

2023 Warren Churches Carols by Candlelight

Warren Churches will be hosting the 2023 Carols by Candlelight on Saturday 16th December in Macquarie Park. There will be food, carols and lots of Christmas fun.

Please indicate if your child is interested in participating and is available for rehearsals to perform at the **2023 Warren Churches Carols by Candlelight** by signing the permission note below and returning it to your school by Friday 8th December.

REHEARSAL

Tuesday 12 December 2023

Anglican Church Hall

5.00pm Free Sausage Sizzle

6.00pm Full Rehearsal

8.00pm End of Rehearsal

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT

Saturday 16 December 2023

Macquarie Park, Warren

6.30pm Free Sausage Sizzle

7.30pm Carols Singing

8.30pm End of Program

Please contact Michael Campbell on 0420 958 686 if you have any questions.

We look forward to your child's participation!

Yours sincerely

Michael Campbell

Pastor of Warren Presbyterian Church

on behalf of **2023 Warren Churches Carols by Candlelight**

My child/children, _____, is/are willing and available to participate in the **2023 Warren Churches Carols by Candlelight** on Saturday 16th December in Macquarie Park arriving by 7pm and remaining until the conclusion of the Carols. I understand there are rehearsals taking place at my child's school and a rehearsal for all participants at 5pm on Tuesday 12th December at the Anglican Church Hall, Lawson Street.

Parents/Carers Name: _____

Signed: _____

Phone: _____ Date: _____

Email: _____

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Year 12 Graduation

Year 11 and Mrs Robson hosted a wonderful Year 12 Farewell Dinner. The night was very special, with a beautifully decorated room and all facets of the night were well organised and ran smoothly. The year 12 young ladies and gentlemen were amazingly attired and very photogenetic. Year 12 would like to thank Mrs Robson, Year 11, Mrs Fisk and Ms Mayger for their work, also Mrs Darcy, Miss Duncan, Ms Burton for all their help, Mrs Robertson and Mrs Mayger for a wonderful and tasty cake and Mrs Midgley for designing the banner and the video. Thank you Belinda Bell for taking the photos.

Once again it was a great night.

Mrs Hamilton|Year Advisor



EVENTS

TERM 4



20 NOVEMBER

**WORK EXPERIENCE YEAR 10
WEEK 7 AND WEEK 8**

20 NOVEMBER

**STORYTIME - LIBRARY VISIT
KINDERGARTEN**

21 NOVEMBER

**YEAR 5 BUDDY
PROGRAM**

21 NOVEMBER

**UNEARTHED
EMERALDS/DREAMING
DRIFTERS ROCK BAND**

22 NOVEMBER

**READING FOR LIFE PROGRAM
CONTEMPORARY DANCE FOR
ABORIGINAL GIRL DANCERS
WAYILWAN CHOIR**

22 NOVEMBER

**TRANSITION FROM YEAR 6 TO
YEAR 7 DAY**

22 NOVEMBER

VISION CLINIC

23 NOVEMBER

**MARATHON HEALTH READING
PROGRAM K & YR 1**

23 NOVEMBER

**TRANSITION FROM YEAR 6 TO
YEAR 7 DAY**

23 NOVEMBER

**OUR PLACE:
WAYILWAN DANCE**

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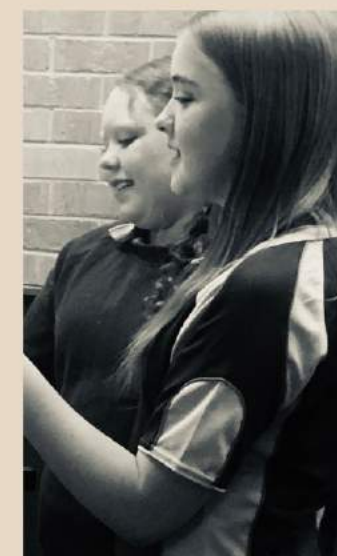
**SCHOOL SWIMMING SCHEME -
PRIMARY WEEK 8 & 9**



Every school day counts

**ATTENDANCE
MATTERS
ALL DAY, EVERY DAY**

Rock band practice and recording.



Our Place AL&EC News

Reading for Life Program



Congratulations to Zoey Daley, Shamika Kentwell, Charlie Gale and Jerome Shepherd on their successful applications to participate in the University of Sydney's Gadalung Program in January 2024. The program will allow the students to experience university life, meet current university staff and students and explore the world class facilities on offer at the University of Sydney.



Principal Message

Year 12 Formal

On Monday 13 November, WCS once again celebrated the achievements of our 2023 Year 12 class. I would like to thank Mrs Hamilton, Mrs Robson, Mrs Mayger, Mrs Fisk and the entire administration team for making this a fabulous night for all. As this is the last 'official' outing for our 2023 class, on behalf of the school, I would like to wish them all the best in their future endeavours and the lifelong journey they are about to undertake.

2024 Planning

The school executive is already busy preparing for the 2024 year. Many hours are spent by teachers and staff in the development of resources and programs that directly benefit your children. Next year is looking very bright with several initiatives set to be announced over the next six to twelve months.

Sentral Parent App

Gradually, we are reducing our reliance on paper and moving to an electronic format in terms of the types of communication we require from parents. One such app is the Sentral App. I would highly encourage you to download this app and if you require assistance, please contact the front office.

Vaping

This has become an ever-increasing problem for all schools in Australia. The Federal Health Minister Mark Butler is set to introduce the toughest laws on vaping the world has seen so far. From January 2024, the importation of e-cigarettes (except pharmaceutical products used to quit smoking) will be banned in Australia. Currently, more than 3.5 million Australians aged 14 or older smoke or vape according to research carried out in June by Cancer Victoria. Whilst we are educating students on the dangers of vaping, I would encourage you to have a conversation with your children concerning the dangers around doing this. We have a zero-tolerance policy towards vaping at school. Vaping and smoking also places other students at risk when they are exposed to these chemicals through no fault of their own.

Leave

For the last couple of weeks, I have been on long service leave, and I would like to thank Ms Taylor for relieving as Principal during this time. I would also like to thank Mrs Robertson for relieving as Deputy Principal. I am very fortunate to have two outstanding professionals who are deeply committed to students at WCS and who do a wonderful job as part of a wider executive body.

Mr Lovelock
Principal

Principal	Mr Lovelock
Deputy Principal	Ms Taylor
Well Being Teacher	Mrs Brooker
Head Teachers	Mrs Hamilton
	Mrs Robertson
Assistant Principal	Miss Blewer (Relieving)
	Mrs Malone
	Mrs McCormack
Assistant Principal - Curriculum & Instruction	Mrs Kater
	Mrs McPhee

PRIMARY NEWS

KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION SESSIONS

Our kindergarten orientation sessions this term have been very successful. Our students and staff have had the opportunity to meet our new 2024 kindergarten students and the children have been able to become familiar with the school and the people they will see each day. If you know someone who has a child ready to start school in 2024, please get them to contact the school office to arrange an enrolment package.

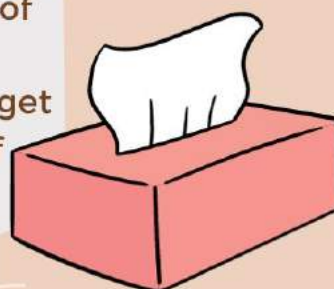
POSSUM MAGIC

Kindergarten to Year 2 headed off to Dubbo for Possum Magic. This was an awesome experience for our young students and they had the best time.



TISSUES

It would be appreciated if each child could please bring in a box of tissues for their classroom to help us get through to the end of the year.



WARREN CHRISTMAS STREET PARTY

AN EVENT FOR ALL FAMILY TO ENJOY

FACE PAINTING, STALLS, LIVE MUSIC, REFRESHMENTS, SANTA VISIT, FIREWORKS AND MORE!

FRIDAY 8TH DECEMBER, 2023
IN THE MAIN STREET
6PM - 10PM



PRESENTED BY WARREN SHIRE COUNCIL AND
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WARREN
shire council

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Warren Chamber of Commerce
Warren Services Club
Lions Club of Warren
Warren IGA
Macquarie Cotton Growers Association
Australian Food and Fibre



Vaping & e-cigarettes: What do you want to know?

Provide your opinions and feedback to the Western NSW Health Promotion Team on information, resources and support that you would like to see available, where you'd like to access these and provide any feedback!

engage.wnswlhd.health.nsw.gov.au/vaping-support



DO YOU KNOW
WHAT YOU'RE VAPING?



Star Student PBL

Congratulations to all of these students for being Respectful, Responsible Learners.

Week 3



Week 4



Week 5



Assistant Principal

DISCO



What a great evening this was. The children had a great time jiving to hits from the 70s and 80s, eating hotdogs and just enjoying each other's company. There were some amazing outfits, and we thank everyone, especially the staff, who made this evening possible.



KINDERGARTEN

Classroom

KINDERGARTEN

As usual, Kinder has been very busy! We had the most wonderful week with Miss Millie Storer. She came all the way from Ballarat for work experience and was a fabulous addition to our classroom. We enjoyed reading, writing and lots of other activities with Miss Millie. She also came with us to preschool for our feather reward where we played with our preschool friends. How lucky are we!



Thank you Mrs Noonan for having us while Miss Squires was busy with Kinder orientation.



Your children get only one childhood, and it will affect how they view the world, how they love, how they trust and how they feel about themselves. Every time you interact with them, you have the power to cherish or crush their spirit.

Audrey Loves Paris

SAVE

**K-6
PRESENTATION**
5 DECEMBER
AT 10AM

THE



DATE

**K-12
PRESENTATION**
7 DECEMBER
AT 6PM

Phones must be "off and away".



Education

Mobile Phone Off & Away

It's as simple as 1, 2 and 3!

1

Each morning you will be required to switch your mobile phone off when entering the school.



2

The mobile phone then needs to stay off and out of sight throughout the day.



3

After leaving the school, you are able to switch on your mobile phone again.



Food Technology



"No one is born a great cook, one learns by doing."

~ Julia Child

Year 7 students learnt how to make their very own chicken salad wraps and presented them on boards.
Mrs Robertson



Transition Year 6 to Year 7

- Wednesday 22 November and Thursday 23 November
- Parents/Guardians invited to a 'meet and greet' on Wednesday 22 November at 1.20pm.
- Remember to return swimming permission note to the front office.

See you 8.30am in the quadrangle in the front of the school hall.



KINDERGARTEN TRANSITION

Over the past 3 weeks, Warren Central School has been running orientation sessions for the 2024 Kindergarten class. Our incoming Kinders spent their days playing together, listening to stories, creating impressive artworks and learning all about 'big school'. Our Year 5 buddies were wonderful leaders and ensured all our orientation students were looked after and having lots of fun. We can't wait to officially welcome this cohort next year. Bring on 2024!



FRUIT AND VEGETABLES



THANK YOU

Please continue to send fruit and/or vegetables into the school as part of crunch and sip for your child’s recess and lunch. We are very appreciative and thank the Warren Services Club for their kind donation of fruit each week, however, this is to supplement fruit that is sent in from home, not replace it. So, please remind your children to pack their fruit each day for a healthy snack.

HEAD LICE



Please keep checking your child’s hair each week and treating as necessary. If you are unable to purchase the treatments, the other option is to use hair conditioner, which will stun the headlice, and then combing through the hair with the headlice comb. Although this will not kill the headlice it will help to minimise them. The only way to get on top of this annoying pest is to be vigilant and be regularly checking your children’s hair.



YEAR 6

Year 6 have been learning about Remembrance Day in honour of the brave men and women who have served our country. Students made poppies in class and displayed them in their classroom windows.

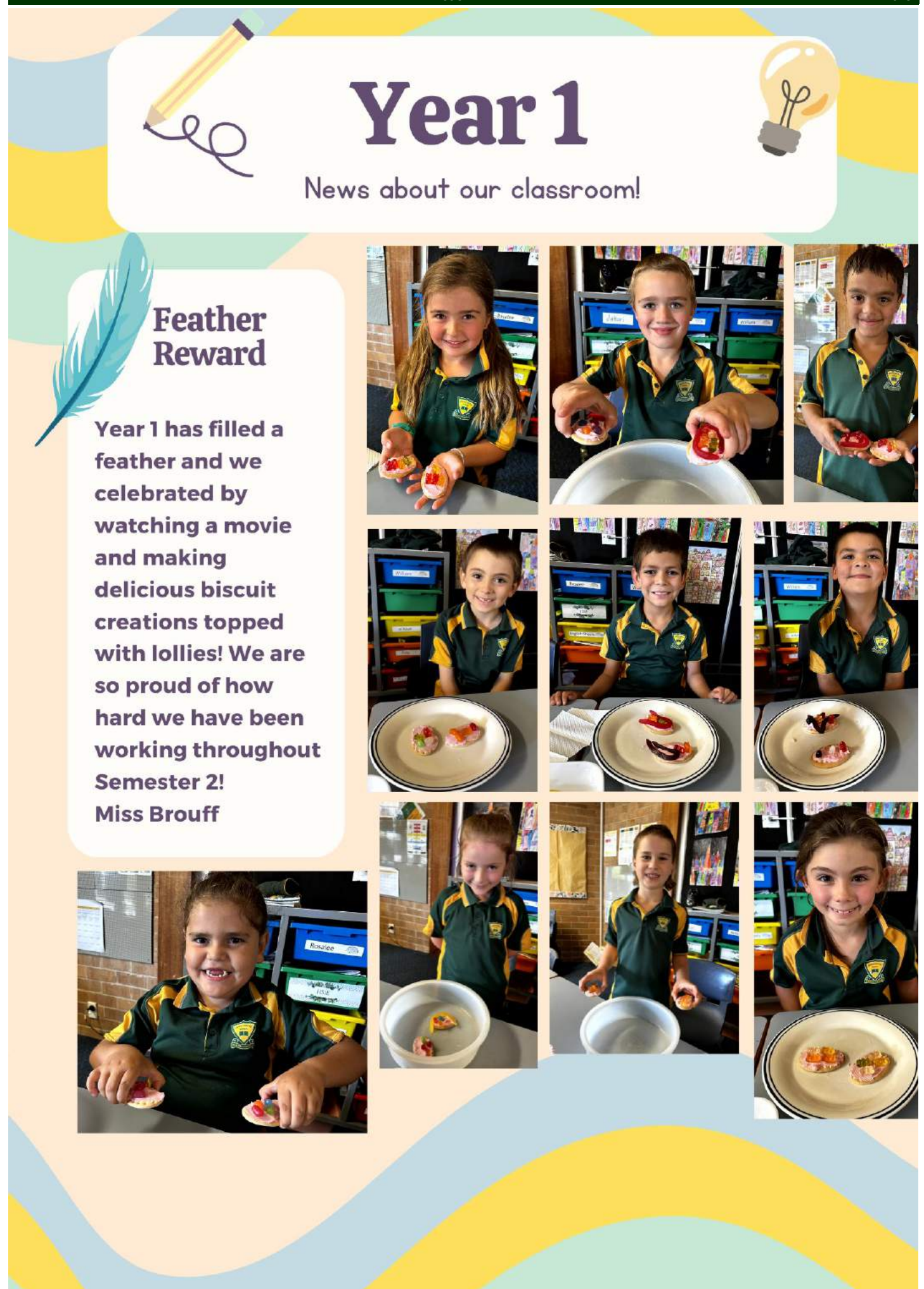




REMEMBRANCE DAY

Our school leaders wonderfully represented our school on Saturday at the Remembrance Day Ceremony.

Thank you to Zoey, Shamika and Tash for being so respectful and participating in this important event.

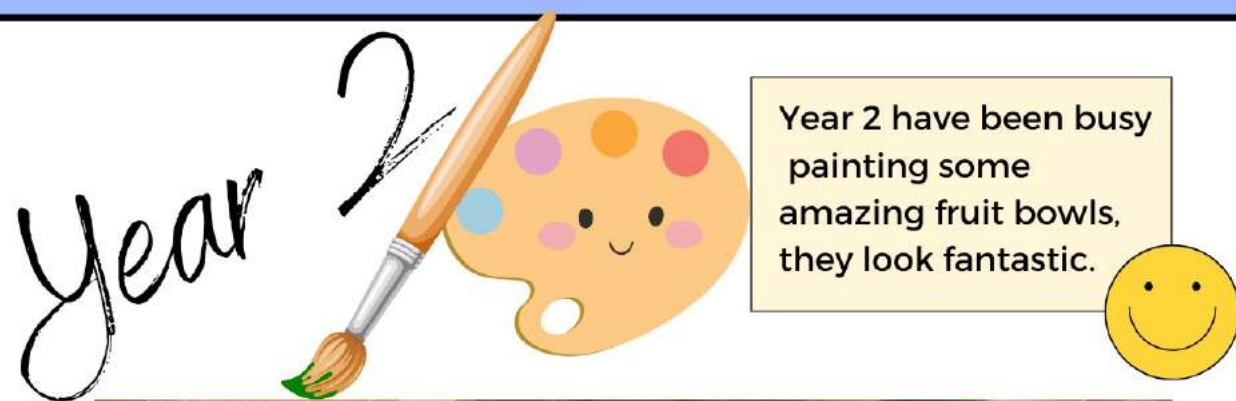


Year 1

News about our classroom!

Feather Reward

Year 1 has filled a feather and we celebrated by watching a movie and making delicious biscuit creations topped with lollies! We are so proud of how hard we have been working throughout Semester 2! Miss Brouff



Secondary News

NSWRL Road Safety seminar

NSW NRL are traveling rural areas and presenting a Road Safety seminar. Students in Years 9-12 were joined by former NRL, NSW and Australia stars Andrew Ryan and Brett Kimmorley. As well as the current NSW women's coach Kylie Hilder.

The NRL players delivered important information about the Knock On Effect Road Safety, with drink driving, speed, mobile phones and accidents on the road. Thanks for visiting WCS.

