2025 TERM 2 WEEK 6

WALBUNDRIE PUBLIC SCHOOL

14 Queen Street, Walbundrie, NSW

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SCHOOL REPORTS

This year our reports will have a slightly different look to coincide with the updated reporting policy of the Department of Education as a response to feedback from parents and carers who wanted clearer, more concise information on their child's progress.

Teachers are currently in the process of preparing student reports for Semester 1. Reports will be available for parents to view on School Bytes on Friday 20 June 2025, with parent teacher interviews to be held on Tuesday 24 June and Wednesday 25 June from 12:00pm until 3:45pm.

Parents will be able to schedule appointments via School Bytes from 4:00pm on Friday 20 June. Each appointment is a 10 minute timeslot and is for individual students. Mrs Twyford will be doing the interviews for students in Wattle, while Mrs Dawson will be conducting the interviews for students in Banksia. Interviews can be scheduled for in person or via a phone call.

STUDENT SURVEY

Every two years, the department runs a survey to provide schools with valuable feedback from students about their experiences at their school. The survey is open to students in Years 3 to 12 and covers a range of topics, including student engagement, learning experiences and wellbeing at school, and is one way in which students can have a voice about their time at school. The data can support schools in their planning, reporting and excellence. This includes helping to identify strengths and areas for improvement, assess how current initiatives are going and inform future programs.

The survey also allows the department to observe trends and shape effective policies and programs so that each student is known, valued and cared for in line with our plan for NSW Public Education.

Schools survey their students each year during the survey window in Term 2. If parents do not want their child to complete the survey, they are welcome to fill out the opt-out consent form. A copy of the Information and Opt-Out form has been provided to parents as an attachment with this newsletter. Parents must return the form to the school by Friday 20 June if they do not wish their child to participate in the survey.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Thank you to the Piney Range Roadhouse for sponsoring our Student of the Week and providing them with a free lunch order.

Your support is very much appreciated.



WEEK 3

Congratulations to Mia Sutton for being our 'Student of the Week' in Week 3, Term 2. Mia has consistently demonstrated kindness and support toward our younger students.

Thank you Mia!

WEEK 4

Congratulations to Will for being selected as our 'Student of the Week' in Week 4, Term 2. Will received his award for always trying to improve as a learner by asking great questions and trying his best.

Well done Will!

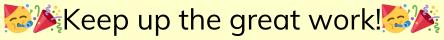




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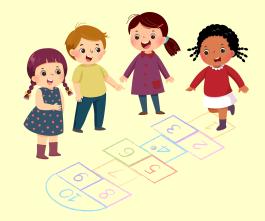
Congratulations to Sylvia, who was the recipient of the 'Student of the Week' award last week. Sylvia received an award for always being kind and helpful to everyone.

Fantastic job Sylvia!



STENCIL ARTWORK

Thank you to Murrumbidgee Health for allowing us to borrow their stencils. The year 6 students helped to set them all up so we could paint them. Nice to brighten the school up a little and help to learn numbers at the same time.

























SPORTS NEWS

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The school athletic carnival was a fantastic showcase of talent and sportsmanship! Students demonstrated remarkable achievements, pushed their limits, and supported one another throughout the events. It was inspiring to see everyone competing with such enthusiasm and camaraderie. Well done to all participants!

A huge congratulations to Daisy Kohlhagen for achieving junior girls age champion.



















HUME & HOVELL SPORT AFTERNOON

This Friday students will be participating in the Hume and Hovell sports afternoon. Students are encouraged to dress up in house group colours which are red for Hovell and blue for Hume.

Our P&C have kindly offered to provide hot dogs and a juice box for students on this day.

Students will have lunch between 12:30pm and 1pm. This will be followed by a short presentation of student awards and then conclude with the sports afternoon.

Parents are invited to attend and we look forward to seeing you on Friday.







COMMUNITY NEWS



MICROWAVE DAYS 2025



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
EVERITT	AMARANT	MANN/SUTTON	KOHLHAGEN	
McMASTER	TRETHOWAN	WALSH	PACKER	ORDERING PINEY ROADHOUSE
NEWTON	PATRICK- BEALE	PHILLPS	POPE-SMART	



Library Days

Monday 2 June Monday 16 June Monday 30 June



Upcoming Dates

Thursday 5 June

Flyaway Gymnastics

Friday 6 June

Stage 2 Excursion to Melbourne - Expression of Interest notes & payment due

Thursday 12 June

Flyaway Gymnastics

Thursday 19 June

Flyaway Gymnastics

Tuesday 24 & Wednesday 25 June

Parent Teacher Interviews

Thursday 26 June

Junior Landcare Day - Wirraminna

Friday 4 July

Last day Term 2