

Jumbunna



June 2022 • Issue 6 • Term 2

Warren Show

Congratulations to staff and students for the huge effort in organising students art, writing and work entries for sections in the Warren Show.



Lexi and Genni Squire first in the Novelty Cake.



9/10 Agriculture entered in the vegetable section and received numerous prizes. First in Collection of vegetables.

Hugh McCormack first in Drawing Year 3.

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Knowledge Quiz

Winners: Year 3/4
Hugh, Rahni and Olivia.

Runners Up and
Winners Year 7/10
Ryan, Jacob,
Charlotte,
Hunter, Mason
and Harrison.

**Warren Weekly
Photos**





2022 - Term 2/3		WHAT'S ON	
	Date	Event	Who
Week 9	23 June	Gymnastics- Sporting Schools	K-6
	23 June	1pm Our Place: Rock Band 1:50pm Our Place: String Octet 1:50pm Our Place: Girls violin 2:20pm Our Place: Drums and Dance	Our Place
	24 June	TAFE YES Program	Year 9-12
Week 10	27 June	Warren Shire Library visiting WCS	Kindergarten
	27 June	1:20pm Our Place, Wayilwan choir & dance 1:50pm Our Place: Wayilwan Art	Our Place
	28 June	Netball & League U16's	Secondary
	29 June	Parent/teacher Night	Year 7-12
	29 June	Netball Opens League U14s and Open	Secondary
	29 June	Ignite Gymnastics- Primary	K-6
	30 June	Ridley Trudgett Netball Gala Day	Year 3-6
	30 June	1pm Our Place: Rock Band 1:50pm Our Place: Girls violin 1:50pm Our Place: String Octet	Our Place
	1 July	TAFE YES Program	Year 9-12
	1 July	Last Day of Term 2	
Week 1	19 July	Students return to school	K-12

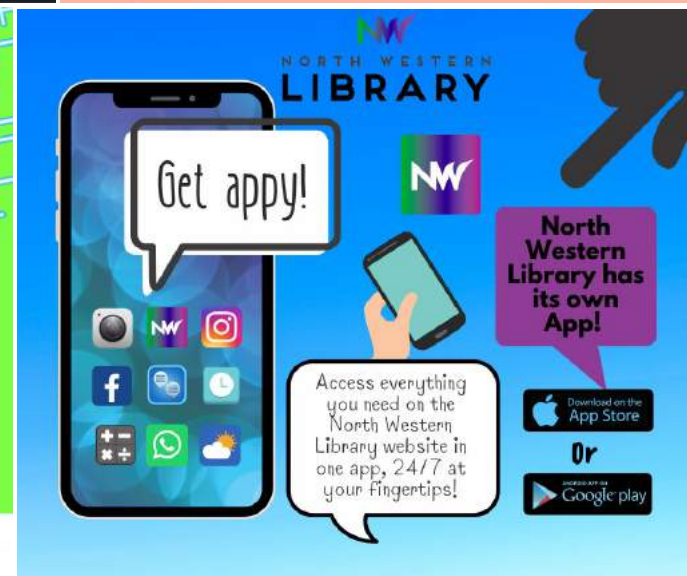


Term Dates 2022

Term 3- Tuesday 19 July - Friday 23 September

Term 4 - Monday 10 October - Tuesday 20 December

Last Day of Term 2 1 July 2022



INFORMATION FOR CUSTOMERS

Australian Government Mobile Service Centre

Serving Regional Australia

Visit the Mobile Service Centre to find out about Australian Government payments and services for rural families, older Australians, students, job seekers, people with disability, carers, farmers and self-employed people.

Information about Department of Veterans' Affairs programs and support services for veterans and their families will also be available.

Staff can provide you with information and support. They can also help you create a myGov account. myGov is a simple and secure way to access government services online.

WARREN

Near the Services Club, Dubbo Street

Thursday, 30 June 2022 9 am to 4 pm

Friday, 1 July 2022 9:00 am to 2:30 pm

For more information, go to servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice

INFORMATION FOR CUSTOMERS

Australian Government Mobile Service Centres

If you live in a rural area, you may need to travel greater distances to access government payments and services. To make it easier for you to access these services, we're bringing them to you and your community.

Mobile Service Centres travel extensively throughout rural and regional Australia and also to disaster affected areas to provide help and support.

Staff from Services Australia travel with the Mobile Service Centres and can help you with Centrelink and Medicare payments and services. Our Mobile Service Centres also have disabled access.

Information about Department of Veterans' Affairs programs and support services for veterans and their families will also be available.

Wi-Fi is available for visitors to the Mobile Service Centre and staff will be able to help you create a myGov account. myGov is a simple and secure way to access government services online.

Our staff will provide you with friendly face-to-face service, information and support. From time to time, representatives from other government agencies also travel with the Mobile Service Centres.

Information and help you can access on board the Mobile Service Centres

We provide information, help and support to rural and regional communities, including:

- families
- older Australians
- students
- job seekers
- people with disability
- carers
- farmers
- self-employed people.

We can assist you with:

- registering and using the agency's online services
- new claims for Centrelink payments
- updating and confirming Centrelink and Medicare information
- information on how financial matters may impact on payments
- assistance with payment and service options
- rural payment entitlements for eligible farmers
- non-cash Medicare transactions
- enrolling for and issuing new Medicare cards
- updating and re-issuing Medicare cards
- social work support and referrals.

More information

To view the latest itineraries for the Australian Government Mobile Service Centres, visit servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice

The stopping locations for Mobile Service Centres are promoted in each town and on social media before each visit.



Live Life Well @ School

TIPS TO HELP REDUCE SCREEN TIME FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

- Establish rules and routines**
Start by encouraging no screens at meal times or in the bedroom.
- Break up and limit screen time**
Try setting a timer for 20-30 minutes (give a 5 minute warning before time is up).
- Work towards screen-free days**
Start by replacing just half an hour of screen time with activities you can do as a family.
- Break the habit out of the home**
When going out, consider taking toys and books instead of screens.
- Be a role model**
Demonstrating positive habits can influence the whole family's relationship to screens.

Adapted from NSW Health Healthy Living page. For more information, visit: <https://www.healthyliving.nsw.gov.au/Pages/screen-time.aspx>
This resource was developed by the Western NSW Local Health District

SCREEN TIME CHECKLIST

HAVE YOU...

- ☒ brushed your teeth?
- ☒ dressed yourself?
- ☒ brushed/combed your hair?
- ☒ made your bed?
- ☒ eaten breakfast?
- ☒ picked up everything in your room?
- ☒ read for 20 minutes?
- ☒ finished all of your chores?
- ☒ practiced your math facts for 10 minutes?
- ☒ played outside for 30 minutes?
- ☒ done something creative (writing/art/music)?
- ☒ helped a family member?

Finished?
You may now have
minutes
of screen time!

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Author Stig Weymms visit WCS



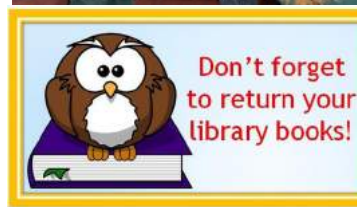
On Wednesday students from Years 2-7 were privileged to have a visit from Stig Weymms who is a narrator, actor and author. He certainly is a man of many talents and kept our students thoroughly entertained with his funny anecdotes and animated storytelling. We are extremely appreciative of this opportunity which was provided to us by the North Western Library. We would like to thank Pam Kelly and Carmen Anderson for their organisation and support once again of Warren Central School.



Overdue Books

We currently have many overdue books from the library. Unfortunately, if books are lost or damaged, parents or caregivers need to reimburse the library for the replacement value. Could parents have a search around and return any books you may have hidden away.

Mrs Whittaker
Teacher Librarian



Primary News

Welcome back!

How wonderful it is to welcome Mrs Laws back to our primary teaching staff. Mrs Laws will be teaching Year 6 each Monday and will spend week 10 with Year 1.

2023 kindergarten enrolments

We are now taking enrolments for kindergarten 2023. If you know of anyone that has a child ready to start school next year, please ask them to come to the school to collect an enrolment package. We will be holding our intensive transition program later in the year, commencing in term 3. Dates will be advertised closer to the event.

Fundraising

Throughout term 2 we have been fundraising for the stage 3 excursion to Sydney and the end of year farewell function for Year 6.

So far, we have raised: pie drive \$838.00 and from the cupcake days \$380

Thank you to everyone that supported these fundraisers by donating, selling or indeed buying. The raffle is to be drawn Friday 24 June – good luck to those that have tickets.

Cross Country

Congratulations to Clare, Paddy, Harvey, Addison, Kyreeka, Ryan and Artie who competed at the Western SSA primary cross country event at Geurie on 15 June. Harlem gained selection but was unable to attend. Everyone ran their best and a great day was had by all.

School athletics carnival

On 3 June students aged eight and above headed to the oval for our annual athletics carnival. Due to the weather, it was very cold and wet, we were unable to finish all the events. This week students will be given the opportunity to compete in the final events. Champions and students that have gained selection to the Gobondery/NARRAF athletics carnival will be bringing home a note next week.

Show

How tremendous to see the exhibition from our wonderful students at this year's show. Paintings, drawings and stories plus a number of entries from our secondary students – cakes and metal work. The echidna was fabulous with all areas of the school contributing to this display. Thank you to Miss Maxwell, Mrs Fisk and Mrs Maclean and

everyone else that helped to get this display together and hung up at the pavilion. We are so lucky to have such a dedicated and artistic staff.

Naidoc Week

Naidoc week is celebrated in Australia from 3 July to 10 July 2022 and this year's theme is Get Up! Stand Up! Show Up! – the theme encourages all of us to champion and drive institutional, structural & collaborative change while also acknowledging and celebrating those who have driven positive change for ATSI people and communities. More information can be found on the naidoc.org.au website. Students in K-6 will be completing class based activities to acknowledge Naidoc week throughout Term 3.

Vegetable gardens

Congratulations Mr Marshall and his year 5 gardeners. On Friday 17 June the students were able to serve a womboc salad using the vegetables grown throughout this term. It was delicious and we look forward to our next culinary delight.

Excursion kindergarten and year 1

On Tuesday 21 June all student in kindergarten and year 1 walked to the library for a tour, fun activities and stories. .

Excursion year 3

Year 3 students will be heading off to the library for a history excursion on Tuesday 28 June. A permission note has been sent home with all year 3 students.

Ridley/Trudgett netball gala day

Students in years 3 to 6 have nominated to play at the gala day, permission notes have been sent home and need to be returned asap.

Moorambilla

Congratulations to Rahni, Landon, Hugh, Harvey, Charli, Eleanor, Alice, Drew, Ben B, Max, Mac, Will L, Ben O, and James for being selected to take part in the Moorambilla music and performance workshop and concert for 2022. A note has been sent to relevant families asking for a contact email address so that Moorambilla can get in touch with you.



PBL



Respectful
Responsible
Learners

The Student of the Week program was established with the purpose of celebrating individual academic achievement as well as recognising students who model the PBL core values Respectful Responsible Learners. Congratulations to these students.

Week 5



Week 6



Assistant Principal Awards

Week 7



Our Place Program

Yaama (hello) everyone,

Aunty Beth's Knowledge Sharing

Year 6 and Secondary students have been privileged to have Aunty Beth share during three Our Place sessions this term. Aunty Beth's father was a proud Wayilwan man and grew up at the Beemunel.

Aunty Beth shared knowledge about many elements of Wayilwan heritage, including:

- native birds, which assisted the Wayilwan ancestors to employ sustainable river and land management practices,
- the importance of reason and purpose to inform our decision making when we think, talk and act for sustainability, spirituality and respect,
- the name behind johnny cakes and how this reflects Australia's history,
- how to make johnny cakes and why they were made this way in the past and
- how to create Wayilwan Country inspired earrings, inclusive of emu feathers and quandong seeds. This type of jewellery sells on the commercial market for up to \$40!

Leadership Development

The Aboriginal Learning and Engagement Centre (AL&EC) was pleased to facilitate its first Aboriginal students' leadership camp for students in Years 9 and 10. The first day was a visit to the Warrumbungles National Park Environmental Education Centre (WNPEEC). The Warrumbungles were an important boundary and trading place for the Wayilwan, Gamilaraay and Wiradjuri Nations. The second day was spent in the Pilliga Scrub, discovering the significance of the sandstone caves and sculptures in the scrub. A night time pottery workshop at Pilliga Pottery was a wonderful wellbeing activity for the students. Students through experiential activities learned how important connections to Country are. Most importantly the students learned how to develop their critical thinking skills, how to question and analyse.

Congratulations to Zoey Daley, Shamika Kentwell, Gracie Leonard, Jerome Amatto-Shepherd, Charlie Gale and Kayden Griffiths for participating so positively in the camp!



Cultural Exchange and Music for Empowerment

Years 1 through 6 were privileged to have Graham Burns and Behiye Suren-Burns, musicians and language arts specialists from Sydney, deliver cultural exchange activities.

The students learned how our identity can be strengthened through sharing stories about family through music and language. The students taught Graham and Be the Wayilwan words for "hello" and "how are you?", while Graham and Be were given permission by the Dharug community in Sydney to share the Dharug words in song. Graham and Be then workshopped with Secondary Rock Band students Zoey Daley, Jerome Amatto-Shepherd and Sophie Robinson to develop their music practice skills, empowering them for future performances. The students performed to a small audience I Will Survive like the professionals! Well done Zoey, Jerome and Sophie!

Thank you to Graham and Be for their time and generosity to deliver these workshops without charge.

A BIG gamba ngindu (thank you) to the NSW Department of Education's Aboriginal Outcomes and Partnerships Directorate (AOPD) and NSW Department of Communities and Justice for providing the funding for our programs. Gamba-du (thanks) also to the Aboriginal Learning and Engagement Centre (AL&EC) and Warraan Wdiji Arts for appropriating the funding to deliver programs for student empowerment at Warren Central School! Mrs Irving



Year 2 loved their visit to the Life Education van. They learnt about the importance of being a good friend and about different ways to keep ourselves safe. Mrs Bruce



Year 1, Year 2, Kindergarten and Year 4 enjoying Life Education Van.



Year 2



NSWPSSA - Rugby League - 12yrs & Under - Championship

Mac Jackson is representing Western NSW for the 12 Years and Under championships Rugby League held at Chittick Oval at Kiama. WCS wishes him all the best.



Year 5

Last week Year 5 harvested their womboks. Then we went off to the Secondary kitchen to prepare salads.

We eagerly served them up to the rest of the primary students at lunch.

It's certainly a good way to enjoy healthy food.

Mr Marshall



Year 1

Year 1 have celebrated many birthdays with cakes & birthday buckets. We celebrated wearing glasses to school.

We have learnt so much like bingo to 100, visit Healthy Harold, Our Place, written persuasive letters to Mr Lovelock, practicing for our Athletics carnival, wore beanies to school & in Geography we have been learning about Natural & Man made structures. A busy & fun time in year 1.

Mrs Woodhill



SRC State of Origin/ Beanies for Brain Cancer fundraiser

In Week 7 on Wednesday, 8 June SRC organised a number of interactive activities for the Mark Hughes Foundation "Beanies For Brain Cancer". Our school raised a total of \$161.20 via the mufti day that was held, with a state of origin coloured theme NSW Blues or QLD Maroons, and a beanie to bring awareness to brain cancer. Year 11 SRC members Zoe and Kaitlyn created and hosted a Kahoot for secondary with questions based on facts about brain cancer and state of origin trivia. Well done to Year 10 for winning!

Overall the day was a big success and thank you to Mrs Lovelock for helping organise the day, as well as Mrs Whittaker for setting up the projector and microphones. A big thank you to everyone who took part and donated.

SRC members Kaitlyn Cosgrove and Zoe Bailey



TRANGIE JUNIOR JUDGING

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No previous knowledge or experience necessary

Cash prizes to be won donated by NSW Farmers

Entry Fee: \$25 for the day (includes BBQ lunch)

Drinks and snacks will be available for purchase

\$20 ENTRY FEE FOR PREREGISTRATION & PAYMENT BY Friday 1st JULY
Enquiries / Entry Forms: Kath Donoghue 0857623595 email: trangiejuniordjudging@nswfarmers.com.au

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TEST ON JULY 16

SCAN NOW and
help raise money
for our club

Ticket price:
1 for \$10 / 7 for \$50

University of Sydney Experience

Congratulations to Taylah Reid, Kallie-Lea Daley and Braith Boyd of Year 12 who have been successful in their application to the Tahgara Winter Program at the University of Sydney. The program is for Indigenous students who are considering tertiary education and is designed to build educational capacity and guide them through university pathways.

Students will spend one week in the July school holidays participating in exam preparation workshops, attending campus tours, accessing world class facilities, receiving personalised support and connecting with other Year 12 students.

All costs- transport, accommodation, meals and programs are being covered by the university. We hope they enjoy this opportunity to experience university life.



Mrs Lovelock
Careers Adviser



Kallie-Lea and Taylah Reid at the HSC Seminar

Apprenticeship Success

Well done to Richard Glover of Year 10 who has secured an apprenticeship at Warren Meat House. Richard recently undertook a very successful two week work placement with them. He made such a great impression that they decided to offer him an apprenticeship with an immediate start. We wish Richard much happiness and success on his apprenticeship journey and thank the team at Warren Meat House for supporting Warren Central School students.



Mrs Lovelock
Careers Adviser

HSC Seminar

On 9 and 10 June two students, Kallie and Taylah travelled to Dubbo for the HSC Enrichment Seminars. The students attended lectures of a variety of topics including English, Maths and CAF (Community and Family Studies). These lectures mainly focused on exam preparation, a key topic covered in every session was figuring out what the question was asking, and what markers were looking for. Here what the attendees thought of the seminars:

Mr Armstrong - the Legal Studies session which showed how to break apart a question as well as strategies to use such as which phrase and words are red herrings, designed to trick people who do not fully read and understand the question.

Taylah - The HSC seminars made me feel more confident with the exams and how they work. I particularly enjoyed the CAFS seminar as her lectures wasn't boring and she was very encouraging.

Kallie - I really enjoyed the maths and biology sessions as they were very helpful.

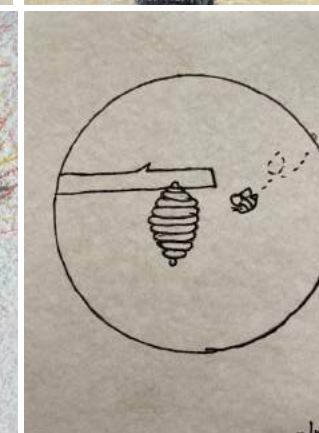
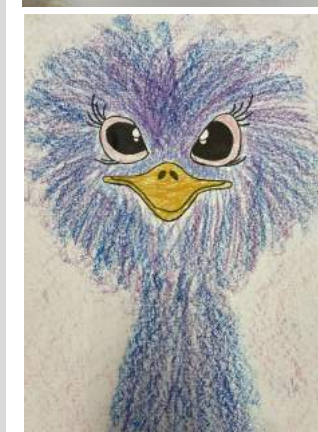
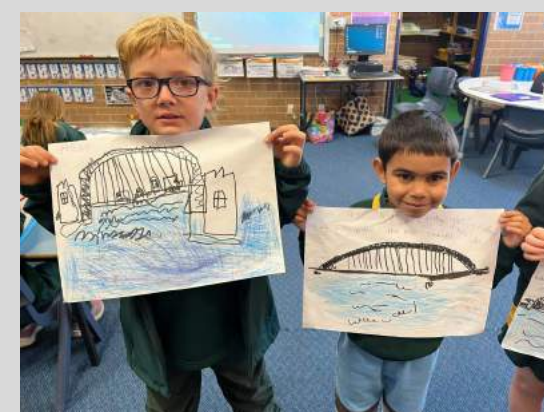
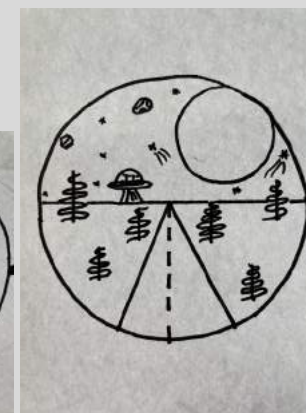
A special thanks to both Mrs Harries and Mr Armstrong who drove students to the event.

Year 6

Year 6 have been focusing on learning about fractions, decimals and percentages in Mathematics. In class we have completed a hexagonal shaped puzzle which students solved by converting and matching the fractions to decimals or percentages. It was a very tricky task and students worked individually and together to ensure they had all the answers correct.

Year 6 have been working on a range of artworks, focusing on different elements of drawing. Students created some quirky emus, focused on making simple line landscape drawings and have been working towards creating continuous line drawings.

Miss
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Year 1

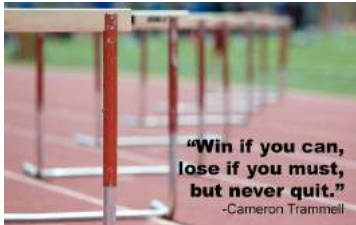
If you see someone
without a smile, give
them one of yours.



Dolly Parton

K-2 Mini Athletics Carnival

Kindergarten to Year 2 had a mini athletics carnival on Friday 17 June. A great time was had by all, including staff and family members that joined the children for lunch and the assembly.



Lexi and Genni Squire created the sweetest 'Peter Rabbit' cake. This cake would be perfect for a first birthday celebration. The sisters worked endlessly in making the little cute vegetables out of edible icing. The cake was complete with a white picket fence, carrots, cabbages, and eggplants. This cake captured the hearts of many and proudly wore the badge of first place.

Ryan Stanley and Mason Wilson created a 'Camping cake'. This cake required a lot of brain strain from the boys as they wanted the whole cake to be completely edible. Their cake had a stream with a fish, camp log and stones, a campfire with orange toffee flames, marshmallows, a sleeping tent and awesome trees. A brilliant effort and deserving of its podium placing.

Justine Conrads and Laura Rookledge created a chocolate lovers dream cake. The girls had the first challenge of icing a square cake and keeping straight edges, which is not an easy task. They then cleverly made a white chocolate bowl using a balloon and melted chocolate. After two messy failed attempts, the bowl finally worked and looked perfect. They finished the cake with oreos of all sizes and edible glitter. Such a treat for the eyes.

Tess Murphy and Maddie Marks created a gorgeous 'Pink Flamingo cake'. The girls aced the smoothing of the buttercream, ensuring no crumbs could be seen. After the cake was set cold, they prepared a chocolate drip and chose a bright pink colour to bring the cake to another level. They finished their masterwork with flowers, sprinkles and of course a pink flamingo. A cake to be truly treasured.





Show Cakes

Students from Food Technology and Hospitality designed and created some amazing cakes for the Warren Show. This process took three weeks of planning and preparation. All students need to be congratulated on their magnificent efforts.

Duncan Harrison created a 'Sword in the Stone' cake. This involved baking cakes in two different shaped cake tins. He built his stone shape, iced it in a crumb coat and then covered it in fondant which he coloured himself. Duncan finished his cake by creating edible mini stones, piping buttercream grass and positioning his sword.

Charlie Robinson created a celebration cake. She worked tirelessly on this cake, creating chocolate dipped strawberries and raspberries. Her natural flair for cake decorating was on show as she created her floral masterpiece. Charlies podium placing was very well earned and deserved.



Heidi Cosgrove and Bella Gough created the ever so popular 'M&M's' cake. They studied techniques on how to make the cake 'gravity-defying', and the cake was truly fascinating. Together the girls upskilled by using both buttercream and fondant while creating this delicious delight.

Charlottle Hopkin created a whimsical fairy garden cake. This cake is the dream of every little girl. Her cake required her to use two different sized cake tins for the two-tier design. It was such a pretty cake, too magical to eat.

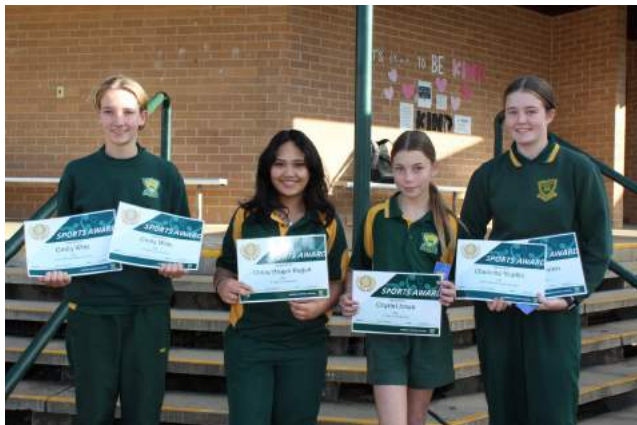


Athletics Carnival

On Friday 3 June, Warren Central School held our Athletics Carnival for 2022. Besides the weather not being on our side with cold and wet conditions, the students from both primary and secondary had a great day and showed talent in a range of events and age groups. Not all events were able to be finished on the day, due to the weather. The Primary students are still finishing off their events during school this week.



Athletics Carnival Secondary Champions



The age champions for Secondary are:

Age	Girls	Boys
12	Crystal Jones	-
13	Emily Wise	Julian Lovelock
14	Chloe Deguit	Harry Taylor
15	Charlotte Hopkin	Wade Dwyer
16	Brodie Boyd	Malaki Nelson
17	Beverly Gordon	Fletcher Hunt
Junior Secondary	Emily Wise	Harry Taylor
Senior Secondary	Charlotte Hopkin	Malaki Nelson

Western Cross Country

On Wednesday 15th June, 9 students from both primary and secondary travelled to Geurie Racecourse to take part in the Western Cross Country Trials. All Warren Central students tried their best on the day against some fast and well-trained competitors. Well done to Julian Lovelock, Emily Wise, Miriam Harrison, Clare Bruce, Paddy Bruce, Hamish O'Hara, Harvey Leonard, Ryan Bell and Kyreeka Griffiths.

Mrs Casey



On your good days,
RUN HARD.
On your bad days,
RUN AS LONG
as you need.

Secondary News

What's New

During this Semester Warren Central School purchased over \$8,000 worth of new equipment for the Science department including seven compound microscopes. The purchase allows older analogue apparatus to be replaced with digital equivalents. Each bay within the Science laboratory is now fully equipped so that experiments can be conducted in all areas of this core subject. The modern equipment means that Warren Central School is well resourced for the teaching of all topics in Science. Thanks must be given to Mr Lovelock for allocating part of the school budget to this upgrade.

Mrs Harries
Science



Unfortunately, Mrs Harries is leaving Warren Central School at the end of the term. She has been offered a full time position at Mudgee High. We will miss her enthusiasm and professionalism in Science and the Secondary Department. Over the last semester Ms Harries has organised many Exology based excursions including Year 8 to Western Plains Zoo and all of Stage 4 and 5 to Window on the Wetlands. The students have enjoyed the numerous practical lessons to reinforce the theory concepts being taught. We will miss you but hope you have a rewarding experience time at Mudgee High.

Mrs Hamilton
SMAP Head Teacher

