

Woodville Primary School

WEEK ENDING Friday 18th September 2020

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS – IMPORTANT DATES

TERM THREE

Monday 14 th September	Prep 2021 enrolment forms due to office
Wednesday 16 th Sept	Work pack collection from front of school – Warringa Crescent 9 – 12pm
Friday 18 th September	Last day of term three - 2pm dismissal

TERM FOUR

Monday 5 th October	Term Four begins!
Mon 5 th – Fri 9 th October	Remote learning for all year levels
Monday 12 th October	Prep, year one and year two students return to face to face teaching. Please ensure to use the correct gate to enter and exit the school. Students ONLY to be permitted on school grounds.
Mon 12 th – Fri 23 rd Oct	Years 3 – 6 students continue to learn remotely from home
Monday 19 th October	School Council Meeting via WebEx – 4pm
Thursday 22 nd October	Footy Fun Day – wear your favourite football colours!
Monday 26 th October	<i>Depending on the current stage of restrictions as of 26th Oct, and the Department of Education directives...</i> We are hopeful 3-6 students will be back onsite soon.
Tuesday 3 rd November	Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday – students do not come to school on this day
Wednesday 11 th Nov	School Photos – Arthur Reed Photography
Friday 18 th December	Last day of term four – end of 2020 school year



*Wellbeing is far more than the absence of illness or distress.
It is the ability to thrive and live for and to our absolute potential.
It means being at our best cognitively, emotionally, socially and physically.*

A message from the Principal Class Team...

Dear Parents, Carers, and students,

As we make plans to return to face to face teaching next term, we reflect on this past third term and say to you...

Thank you.

Thank you for supporting your child/children as they learned remotely at home.

Thank you for supporting our staff as they taught and supported your child/children to learn remotely from home.

Thank you for being patient.

Thank you for understanding.

Thank you for asking questions, for seeking clarification, for giving feedback.

Thank you for trying and for giving things a go.

Thank you for your resilience.

Thank you for being such a wonderful part of the Woodville Primary School community.

Term 4 will be a critical time for the re-engagement of students, the re-establishment of school routines and undertaking the steps necessary to prepare for and complete successful transitions into 2021.

Our priority in term 4 will be to:

- begin the process of catch-up learning and continue to extend those who progressed well during remote and flexible learning
- support students to re-establish friendships and class groups when back on site, and provide additional support where needed
- help every student prepare for 2021 with a sense of purpose and optimism
- ensure students continue to develop their literacy and numeracy knowledge and skills, build their personal and social capability and are physically active.

We are working hard to:

- ensure children starting in Prep in 2021 can meet their new classmates and teacher, and familiarise themselves with the school setting
- enable the Grade 6 students to mark the milestone of completing primary school
- engage and work with local secondary schools to support the transition process for Grade 6 students.

Please take note of these important dates for next term, term four 2020...

Week 1: Monday 5th October – Friday 9th October

All students learn remotely from home

Week 2: Monday 12th October – Friday 23rd October

Students in years Prep to Year 2 return to school for on-site face to face teaching.

Students in years 3 – 6 learn remotely from home.

Week 4: Monday 26th October

We are hopeful 3-6 students will be back onsite soon. We will let you know as soon as we hear.

As was the case when we returned to school following the first lockdown, only staff and students will be permitted on school grounds. Please use the same gate assigned to your family/child's class to enter and exit the school. Staggered dismissal times will also be in place. These will be confirmed in the first week of term 4.

We hope you have a well-deserved school holiday break.

See you all in the Google classroom on Monday 5th October!

Lyn, Nadia and Jodi

Principal Class Team

WOODVILLE KID OF THE TERM



Congratulations to the following students for being selected as the Woodville Kid of the Term for term three. In adverse, trying and unprecedented circumstances these students have demonstrated 'The Woodville Way', showing respect, responsibility, inclusiveness and resilience.

Congratulations to **Avah Stark** - Prep

Avah has demonstrated great resilience and responsibility when completing remote learning. She did her work with a big smile on her face, always ready to learn. Avah has a positive attitude and always tries her very best. She is polite and friendly to all staff and students. Avah is a responsible student who can be relied upon at all times. Well done on being Woodville Kid of the Term.

Congratulations to **Yen Tran** - Year one

Yen is a thoughtful and compassionate class member of 1/2E. She is a delight to have in the class. Yen consistently demonstrates Woodville's core values making her an excellent choice for Woodville Kid of the Term. Yen strives to achieve her very best in all areas of her learning. She has worked exceptionally hard during remote learning and it has been a pleasure to see her smiling face online every morning.

Congratulations to **Munsha Munsha** – Year two

Munsha demonstrates a positive attitude towards all school activities. She is an attentive student who strives to complete tasks to a high standard. Munsha shares an excellent relationship with her peers and is a supportive class member. She consistently upholds Woodville's values and is always a great role model for other students. During remote learning, Munsha has remained resilient, hardworking and a delight during online sessions. Her enthusiasm and smiling face has been a delight to have in 1/2F.

Congratulations to **Thomas Moody** – Year three

Thomas is a resilient, enthusiastic, polite and hardworking student. He shows initiative while in the online learning environment. He continually seeks assistance to complete set tasks. He always brings his positive attitude and growth mindset to the classroom, which has allowed him to strive for success.

Congratulations to **Willow Warton** – Year four

Willow is a quiet and polite student who deserves all the praise and accolades she receives. Her happy and friendly personality is to be commended and her work ethic is consistent and to the best of her ability. Willow is always supportive of her peers and accepts assistance when it is offered. She always follows class expectations, is reliable, trustworthy and a positive role model.

Congratulations to **Tsion Desalegn** – year five

Tsion is a courteous, well-mannered student whose positive attitude is reflected in her approach to all her work. She is a friendly and caring student who is always willing to assist in the classroom and help others. She has continued to grow and shine and has displayed resilience during Remote Learning this term. Tsion is a great role model for her peers. Congratulations Tsion on being selected as the Woodville Kid of the Term!

Congratulations to **Lynda Khin** - Year six

Lynda is a polite, friendly, respectful student who always gives her best effort in everything she does. She works hard to complete tasks to the very best of her ability and is achieving great results during Remote Learning. Lynda shares an excellent relationship with her peers and is always considerate and cooperative showing many attributes of a 'Woodville Friendly Kid'. Her helpful, caring and humorous nature makes her a delight to teach.

Congratulations to **Alicia Vake** - Specialist

Alicia is a courteous, polite and kind student. She is hardworking and has a positive attitude toward all aspects of her learning. Alicia is a responsible member of our school community and is a great role model for her peers. She has been a pleasure to teach online and exhibits promising leadership skills.