL Auskick

NAB AFL Auskick is one of the best, first experiences kids aged 5-12 will have learning Australian Football. In weekly sessions, Auskickers and their families will run, jump, kick, laugh and create their own special moments playing footy. No matter their skill level, ability or knowledge of the game, Auskick is for everyone!

Registration is this simple!

- WWW.** Visit www.afl.com.au
- SELECT** where to play
- ENTER YOUR** details
- REGISTER** and your local club will register a

play.afl/auskick



QCWA WOODSTOCK BRANCH

HOY

11th May 2024

@ 42 Woodstock Avenue

Doors Open 12pm for a 1.30pm

Start

Entry \$1 per Board

Money Tree Raffle \$1 per ticket

\$5 per 5 sheets Multi draw tickets.

Hall Raffle \$1

Afternoon Tea supplied.

Soft drinks / water on sale



HONE EVENTS PRESENTS

TOWNSVILLE POPFEST

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Sunday 9th June 2024
Townsville Stadium
Murray Sporting Complex
9am - 4pm

Cosplay Competition - Gaming Displays
Pop Culture Markets - Art Exhibits
and Much, Much More!

www.townsvillepopfest.com

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Townsville City Council

What's On

<https://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/about-townsville/whats-on>

Active & Healthy Update
activetownsville.com



FOOD RECALL

Little Meals Beef Cottage Pie
200g
Best Before: 15 Feb 2026



Patties Food Group is conducting a recall of the above product. The product has been available for sale nationally in Woolworths, Coles and independent retailers including IGA.

Problem: The recall is due to the presence of foreign matter (rubber).

Food safety hazard: Food products containing black rubber may cause illness/injury if consumed.

What to do: Consumers should not eat this product. Consumers should return the product to the place of purchase for a full refund. Any consumers concerned about their health should seek medical advice.

For further information please contact:

Patties Food Group
1800 090 898
patties.com.au

See www.foodstandards.gov.au/recalls for Australian food recall information

FOOD RECALL

28GO Go Bar - Triple Choc Protein 55g
Best Before: 28/06/24



Arrotex Pharmaceuticals is conducting a recall of the above product. The product has been available for sale at Woolworths nationally and online. Only products with the best before date 28/06/2024 are affected by the recall. No other batch is affected.

Problem: The recall is due to the presence of foreign matter (plastic) in products with best before date of 28/06/2024.

Food safety hazard: Food products containing plastic may cause illness/injury if consumed.

What to do: Consumers should not eat this product. Consumers should return the product to the place of purchase for a full refund. Any consumers concerned about their health should seek medical advice.

For further information please contact:

Arrotex Pharmaceuticals Customer Service
(03) 8419 3491
arrotex.support@arrotex.com.au

See www.foodstandards.gov.au/recalls for Australian food recall information

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WOODSTOCK WINGS & WHEELS
Social Fly-In Breakfast
4th Sunday each month
8am to 12 noon

Market stalls / hot food and coffee vans
 Aircraft on display
 Trial Instructional Flights (STA)
 Car or bike displays (STA)
FREE ENTRY
 Ample on-site parking
 Donnington Airpark
 3467 Flinders Highway, Woodstock

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Royal Flying Doctor Service
 QUEENSLAND SECTION

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Mobile Library Service 2024 CALENDAR

JANUARY							FEBRUARY						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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CALENDAR KEY: PUBLIC HOLIDAYS AND NO SERVICE WEEK 1 WEEK 2

WEEK 1	WEEK 2
TUESDAY	TUESDAY
10:15am - 3:15pm Nelly Bay Lions Park	10:15am - 3:15pm Nelly Bay Lions Park
WEDNESDAY	WEDNESDAY
11:30am - 1pm Rollingstone Community Centre	11am - 1pm Elliot Springs Community Hub Elliot Springs Boulevard
2:45 - 4pm Saunders Beach Community Centre	2:30 - 4pm Woodstock State School
THURSDAY	THURSDAY
10am - 12:30pm Deeragun North Townsville Community Hub	10am - 12:30pm Deeragun North Townsville Community Hub
2 - 4pm Bluewater State School	

Please note: Magnetic Island
 Mobile Library Service is subject
 to change due to high tides.

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