

2024 Athletics carnival results							
13 yrs 100m girls		13 yrs 100m boys		12-14 girls long jump		12-14 boys long jump	
1st	Kyreeka Griffiths	1st	Danny Walker	1st	Lucy Clark	1st	Chlive Deguit
2nd	Emmy Scotson	2nd	Ty Wilson	2nd	Crystal Jones	2nd	Bjorn Maligaya
14 yrs 100m girls		14 yrs 100m boys		15-18 girls long jump		15-18 boys long jump	
1st	Eleanor Lovelock	1st	Mark Cruz	1st	Ashanti Nelson	1st	Charlie Gale
2nd	Crystal Jones	2nd	Chlive Deguit	2nd	Maddie Marks	2nd	Harry Taylor
15 yrs 100m girls		15 yrs 100m boys					
1st	Indiana Gale	1st	Jack Howlett				
2nd	Isla-Rose Shakespeare	2nd	Angus Appleyard				
16 yrs 100m girls		16 yrs 100m boys		12-14 girls high jump		12-14 boys high jump	
1st	Ashanti Nelson	1st	Jack Andrews	1st	Ruby-Glen Darcy	1st	Darby Brien
2nd		2nd	Harry Taylor	2nd	Natasha Wilde	2nd	Mark Cruz
17 yrs 100m girls		17 yrs 100m boys		15-18 girls high jump		15-18 boys high jump	
1st	Maddie Marks	1st	Charlie Gale	1st	Ashanti Nelson	1st	Charlie Gale
2nd		2nd		2nd	Indiana Gale	2nd	Harry Taylor
18 yrs 100m girls		18 yrs 100m boys					
1st	Gracie Leonard	1st	Connor Pardy				
2nd	Justine Conrads	2nd					
12-14 girls 200m		12-14 boys 200m		12-14 girls shotput		12-14 boys shotput	
1st	Eleanor Lovelock	1st	Chlive Deguit	1st	Hollie Higgins	1st	Darby Brien
2nd	Crystal Jones	2nd	Mark Cruz	2nd	Ruby-Glen Darcy	2nd	Xavier Williams
15-18 girls 200m		15-18 boys 200m		15-18 girls shotput		15-18 boys shotput	
1st	Isla-Rose Shakespeare	1st	Charlie Gale	1st	Maddie Marks	1st	Ryan George
2nd	Bindi Kilgour	2nd	Brian Kipkoech	2nd	Ashanti Nelson	2nd	Joey Walker
12-14 girls 400m		12-14 boys 400m					
1st	Eleanor Lovelock	1st	Chlive Deguit				
2nd	Hollie Higgins	2nd	Mark Cruz				
15-18 girls 400m		15-18 boys 400m		12-14 girls discus		12-14 boys discus	
1st	Maddie Marks	1st	Jack Andrews	1st	Emmy Scotson	1st	Darby Brien
2nd	Bindi Kilgour	2nd	Joey Walker	2nd	Hollie Higgins	2nd	Xavier Williams
12-18 girls 800m		12-18 boys 800m		15-18 girls discus		15-18 boys discus	
1st	Emmy Scotson	1st	Joey Walker	1st	Indiana Gale	1st	Charlie Gale
2nd		2nd	Mark Cruz	2nd	Bindi Kilgour	2nd	Joey Walker

Jumbunna



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Warren Central Celebrates Joey Walker's Success at NSWCHSSA Golf Championships



We are thrilled to announce that our very own Joey Walker was one of only four students selected to represent the Western region in Sydney at the NSWCHSSA Golf Championships & NSW All Schools Selection Trials. The event took place at Moore Park Golf Course and The Coast Golf Course, where Joey showcased his exceptional talent and improvement over three days of intense competition.

On the third day, Joey achieved an impressive score of 74, reflecting his dedication and skill. His outstanding performance was instrumental in the Western team's success, as they emerged as the champion CHS team and secured second place overall out of all schools teams in New South Wales.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to Joey for his remarkable achievements and for representing Warren Central School with such excellence.



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WHAT'S ON at WCS

- 2 July Primary Parent and Teacher interviews
- 4 July Education and Training Out West
Aquaponics with RFDS
- 5 July Ridley/Trudgett Inter-schools Netball Gala day

END OF TERM 2

5 July 2024



Feeling unwell?
Please stay at home

If you're not feeling well,
please remain at home.
Thank you for helping to keep all of our staff and students safe.



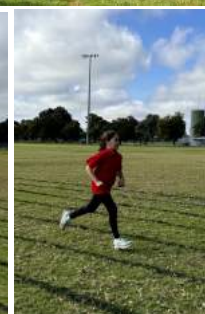
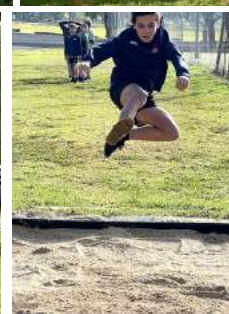
First Day of Term 3
Tuesday 23 July

SORRY WE'RE CLOSED

Breakfast Club
will be closed on Friday 5 July

2024 Athletics carnival results

8 yrs 100m girls		8 yrs 100m boys		Junior girls long jump		Junior boys long jump	
1st	Bridie Johnson	1st	Angus Langby	1st	Hayley O'Hara	1st	Lukas Jenkins
2nd	Matilda Callaghan	2nd	Jarred Mayne	2nd	Chloe Jenkins	2nd	Jaxson Cobcroft
9 yrs 100m girls		9 yrs 100m boys		11 yrs girls long jump		11 yrs boys long jump	
1st	Kiara-Ann Forbes	1st	Hugh Andrews	1st	Rahni Johnson	1st	Jack Higgins
2nd	Chloe Jenkins	2nd	Jock McCormack	2nd	Olivia Bell	2nd	Hugh McCormack
10 yrs 100m girls		10 yrs 100m boys		Senior girls long jump		Senior boys long jump	
1st	Hayley O'Hara	1st	Lukas Jenkins	1st	Harper Leach	1st	Hamish O'Hara
2nd	Lani Pagett	2nd	Dusty Langby	2nd	Sophia Woodward	2nd	Hayne O'Hara
11 yrs 100m girls		11 yrs 100m boys		Junior girls high jump		Junior boys high jump	
1st	Olivia Bell	1st	Hugh McCormack	1st	Lani Pagett	1st	Hunter Carberry
2nd	Rahni Johnson	2nd	Jack Higgins	2nd	Kiara-Ann Forbes	2nd	Jaxson Cobcroft
12 yrs 100m girls		12 yrs 100m boys		11 yrs girls high jump		11 yrs boys high jump	
1st	Harper Leach	1st	Hayne O'Hara	1st	Olivia Bell	1st	Hugh McCormack
2nd	Raya Brandenburg	2nd	Hamish O'Hara	2nd	Rahni Johnson	2nd	Layland Lewis
Junior girls 200m		Junior boys 200m		Senior girls high jump		Senior boys high jump	
1st	Hayley O'Hara	1st	Lukas Jenkins	1st	Harper Leach	1st	Hamish O'Hara
2nd	Chloe Jenkins	2nd	Dusty Langby	2nd	Alice Lovelock	2nd	Paddy Bruce
11 yrs girls 200m		11 yrs boys 200m		Junior girls shotput		Junior boys shotput	
1st	Olivia Bell	1st	Hugh McCormack	1st	Bridie Johnson	1st	Dusty Langby
2nd	Rahni Johnson	2nd	Jack Higgins	2nd	Lani Pagett	2nd	Hunter Carberry
Senior girls 200m		Senior boys 200m		11 yrs girls shotput		11 yrs boys shotput	
1st	Alice Lovelock	1st	Hamish O'Hara	1st	Olivia Bell	1st	Harlem Ward
2nd	Harper Leach	2nd	Hayne O'Hara	2nd	Zahlia Shakespeare	2nd	Hugh McCormack
Junior girls 800m		Junior boys 800m		Senior girls shotput		Senior boys shotput	
1st	Hayley O'Hara	1st	Dusty Langby	1st	Alice Lovelock	1st	Hayne O'Hara
2nd	Hannah O'Hara	2nd	George Denston	2nd	Raya Brandenburg	2nd	Darnell Nelson
11 yrs girls 800m		11 yrs boys 800m		Junior girls discus		Junior boys discus	
1st	Olivia Bell	1st	Harvey Leonard	1st	Lani Pagett	1st	Dusty Langby
2nd	Rahni Johnson	2nd	Harlem Ward	2nd	Kiara-Ann Forbes	2nd	Lukas Jenkins
Senior girls 800m		Senior boys 800m		11 yrs girls discus		11 yrs boys discus	
1st	Alice Lovelock	1st	Hamish O'Hara	1st	Olivia Bell	1st	Harlem Ward
2nd	Raya Brandenburg	2nd	Hayne O'Hara	2nd	Rahni Johnson	2nd	Hugh McCormack
				Senior girls discus		Senior boys discus	
				1st	Harper Leach	1st	Paddy Bruce
				2nd	Alice Lovelock	2nd	Roger Denston



ATHLETICS

CARNIVAL

The Athletics Carnival was held in week 6. The students enjoyed the day, with most competing or cheering on their friends. Thanks to Mrs Rhiannon Hamilton for her organisation of the day and the staff and student helpers for their running of events.

- Primary Age Champions

Junior

Dusty Langby Hayley O'Hara

11 years

Hugh McCormack Olivia Bell

Senior

Hamish O'Hara Alice Lovelock

- Secondary Age Champions

12 years

Brody Darlington

13 years

Danny Walker Emmy Scotson

14 years

Chlive Deguit Hollie Higgins

15 years

Jack Howlett Bindi Kilgour

16 years

Joey Walker Ashanti Nelson

17 years

Charlie Gale Maddie Marks

18 years

Connor Pardy Justine Conrads



The final point score was:
 1st Macquarie 602 points
 2nd Mitchell 585 points
 3rd Sturt 563 points
 4th Oxley 469 points



Principal's Message



Dear parents, carers and community

It is hard to believe that term 2 is fast ending.

This term has been a whirlwind of activity! Our core business will always be teaching and learning but the extra-curricular activities in which our students are able to engage in ensures that we are addressing the growth of the whole student. We have a dedicated commitment to continue meeting the needs of all students. Throughout the course of this semester, teachers have been assessing student learning and preparing the Semester 1 reports. Reports are sent home prior to parent/teacher interviews and are a time for families to celebrate learning. Please take the time to schedule an interview.

It has been a somewhat difficult term for our students recently with several disruptions due to illness. Unfortunately, our community is currently experiencing a spike in communicable diseases. The students have coped extremely well with the change in routines, and I thank you for your patience and understanding. This has sometimes necessitated the combining of classes to ensure all our students continue to receive the attention and education they deserve. Our dedicated teachers and staff have been incredible in managing these challenges and I am immensely grateful for their hard work and flexibility.

I urge all parents to keep their children at home if they are unwell. This simple step is crucial in preventing the spread of illness and ensuring a healthier environment for everyone. Your cooperation is essential in helping us maintain the well-being of our school community.

Our last day of term is Friday 5 July. This break is an excellent opportunity for students and staff to rest, recharge and return refreshed for term 3. Thank you for your continued support and understanding as we navigate the current health and staffing challenges.

I wish all our families a safe and happy holiday break and look forward to working with you in term 3. Students return to school on Tuesday 23 July.

Kind regards

Ms Taylor
Principal (relieving)

PRIMARY NEWS



What a wonderful Term 2 we have all had. We are nearing the end of the term and looking forward to a break before diving into Term 3.

Head Lice

We have reports of head lice in the classes. Please check your child's hair and treat if any eggs or lice are found.

Attendance

At WCS we recognise and celebrate regular school attendance. However, we also realise that children sometimes can't come to school due to illness or other reasons beyond their control. If your child is absent please send a note or phone to provide the school with the reason so your child does not have an unexplained absence on their records.

Tissues

Winter sniffles are upon us again. Please send in a box of tissues for your child's classroom.



Raffle tickets on sale now

We have some awesome prizes in the raffle hamper – vouchers from IGA, Bunnings, 117 Café, Uncle Clarries and Bakes by Rach plus donations from Petbarn, Warren Pharmacy, Warren Joinery, Warren Newsagency, Dubbo Mitre 10 and the Warren Post Office. First prize is valued at over \$400 and second is over \$100. If you would like to buy raffle tickets in our hamper, please contact the school or send in an envelope with payment – make sure your name, the amount enclosed and how many tickets you would like is on the envelope. Tickets are \$2.00 each and will be drawn 4 July 2024.

Spelling bee

It was wonderful to see so many students participating in the school spelling bee and their parents and caregivers supporting their children in this event. We congratulate to the participants for their courage and determination to learn the words and to get up on stage in front of an audience. Special congratulations to our two winners: Junior – Olivia Hall, Senior – Rahni Johnson



Our Place classes K-6 have been learning about Wayilwan Country totems (the animals – land, water and sky which are of significance to Wayilwan Country) and personal totems. As part of our Wayilwan Language learning Warraan Widji Arts has composed and translated songs into Wayilwan Language for the children to learn. Thank you Warraan Widji Arts!

Fun Fact: Learning a second language improves cognitive and sensory processing (United States National Institutes of Health)

NAIDOC Week – stay tuned for details to come for our school's celebration of NAIDOC -26 - 30 August - Blak Loud and Proud - Keep the Fire Burning!!!

Aboriginal Learning and Engagement Centre Team - Ms Oates, Mr Mackay and Mrs Irving



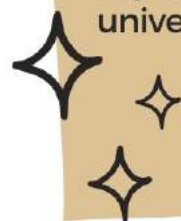
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AL&EC NEWS

Zoey Daley, Shamika Kentwell and Gracie Leonard have been embracing every opportunity!

Zoey will be off to Sydney from 15-19 July for the University of Sydney's Tahgara Program and Shamika successfully participated in the University of Sydney's Gadalung program in January. These programs grow the confidence of students to complete the HSC and take the big step to move away from home to attend university.



Gracie participated in Moorbilla's concert at the Sydney Opera House last weekend. Congratulations Gracie!



Kerry Perrin and Cathy Jones from Education and Training Out West have been visiting Warren Central School every Thursday. They have been assisting Shamika, Zoey and Gracie with their applications for early entry to university.

Kaydon Griffiths, Charlie Gale and Astra Monti are currently completing Certificate I in Skills for Vocational Pathways Statements of Attainment in Workplace Literacy are being completed by Ashanti Nelson, Marley Mackay, Kade Howarth and Makai Ebsworth. The students have shown respect and are working hard to achieve these invaluable qualifications.



Ridley/Trudgett netball gala day

The Ridley/Trudgett netball gala day is being held on Friday 5 July 2024 at the Warren netball courts at Victoria Oval. If your child is involved please ensure they are at the courts at 8:30am.

Parent Teacher Interview: don't forget to book your meeting with your child's teacher to check in on their progress! Primary Parent Teacher Interviews are Tuesday 2 July.

Stage 3 excursion: please make sure your payments are up to date if you have said that you would like your child to attend.

Sickness: there is a lot of sickness in the community. Please ensure that if your child is unwell you let the office know and keep your child at home. This stops germs from spreading through the school.



HOW MUCH SCREEN TIME IS HEALTHY FOR STUDENTS



YEAR 5

Year 5 have been learning about how technology affects our health. It is recommended we have no more than two hours of screen time a day. We should also have 9-11 hours of sleep. Technology can affect our sleep and we should not use screens for at least an hour before we go to bed. This will ensure we have a good nights sleep.



YEAR 3

This term year 3 have been involved in a variety of activities.

At the beginning of the term we were very busy creating and preparing our entries for the show. Mother's Day created huge excitement with the Mother's Day stall and preparing our special gift for our mums, aunties or grandmas.



We also had a great day at the athletics carnival. So many different skills were displayed throughout the day.

We earned our feather reward this term and celebrated with a movie, popcorn, milkshakes and spiders and some of us even wore pyjamas. Among all these exciting activities we have managed to fit in some learning. We have been exploring how words are made, identifying parts of words such as digraphs, trigraphs and quadgraphs and learning the origins of words in English. In Maths, we are looking at whole number and how numbers can be partitioned, sequencing numbers and identifying patterns.

During Science lessons we have been learning the effect heat has on a variety of materials and even made popcorn to show the effect of heat on the kernels. PDHPE has been full of activities and games and learning more about bullying and how it affects us.

All in all it has been an incredibly busy term with so many students achieving personal goals and settling in to having a new teacher.

Mrs McCormack



LIBRARY NEWS

A BIG thank you to all families who have returned library books for Term 2. Please keep looking if you are still yet to find your child's book, thank you!

K-6 classes have been busy learning through stories shared about:

- communities – Years 3-6
- journeys – Year 4
- Country – Year K-6 (with Ms Oates)
- natural disasters – Year 5 HSIE and
- Prime Minister Gough Whitlam – Year 6 HSIE



(Image credit: State Library of Victoria)

Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 are reading Bindi by Kirli Saunders. Bindi is a verse novel and is based on Kirli's childhood on Gundungurra Country! Thank you to Warraan Widji Arts for bringing a new perspective on story telling through song. Graham and Be are able to add music to our stories on Wayilwan Country.

Stories can be shared in so many different ways.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to all secondary students who are successfully completing the Renaissance reading program. It's great to see so many students using the library to borrow books and read for pleasure.

Mrs Irving (Relieving Teacher Librarian and Year 3-6 HSIE teacher)

MARINE



Over Term 1 and Term 2, our 9/10 Marine students have been actively exploring the Warren water environment. As part of their Term 2 assessment, they successfully caught fish and showcased their impressive filleting skills. The students then turned their catch into delicious, battered fish and chips. Their hard work and culinary talents deserve high praise. Great job, everyone!

Miss Seymour



FISHING IS FUN,
CATCHING IS BETTER



YEAR 4

Year 4 has been busy preparing to create a stop motion animation as part of our Creative Arts unit this term. We started by experimenting with the iPad application 'iMotion' to assist us in our animation process. Then, we created a script that we will use to make our motion pictures. This week, we have been exploring how to create our characters and backgrounds, which are important drama elements when making films. Miss Vincent



WHAT WE LEARN
WITH PLEASURE
WE NEVER FORGET.
-Alfred Mercier



STAGE 2 EXCURSION

On Wednesday 12 June years 3 & 4, with Mrs McCormack, Mrs Woodhill and Mrs Darcy in tow, boarded the bus at 8:30am to head to the Warrumbungle environmental education centre. When we arrived at the centre Wes and Narelle (educators at the centre) were there to greet us. They invited us to sit around the yarning circle to eat our morning tea. We discussed the wildlife that we would see during our walks in the forests and how we use our senses to identify what wildlife is living in the area. We were given a little booklet, a clipboard and a pencil so we could record what we saw on our walk. We saw lots of little streams, kangaroos, goats and a lot of different birds. We sat down next to a stream to eat our lunch. After we finished our lunch we used different materials from the bush to use as paint to colour the drawings we had created. It was very peaceful as we sat there drawing and painting in the space of the forest. We kept walking after lunch along the track. We crossed several streams and had to climb a steep hill. We crossed over the ancient lava rock that had spilled from the volcano approximately 17000 years ago. We returned to the centre to find that the wind had blown a gale and the electronic whiteboard had smashed! This was not good.

It was time to leave, so we boarded the bus to go to our motel. We were given rooms to sleep in. The rooms even had their own kitchen!! Once we had put our belongings in the rooms we went outside to play in the huge play area behind the motel. We then went to the dining room for dinner and had hamburgers, chips and an ice-cream for dessert, it was so yummy. We all slept well and were up early Thursday morning for the next adventure. We hopped onto the bus and went back up the mountain. We were so excited to see what we could find on this walk. We started off on a flat track with lots of different things to look at. Then we came to a really steep set of steps. They went on and on. We finally made it to the top and turned around to see the most magnificent view - WOW! We had a bite to eat before heading back down the mountain to the bus. We were exhausted. We returned to WCS, where our parents welcomed us with open arms. It was a wonderful experience and we enjoyed being able to have the opportunity to walk through the bush with two knowledgeable educators, Wes and Narelle.



TEXTILES



Year 11 - Year 11 visited Spotlight earlier this term to experience buying and ordering materials for their project. Students have constructed a corset inspired by a different culture. Firstly they had to choose and research which culture and then buy the most suitable materials to achieve their final design. Throughout the design and constructing process students learnt some of the skills they will need to use in their upcoming major projects.



Lillian has made a cushion



Textiles year 9/10 - Students have been working hard on their pyjama pants this term. At the start of the term they travelled to Spotlight and experienced shopping for their fabric. Students practised basic sewing skills and applying correct finishes. They now have a finished product ready for the cold winter nights. Miss Lefebvre



HOSPITALITY

with Miss Lefebvre

Hospitality - Students have been studying safety in the kitchen. They have been using these skills to cook in their practical lessons. Recently they have made boscaiola fettuccine with garlic bread.



TRANGIE JUNIOR JUDGING

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Juniors 10-15 years Seniors 15-24 years

Senior winners qualify for Western Region Judging Finals.

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 Wednesday 3rd JULY
Enquiries / Registration: Kith Donoghue 0457833946 email: kith@trangiejudging.com.au



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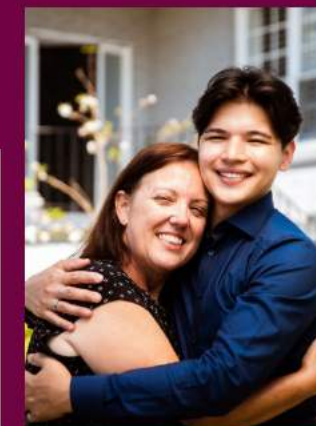
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KOORI GALA DAYS

TAMWORTH



Sunday,
25th August 2024



Tamworth Netball Association
Jack Smyth Dr, Tamworth



\$40 per team

Divisions - Mixed & Girls
10-12yrs, 13-15yrs & Opens



For more information contact
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Regional Manager - North West
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To register your team, scan the QR code or go to
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Secondary News

We have had a busy term and are now gearing up for Term 3. We are excited about the many engaging learning experiences we have planned for the second semester of the year. Wishing everyone a restful holiday break, and we look forward to welcoming students back to school on Tuesday, 23 July.

Early Childhood Education Careers

On Wednesday 26 June interested students attended the Early Childhood Education Careers Forum at Dubbo Convention Centre. The day was both informative and fun as students heard from 4 key note speakers working in the early childhood sector and participated in Zumba. Students talked with industry experts and explored the many interactive activities provided at the exhibitor booths.

Mrs Lovelock



Captains visit to NSW Parliament



School captains, Zoey Daley and Shamika Kentwell joined other students in Sydney on 6 June to develop their knowledge of our system of government and parliamentary proceedings, learn about the role of the Governor and meet their Member Mr Roy Butler MP.



Captians: Zoey Daley and Shamika Kentwell

Members of parliament addressed students on their motivation for entering politics and what they regarded as the values that had the biggest impact on their journey. Students got the opportunity to sit in the public gallery during Question Time in both the Lower and Upper houses. After lunch, they enjoyed a tour of Government House where there were refreshments on the verandah and the chance to meet with her Excellency The Honourable Margaret Beazley AO QC, Governor of NSW.

Both girls say they found the day very interesting, seeing how the whole process of government worked. They learned how ministers had different portfolios, were impressed with the Minister of Education, Prue Car's speech in the Lower House and they enjoyed meeting our Member of Parliament, Roy Butler. A highlight was learning the history of the buildings, especially Government House. They were impressed by the Governor herself, a diminutive figure who oozed dignity and authority.



Shamika and Zoey are grateful to the school for providing them with this unique opportunity and highly recommend it to other aspiring captains.

Mrs Robson