Public Schools NSW

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Congratulations to Mrs Narelle Whittaker and Ms Marilyn Wilson who are celebrating 20 years service with Department of Education. Warren Central School is privileged to have such experienced and dedicated staff. Mrs Whittaker is our Librarian and Ms Wilson is a School Learning Support Officer.





Principal Duncan Lovelock

**Deputy Principal** Robyn Taylor

**Executive Staff Head Teachers** Jenny Brooker - Wellbeing **Dianne Hamilton** Abdulah Zayied

**Assistant Principals** Emily McPhee (Rel) Felicity McCormack Mon—Thu

**School Administrative Manager** Roz Hunt

> **Teacher Librarian** Narelle Whittaker

**Aboriginal Education Officers** Phyllis Oates Peter Mackay

> Chaplain Karlene Irving

School Counsellor Lynda Pascoe

**Canteen Manager** Janice Oriel

# Education JUNBUNNA Term 2 Issue 6 2021



Last Wednesday, Year 5/6 sang We Are One in Wayilwan Language at Warren TAFE. There was a graduation ceremony for local adult students who completed Cert 1 in Wayilwan Language.

Left: Mrs Irving, Ms Oates, Mr Mackay with their certificates in Cert 1 in Wayiiwan Language and Ms Taylor.

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2021 - Term 2

Date

18 June

21 June

22 June

23 June

24 June

25 June

12 July

13 July

**ISSUE 6** 

Who

Year 3-6

Year 5/6

Years 7-11

Year 3 -6

K-6

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Staff

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Year 9/10/11

More

Trangie

Information

Mrs Lovelock

Mrs Lovelock

From 4-6pm Silent Disco

JB Renshaw Hall

No school for students

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Gobondery/NARRAF Soccer Day

Pop Up Podcast Workshop

Parent Teacher night

Last day of Term 2

School Returns

Staff development Day

Term Dates for 2021

Term 3 - Tuesday 13 July to Friday 17 September

Term 4 - Tuesday 5 October to Friday 17 December

Term 2 - Tuesday 20 April to Friday 25 June

PBL Day

Spelling Bee

Warren Shire Library Craft Visit

WNPEEC Visit - Wicking Bed Construction

WNPEEC Visit - Wicking Bed Construction

Social Media & Content Creation Workshop Year 9/10/11

Event

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### Eligibility

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School students from Year 3 upwards residing in the Central West are invited to join SJO. Schools that have already expressed interest in the program include Gilgandra Public School, Gilgandra High School, Trangie Central School, Eumungerie Public School, and Tooraweenah Public School.

Students can belong to any school and can range from music level beginner-advanced.

### Costs

Students enrolled in a Department of Education School will have their enrolment fee subsidised due to the School Services Arts Grant.

Annual subsidised fee: \$60 (Eight rehearsals per annum resulting in two performance opportunities) Annual fee for non-subsidised students: \$120 (\$15 per rehearsal) Music stand- supplied

Sheet music and music books- supplied Travel- at own expense or supplied/supported by SJO affiliated school.

In 2019 Symphonia Jubilate visited Warren on a regional tour. Symphonia Jubilate is a public school symphony orchestra organisation made up of students predominantly from primary and secondary schools in the Strathfield and Canterbury education networks. Founded in 2013 by Tracy Burjan and Luke Wallace, the organisation aims to provide students with an opportunity to rehearse, learn and perform quality orchestral music from a diverse range of musical styles, as well as to foster a new level of music appreciation and skill.

Symphonia Jubilate has donated a variety of instruments available for loan within the SJOutback program. They seek to help us to continue to build the bank of instruments that I hope we can make available over the years to students hungry to learn and be creative.

For further enquiries please contact:

#### Frances Evans

Symphonia Jubilate Outback Program Coordinator 0435 958 447 francesjfwilson@gmail.com

#### Dianne Reichelt

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There are times we may need to get in touch with you. Do we have your most up to date details? Please contact the school with your updated details? Your name, address, phone numbers, email address and emergency contact details.

**School Returns for Term3 Tuesday 13 July** 

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#### ISSUE 5



1 June 2021

#### Dear Parents

It is with great excitement that we finally move towards the official launch of Symphonia Jubilate Outback (SJO) on Monday 26 July 2021 4-5:30pm at Gilgandra Public School.

Students already well along the music learning path, and those wishing to make a start, are invited to learn about music making, join an ensemble, experiment with sound, sing, clap, move and play instruments. Students representing over 10 different schools in the central west, with hundreds of kilometres covered, will meet to make community through music.

Local educators Frances and Nick Evans will be joined by Symphonia Jubilate Director Tracy Burjan and assisted by her talented husband, saxophonist and composer Paul Burjan, to lead students through a variety of fun warm-ups and exercises followed by ensemble pieces.

The vision is clear and exciting. The 'bush' needs a beginner, intermediate and advanced youth orchestra which will strengthen bonds between young people, inspire excellence in music making and support those families who value and pursue music making. Performance opportunities through SJO will allow students in rural NSW to develop performance skills, confidence, ensemble etiquette and empower them to make music learning and performing part of their future.

Aims:

- To form an outback orchestra of Strings, Wind, Brass and Percussion
- Assist in providing affordable ensemble experiences and tuition to students in western
- NSW that have not yet had the opportunity or exposure to regular music making
- Enable remote students to access high quality music education
- Empower regional and remote teachers to nurture a thriving performing arts culture in their school

 Connect remote families who value music in order to reduce feelings of isolation and/or disadvantage

 Track how the benefits of music making in rural isolated communities can improve the outcomes of all participants across the board both academically and socially

 Provide Symphonia Jubilate Outback participating schools an opportunity to build closer relationships

 Support and empower general classroom teachers who feel they do not have the skills to deliver a high-quality music curriculum. Classroom teachers who want to upskill are invited to attend the rehearsals and workshops. The experience may be viewed as NESA informal professional development.

#### **Certificates of Service**

Congratulations to Mrs Whittaker and Miss Wilson on receiving their 20 years of service certificates from the Department of Eduation. Both have been long term stalwarts of the school and do an amazing job in their roles and care for students. Mrs Whittaker runs an outstanding library and learning space for children to grow and prosper in their learning. Miss Wilson runs the breakfast club in the mornings, looking after many hungry students with care(as well as teacher aide work) and looks after many hungry children in the morning with care.

#### Aboriginal Language Program

Last Wednesday, I was fortunate enough to attend the inaugural graduations of 13 adult learners at Warren TAFE where our 5/6 students sang 'We are One' in both Wayilwan and English. It was an incredibly emotional day to see the re-emergence of the local aboriginal language and a credit to the students and Mrs McPhee who aptly led them in a mark of respect and celebration. Congratulations to Mrs Amy Hall at TAFE (and our P&C President) for coordinating a wonderful program in Warren.

#### Western Cross Country Trials

On Friday 11th June in what was a wet and very cold day, 6 of our students ran their hearts out around Geurie Racecourse. There must have been over 1000 people there and it was fantastic to see our students getting back into the thick of it and being competitive with much bigger schools throughout the Western District. Congratulations to Charlie, Charlotte, Joey, Paddy, Clare and Julian for their efforts and representing their school on the day.

#### **Athletics Carnival**

On Monday 7 June, we finally had clear skies to run our carnival. It was great to see so many students competing and trying their best. A big thank you to the many parents and canteen volunteers on the day who made time to support your children and the school athletics day. Thank you to Mr Zayied on his organisation and all the staff on what was a very successful and fun day for everyone.

#### **Teacher Graduation**

It was wonderful to attend a morning tea in celebration of Miss Brouff's graduation as a teacher from University. She has quickly become a valuable member of our teaching staff and it is great to see young people such as Miss Brouff move into the teaching profession with such passion and enthusiasm.

#### Student Leadership

Sophie Hopkin and Stephanie Squire were escorted by Ms Taylor to Sydney to attend Government and Parliament House in Sydney. From what I understand, both girls (and Ms Taylor) enjoyed the day immensely as part of the Secondary School Leadership Program.

#### Term 2 coming to a close

Wow! How the term has flown by so quickly. Next Friday 25 June is the last day for students and teachers. I would like to thank the parents and community for your ongoing support of your kids and our wider school community. I hope everyone is able to have a safe and enjoyable winter break. School resumes in Term 3 for students on Tuesday 13 July.

Mr Lovelock Principal





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## **Moorambilla Day Camps 2021**



Moorambilla Magic is back for 2021! Our Artistic Director Michelle Leonard OAM, has teamed up with the most amazing artists and will be venturing to a town near you to provide a two day of workshop in singing, dance and taiko! we are visiting:

- Dubbo 30th/31st July
- Coolah 2nd/3rd August
- Baradine 4th/5th August
- Coonamble 6th/7th August
- Lightning Ridge 8th/9th August
- Brewarrina 11th/12th August
- Bourke 13th/14th August
- Cobar 16th/17th August
- Warren 18th/19th August



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#### Register now!

Time for the fun to begin! All you need to do is register. Are you an exisiting member? Perfect! If not, just head to www.moorambilla.com and go to 'Membership' and follow the prompts. If in doubt, do not hesitate to reach out and email dayle@moorambilla.com

### TRANGIE JUNIOR JUDGING



Monday 28th June 2021 from 8.30am Registration to approx. 5pm at Trangie Agricultural Research Centre Cattle, Meat Sheep, Merino Sheep, FleeCes, Cotton & Grain Judging



\$20 ENTRY FEE FOR PREREGISTRATION & PAYMENT BY Friday 25th JUNE

**General Meeting** 

The strength of the NSW AECG is community based. This allows Aboriginal people to have a voice in what is happening in the school for their children. For this to happen we need you

AECG

Warren Local AECG – Western 2



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Under the "BEE FOR YOUTH" program, funded by Bronnie Taylor, MLC Member of the Legislative Council Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women.

I am offering FREE Tai Chi Classes for school aged children and their families to experience Tai Chi together.

When: Thursday's 10th, 17th and 24th of June 2021.

Starting Time: 4pm

Location: The Warren Youth and Community Centre.

Afternoon tea will be provided by ZHENG FU Tai Chi and Wellness, there will also be a few giveaways!

For further information, please email: zhengfutaichiandwellness@gmail.com



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## ISSUE 6 **Athletics Carnival - 2021**

What in the wild weather where we thinking!? Our Thursday date for the athletics carnival was a wash out and quite frankly far too cold. Luckily Monday 7 June was full of sun and clear skies.

With students in age groups, events began on time at 9am with shot puts landing into the thick grass, discuses skidding across the footy pitch and high jumpers parachuting into the large landing mats. The athletics carnival had a strange feeling being the first day of the week, but the energy levels students and staff brought to the events made Monday an extra advantage.

The P&C canteen had the chip fryer on from the get-go and Mr Zayied made sure he had hot chips in hand not before too long. Special thank you to Janice Oriel and her a band of helpers for keeping the staff and students well fed.

There were some inspired performances right across the park. Students were pushing their limits and reaching new goals in all areas of the track and field. Notably Toby Cosgrove soared to new heights pushing the high-jump bar beyond 1.55m and finding his way to the very back of the long jump pit.

As the day came to end it was great to see the relay teams from Primary and Secondary get the crowd going and warmed up for the war cries. Again, we saw Macquarie come prepared for their war cry and they took home the bonus points. Well done to all house captains for rallying their teams and leading their peers.

We look forward to seeing our band of athletes at the next level of competition.

Mr Zayied



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Warren Central School

to attend our local meetings

1:30pm Wednesday 23 June 2021

Tea / Coffee and light refreshments will be provided.

Looking forward to seeing you there.

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# Primary



Miss Brouff gualified as a teacher in 2020 but due to COVID restrictions she was unable to have an official graduation. We are all very proud of Miss Brouff, our 2/3 classroom teacher, who attended her official graduation ceremony last week. It has been wonderful to welcome a newly qualified teacher to our staff, she has brought with her lots of fresh teaching ideas and enthusiasm. The students of 2/3 have had a wonderful first semester and no doubt this will continue into next semester and the remainder of the year.

#### Clothing

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To ensure children are not losing items of clothing, parents Students that have returned their Sydney excursion note are reminded to ensure that all articles of clothing, including hats should be labelled with your child's name. We have had a lot of misplaced items find themselves into the lost property tub in Primary. If you have lost an item of clothing, please see Miss Deb and she will check through the tub with your child.

#### PBL Rewards Day- Silent Disco

To celebrate the end of a fantastic second term and as part Western PSSA X-Country of our PBL reward, all students who have demonstrated appropriate behaviours, in Kindergarten to Year 6 will be involved in a silent disco on Wednesday 23 June. The silent disco involves students wearing headphones with a variety of tunes downloaded onto them. The headphones do have volume control, so any students that normally have trouble with loud noises are catered for.

#### Soccer Gala Day

Students that have nominated and paid to attend the Gobondery NARRAF soccer gala day will travel to Trangie this Friday. We hope they have a wonderful day, learning new skills and catching up with friends from other schools. The soccer gala day is always a great event, providing our students with the chance to display tremendous sportsmanship and represent our school with pride.

#### **Athletics Carnival**

Everyone that attended the Athletics carnival had a great day. The weather was superb and perfect for the activities the children involved themselves in throughout the day. Students demonstrated their skills at track and field events. Some fantastic results have been recorded for the day and these will be announced in due course. Students should feel proud of their skills and sportsmanship shown on the day and the way in which they conducted themselves.

#### WCS Spelling Bee

Our school Spelling bee will be held on Thursday 24 June, don't forget that if your child wants to nominate for this event, they should return their note ASAP.

#### 5/6 Fundraising Result

Our first 5/6 raffle was drawn at the athletics carnival. Congratulations to Rhonda Darcy who won a Bunnings voucher, donated by Bunnings Dubbo.

We will be having a second raffle for Father's Day. Please let us know if you would like to sell tickets or if you would like to purchase tickets, they will be \$2.00 each, just send in a note and money to the front office.

#### 5/6 Excursion

are reminded that part payments are welcome and make it much easier to have the total paid by the due date. Payments can be made online or in cash. Full payments are to be made early in term 4.

If you are having any difficulties paying the amount, please make an appointment with Mr Lovelock to organise some assistance or a payment plan if required.

Three of our primary students attended the Western Cross Country trials last Friday in Geurie. It was an icy cold day, however, Clare, Paddy and Julian put in an amazing effort regardless. Thankyou to our parents for transporting the students and giving them the opportunity to represent WCS at this level of competition. Unfortunately, none of our students qualified for the next event, but a huge congratulations for their efforts on the day.



Have a safe and happy holiday. Mrs McPhee and Mrs McCormack (Rel) Assistant Principal





### Week 6

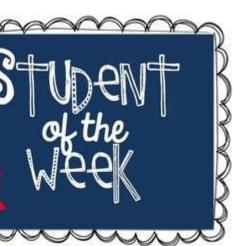


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**Assistant Principal Awards** 

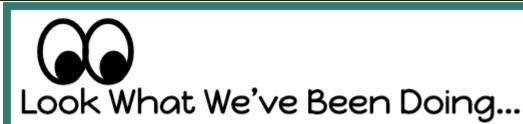








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The 1/2 Rosellas have had such a busy term! We have been working hard, learning lots and having fun all at the same time. We hope everyone has a fantastic holiday. Love Mrs Bruce and the 1/2 Rosella's



This term Year 2/3 have been learning about resilience including what it means to be resilient and how we act and feel in certain situations. This has been very important as we strive to care for others, be inclusive and learn to 'be brave and strong' when faced with difficult situations.

Our class has also been focusing on Narratives and will be finalising writing a twisted fairy tale during the end of term. It has been a wonderful term and I am so proud of the efforts everyone in 2/3 has made. Miss Brouff



Good News: The Year 6 shirts are in! Year 6 students have been modelling them for us. On the back of the shirts are Year 6 students names and year. Students are to wear them every Friday.



### **OUR PLACE says THANK YOU:**

**NSW Department of Communities and Justice** Warren Chamber Music Festival Committee Warren Local Aboriginal Land Council **TAFE NSW**, Warren Campus Window on the Wetlands (WOW) centre

Our community partnerships with you have grown student wellbeing at our school and have developed student selfefficacy, the student's capacity to know that they can try new things and achieve amazing outcomes, reaching new heights in their learning journey.

Taylah Reid, Kallie-Lea Daley, Zoey Daley, Shamika Kentwell, Mackenzie Buxton, Leila Gough, Chelsea George and Charlotte Hopkin had the privilege of being invited to a private viewing of a Warren Chamber Music Festival rehearsal. The students were quoted as saying that they were "blown away" by the experience!

Last Wednesday, Year 5/6 sang We Are One in Wayilwan Language and brought Aunty Beth (Wayilwan Language teacher) to tears, and other TAFE representatives who were in attendance, at the graduation ceremony of local adult students who completed Cert 1 in Wayilwan Language. The students should be congratulated on their maturity and respect shown at such an important occasion.

Students have only completed 10 sessions of Our Place music wellbeing but all students have shown initiative and commitment in learning a new skill and working as a team to produce a powerful sound.

The Our Place leadership team of Ms Oates, Mr Mackay and myself would also like to thank the teachers and families for their support of the program which we hope will keep growing in Term 3 to impact more students across our school. Every student deserves to the opportunity to succeed!

#### Mrs Irving

Peter Mackay was apart of a project at Gulargambone Central School over numerous weeks helping with the Painted Poles and Eagle. Great work Peter.

## **Painted Poles and Eagle**

These strikingly painted poles are a collaboration between Wayilwan Ngiyambaa artist Peter Mackay and the Gulargambone Central School students. The Maliyan or Wedgetail Fagle stands n The Maliyan or Wedgetail Eagle stands proudly over his nest surveying the scene for his next prey. This majestic eagle was created by Dubbo commercial welder and scrap metal artist, Norman Organ



**Create NSW** 



Ms Hickey and students enjoying a party organised by the class. Farewell Ms Hickey, we wish you all the best.

Reconciliation Week: Year 3/4/5 Conkerberries have been busy making art and learning about Reconciliation.



# **Does your child** have a chance of being successful?

## 1 or 2 days a week doesn't seem much but.....

lf your child misses	That equals	Which is	and over 13 years of schooling that's	Which means the best your child might perform is
1 day per fortnight	20 Days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly <u>1.5</u> <u>years</u>	Equal to finishing in grade 11
1 day per week	40 Days	8 weeks	Over <u>2.5 years</u>	Equal to finishing in grade 10
2 days per week	80 Days	16 weeks per year	Over <u>5 years</u>	Equal to finishing in grade 7
3 days per week	120 Days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years	Equal to finishing at grade 4

# EVERY DAY COUNTS!

Our School Attendance Officers will interview students about absences (partial, lateness & truancy).

The law in New South Wales regarding attendance at school is very specific. Children between the ages of 6 and 17 years must attend school on all days the school is open unless there are justified reasons for an absence. All absences must be satisfactorily explained to the school at which the child is enrolled.

You are legally responsible for ensuring that your child/ren attends school each day school is open.

All students' attendance is monitored on a daily basis. It is expected that all students arrive at school on time to begin daily lessons.

All absences can be explained by note, a phone call (6847 4438) or personal explanation from parent/carer.

Ms Taylor **Deputy Principal** 





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## **Hospitality**

Last Wednesday 9 June, Year 7 followed the recipe to make party pies, in time for State of Origin. These cute little party pies are delicious and worth the effort. Great to eat while watching the footy.

Mrs Robertson









Congratulations to Leila Gough who played last weekend in Under 17's State Titles with Inspire Netball Club. The team came 5th place. This is an amazing effort!

# **Secondary** Sophie and Stephanie's Big Day Out

#### 2021 Secondary School Student Leadership Program

In Week 8, our school captains, Sophie Hopkin and Stephanie Squire were invited to attend the 2021 Secondary School Student Leadership Program, which was held at Parliament House and Government House in Sydney. This is a civics and citizenship program for Year 12 student leaders where students are given the opportunity to develop their knowledge of our system of government, the role of the governor and parliamentary proceedings. Sophie and Stephanie were joined by approximately 150 student leaders from across secondary schools in NSW, who participated in parliamentary sessions, met with current NSW Members of Parliament and enjoyed a tour of Government House and morning tea with Her Excellency, The Honourable Margaret Beazley AO QC Governor of New South Wales. The girls were fantastic ambassadors for our school and are to be commended for their representation of Warren Central School as School Captains.

I was honoured to be able to accompany the girls on their big day out!

Ms Taylor **Deputy Principal** 

Last Tuesday 8 June, Sophie and I were accompanied by Ms Taylor to Sydney to visit Government and Parliament House. We flew down along with a few other schools from our region. At Government house we met with Her Excellency Margaret Beazley and her secretary Mr Michael Miller, where we spoke with her excellency and enjoyed a light morning tea. At Parliament House we met with all the members of parliament and enjoyed lunch with Roy Butler the member for Barwon as we discussed his role and issues in our electorate such as rural health care. Overall the day was an amazing opportunity and a great day for meeting new people!

Steph Sauire Vice Captain



Life is a journey, with problems'to solve, léssons to learn, but most of all, experiences to enjoy.

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## **SRC State of Origin/ Beanies for Brain Cancer Fundraiser**



## **SRC State of Origin/ Beanies for Brain Cancer Fundraiser**

On Wednesday 9 June K-12 students and staff participated in a Beanies for Brain Cancer gold coin fundraiser to raise money for the Mark Hughes Foundation and had a State of Origin mufti day.

The secondary students in roll call participated in a Kahoot (online quiz) which asked questions related to brain cancer and the State of Origin. Each year group versed one another for a lolly bag to share amongst themselves. Congratulations to Year 9, who won the Kahoot.

The SRC would like to thank Andrew Harrison for the posters he made and hung up around the school and Braith Boyd, Fletcher Hunt and Zoe Bailey for organising the Kahoot. A big thank you to all of the K-12 who joined in and donated in this event. We made a total of \$162.00 for the Mark Hughes Foundation.

Zoe Bailey Year 10 SRC member

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GAME 1 - WEDNESDAY 9TH JUNE



FULL TIME



Blues

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