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**Term 3 2019**

**Newsletter** – Week 4

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**A 21ST CENTURY SCHOOL**

**SPORTS OPPORTUNITIES**

At Woodlupine we believe that participation in sport helps children learn how to win, or lose, with good grace. This term we have an amazing range of opportunities for our students to experience the benefits of sporting competition. On Friday the 2nd August we had a number of children competing in an interschool Futsal competition. Despite being one of the smallest schools our team made the final and, after a thrilling match, were only defeated by penalty shoot-out. We are very proud of our students and our amazing Phys. Ed teach, Mrs Kleinhanss.

On the 9th August we participated in the Interschool Winter Carnival. Our teams all performed brilliantly, particularly in Netball and Soccer. Mrs Kleinhanss would like to thank all the parents that support us including Michelle Grow, Sharon and Paul Harry, Cameron Gibson, Carl Brierley and Blythe Digweed Downey. I’d also like to acknowledge Mrs Morris’ mother, Nanny Morris, for washing, repairing and ironing all of the netball bibs prior to the carnival.

We feel very fortunate to have such generous and supportive community members.

**SUNSMART**

Woodlupine Primary School encourages sun-smart behaviour. We have an app on our website that gives up to date information about the amount of UV radiation. We use the app to support our children to be sun-smart at recess and lunch times. On days when the UV Index is forecast to be 3 or above, we encourage students to apply SPF30 (or higher) broad-spectrum, water-resistant sunscreen to any skin not covered by clothing. During sun protection times, we ensure students wear a broad-brimmed hat.

<https://www.sunsmart.com.au/communities/early-childhood-primary-schools/resources-primary-early-childhood/primary-school-resources/family-notices-info-sheets-ec>

**UNIFORM**

Like all WA Public Schools, Woodlupine Primary School has a compulsory uniform policy. While we understand children grow quickly at times, we expect our students to be correctly attired while at school. If parents are having difficulty providing new uniform items, we have a range of second-hand items for sale in our uniform shop.

The uniform shop is open as follows: Thursday afternoon 2.30pm – 3.15pm and Friday morning 8.30am – 9.15am

***Warm Regards***

***Trevor Phoebe, PRINCIPAL***

**Room 9 Visits**

What’s been happening in Room 9 this year? Read our newsletter to find out the fun and interesting things we have been up to.

Scitech Excursion

Last term, we had a fantastic excursion to Scitech with our buddies in Rooms 12 and 14. We had fun exploring the exhibitions, watching a light show and going in the planetarium. We learnt so much about the constellations, the Earth’s rotation, light and energy.





**Fire Truck Visit**

Fire safety

After recess on the 27 of May 2019 four fire fighters came from Welshpool station to room 9 to talk about fire safety

First they came to room 9 to talk about fire safety.

Next we went to look at the fire trucks and the equipment.

Thirdly we got to use the fire hoses.

Finally, we got back and we had to write a recount of it all.

I learnt that they don’t just put out fires. I liked it when we got to use the hose.

By Mikah

**Room 9 Activites**



We enjoy doing robotics with Miss Jane each fortnight.

We have been coding the Dashes to go through mazes,

drawing codes on graph paper and are beginning to code

the lego robots. Last week, we even got to code a path

from the STEM lab to the music room for the teachers

to follow.



Here are some other things we have been doing:

* **Year 3 and Year 4 writing classes**
* **STEP (student talent extension program).**
* **Learning about life in Indonesia and comparing it to life in Australia.**
* **Designing a shelter for astronauts on Mars during our Scitech incursion.**
* **Practising our mental maths skills by doing the Maths Wizard competition.**
* **Making items for Christmas in a Shoebox with Mrs Morris.**
* **Taking part in Coders Club with Miss Jane.**

**Room 12’s Kitchen Garden**

Room 12 has been working hard this year by planting lots of yummy vegetables in our school garden. This term we harvested our produce and were very excited to see so many enormous and colourful vegetables. We harvested several incredibly large turnips and decided to turn them into turnip pancakes which were delicious. Who knew turnips were so tasty!











**Student News**

Student news in room 5 was a little different today when Madison Bruce decided to “show and tell” her dad’s work vehicle… a Kenworth T600 Prime Mover!

The students were lucky to be able to climb up and take a look inside the cab which they all found to be very exciting. Thanks Mr Bruce ☺









Come out and develop your skills in Tee Ball from Basic Training to Advanced



When: Sunday 4th August, 11th August, 18th August,

25th August & 1st September

Time: 10am – 12pm (please arrive 15mins before start time)

Where: Forrestfield Flyers New Ground

Hockey Field, Hartfield Road, Forrestfield

What to bring: Bat, glove, long pants, cleats (if you have them) or enclosed shoes, water bottle, hat, sunscreen and a positive learning attitude!



We will be running a Fundraising Sausage Sizzle at the end of each Development Day!

On the last Development Day 1st Sept, there will be some fun activities arranged for all participants.

Come down & have some FUN!!

  