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Principal's Message

Hopefully, parents and care-providers took the opportunity to meet with teachers at the recent Parent-Teacher evenings. These meetings afforded the opportunity to discuss student learning, areas of concern and some pragmatic ways of improving student performance. It was also an opportunity to dissect aspects of the semester 1 reports and to gain clarification of areas that may not have been clear. Although we have designated times for formal meetings of this type, I would urge you to contact the school at any time to arrange to meet with particular staff should there be a need to do so. At the end of the day, we are all here to help our children succeed, with no partnership more important than that between home and the school!

Students in Year 10 are currently engaged in a process to inform the decisions they will make around courses on offer in Year 11, 2019. This process has included individualised meetings with our Careers Advisory team and the opportunity to take "senior" classes in an alternate timetable developed for that purpose. Given this has been complemented by information sessions about courses by subject based HT's and staff, I am sure the decisions about patterns of study will reflect attitude, aptitude, capacity and career trajectory. This process will be replicated- on a smaller scale- in the Year 8 elective processes as well.

The courses that will be undertaken in 2019 will be anchored in a 21st-century context and see our students challenged to apply their skills, competencies and knowledge to real life situations and problems. I am genuinely excited about the prospect of trailing virtual reality technology and how this will affect student learning. Likewise, our foray into Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) continues to grow in momentum. Teachers will maintain the professional understandings of these and other subject areas through a coordinated approach to professional learning, including working with academic partners from the University of Wollongong and the University of Sydney and the UTS.

The DOE Centre for Leadership has recently conducted a Case Study of our *Professional Learning Communities*, and how this has influenced the growth of students and staff. I would like to acknowledge the tireless efforts of Ms Pettit who has led our foray into this aspect of our operation.

In something of a coup, we have been able to engage Mr James Nottingham, a noted educator from the UK who currently works with over 350 schools across Scandinavia to explore learning theory and how current innovative best practice across the world can be accessed by our staff.

Our Year 12 students are currently undertaking Trail HSC examinations. In an attempt to replicate the real thing, we have employed the HSC Presiding Officer and his team of HSC supervisors to ensure student familiarity with the expectations, rules and protocols of the HSC proper. Early indications show this to have been very beneficial. I am hopeful that the *HSC Success Strategy* that has been deployed by the school will show evidence of impact when results are harvested over the next few weeks.

Finally, towards the end of the last term of Well-Being team conducted an off-site Summit, which has resulted in a raft of refinements to existing practice and role descriptions. This team is vitally important in supporting students and providing the stability that will ensure one of our core beliefs...*Excellence for All...*is met!

**With my kind regards,
Mr Hambly, Principal**



Deputies Report

The year speeds past and we are almost halfway through the term.

Year 12 have been busy with their Trial HSC Exams. As the results are given back to your student please focus on more than the mark. The Trial exams are a practice and the feedback that teachers give their students is meant to help them see where they could improve. If your student is unsure, now is the time for them to ask their teachers for suggestions about ways they could improve their response. Practice essays or work examples are one way to improve. The school also provides tutoring and this is available for free after school, so this is another way to proactively work on improvement. Another important thing to remember is that while the exams are important, so too is a balance. There is life after the HSC so having a balanced approach helps create the right mindset. Support from home during this stressful year is such a valuable thing to offer your student. Help them keep good habits such as eating, sleeping, exercising and maintaining a balanced outlook are all vital to make this year so much easier. Sometimes Year 12 students find it difficult to get back into the study after their exams, please help them get back into the routine of school, homework and then study. Some students who do really well in the HSC are not “geniuses” but rather hard workers who consistently keep working.

Many of our Year 11 students are out on work placement with their VET subjects. It is wonderful when we have employers offering our students part-time work as a result of this experience. Last week we had an employer contact the school to tell us of the amazing work their work placement student was producing and mature behaviour they were demonstrating. I think both parents and teachers alike are so very proud when other people can confirm what outstanding students we have at Warilla High School.

Year 10 are also busy at the moment, as they get ready for the next year and the senior school. Last week we changed the Year 10 timetable to give them the opportunity to have a bit of a “taster” of the subjects they are hoping to select for 2019. Thanks to Mrs Hicks, Mrs Dawson and Mr Reid for their hard work around this exercise. All of Year 10 took part, even those who are hoping to secure employment at the end of the year. Now the students can more accurately work out if they liked the subjects they were considering – as research shows us that students perform far better in subjects that they like.

It doesn't seem to matter where you look great things are happening at Warilla, and we certainly are “Student-Centered – Outcomes Driven”.

Deputy Principals

Ms Brook, Mr Ind and Mr Kershaw

Week 5A

20 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 Business Services 2 Work placement Year 11 Hospitality and Metal & Engineering Work placement
21 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 Business Services 2 Work placement Year 11 Hospitality and Metal & Engineering Work placement CAP Testing Year 6 to 7
22 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 Business Services 2 Work placement Year 11 Hospitality and Metal & Engineering Work placement CAP Parent Showcase
23 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 Business Services 2 Work placement Year 11 Hospitality and Metal & Engineering Work placement
24 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 Business Services 2 Work placement Year 11 Hospitality and Metal & Engineering Work placement CAPA Exhibition @ Red Point Art Gallery – LEVER English incursion year 10

Week 6B

27 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SRC Whitlam Youth Roundtable at Dapto
27 -29 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ski Trip year 11
27 -31 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> VALID Year 10 Year 11 Business Services 2 Work placement Year 11 Hospitality and Metal & Engineering Work placement Year 7 and 9 SRT Naplan (Lib)
29 Aug	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CNI Wellbeing Year 12 First aid course

Week 7A

3 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> eSmart expo
3 -7 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> VALID Year 10 WOW program, Support Unit

Week 8B

10- 14 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 Yearly Exams VALID Year 10
13 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RUOK Day

Week 9A

17 – 21 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 Yearly Exams
19 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7&8 CORE Skills CAPA experience WOW program, Support Unit
21 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Good Report Morning Tea - Years 7 - 10

Week 10A

25 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 12 Graduation Practice
26 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 12 Mystery Day
27 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 12 Graduation
28 Sept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WHS COS Public Speaking Grand Final Hall All day

IMPORTANT MESSAGES**LATE ARRIVAL – CHANGE OF PROCEDURES**

Up until 9.15am go to the side window of the Library between 'A' block and the Library block. One of the Office Staff will record your information and give you a late slip to get into class. After 9.15am report to the front office. Arriving late 3 times **without a note from parent/guardian** will result in parents being contacted by the school and consequences will apply.

SCHOOL FEES

Invoices for school fees will be sent to parents/guardians by mail during Week 5 of Term 1.

The fridge magnet calendar with 2017 important school dates will also be included.

UPDATING STUDENT DETAILS

If you change your address, phone number, including mobile number, or other contact details could you please let the school know as soon as possible?

PRIVATE PERSONAL PROPERTY

Personal property which is brought to school is the sole responsibility of the individual. The school is not insured to cover loss or damage.

PARKING IN SCHOOL ZONES

Heavy fines are imposed for illegal dropping off or picking up students in school zone hours.

The school car park is for staff parking only and is not to be used for dropping off or picking up students.

RIDING A BIKE TO SCHOOL

Students who ride a bike to school are required by law to wear a helmet.

Sport

NSW All Schools Cross Country Championships – Eastern Creek

This is the first event of Term 3 and we had 6 students representing South Coast, running between 3 to 8 km, depending on the age of the student.

Congratulations to Finlay McPhillips who will compete in the National Cross-Country Championships in the Sunshine Coast in late August.

Finlay has been a Cross Country representative for the school, zone and region every year since Year 7 and his state selection is a fitting reward for effort in his HSC year.

South Coast Athletics – Canberra Institute of Sport

Warilla HS had 51 athletes representing the Southern Illawarra Zone - reinforcing this school as the dominating Athletics school for the Zone and, in 2018, the South Coast.

Although we had no age champions at this meet, our athletes performed so consistently across their events to award us this honour.

From the South Coast Athletics Championships, 19 students and two relay teams have qualified for the NSW CHS State Championships at Homebush in September.

Congratulations to all competitors and well done to the following students who have qualified to represent South Coast at the CHS State Championships



Student	Event
Rosemary Boyland	17+ Girls Shot Put and Discus
Justin Check	17+ Boys Triple Jump, 4 x 100m Relay
Dylan Clarke	14 Boys 200m and 4 x 100m Relay
Jhye Withers	14 Boys 4 x 100m Relay
Joel Whalan	14 Boys 4 x 100m Relay
Jake Fanke	14 Boys 4 x 100m Relay
Shenay Edwards	17+ Girls 800m, 400m Hurdles, 400m
Jarod Falconer	17+ Long Jump, Triple Jump, High Jump, 4 x 100m Relay
Tyson Lewis	17+ 100m, 200m, 400m, 4 x 100m Relay
Finlay McPhillips	17+ 200m Steeplechase, 1500m, 4 x 100m Relay
Alannah McGarry	12 Girls Shot Put
Jordyn Martin	13 Girls 800m
Nikita Freeburn	17+ Girls Triple Jump
Ashleigh Goncalves	14 Girls 400m
Emma Hutchison	17+ Girls 3000m walk
Ryan Keen	13 Boys Shot Put, Discus
Liam Pass	16 Boys 800m and 1500m
Charli Ryan	12 Girls 80m Hurdles
Nathan Scollary	16 Boys 800m
Isaac Shaw	14 Boys 800m, 1500m
Isaac Walchli	12 Boys Discus

U15 and Open Girls Netball – Shoalhaven

Both teams, as well as a large support crew of parents and grandparents, travelled to Shoalhaven Netball Complex on Wednesday 1st August to compete in the South Coast Regional NSWCHS netball finals. Teams travelled from Bulli in the north all the way down to the Victorian border.

Both teams played 8 games in their respective competitions during the day. Both teams had some tough close games where the girls showed great sportsmanship and teamwork and played in a manner that they should be proud of.

The Open Girls laid it all on the line in the last game as the ladder was close for the top two places to progress to the NSW CHS finals, the girls were just squeezed out for second place and placed third overall at the end of the day in the Regional finals.

The U15 also finished strongly in their last game again with a close finishing ladder the girls were rewarded with coming second in the competition and earning a well-deserved spot in the NSW CHS U15 knockout netball carnival to be held in 2019.

A big thank you to Ms Kelly who helped train and coach the girls during the term and another thank you needs to go out to Piper Rye (Year 11) and Chloe Ross (Year 10) who were the Warilla High School umpiring officials for the day.

U15's team: Ivy Halliwell, Molly Farquhar, Kirra Hillcoat, Summah Hillcoat, Jordyn Martin, Monica Toleska, Karla Veermak, Claire Wilson, Anastacia Garcia, and Dakota Mason.

Open Girls: Jessica Almond, Grace McLeod, Alannah Blake, Jessica Almond, Danielle Clarke, Paige Del Santo, Brooklyn Ladlow, Tahni Dropulic, Caitlin Orth, Paris Mason.

Trey Barlow selected in U15 NSW All Schools Touch Team

Trey continues to tick all the boxes at a representative level in Touch.

Trey has been a member of the South Coast U15 team since Year 7 as a 12-year-old.

Last year injury eliminated his opportunity to gain State Selection.

This year following the CHS State U15 Carnival in Mudgee, Trey gained selection in the NSW team. They competed against CIS and CCC State Teams at Narrabeen in early August. In the Final against CCC Trey scored 3 tries for his team to win 6-5.

Congratulations Trey now selected in the All Schools Touch team that will travel to Hobart to contest the National Championships. Trey is a key player in the school touch team and we wish him all the best in Hobart.



Open Boys Touch – Bateau Bay – CHS Schools Championship Final 10**Tuesday-Wednesday 14-15 August 2018**

Trey Barlow, Jack Bostock, Ethan Galway, Jack Headrick, Tyler Johns, Jordan Morn, Ethan O’Connell, Toby Peters, Nathan Robinson, Ethan Simonovski, Joel Whalan,

Cooper Askew and Flynn Gibson had both suffered untimely injuries and although they were unable to take the field, played an important role in the team over the two days.

This was the Open Boys Team that qualified for the Final 10 CHS Schools in the State.

In order for the boys to get this far they have beaten the following teams:

Southern Illawarra Zone Championships: Albion Park HS, Dapto HS, Kanahooka HS and Illawarra HS

South Coast Championships (Nowra): Ulladulla HS, Mulwarree HS, Kiama HS

NSW Final 20: Matraville Sports HS (won in a dropoff)

Considering the Open Team comprises all players who are aged under 16, playing in an Open competition, the boys have played incredibly well to get to the final stage.

They came up against last year’s winning team Narara Valley HS in their first game. This team comprises FIVE players who are in the NSW CHS Open Touch team. They were too slick for Warilla and the boys were well beaten 11-3 in this game.

After a long wait, because they had the second-round bye, the boys recovered to beat Quirindi 8-6 in the next game.

The final game for the day against Young HS was a very close one. Warilla scored THREE tries on the 5m line (wrong line). Young then scored to be up 1-0 against the run of play.

A 65m intercept to Jack Bostock levelled the score to earn a 1-1 draw.

The next day the team had to play their final pool game and needed a win to get to the semi-finals. They played Tomaree HS and this was to be their best effort with all players across the field heavily involved.

The final score was a 5-3 loss and all the players were satisfied to finish knowing they had been highly competitive even though they didn’t progress any further.

Congratulation to all members of the team. I had the pleasure of taking these boys away and was a very proud teacher/manager to be able to say these players were representing Warilla High School.

A huge thank you to Janelle Bostock, Lee Peters, Neil Whalan, Penny Morn, Barb Simonovski and her beautiful Mum Cathy - for accompanying the team on this two-night trip. Their support, assistance with feeding the boys, supervision, organising restaurant venues, ensuring the cabins were left in a tidy state and generally providing plenty of laughs and encouragement made this more than just a Touch competition and reinforces the fantastic community we have within Warilla High School.

Although Cooper and Flynn were unable to take the field, they were both active in the support of their teammates, Cooper's photography provided plenty of memories as did Flynn’s motivational encouragement of all the players.

Mrs Clune



7/8 Touch Day – Fairy Meadow – Thomas Dalton Park

40 Warilla HS boys and girls participated in the NSW Regional Touch Championships on Friday 17th August.

The two boys and two girl's teams were separated into 2 pools and competed against the following schools – Picton HS, Kiama HS, Dapto HS, TIGS, Illawarra SHS, Corpus Christi HS and St Mary's Star of the Sea HS.

All teams started strongly and were 4/4 after Round 1.

In the Boys Year 7/8 Pool- Kiama HS were the dominant team and eventual winners. The 7/8 team only has one loss and a draw but for and against points prevented them from moving into the semi-finals.

The Year 7 Boys team had close games against Picton HS and Corpus Christi and wins against TIGS and Dapto.

In the girl's competition the Year 7 team won all their games until their final pool game of the day where they were beaten by St Marys.

This put them second in their pool and had to play against first in Pool B – the other Warilla HS Team!!!

What a close semi – the Year 7 team was down 3-0 before scoring 3 tries to be even at full time. A drop-off followed with the 7/8 team scoring and earning a grand final spot.

The girls played St Mary's in the final game and were too strong – finishing the day undefeated with a 4-2 score.

These girls will now compete in the 7/8 NSW State Championships held at The Kingsway St Mary's on Friday 16th November.

Congratulations to all teams for their outstanding effort on the day – all excellent representatives for Warilla HS.

The day would not have been possible without the input from the Year 11 students who manager, coached, organised and encouraged the players throughout the day. Well done to all of these students.

Thank you to the parents for transporting their children and others on the day, as well as supporting and encouraging the competitors.

Year 7 Boys	Yr 7/8 Boys	Year 7 Girls	Yr 7/8 Girls
1 Zacc Lewis	Timmy Mathews	1 Jonte Wonson	Mia Riza
2 Jake Monie	Flynn Langdon	2 Jayla Commins	Emily Kostovski
3 Malaki Walters	Ryan Dawson	3 Kailee Haines	Whitney Morris
4 Ben Williamson	Hunta Osmond	4 Summah Hillcoat	Lily Gibson
5 Nash Miller	Caleb Lewis	5 Brooke Fahey	Karla Vermaak
6 Eden Hodges	James Morgan	6 Monica Tololeska	Saffron Ward
7 Shae Nizza	Huntar Gittoes	7 Tarliah Reynolds	Ella Headrick
8 Jesse Shaw	Haydn Makay	8 Claire Wilson	Bindi O'Hara
9 Jarrah O'Hara	Cohen Deegan	9 Mia Walsh	Camryn Castelli
10 Mason Micallef		10. Kirra Hillcoat	Dakota Mason
11 Mitchell Check			
			WINNERS!!!
Team Managers: Lewis Guernier Montana Breakspear Josh Goodchild	Sage Langlands Declan Ward	Tia TaaTaa Gema Hardy	Mr Delaney
Referees: Tyler Johns, Jack Bostock, Trey Barlow			

The NSW Carnival organiser Madi Studden gave the student referees a huge wrap, congratulating them on their willingness to referee nearly every timeslot and their ability to control the games. 'The referees were awesome'. Well done and thank you Tyler, Jack and Trey.



South Coast Regional Oztag Tournament

On the 15th August 2018, Warilla High fielded 5 teams in the South Coast Regional Oztag Tournament in the following divisions: 7&8 Girls, 9&10 Girls, 11&12 Girls, 7&8 Boys and 9&10 Boys. The conditions were terrible with blustering winds and the possibility of cancelling the tournament. Our students persevered with the tags flying away in the wind and having to chase the tags. All the students tried their best and were a credit to the school.

Our 7&8 Girls and 9&10 Girls were undefeated throughout the tournament, winning a total of 6 games each. The 7&8 Girls defeated St Mary's Star of the Sea College 4-0 and the 9&10 Girls defeated Figtree High in a thriller, breaking a 2 all draw to win 3-2. These teams are now the South Coast Regional Oztag Champions in their divisions and will move on to play the NSW Secondary State Oztag tournament in Sydney on the 12th September.

Congratulations to all students involved.

Ms J Neden and Mr J Delaney



COME & TRY DAY!

BERKELEY EAGLES GIRLS RUGBY LEAGUE



THE EAGLES WOULD LIKE TO INVITE ALL GIRLS AGED 15-OPENS TO A GIRLS ONLY FOOTY SKILLS WORKSHOP

5:30PM - 7:30PM @BERKELEY JUNIOR FIELD ON THE 12th OF SEPTEMBER

SKILLS AND DRILLS WILL BE CONDUCTED BY:

- COURTNEY CRAWFORD, CURRENT PLAYER
- ALYSHA JANSSEN, CURRENT PLAYER, WOMENS SENIOR CLUB COACH AT THE BERKELEY EAGLES, TARSHA GALE CANTERBURY BULLDOGS COACH

SPECIAL GUESTS!

- CURRENT JILLAROOS PLAYERS
- CURRENT TARSHA GALE PLAYERS (Steelers & Bulldogs)

CONTACT ALYSHA JANSSEN TO SECURE A SPOT:0413223852 L_janssen94@hotmail.com



Year 7

Year 7 have started term three with a positive attitude and are back into a routine. Semester 1 reports were handed out last term and students have had the opportunity to reflect on their reports in guidance and on areas of improvement. Week two of this term, we had the parent-teacher night, it was great to meet some of the parents. It was also positive to see students with their parents gaining valuable information about their learning from their teachers. Finally, I would like to congratulate the copious amount of students who have received their bronze and silver award this term. Well done and keep up the hard work Year 7!

Mrs Ratajkoski

Year 7 Advisor

Year 10

It's been a busy start to term for year 10, with the Subject Selection process being in full swing. The students have been working closely with the Careers Advisors and Mr Reid, to ensure that they make well-informed decisions when choosing their senior course of study. The week 3, Year 10 into 11 Senior Class Experience, proved to be invaluable for the students by giving them further insight into what to expect as they move forward into their HSC years.

Mr Harry has been working hard with a committee of year 10 volunteers, to finalise designs for the Senior Jumpers. Students have had the opportunity to vote for their top choice in style and design during year meetings. They were able to try the jumpers for size and to collect ordering information during week 4. It is expected that these should be finalised and ready for collection during term 4 when Year 12 have formally graduated from School.

As we move into the second half of the term it is important that any students who have received N-Warnings for incomplete Assessment Tasks, submit these tasks in order to meet ROSA requirements for each course of study. Students can attend Tuesday tutoring programs for help with forming good practices around the undertaking of Assessment Tasks and general study.

Many of our students have been participating in extracurricular activities and have represented our school at Sporting days, STEM events and CAPA performances and exhibitions. Congratulations to all students for engaging in these invaluable experiences. All reports have come back that Year 10 students are polite and respectful representatives of a proud Warilla High School. Well Done!

As always, year 10 are a lovely cohort of students to work with.

Mrs Woollett

Year 10 Advisor

Year 11

It has been a busy Term 3 for our Year 11 students and things are not about to slow down! Yearly examinations will be held in weeks 8 and 9. This leaves less than a month to study. Students are encouraged to utilise the numerous school resources to prepare. These include your faculty teachers, head teachers, after-school tutoring, the library and welfare staff. If students require special provisions they are encouraged to see Mrs Gaynor or Mr Roskell as soon as possible. This is your final chance to impress before most of you enter the HSC!

Of course, Warilla HS prides itself on providing opportunities to cater for all student needs. If you are looking to transition out of school into employment, further study or both, then help is available. See Mr Roskell or one of our Careers Team now. We can organise a meeting to assist with any transition needs.

Personally, it has been wonderful for me to witness our students maturing into young adults. As a whole, Year 11 have demonstrated a willingness to achieve their best which has been recognised across the school community. Keep it up!

Mr Roskell

Year 11 Advisor

careers connect



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Upcoming Events:

4th September – Year 9 Trades Roadshow

Work Experience- Week 5- 20th- 24th August

Week 9 17th- 21st September



Term 2

Year 10 Future Connect and Future Finders!

At the end of the term on the Wednesday 4th of July, all Year 10s were engaged in

some form of career exploration. They either attended UOW Future Finders Day- where the students had preselected at school to explore future occupations through TAFE or UOW and have a day up at UOW – or they opted to explore employment pathways at school with Future Connect with Sharna and listen to current employers, apprenticeship pathways, SBATs and Defence Force presentations. We were both so excited at the level of engagement with these Year 10 students. They are really exploring what best suits their pathway and are genuinely involved in their choices.



Thanks to:

Illawarra ITeC – exploring options for 2019

Green Homes Australia- Josh Check and apprentice Jesse Ward Defence Force Recruitment

Curran Plumbing (Illawarra Business of the Year Award Winners 2018) – Director Sid and apprentices Grace and Shannon

Infinity Energy Solutions- Owner Michael Nigro

Master Builders Association – Steve Magner

Melissa Gigliotti- Freelance Makeup artist

Colin Dean- WHS Canteen manager



WHS FUTURE CONNECT







UOW FUTURE FINDER





Dragons Defence Day

The students that identified to us in Year 10 that they had an interest in the Defence Force, got the chance to attend a day with Defence Recruiting and the St George Illawarra Dragons last Friday the 4th of August. The year 10s got to watch a Dragons training session and talked about careers in the Defence Force. The students loved it and were great representatives for the school.



Year 10 Subject Selections Are Done!

In two weeks we got through all of Year 10 subject selections where the students chose subjects for their subjects into Year 11.

Each year we look at improving the process and were really happy with the initiative of the Year 10s to see us through their breaks to get their selections done. We did notice that despite a whole term with lessons leading up to selections,

AND a subject selection evening there were a lot of students who hadn't invested time into looking into what subjects entailed. These decisions can affect their overall engagement next year, and we don't want students sitting in subjects next year that they didn't research prior.



Senior School Experience

Mr Reid and staff put a lot of work into a three day taster session for Week 3 for the Year 10 students. They had an insight into the senior subjects they have chosen over three days. This gave the students an idea of what to expect during the course for the following two years. It was well received, and a lot of students appreciated the chance to sit in these subjects over the three days. Here are some photos we snapped of CAFS with Mrs Tregonning, SLR with Mr Cairncross, Investigating Science with Mr Ralston-Bryce, Construction with Mr Herman, Biology with Mr Dyer and Visual Arts with Ms Lever.







Apply to Uni Day For Year 12

Fifty one students attended a day run by Tracy in the library for all students wanting to apply to university post Year 12. Topics of UAC and navigating the preference process, early admission, school recommendation scheme were all covered on the day.



Check your emails!!

Invitations to courses, offers, resume templates and careers communication is made through your DEC email. Sadly, many students aren't getting this important information because they haven't been bothered to check their emails. There's not many workplaces that don't require you to check your emails- so it's a life skill that you need to develop. Check them regularly to avoid missing out on important information.

Reconnect has started!

Job ready program Reconnect for Year 9s to 12 has started to for this term. Due to subject selections and the taster week, the course will be shortened and start Week 4 this term. Parents of Year 10s please check your emails as your child may have signed up for the program. If you feel your child would benefit from getting an insight into industry and complete some work experience, please contact Sharna to add them to the list for next term.

Work Experience- Please follow procedures!

Our students are lucky here at Warilla High School as they can access work experience several times throughout the year. In order to do this, procedures are in place and have to be followed. This is to ensure our students are safe, protected by DEC insurance and are in appropriate work places. The students:

- **Must attend a *Ready 2 Work* two period workshop – covering legal issues, navigating the paperwork, knowing how to call an employer, etc.**
- **Are to organise work experience during allocated weeks**
- **Can NOT attend the work experience if they have outstanding N warnings or work owing**
- **Can NOT attend work experience if they have an assessment task or assignment due**
- **WILL NOT be covered for insurance without the appropriate paperwork and without following DEC procedures.**
- **WILL NOT be allowed to complete work experience if they are misbehaving at school and on levels or monitoring cards.**

Please support us by following procedures and we will support your child in the workplace.



Find us on
Facebook

How we connect with YOU:

- **Facebook- *Warilla High Careers*** – This is our main mode of contact with the wider student and parent group and is updated daily.
- **Warilla High Careers Website: www.warillahighcareers.com** – This is a one stop shop for all information regarding careers information. With up to date information, it has a student secure area where templates, quizzes, and games can be explored, along with post school options, info on gap years, TAFE, Apprenticeships, and detailed newsletter is also downloadable from the website.
- **Year Assemblies** – Tracy will attend your Year assembly for information that is relevant to your year group.
- **Visit us!** We are open at break times for you to come and chat about any concerns or questions you have. Find us in A block- opposite the office!

CAPA

On Tuesday night, students from the Year 10 Drama class were selected to perform at the Regional Drama Festival at the IPAC Theatre in Wollongong. The night was a huge success and the performers should be extremely proud of their efforts. The ensemble group created a self-devised comedy piece, leaving the audience roaring with laughter from beginning to end. I was very impressed with their commitment, work ethic and performance skills throughout this process. Congratulations Year 10 Drama and Miss Vasos. Here's to many more performance opportunities in the future!



Band rehearsals are on Wednesdays first break in Cap 1 with Miss Wilson. Any new members are welcome to attend. Please see Miss Wilson in the CAPA staffroom for more information. We look forward to hearing the students perform in the near future.

Miss Lever and the CAPA committee, with the assistance of Mr Nolan, have been working solidly on the planning and organisation for the annual exhibition 'Collective 19' which is being held at Red Point Art Gallery in Port Kembla from 24 – 26 August. Artworks will be exhibited from Year 7 – 11 students including our support unit. The official opening is at 5:30 pm on Friday 24 August where we will have some of our music students perform. The exhibition will be open over the weekend from 10 am – 2 pm. Raffle tickets are being sold to help cover the costs of hiring the gallery and there are some great prizes on offer. Tickets are \$1 each or 3 for \$2.

Year 10 Visual Arts are working towards the creation of sculptures that will be exhibited in the 'Sculptures at Killalea' exhibition. The exhibition will run from Friday 14 September until Sunday 23 September at Killalea State Park.

Mrs Luckman
HT CAPA

A Parent's Guide to ENCOURAGING A GROWTH MINDSET

What is a growth mindset?
 Growth mindset is a concept developed by Carol Dweck, a Professor of Psychology at Stanford University. It is the belief that a person's abilities and intelligence can be developed through practice, hard work, dedication, and motivation.

What is a fixed mindset?
 A fixed mindset is the notion that intelligence and talent alone will lead to success. People with a fixed mindset believe that these things are "fixed" and cannot be developed or improved upon. They believe that you are either born with it or not, and nothing can change that.

Why is having a growth mindset important?
 Research has shown that children who have a fixed mindset are more likely to:

- Fear failure
- Give up on tasks they feel are too difficult
- Ignore feedback
- Avoid challenges
- Feel threatened by the success of others

Children who have a growth mindset are more likely to:

- Learn from their mistakes
- Be motivated to succeed
- Put forth more effort
- Take challenges head on
- Take risks
- Seek feedback
- Learn more
- Learn faster










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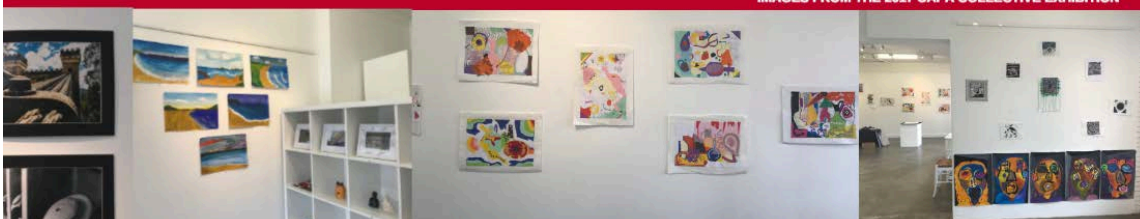
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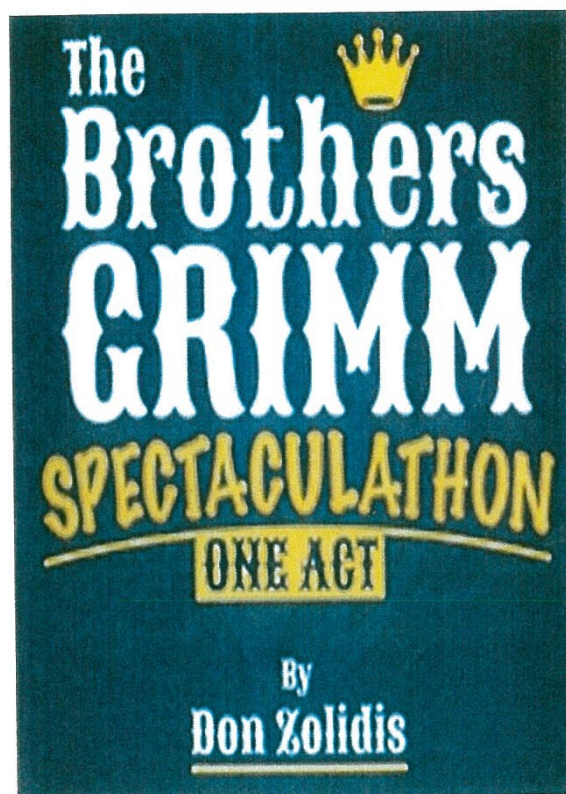
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HSC MINIMUM STANDARD TESTS

WHAT IS THE HSC MINIMUM STANDARD TESTS AND DO THEY APPLY TO MY CHILD?

Currently, a number of Year 10 students are sitting the HSC Minimum Standards Tests and there seems to be some confusion about who they apply to, why and are they compulsory?

A minimum standard of literacy and numeracy is required to receive the HSC from 2020 to reflect the importance of literacy and numeracy for success in daily life. HSC students will need to meet the HSC minimum standard in three areas – reading, writing and numeracy. The standard is set at level 3 of the Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF), which means students will have the basic reading, writing and math skills needed for everyday tasks and future learning after school. It includes skills for tasks such as:

- following safety instructions in equipment manuals
- understanding a mobile phone plan
- writing a job application
- creating a personal weekly budget.

Literacy and numeracy skills are essential for success in learning and life after school. Together with the NSW Literacy and Numeracy Strategy, the HSC minimum standard is part of an effort to extend the literacy and numeracy focus up into secondary school.

Who needs to meet the HSC minimum standard?

If you are sitting the HSC in 2018 or 2019 you do not need to meet the HSC minimum standard. Any student in Year 10 2018 and below are required to sit these tests to receive their HSC certificate. Explicitly for:

Year 10 students

If you are in Year 10 this year (2018) and did not receive a Band 8 or above in the 2017 Year 9 NAPLAN tests you will need to take the minimum standard online tests between now and Year 12 to receive your HSC in 2020. If you achieved a Band 8 or above in one or more of the 2017 Year 9 NAPLAN tests you are recognised as having met the HSC minimum standard in that area/s and will not need to sit the corresponding online test/s.

Warilla High School has already participated in two sessions of HSC Minimum Standards test with great success in students meeting the minimum standard of Level 3 in these tests. Students who did not achieve a Level 3 have a report, which identifies the skills needed to meet this standard. The school will now work with these students to build their skills and knowledge before they re-attempt the examinations.

NESA opens the window for testing each term and so there will be continued opportunities for students to sit the tests over the year and into Year 11 and Year 12.

Year 9 students

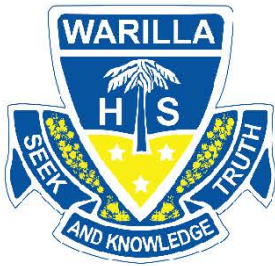
From this year, Year 9 NAPLAN tests will no longer be available as an early way for students to demonstrate the standard. This change has been made to ensure NAPLAN remains focussed on its diagnostic purpose and to reduce unnecessary stress on young people. This means that Year 9 students will complete NAPLAN in 2018 and then when in Year 10 2019, will sit the HSC Minimum Standards Tests in all areas of reading, writing and numeracy to provide evidence of skills that demonstrate the minimal standard.

Exempt students

Where possible, all students in NSW should be supported to develop core literacy and numeracy skills required for success in life after school. Some students sitting the tests will be eligible for disability provisions or be exempt from meeting the HSC minimum standard in order to receive their HSC.

If you have any questions regarding NAPLAN and/or the HSC Minimum Standards Tests, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Glasgow, Head Teacher Teaching and Learning at the school.

Mrs Glasgow



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YEAR 7 AND 9 NAPLAN READINESS TESTS

Monday 6 August 2018

Parent/Carers

The National Assessment Program for Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is moving from a pen and paper assessment to an online assessment. To best prepare and plan for this assessment in 2019, schools across the State are participating in a NAPLAN Online School Readiness Test. The readiness test is a 'practice run' for schools to assess the technology ahead of the 2018 NAPLAN Online.

Warilla High School will be participating in this readiness test program in Week 6 this term and students from Years 7 and 9 will be sitting a 40minute online test. Year 7 will sit the Writing Test and Year 9 the Omnibus Test (which consists of language conventions, reading and numeracy). Students will sit these tests in class time with the assistance of a teacher and the school NAPLAN Coordinators – Mrs Glasgow and Ms Gaynor.

The benefit of these tests for students is that it will allow students to become familiar with the online test format and processes. Students will not need any academic preparation for the readiness test and the test does not contribute to or affect student 2018 NAPLAN results.

The online tests will be completed on the school computers and not individual student devices. This is because the assessment is delivered inside a locked-down browser, which will be installed on all computers. This ensures students cannot access the internet or spellcheckers while completing the test. Students will be well informed before the tests of the procedures and support will be provided for students were deemed necessary. An advantage of the online tests is that many of possible adjustments and accommodations used by students are built into the test program.

The benefit for the school of participating in the readiness tests is to ensure the technical capacity, rooms and devices will successfully administer NAPLAN Online in preparation for 2019.

We appreciate your support with this essential testing and if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Mrs V Glasgow
 NAPLAN Coordinator

Mr J Hambly
 Principal

Protecting Your Information

Teen Clinic is committed to protecting the privacy of information that you give to us. The personal information that we collect from you (name, address, date of birth, Medicare number etc) will only be used for the purpose of providing medical services and for claims and payments

The health providers that you may see are required by law to keep your visit confidential. The Practice will not disclose personal information to any third party without your consent.

To view a copy of our Privacy Policy visit our website at www.teenclinic.com.au

Feedback

If at any time you have a concern or feel we could improve our service, please contact us by sending an email to teenclinic@bvmp.com.au

We welcome your feedback and continually strive to improve the standard of service we provide to our local teenagers.

If your concerns cannot be resolved by direct contact with the practice, please contact:

NSW Government Health Care
Complaints Commission on
1800 043 159 or visit their website
www.hccc.nsw.gov.au

What is Teen Clinic?

Teen Clinic is a free service that provides local teenagers with the opportunity to talk to one of our nurses about a range of issues in a friendly, non-judgmental environment.

The nurses are there to help advise young people on both medical and non-medical issues allowing them to make educated, healthy choices.

We have parents who accompany their child to the clinic as well as groups of friends who arrive together supporting each other.

If your problem falls outside of the nurse's area of expertise you may be referred on to a General Practitioner or other local service providers.

Teens may attend Teen Clinic for a wide range of medical and non-medical issues such as:

- general health
- STI screening
- contraception advice
- mental health issues
- relationship concerns
- health education
- homelessness
- family issues

Need to talk to someone NOW?

Sometimes we all feel overwhelmed and talking to someone else can really help. The numbers listed below are available 24/7 and are free or the cost of a local call (some charges may apply to mobile users).

Lifeline

Phone: 13 11 14

Kids Helpline

Phone: 1800 551 800

Suicide Call Back Service

Phone: 1300 659 467

Sexual assault, family and domestic violence line

Phone: 1800 424 017

The Mental Health Access Line

ACT – 1800 629 354

NSW – 1800 011 511

NT – 08 8999 4988

QLD – 13 43 25 84

SA – 13 14 65

TAS – 1800 332 388

VIC – 1300 651 251

WA – 1800 676 822

eHeadspace

www.eheadspace.org.au <http://www.hccc.nsw.gov.au/>

What do the nurses do?

The nurses are there to help advise young people, allowing them to make educated, healthy choices.

A nurse has protected time on two afternoons a week to be available for drop-in consults with teenagers.

The nurse triages the teenagers, provides initial screening and/or health education and acts as a facilitator to General Practitioners and other providers as needed.

Teen Clinic nurses are required to attend essential training on a range of topics such as sexual health, mental health, suicide prevention, LGBTIQI and community education.

Can adults come to Teen Clinic?

Teenagers can present to *Teen Clinic* on their own or with someone else.

Some teenagers come along with a friend and others come with a parent or a guardian.

It is up to the individual if they want someone to accompany them to *Teen Clinic*.

All *Teen Clinic* patients are encouraged to follow up with their usual GP to ensure that there is continuity of care.



Teen Clinic Kiama

Mondays 2pm to 5 pm

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Does anybody need to know I came to Teen Clinic?

You can come to Teen Clinic without the permission or knowledge of your parents, guardians, teachers, boyfriends, girlfriends, friends, relatives or anyone else.

We encourage all teens to discuss their visit and decisions with their parents/guardians or their usual GP, but this decision is entirely up to you.

All visits to *Teen Clinic* are strictly confidential. We are not able to discuss your visit with anyone else and we cannot release your medical records without your consent.

All visits are free and strictly confidential

Download the Teen Clinic app



SAHSSI WINTER SLEEPOUT

More and more young people are forced into homelessness every day in Australia. On any given night, 117,000 people are sleeping on the streets. 25,000 of which are under 19!

Warilla High School SRC are holding a Winter Sleepout on the 7th of September in the school hall. There will be games, trivia, food, movies and a massive Mario Cart Tournament on the big projectors!

Funds raised will go to SAHSSI to assist with their tireless efforts to end homelessness in the Illawarra.

Students participating are asked to make a donation of \$10 on the night. If students have any clothing in good condition that they wish to donate, we will be taking clean clothing in good condition to SAHSSI. Please see below for other donation options!

See Miss Gehrels, Jewel, or Mrs Cairncross for a note to participate!

NAIDOC Week

The SRC, Koori students, sports coaching students and Mr Delaney ran NAIDOC Week celebration activities for Year 7, on Friday 27th July.

Students were split into 3 groups and rotated through 3 stations to sample Kangaroo and Crocodile meat, play Koori games and participate in a mural painting lesson run by Julie, Fred and Quiarnii Russell (a big thank you to them!)

The theme for this year's NAIDOC week was "Because of her we can".

As pillars of our society, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women have played – and continue to play - active and significant roles at the community, local, state and national levels.

As leaders, trailblazers, politicians, activists and social change advocates, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women fought and continue to fight, for justice, equal rights, our rights to the country, for law and justice, access to education, employment and to maintain and celebrate our culture, language, music and art.

They continue to influence as doctors, lawyers, teachers, electricians, chefs, nurses, architects, rangers, emergency and defence personnel, writers, volunteers, chief executive officers, actors, singer-songwriters, journalists, entrepreneurs, media personalities, board members, accountants, academics, sporting icons and Olympians, the list goes on.

During the day, students had time to reflect on the NAIDOC theme this year, where they were able to share stories of the amazing women in their own lives and how they have helped, inspired and celebrated them.

THANK YOU so much to everyone who helped out on the day! It was awesome and together we were able to create the most amazing mural to hang in the school, watch this space for an update!

The SRC





Light it Red for Dyslexia and Dyslexia Awareness

To celebrate Light it Red for Dyslexia and Dyslexia Awareness, we are fortunate to have MSL Club Australia from Victoria coming to Wollongong for Dyslexia Information and Advocacy and Emotion Intelligence Days for parent/family/teacher and carers. This is a non-profit organisation who support families by giving them resources and information about how they can best advocate for their child at school and support at home.

DATES: 27 & 28, SEPTEMBER 2018

LOCATION: DAPTO RIBBONWOOD CENTRE

COST: \$80 EACH

BOOKINGS ONLINE AT www.mslclubaustraliacom (or below links)

[MSL CLUB AUSTRALIA DYSLEXIA INFORMATION AND ADVOCACY DAY](#) [MSL CLUB EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE DAY](#)

Places are booking up fast, so don't delay. Please give the flyer to your school's for their newsletters.

Speakers

Sarah Asome



Sarah has been involved with the MSL Club since its inception in 2016 and is the Educational Consultant as well as a member of the board.

Sarah is a highly experienced teacher and leads the learning support at Bentleigh West Primary School, Vic. She has a phenomenal passion for those who learn differently.

In 2015 she was awarded 'Outstanding Primary Teacher' for Victoria. She is trained in the Multisensory Structured Language (MSL) approach and is an Associate Member of the Australian Dyslexia Association (AMADA). She has completed multiple courses and this includes, the UTAS dyslexia unit, Dyslexia Action (UK), Ron Yoshimoto OG, LETRS training and certification in the USA- Certified Structured Literacy Teacher from the Certificate Centre for Effective Reading Instruction (CERI).

Last year, Sarah was guest speaker on the TV show 'Insight- The Teacher Who Changed My Life'. She also appeared in 'Outside The Square' a DVD used for professional development in relation to dyslexia and explicit literacy and language instruction.

In her current role, Sarah is involved in screening students, teaching tier 2 and 3 students and coaching and mentoring colleagues from across Australia.

Sarah also provides substantial support to dyslexia support groups and professional development for teachers.

Georgina Perry



Georgina Perry is the Executive Officer of SPELD NSW. SPELD NSW provides support, advice and advocacy for children and adults with specific learning difficulties such as dyslexia and for their families, tutors, teachers and schools.

Georgina has dyslexia along with other members of her family and has a background in not for profit management and strategy and law.

Christine Clancy



Christine Clancy is in high demand around Australia as a Leadership Coach and Communication Specialist.

Christine has a passion for Education and Personal Development and has broad experience working with industry leaders, charity organisations and educational institutions including RMIT, Deakin University, The Victorian Institute of Sport, Rowing Victoria, BMW, Bupa, and the Leukaemia Foundation.

Christine has been Managing Director for NFP Organisation *Breathe for Brain Injury* and has served as a board member for *Blinkcorp*.

Christine currently serves on the boards for *Living Distinctive Lives* and *MSL Club Australia*.

After the success of her Emotional Intelligence workshop in January 2018, Christine is excited to help support more people within the dyslexic community.

On a more personal note, both Christine and her son have dyslexia and are thrilled to be involved with MSL Club Australia. --

If you have any questions please email wollongongdyslexia@gmail.com

Wollongong Dyslexia Support Group

MSL Club Australia presents an Emotional Intelligence Day
& Dyslexia Information and Advocacy Day in

WOLLONGONG

SEPTEMBER 27 & 28, 2018



Tickets must be pre purchased online at www.mslclubaustralia.com



DAPTO RIBBONWOOD CENTRE

For full program details please view our website.

Thursday 27 September - Emotional Intelligence Day- \$80

Friday 28 September – Dyslexia Information and Advocacy Day - \$80

Presenters: Sarah Asome, Christine Clancy, George Perry

Coffee and Tea provided only

SP Collaborative

We are pleased to announce that the SP Collaborative will be having a public Celebration event on 13 September in Kiama. This event will be a great opportunity for people to hear about what's been happening in suicide prevention in the region and how to get involved. See attached and below for details.

Join us for a celebration!

Twelve months on from the launch of the Black Dog Institute's LifeSpan project, the Illawarra Shoalhaven Suicide Prevention Collaborative is inviting everyone in the community to help celebrate & recognise all that has been achieved.

Everyone and anyone is welcome to attend this free event.

Date: Thursday 13th September

Time: 8:30am - 10:30am

Venue: The Kiama Pavilion
(2 Bong Bong Rd, Kiama)



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by 7th September 2018.



www.suicidepreventioncollaborative.org.au

AUTISM SUPPORT IN WOLLONGONG LGA



Autism Community Network

The Autism Community Network provides free support during school terms for families living with autism conditions. If you would like to meet other carers who understand you or find social opportunities for your ASD child and their siblings, please contact us or come along to our free support group meetings.

WOLLONGONG SUPPORT GROUP

Meets Last Thursdays 10am to noon

VENUE: Illawarra Leagues Club

Come along and meet other parents and carers for mutual support.

STANWELL TOPS YOUTH CLUB

Meets Fridays during school terms 4.30 to 6.00 pm

VENUE: Stanwell Tops—address avail on booking

Social group for 6 people aged 16-25 years with ASD and high needs

For more information :

www.autismcommunity.org.au | info@autismcommunity.org.au | 9543 9036

LAKE ILLAWARRA LITTLE ATHLETICS CENTRE

2018-2019 Season Registration Information

Lake Illawarra Little Athletics Centre is entering its 48th Year of Competition, and our 1st year of registrations for Athletics NSW

Registrations for Little Athletics open on the 1st August 2018 and all registrations will be done online at www.lilac.net.au.

Registrations for Athletics NSW please contact us.

REGISTRATION DAYS

Sunday 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th August between 1pm and 3pm at Myimbarr Community Park.

At these days you can get help with your online registration, pay for your registration (cash, cheque, bank transfer* or online* payment), purchase our centre uniform and ask questions.

COST

Little Athletics Registration

August /September 2018 \$120.00*

After the 30th September 2018 \$150.00*

Athletics NSW Registration

This will be subsidised by the centre please contact us via email or phone us for more information.

*Please note that payments made online or via bank transfer will incur a service fee.



WHO CAN DO ATHLETICS

Little Athletics is opened to athletes born between the 1st October 2001 and 30th September 2015 in age groups from Tiny Tots to 17's.

Athletes and Parents older than 17 will be registered under Athletics NSW

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SCHOOL ENROLMENT POLICY

Warilla High School maintains an enrolment ceiling, based on available permanent accommodation and total numbers in each year group. Within the enrolment ceiling a buffer in each year group is maintained to accommodate local students arriving during the school year. Places in the buffer are not offered to non-local students. Feeder schools for Warilla High are Barrack Heights, Flinders, Shell Cove, Shellharbour and Warilla Public schools. Parents and carers are encouraged to contact the school to clarify the local zone for Warilla High School. It should be noted that non-local enrolments accepted by the primary school do not automatically guarantee an enrolment at Warilla High School. Such applications will be assessed as non-local applications.

Non-local application based on 'sibling rights' is not the sole determination in offering a position.

Placement Panel:

The placement panel will consider and make recommendations on all non-local enrolment applications.

- Year 6 into Year 7 enrolment applications: The Placement Panel consists of the Principal, the Deputy Principal with responsibility for that cohort the incoming year advisor and a SASS officer. The Principal is the chairperson and has the casting vote.
- Applications for enrolment into Years 8 -12, and Year 7 after the commencement of the school year: The panel consists of the Principal and the Deputy Principal responsible for the relevant year group. The panel is chaired by the Principal.
- This policy is endorsed by the Warilla High School P&C. All decisions are ratified by a representative of the P&C executive.

The decisions made by the placement panel are made within the context of the capacity of the school and the buffer retained for local students arriving later in the school year.

Criteria for Non-local Enrolment Applications:

- Demonstrated leadership and commitment to school and learning.
- Access learning, well-being and or extracurricular programs offered at Warilla High School
- Significant welfare issues.

Waiting Lists:

A waiting list will be established for non-local students seeking enrolment but unsuccessful in the first round of offers. The size of the list will reflect the realistic expectation that vacancies will become available.

Appeals:

If a parent/carers wishes to appeal a decision of the placement panel the appeal should be made to the Principal in writing. If an appeal cannot be resolved at the school level it will be referred to the School Education Director for the South Coast Group of Schools who will consider the appeal and make a determination.

John Hambly

Principal – Panel Chairperson

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Chicken Burger \$4.00	Salad Sandwich \$3.00	Plain Milk small \$1.50
Hot Dog \$3.00	Cheese, Tomato , Beetroot, Carrot & Lettuce \$2.50	Large \$2.20
Pizza \$3.00	Cheese & Tomato \$3.50	300ml Flavoured Milk \$2.00
Meat Pie \$4.00	Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo \$2.50	600ml Flavoured Milk \$3.50
Potato Pie \$4.00	Egg, Lettuce & Mayo \$3.50	Fruit Juice \$3.00
Gourmet Pie \$4.00	Ham, Cheese & Tomato \$3.50	Flavoured Mineral Water \$2.00
• Beef	<u>Rolls & wraps</u>	Bottled Water \$1.50
• Curry Beef	Salad Roll or Wrap \$4.00	Up 'N' Go \$2.50
• Curry Chicken	Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo Roll or Wrap \$4.50	Ice Break \$4.00
Sausage Roll \$2.50	Chicken Caesar Wrap \$4.50	Flavoured Water – focus \$2.00
Large sausage roll \$3.00	Chicken Pesto & Capsicum Wrap \$4.50	<u>Snacks</u>
Spinach & Cheese Roll \$4.00	<u>ICE CREAMS</u>	Yoghurt \$1.50
Chicken or Beef Noodles \$2.80	Frozen Fruit Cups \$0.80	Bottled Custard \$3.50
Vegetarian Nachos \$3.50	Frozen Yoghurt \$2.50	Jumpies \$1.00
Sweet Chili Chicken Wrap \$4.50	Milo Scoop Cups \$3.80	Rice Crackers \$1.00
Meatball Rolls \$4.00	Mini Drumsticks \$2.50	Chips \$1.00
5 x Chicken Sticks \$2.50	Mini Calippo \$1.50-\$	Popcorn \$0.50
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Garlic Bread \$1.50		Mini Muffins \$1.00
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	SNR Tartan Skirt	48.00			
Boys	SNR Boys Sky Shirts	28.00			
	Boys Navy Shorts	36.00			
Unisex	Fleecy Jackets	39.00			
	JNR Polo	30.00			
Sports	Sport Jackets	55.00			
	Royal Sports Shorts	28.00			
	Sports Shorts	25.00			
	Trackpants	37.00			
	Sports Polo	35.00			
Accessory	Navy Scarf	12.00			
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Network 802.11ac (5GHz Dual Band)
Windows 10
Screen Size - 14" Display

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BASIC

- 1 Year Product Care Replacement Plan
- Carry bag/case

\$68

PREMIUM

- 2 Year Product Care
- Carry bag/case
- Internet Security (12 Months)
- 16GB USB Drive

\$192

ULTIMATE

- 3 Year Product Care
- Carry bag/case
- Internet Security (12Months)
- Hard Drive
- Wireless Mouse
- Headphones

\$308

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Exclusive Offer

Hewlett-Packard

11-AB047TU

\$678



Processor - Pentium Quad-Core
 Memory - 8GB
 Storage - 128GB SSD
 Network 802.11ac (5GHz Dual Band)
 Windows 10
 Screen Size - 11.6" Touch Display

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RENT
BENEFITS



PROTECTION

If your Student Device is stolen, accidentally lost or accidentally damaged, we'll repair or replace the goods*.



LOANER GOODS

If your device is in for repair we may provide a loaner device on selected goods*.



DOUBLE TIME

For 1 extra monthly rental payment, you can double the term of your original rental agreement, and continue using the goods with the benefits of FlexiCare for the extended term*.



KEEP YOUR CASH

No deposit or set-up fees are required upfront so you can hold onto your cash and take the goods home today.



MANAGE YOUR BUDGET

You can select a wide choice of payment terms. You can select one that suits your budget. Choose between 12, 24 or 36 months.

Acer

SP111-32-P1KR

\$788



Processor - Pentium Quad-Core
 Memory Ram - 4GB
 Storage - 128GB SSD
 Network 802.11ac (5GHz Dual Band)
 Windows 10
 Screen Size - 14" Display
 Pen included

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BASIC

- 1 Year Product Care Replacement Plan
- Carry bag/case

\$96

PREMIUM

- 2 Year Product Care
- Carry bag/case
- Internet Security (12 Months)
- 16GB USB Drive

\$227

ULTIMATE

- 3 Year Product Care
- Carry bag/case
- Internet Security (12Months)
- Hard Drive
- Wireless Mouse
- Headphones

\$387

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Exclusive Offer

Macbook
Air 13"

\$1478



Processor - Intel i5 1.8GHz
Memory - 8GB
Storage - 128GB SSD
Network 802.11ac (5GHz Dual Band)
Screen Size - 13.3" Touch Display
Up to 12 hours battery life

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Macbook
Pro 13"

\$1886



Processor - Intel i5 2.3GHz
Memory - 8GB
Storage - 128GB SSD
Network 802.11ac (5GHz Dual Band)
Screen Size - 13.3" Touch Display
Up to 10 hours battery life

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BASIC

- 1 Year Product Care Replacement Plan
- Carry bag/case

\$249

PREMIUM

- 2 Year Product Care
- Carry bag/case
- Internet Security (12 Months)
- 16GB USB Drive

\$488

ULTIMATE

- 3 Year Product Care
- Carry bag/case
- Internet Security (12Months)
- Hard Drive
- Wireless Mouse
- Headphones

\$749

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High Attendance Equals High Achievement

What is a justified reason for being absent from school?

Justified reasons for absences may include if the student:

- has an unavoidable medical or dental appointment (preferably, these should be made after school or during holidays)
- is required to attend a recognised religious holiday
- is required to attend an exceptional or urgent family circumstance (such as attending a funeral)
- is sick, or has an infectious disease.

Absences for reasons such as some of the following may not be justified.

- Shopping
- Sleeping in
- Working around the house
- Minding younger siblings and other children
- Minor family events such as birthdays
- Haircuts.

It is important to realise that parents (including carers) may be prosecuted if children have recurring unjustified absences from school.

If you have any questions regarding student attendance, please contact the school.

Ms J. Grace

Head Teacher Student Administration

Online Uniform Store

Looking to purchase your child's school uniform online?

We now have a brand new 'Shop Now' button on our Facebook page, click it and it will take you straight to our online store! No need to get out of your chair!

Alternatively, you can visit our school website (www.warilla-h.schools.nsw.edu.au) -> Our School -> Uniform -> Online Store and this will take you there.



Make Online Payments (POP)

Is now possible for parents to make online payments to the school for amounts owing for students, via a secure payment page hosted by Westpac. Payments can be made using either a Visa or MasterCard credit/debit card. The payment page is accessed from the front page of the [school's website](#) by selecting \$ Make a payment

Items that can be paid include voluntary school contributions, subject contributions, excursions, sales to students and creative and practical arts activities (these include band, drama and dance). There is also a category called "other", this would cover items not covered under the previous heading. 'Other' can be used to make a complete payment of a school invoice.

When you access the \$ Make a payment you must enter:

- The student's name, and
- class and reference number OR
- The student's name, and
- Date of birth.

These details are entered each time you make a payment, as student information is not held within the payment system.

This is a secure payment system hosted by Westpac to ensure that your credit/debit card details are captured in a secure manner and these details are not passed back to the school.

You have the ability to check and change any details of the payment before the payment is processed. Receipts can be emailed and/or printed.

Details of the payments are passed daily to the school where they will be receipted against your child's account. As a receipt has been issued from the payment page a further receipt will not be issued by the school.

For any enquiries regarding the Online Payment process please contact the office staff on 02 4296 3055 or alternatively email;

warilla-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Mrs C. Souter

School Administrative Manager

Warilla High School Bike Helmet Safety Policy

While riding a bicycle it is required by law to wear an (Australian Standard Approved) helmet securely fitted and fastened to your head.

Warilla High School has an obligation to enforce this law for the safety of their students when riding a bicycle to or from school.

Governed by Work Health & Safety, Duty of Care and NSW Law, Warilla High School cannot allow a student to ride a bicycle to or from the school premises without a helmet.

Therefore, if a student arrives at school without wearing a helmet then the school will be required to secure that bicycle until that student presents themselves with an approved safety helmet or the student's parents come and retrieve the bike.

Emergency Procedures

In a life threatening emergency, for FIRE, POLICE and AMBULANCE

DIAL 000

In **ALL CASES**, advise the Principal.

Exits

For your safety, make sure you know the location of your nearest exit.

Evacuation Alarm



CONTINUOUS RINGING OF BELL

Evacuation Procedures

When the evacuation alarm sounds:

- Evacuate the building and proceed to the assembly area identified below.
- Do not re-enter until advised to do so.

Lockdown Alarm



3 LONG, 2 SHORT BELL RINGS

Lockdown Procedures

When the lockdown alarm sounds:

- Move to the closest secure point and ring the office to alert them to your whereabouts.



- ★ Fire Hydrants
- ★ First Aid Kits
- ★ First Aid Room
- ★ Evacuation Point



**WELCOME TO
Warilla High School**

Safety Briefing

For Contractors

Visitors and Volunteers

The New South Wales Department of Education and Communities is committed to the occupational health and safety of employees, students, contractors and all other visitors.

For your safety and the safety of others, it is a condition of entry to this site that you take a few minutes to read this brochure.

Mandatory site requirements:

- All visitors are required to report to the main office on arrival.
- Observe all speed, parking and vehicular restrictions.
- Obey all safety signs and barricades.
- **Violent, threatening or other unacceptable behaviour is not tolerated on NSW Department of Education and Communities premises.**
- All contractors to have completed the [Safety procedures for engaging Department of Commerce contractors](#)

OR

[Safety procedures for engaging independent contractors](#)

- ❖ **Smoking** is not permitted on DEC premises.
- ❖ **Alcohol and Illegal Drugs** are not permitted on DEC premises.
- ❖ **Weapons**, including knives, are not permitted.
- ❖ **Dangerous Goods and Hazardous Substances**
Visitors and contractors intending to bring dangerous goods on site must declare these at the main office prior to entering the site.
- ❖ **All Injuries, incidents and hazards** must be reported to the main office.
- ❖ Injuries will be recorded in the *Register of Injuries*.
- ❖ **First Aid** treatment is available on site.
- ❖ **Other**
Add information about site specific issues here

All Department of Commerce contractors report to the principal or delegate to:

- indicate the location and duration of the job
- sign the school's Site Visit Log book
- advise the status of the job before leaving the site.

All non-Department of Commerce contractors must in addition:

- produce a copy of their safety management plan including use of personal protective equipment and controls for site specific hazards
- produce public liability insurance documentation before work is commenced
- complete a Prohibited Employment Declaration

I have complied with all WHS issues:

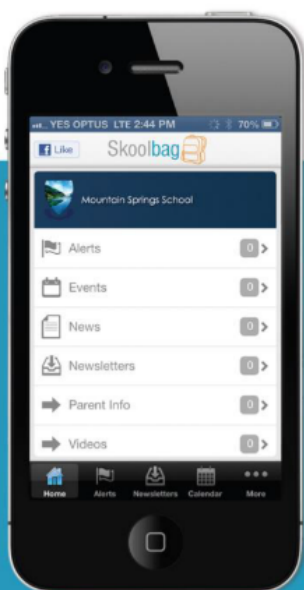
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 Contractor name: _____
 Company: _____
 Date: _____





Skoolbag

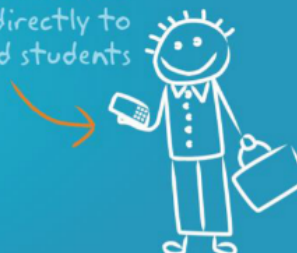
Smartphone school to parent communication



Skoolbag is a mobile App for your school to communicate directly to both parents and students. It works through both smart phones and smart devices (such as iPads and Android Tablets). Ideal for:

- > School, free push notification alerts
- > School events
- > School newsletters
- > School documents
- > School RSS feeds
- > School social media (Facebook, Twitter)

Skoolbag delivers school notices directly to parents and students



How to Install Warilla High Skoolbag On Your Smartphone!

iPhone/iPod & iPad Users

1. Click the “Apple App Store” icon on your device.
2. Type in Warilla High School in the search.
3. If iPhone/iPod, you will see our school appear, click “Get” then “Install”
4. When Installed click “Open”
5. Select “OK” to receive push notifications, when asked.




Android Users

You must first have signed up with a Google Account before installing the app.

1. Click the “Play Store” button on your Android Device
2. Click the magnifying glass icon at the top and type in Warilla High School.
3. Click Warilla High School when it appears in the search.
4. Click the “Install” button/
5. Click “Accept” for various permissions (please note, we don’t modify any of your persona; data on your devices).
6. Click “Open” when installed.

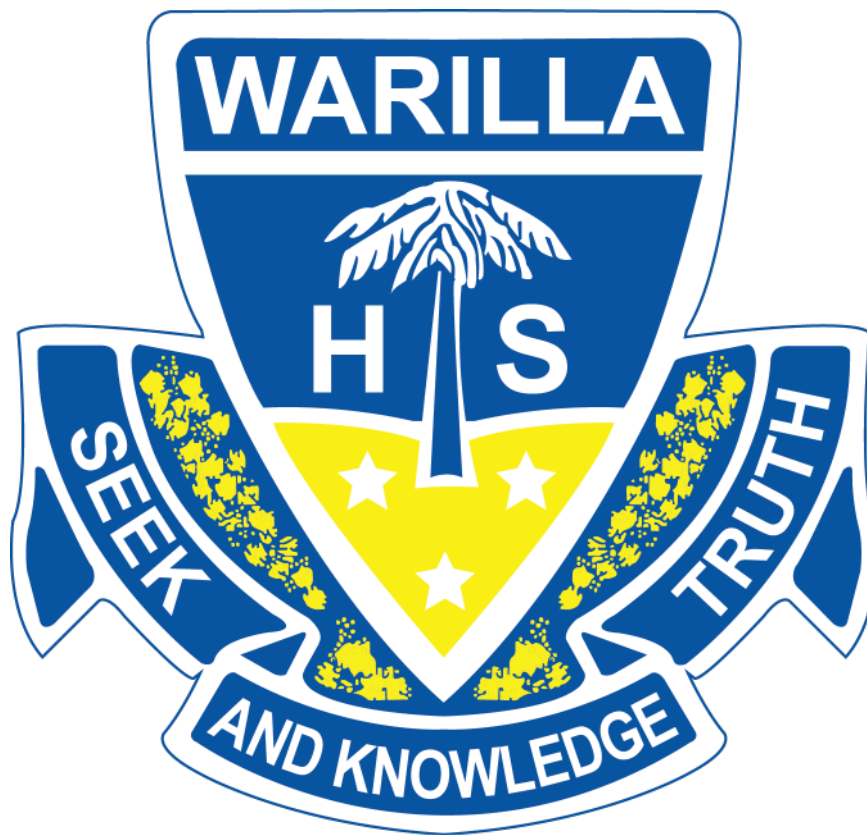


Don't forget to like us on Facebook! 

Find out more at www.skoolbag.com.au

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