



WILLIAM STIMSON PUBLIC SCHOOL

Weekly Newsletter



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Friday 16 November 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's that time of year when we start to plan for the next school year . . . we consider staffing changes, students who may not be returning to our school and of course our new enrolments, mostly consisting of our Kindy students. Please ensure you have communicated your situation with us so that we can plan accordingly.

Enrolments in 2019

Earlier in the term notes were sent home regarding **student enrolments for 2019**. It is important that we know if your child will be returning to William Stimson PS in 2019, returning late or moving to another area. We need this information as **soon as possible** so we can structure the classes for 2019 with some accuracy. If you are not sure, please indicate on the note that there could be possible changes to your plans. This would be greatly appreciated.

♥ Welcome to
Kindergarten

Kindergarten Orientation

It was wonderful to see so many of our 'new Kinders' again last Wednesday. The teachers involved all commented on how settled and ready our newest school students seemed. Don't forget our **Kindy Expo on Wednesday 28 November - 5.00pm - 6.00pm**, lots to see as well as gifts for our Kinder students to take home!



Christmas Grocery Appeal

Volunteers at the Uniting Church Fairfield feed and care for more than 300 people in our community every week. To stock the cupboards ready for 2019, Starr Partners Real Estate Fairfield has once again invited our school to participate in a community grocery appeal.

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Throughout November donations of **NON-PERISHABLE** food items (with long lasting use by dates) can be sent to school with your child and left in the school office. **Please give generously!**

Kindy Excursion - Fairfield City Farm

Kindy enjoyed a wonderful excursion to Fairfield City Farm last Monday! They experienced a wide range of activities that they have been chatting about ever since.



Update on Construction

During the last 2 weeks there has been much work completed on our construction site. The builders have informed me that the concrete pours have finished and next comes the delivery of the steel frames. Once these are installed, we really will be able to see the shape and design of our new buildings. Hutchinsons Building Group have asked me to thank our community for their patience and support during the delivery of materials as the heavy vehicles do take up a lot of road space when entering and exiting the construction compound.

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Stay Connected

Remember you can keep updated with **everything** that is happening at William Stimson PS through accessing our **WSPS Skoolbag app** or following us on **Facebook** or **Twitter**. Our addresses are as follows:

www.facebook.com/WilliamStimsonPublicSchool

Twitter handle - **@OurSchoolWSPS**

Melissa Vallorani

CALENDAR DATES - 2018

- 18 Nov** Lego League Competition - # 1
- 19 Nov** Kindy Orientation - 9.30am - 10.30am
- 20 Nov** K-6 Dance Program
- 21 Nov** ES1 - Spelling Bee Class Final
Kindy Orientation - 1.30pm - 2.45pm
- 22 Nov** White Ribbon March - 9.00am - 11.00am
- 23 Nov** PSSA Summer Competition - Semi Finals
School Spectacular Excursion
- 26 Nov** Kindy Orientation - 9.30am - 10.30am
Mayor Frank Carbone - 2.00pm - 3.00pm
- 27 Nov** K-6 Dance Program - DANCE
- 28 Nov** Stage 2 Excursion - Aquarium
Stage 3 Prairiewood High School CAPA Showcase
9.45am - 1.30pm
Kindergarten EXPO - 5.00pm - 6.00pm
- 29 Nov** Combined Scripture - 10.00am - 11.00am
Stage 1 Spelling Bee Final - 12.00pm - 1.35pm
- 30 Nov** PSSA Summer Competition - Wet Weather Finals
ES1 Spelling Bee Stage Final

21 November by 9am. No orders will be accepted after this date. Students must bring their order to me in the library between 8:30am - 9am. Please ensure your child's name and class are on the order form. **Correct money is required.** Just a reminder that the **LOOP (Linked Online Ordering and Payment)** platform is now open, for parents who prefer to pay by credit card! The LOOP platform will also close on **Wednesday 21 November.**

Learn Music on the Keyboard at school

Enrol to start Term 4 or Register Interest for 2019



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There's more to your library

Library News - Term 4 Week 5

Returning and Borrowing - Please return all books as soon as possible. This ensures that students can borrow on their library day or during 1st half of lunch. Just a reminder that week 6 is the last week of library lessons and borrowing books.

Book Club - This is the **LAST** Book Club catalogue for 2018! This is a great chance to purchase amazing Christmas presents! Issue 8 orders are due **Wednesday**

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