FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents and Community Members

I hope that all of our families had a safe and enjoyable winter vacation. Term 3 has started with an arctic blast at Wellers Hill State School. It is great that the children are so busy in the classrooms that they won’t have time to get cold.

100 Days of Prep

Yesterday or prep students celebrated 100 Days of Prep. Activities were held across all of our six prep classrooms. The prep students are progressing extremely well and grow up so much between the start of the year and the 100 day mark. Well done to our parents, prep teachers and teacher aides for doing such a fantastic job with this large cohort of students.

Japanese Students Visit WHSS

Over the next three weeks parents and students will see students from Japan participating in activities and classes. The students are visiting us from Noto-cho and Kansai. During their time at the school they will be participating in lessons and living with their Australian Host Family. This is an exciting time and opportunity for both the Japanese students and the Host Families. I would like to thank the Host Families for accepting the Japanese students into their homes during their visit to Australia.

Air-conditioning in the Classrooms

The P & C Association and the school jointly funded air-conditioning to be installed in the Year 3 wing and the Year 5 wing over the Winter Vacation period. It is ironic that the A/C is currently being used to keep children warm, however the students and teachers have reported increased productivity from the students at this early stage of use. It is hoped that we can continue to provide A/C units for other classrooms in subsequent years. Many thanks to parent Jana Novak for doing all of the ground work and research prior to the order for the A/C units being placed.

School opinion Survey 2015

It is that time of year again when parents are asked to complete the annual School Opinion Survey.
In previous years a random sample of parents was selected by Central Office to complete the survey, usually around 40 families. In 2014 the survey was moved from a paper format to an electronic format.

For the first year of the electronic format the sample size remained small. However, in 2015 all parents are being given the opportunity to respond to the Parent Opinion Survey. Participation in the survey is anonymous and all feedback will be considered confidential. Information about the survey will be sent home to all families tomorrow, Thursday July 16.

The online survey is available to parents until July 31, 2015. I would encourage all families to respond to the survey as it provides you the opportunity to have your say about what we do well at Wellers Hill SS and also how we can improve our school.

If parents require additional information in relation to the survey, please do not hesitate to contact me, or phone the survey help line, 1800 067 971.

Harmonies on the Hill
Harmonies is only a few short weeks away. Thank you to the very busy Harmonies Committee for all of your hard work and organisation. I would urge parents to keep track of the Harmonies updates found on Face Book and deliver into your in-box through the Parent Rep Network. The updates provide useful and essential Harmonies information.

Have a great week and stay warm.
Kind regards
John

UNDER 8’S WEEK
Under 8’s Activity Morning

What a fantastic morning we had celebrating being Under 8. Thank you to all the teachers who prepared activities for the children to experience. Thank you also to the large number of family members who came and celebrated with the children, it is wonderful the children have such great support.
FROM THE P&C PRESIDENT

P & C Operations Manager
Over the past few months the P & C executive have been in the process of employing an Operations Manager. I am pleased to announce that we have employed Melinda McVie to carry out this role. Melinda has a wealth of experience in banking and finance. She is well qualified to manage the many tasks in her job description. After Harmonies on 2 August Melinda will be based in the room opposite SACCS near the stairs. This room is currently being used to store items for Harmonies and we will renovate the space so that Melinda has a new office. Melinda will be working 3 days a week and can be contacted by email at melindawhsspc@gmail.com. We are excited about this new direction for the P & C and warmly welcome Melinda. I will arrange for introductions to each of the P & C sub-committees in the near future. Reminder that the July P & C meeting is next Wednesday 22 July at 7pm in the library annexe.

Volunteer urgently needed to co-ordinate catering for WHSS Class of 1965 50 year reunion
The graduating class of 1965 at WHSS are holding their 50 year reunion on Saturday 12 September in the hall at school from 5 – 10pm. They would like to have finger food and drinks followed by a BBQ dinner. They are offering this as an opportunity for the P & C to raise some funds and also offer a community service by catering for their reunion. The P & C needs a volunteer or small group willing to co-ordinate the catering. We would then need a small group to cook and serve the food. It is anticipated there may be 60 – 80 of the 120 past students who will be able to attend. If you think you could co-ordinate this project or find a friend to help out please contact me ASAP and I will be able to put you in contact with Rob who is organising the reunion.

Volunteer to co-ordinate Woolworths Earn & Learn at WHSS
We need a volunteer to tally the sticker sheets and assist with organising ordering the resources once the program is finalised in September. If you can do this it is easy and won’t take much time. Please contact me ASAP. Details about the program are given below.
Woolworths Earn & Learn is back and it is now easier than ever to earn valuable resources for your local primary school, secondary school or Early Learning Centre. Last year more than 14,500 schools and Early Learning Centres benefited from the program, boosting supplies in classrooms, libraries, music rooms, gymnasiums and science labs.
It’s simple to participate. From Wednesday 15th July to Tuesday 8th September 2015, when you shop at Woolworths you can collect Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers from the checkout operator or through an online order and place them on a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet. There’ll be one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every $10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco, and gift cards). Once completed, simply place the Sticker Sheet in the Collection Box, either at your local school or at your local Woolworths. You can then redeem your Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers for valuable education resources for your local school or Early Learning Centre.

Regards
Narelle Cooley
P & C President
narelle@cooleyfamily.com.au or 0414 835 359
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Payments must be deposited in the payment box located in the office. Do not give payments to Class Teachers.

Multiple excursions/activities can be paid with one cheque or EFTPOS transaction (located at office). Cash is also acceptable.

On each excursion letter will be a DUE DATE for payment. No monies will be accepted after the due date. Therefore, unfortunately, students will not be able to attend the excursion/activity.

CAPTAINS’ CORNER

Welcome back to Term 3 everyone! We hope you enjoyed your holidays.

Harmonies on the Hill is coming up on the 2\textsuperscript{nd} of August and you’ve probably been practising for your year level performances. They will look great on the day.

Welcome back Mr Munro who has already started preparing for the upcoming athletics day in Week 3.

From Elsie and Darcy.

LOST PROPERTY

The below items have been found. Please collect from the office.

- Skylanders Giants Collector Card Tin
- Esprit purse
- Hello Kitty pencil case
- Bright Beaded watch necklace
- Lego footballers
- Minion figure
- Black and red watch
- 3 keys on a key ring with Love NZ and I charms
- Pink Disney watch
**MUSIC NEWS**

**General**

**Reminder:** Year 1 & 3 students who would like to be considered for the Strings/Band Program for 2016 should have Expression of Interest forms into the office by Friday 24th July. Forms are available from the office.

**Save The Date:** Harmonies On The Hill - **Sunday August 2nd**

All music groups as well as all year levels will be performing during the day. Please save the date!

Date claimer: Freeway Schools Coalition Workshop: Senior Band and Senior String students: Monday the 10th of August.

**Choirs**

Parents please ensure students arrive 5 minutes prior to start time to ensure they do not miss the very valuable warm-up section of the rehearsal.

Parents, please ensure your child is a practicing member of the **Wellers Hill Choirs on The Learning Place**.

This is a fantastic tool to use at home, allowing students to practice their part and come to rehearsals feeling well-prepared.

**Strings**

**Strings Rehearsals for Harmonies on the Hill**

Grade 2 and Grade 3 strings students will be rehearsing together on Monday July 20th and Monday July 27th at 1:10pm. This means that Grade 3 strings students will need to bring their instruments in on both Monday and Friday in week 2 and 3.

All string students will be rehearsing for Harmonies on Monday the 27th of July, so all students will need to bring their instruments.

Happy Music Making,

Mrs Kristensen, Mrs Price and Mr Bell

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**PE NEWS**

Hi everyone. Thank you to everyone for the warm welcome back. It's great to be back at Wellers and to get straight into it with plenty of things happening. It will be extremely hectic as I settle back in with so much going on so please bear with me during these first few weeks of chaos!

**Senior Sports Day** (4-6) - **Wednesday 29/7 and Thursday 30/7 (week 3)**.

High Jump trials will begin this week at play times. Students will be notified in class when they are on. All other field events are compulsory and for the tracks events students simply nominate on the day. A full timetable is below.

**Junior Sports Day** (P-3) - TBC but likely to be in the second half of Term 3.

**District Cricket Trials**

Any boys that are interested in trialling for the district cricket team please see Mr Munro. Must be club players and experienced. Any girls that want to give it a go, even with no prior experience, please see Mr Munro. Students must be born in 2003 or 2004.

**Interschool Sports**

ISS begins in week five. Trials will begin in week four. Details will be shared in class of trial times.
**District Athletics**
The event is being held on Monday 10th and Tuesday 11th of August (week 5). Students will be given information regarding the trials on the Friday following the school carnival.

Cheers  
Nathan Munro  
PE Teacher

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**Senior Sport Day Timetable.**

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Welcome back to school banking for term 3.

A New School Banking Competition is here!

We’re bringing the exciting news that an intergalactic Prize Portal has appeared on Planet Savings, giving students who demonstrate good savings behaviour the chance to win amazing prizes.

- 75 x iPad minis Wi-Fi 16GB
- 125 x Beats by Dr. Dre Solo 2™ Headphones
- 200 x $30 Booktopia Gift Certificates

Help the Dollarmites activate the Prize Portal for a chance to win. To activate the Prize Portal, students must simply make three or more School Banking deposits during Term 3 and they will automatically be entered into the competition for a chance to win one of hundreds of prizes. Students can also complete a Money Mission at commbank.com.au/prizeportal to double their chance of winning a prize. (Please note, students can start the Money Mission at any time, but are required to make three deposits by the end of Term 3 to double their chance of winning).

Win books for your school library We’re also giving schools participating in the School Banking program a chance to win one of 75 sets of children’s books for their school library, valued at $200.

This term also brings the return of the “School Banker of the Week “ prize giveaway. Each week a name will be drawn out and the lucky winner will receive a special prize from the Commonwealth Bank. To be eligible, just remember to bring your banking book and deposit to school on a Thursday.

Two new reward items are now available. The Glow-in-the-Dark Solar System or the Cosmic Light Beam Torch can be ordered as a prize with 10 silver tokens. Just include the tokens and the coupon for the prize you would like in with your banking deposit wallet on banking day.

Thank you for your ongoing support of the school banking program at Wellers Hill. If you ever have any questions or queries regarding the school banking program, please feel free to drop in and see the banking ladies in the staff room on Thursday morning. Happy Saving in Term 3!

KIDS MATTER

Kidsmatter provides schools and families with a range of information to help them support children’s mental health and wellbeing.

To assist in supporting children’s mental health and wellbeing, each month a Kidsmatter topic will be included in the school newsletter. The practical information, tips and strategies provided may be beneficial in supporting children in the home environment. This will also be supported through school staff implementing support strategies in the school environment, as needed.

This month the focus topic will be: Children and Hardship
Children and hardship

Stuff happens
Looking after three children on her own has not been easy for Denise. Sometimes the pressure gets to her and she feels like she can't cope at all.

She doesn't know how she would manage without her 11-year-old daughter Alison. Every morning Alison makes the lunches and gets the younger children to school. She makes the dinner when Denise is not feeling well, and makes sure the washing up gets done.

Recently Denise got sick and had to give up her part-time job. Then they had to move house. Alison helped to organise things and looked after her little brother and sister too.

Just lately, though, something seems to be troubling Alison. She hasn't been as patient with the younger children as usual. The other day she lost her temper with Denise. "Why can't you look after us like other mothers do?" she said.

Denise was very upset. She wondered whether she had been relying too much on Alison. She worried that Alison might be having trouble coping too.

Life can be challenging
Families and children may experience pressures for reasons that they can't control. In the story above, Alison's family has had to face lots of challenges. Her Mum has been struggling with her health and her finances while trying to bring up three children on her own. Alison has been her main support, but now it seems the responsibility may be wearing Alison down.

Is Alison likely to develop difficulties as her mother fears? Perhaps. It depends a lot on what else is going on for Alison, at school, with her friends, and with other important people in her life.

Mental health risk factors
The sorts of things that make it more likely that children will experience mental health difficulties are known as mental health risk factors. Risk factors are things that put stress on the child or family and make it harder for them to cope.

Examples of risk factors that can affect children's mental health include:

- experiencing serious illness - either the child or a member of the family
- having no friends and/or being bullied
- high levels of family conflict
- experience of trauma or abuse
- having a parent with mental health problems
- family financial problems.
Things that protect mental health

Just because one or more risk factors are present for an individual child, it doesn’t mean that the child will necessarily develop a mental health difficulty. When protective factors are present, they help to balance out the risk of developing mental health difficulties. Examples of protective factors include:
- Having a supportive parent, carer or teacher
- Doing well at school
- Having a positive home life
- Getting help with worries early
- Having support from wider family, friends and community members.

How parents and carers can help

When children are exposed to mental health risk factors, it is helpful to try to build up protective factors to support their mental health. Some of the ways you can do this include:
- Spend time listening to your child and help her or him to feel understood and loved.
- Take time out to have fun when you can — play games, go to the park, watch a movie together as a family.
- Set up a support network with people you trust (e.g., family and close friends). Talk through with them how they can best support you and your children during times when you have troubles.
- Teach your children what to do and who to contact when they need support.
- Help children learn coping skills for understanding and managing feelings. See the KidsMatter Primary Information sheets on social and emotional learning for further ideas.
- Ensure your child’s class teacher knows about any difficulties that may impact on your child’s attitudes and behaviour at school. Schools may be able to provide:
  - Extra support from school staff
  - Special programs aimed at boosting children’s coping skills
  - Information that can help your child realise that they are not the only ones dealing with ‘family stuff’
  - Information about where to get further support for your child and your family.

Stuff happens

- Life is full of challenges. Some families face greater challenges than others.
- Challenges may build up slowly or strike suddenly. In the case of chronic illness, they may come and go repeatedly during a child’s life.
- Sometimes these challenges get in the way of a child leading a happy, healthy and successful life.
- Having support from family, friends and school can help to protect children’s mental health and build resilience to help them cope with challenges.

This resource is part of a range of KidsMatter Primary information sheets for families and school staff. View them all online at www.kidsmatter.edu.au
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ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS - Remember to encourage family and friends (and yourselves) to purchase an Entertainment Book to help raise much needed funds for the MSG. The Entertainment Book is your special invitation to many of the best restaurants, arts, attractions, hotel accommodation, travel and much more. It is filled with hundreds of valuable offers including up to 50% off and 2-for-1 offers! For just AU $65.00 and you'll receive over AU $15,000.00 in valuable offers.


HARMONIES ON THE HILL - We look forward to seeing you all at the fete and enjoying the performances of our talented students across all year levels!

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EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Please ensure the school has up-to-date information regarding emergency contacts so that you can be contacted promptly if required.
TUCKSHOP

SUSHI
We had our first sushi day last Wednesday and it proved very popular. Please send us your feedback. The Vietnamese rolls were disappointing so we have now removed them from the menu. PLEASE NOTE: For a Wednesday order you MUST place your Flexischools order before 8.50am on the day prior. Flexischools will still allow you to place an order after the cut-off time but that order will be for Wednesday of the following week.

RECYCLING
Thanks to our fabulous Sustainability captain Sam Cartwright who has made us a poster advertising drink container recycling at the tuckshop. EVERY drink container we sell at the tuckshop can be recycled. From next week a small wheelie bin will be positioned outside the tuckshop for recycling. Parents, please remind your children that they can place empty containers in that bin. We would also like any parents who have room in their recycling bin at home to drop in to the tuckshop to take home the recycled containers. Thank you.

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If you are unable to do your tuckshop roster please contact us as soon as possible. If you would like to volunteer in the tuckshop, our phone number is 3249 1318 or you can call Carolyn (0409 053 742). You can also email whsstuckshop@gmail.com.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Yeronga Park Kindergarten Spring Fete! Sunday 13 September 2015, 10am - 3pm. Lush plants, great books and delicious cakes for sale. Enjoy rides, entertainment, face painting, craft and other activities for kids. See you there at 15 School Road Yeronga. More information on Facebook. All welcome.

** SUPERSIZED DANCE – Saturday 18th July 2015 4pm Start**
ANNERLEY & DISTRICTS BLUE LIGHT DISCO ***Saturday 18th July 2015***

AGES : 7yrs. – 14yrs  TIME: 4pm-9.30pm  COST: $10.00
PLACE: Marymac Community Hall, 616 Ipswich Rd, Annerley. Live Band, Free Amusement Rides, Jumping Castle, Tattoos, Face Painting, DJ, Street Theatre

- Sausage Sizzle, Drinks and sweets at great prices

CONTACT : Senior Constable Lisa VOYSEY or Constable Rachel CUCKSON
Annerley Police Station Ph: 3892 8222
WELLERS HILL STATE SCHOOL
FETE

Harmonies on the Hill

Sunday 2nd August

THE COUNTDOWN IS ON – ONLY 2.5 WEEKS TO GO...

OUR STALL CONVENERS URGENTLY NEED YOUR HELP!!

As you will be aware, each class in the school has been allocated to a stall for the day of the fete. This is a fair way of allocating a volunteer base of parent helpers to help man the stalls on the day of the fete. The stall conveners have spent months in preparations to ensure that their stalls are ready to run on fete day. However, each stall cannot run efficiently without the help of the wider parent community. Each class will now have a stall roster from your stall convenor. We would encourage you all to sign on for your shifts AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

EACH FAMILY IS EXPECTED TO VOLUNTEER AT LEAST AN HOUR OF THEIR TIME to the stalls that have been allocated to their children’s classes. If each family plays their part there should be enough helpers to help each stall run efficiently and smoothly. If we won’t get enough help, we end up with a group of very frazzled parents, very disappointed stall conveners and fete organisers who have been putting a lot of time and energy into organising the fete. Please help support the hard-working group of parents behind this year’s fete by lending a valuable pair of hands on the day. It will be much appreciated, it is fun to be part of the community and you will help raise funds that will benefit your child’s education.

At Harmonies in 2013 over $70,000 were raised that was used on various projects such as setting up the resource room, installation of a playground and readers for upper school to name a few. Funds raised this year will also contribute to many projects, one of which will be the planned renovation of the school hall.

Please find attached the list of class stalls and their conveners for your information. We urge you to contact the stall convenor for your class to offer your help and/or put your name down on the stall roster to help out for one hour.

FREE DRESS DAY ... 17 July

This will be our second and final Free Dress Day to raise funds that will be used to purchase goods required for the fete. So please let’s make the most of it! Please bring in a gold coin donation!
WANTED - SWEETS

The Sweets Stall at the fete is an absolute favourite for the kids and all those with a sweet tooth. We are looking for donations of a variety of sweets to make delicious treats that will be sold at the stall.

Examples of items that can be donated are listed:
- Jelly beans, smarties/mLm’s, jelly snakes, marshmallows, chocolate freckles, wrapped lollies, snack size milky way, chupachups/lollipops, licorice all sorts, jube lollies, packets of lolly bananas, strawberries and cream, raspberries etc.

Gail (gailkirkman@gmail.com) our Sweets Stall convener will welcome all donations on:
- THURSDAY AND FRIDAY (16 & 17 July)
- 8.15-9.00am & 2.45-3.15pm
- Drop off in front of the store room (located near the walkway next to SACCS).

WANTED - PLANTS, POTS & POTTING MIX FOR THE PLANT STALL

We are looking for small plastic pots, potting mix and seedlings and plants for the Plant Stall – Calling all Green Thumbs! Please get some seedlings going and pot some plants.

Please drop off your donations in front of the school hall next week 20-24 July from 8.15-8.40am - Thank you from Wendy (w.katterm@uq.edu.au), your Plant Stall Convener.

WANTED – SCRATCH-ITS

We need some more prizes for the very big kids that have a go at the Spin & Win Wheel! Thank you to all those that have already donated some Scratch-Its last term. We just need some more to make sure that we won’t run out of prizes. Amanda, our Spin & Win Wheel convener will set up a donation box at the tuckshop during the week from 20-24 July. Please note that multiples of 51 Scratch-Its are preferable to a higher value.

INSTANT SCRATCH-ITS

JAM & PICKLES STALL

The team at 5L is busy getting ready for the Jam & Pickles Stall and need your help.

We are seeking donations of empty washed jars of less than 300grams to be left at 5L or Prep A. We’re also keen to hear from you if you (or a relative or friend) might be able to whip up a batch of jam, pickles, chutney, relish or preserved fruit or vegetables for us to sell on fete day. If you can let us know what you might make, we may be able to help get you some of the ingredients you need, as well as some jars for bottling. So please help out and have some fun these school holidays. If you can assist in any way please contact Greg at jamsforharmonics@bigpond.com
WELLERS HILL STATE SCHOOL FETE – SUNDAY 2 AUGUST

SWEETS STALL

**DID YOU KNOW?** A short time spent in your kitchen can make a big difference to our school!

The Sweets Stall is an absolute favourite for the kids and all those with a sweet tooth, so let’s not disappoint them come 2 August. We are looking for volunteers from our school community to bake or create sweets to sell on our stall.

Fudge, toffees, rocky road, chocolate balls, coconut ice, coloured/caramel popcorn, lolly kebabs, lolly-nectacles, teacup biscuits, tiny teddy cars... the list is endless (and delicious!).

Please contact your Sweets Stall convenor Gail Kirkman at gailkirkman@gmail.com for ideas, recipes or any other queries regarding the stall. Your support is greatly appreciated.

To ensure compliance with food safety regulations, we ask that you either label each donation, or provide us with a comprehensive list of ingredients for your donations.

**Packaging materials and labels for your sweets will be available on:**
- Thursdays 16th, 23rd & 30th July
- 8.30am – 9.00am and 2.45pm – 3.15pm in front of the store room (near walkway next to SACCS).

Your donations for the stall can be dropped off at the art room of the Junior Learning Wing on Thursday 30 July between 2:30pm & 3:30pm or on Saturday 1st August between noon & 2pm.

GET CREATIVE FOR THE CAKE STALL

The Harmonies Cake Stall is always a highlight on the day, so we are asking for your families support by baking a cake, slice or biscuits to add to the spread. To comply with health regulations, you need to label your item with name and list of ingredients. Packaging/labels and Containers for baking will be available on:
- Thursdays 25th June, 23rd & 30th July
- 8.30-9.00am and 2.45 – 3.15pm | Outside the library (near the tree)

Please bring your baked goods to the art room in the Junior Learning Wing on Saturday 1st August between 2pm and 4pm. Thank you for your support - Kerry Cox, Cake Stall Convenor (darkchild1371@hotmail.com)

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WANTED – DONATIONS FOR THE ART & CRAFT STALL

It's time to bring your donations for the Art & Craft Stall to the school! Angela, who is convening the Harmonies Art and Craft Stall, will welcome your creations on Friday 24 July from 8.15-9.00am in front of the school hall. Otherwise, please contact Angela Beitz on 0406 099737 or angelabeltz@hotmail.com to arrange collection.

There is still time to get your creativity flowing and make something beautiful for the stall. Popular items at the last stall included: Kid's necklaces & hair ties, bracelets and hand bags, decorated pencils and notebooks, scarves, tea cosies, covered coat hangers, crocheted tea towels, wheat bags, fairy wands and fairy dust necklaces.

HARMONIES WEBSITE

THANK YOU to Jubilee Entertainment for setting up a website for our school fete Harmonies on the Hill. Please visit http://harmoniesontheshill.com.au/index.html and check out all the amazing rides and entertainment, market and food stalls that will be on offer on fete day. You can also find out any height restriction that may apply to some of the rides. Please make sure to pass on the website link to any friends and family members that may be interested in joining the fun at the fete.

Announcement of Competition Winners

@ School Parade Fri 17 July

How exciting! We finally get to announce the three winners of the colouring in competition and will also draw the winner of the drinks competition. All four winners will score a FREE Harmonies Rides Pass each. Make sure to come along to the school parade on Friday to find out who the lucky winners will be!
ORDER YOUR DISCOUNTED RIDES PASS NOW!!

You can now pre-purchase an All-Day Harmonies Rides Pass at a discounted rate of $30. Make sure to book your rides pass before the cut-off day 24 July to get the discounted rate (price on fete day 2 August will be $40)!

If you would like your kids to have a fantastic time at the Harmonies on the Hill Fete, then let them experience the rides! This year the rides are bigger and better to enhance your child’s fete experience.

NOTE: A Rides Pass will be the most effective option for you when your child will enjoy the rides at least 6 times. Otherwise, it may be more cost-effective to buy single tickets at the fete.

How to pre-purchase an all-day rides pass:

1. Go to the flexischools website, login and order direct (https://www.flexischools.com.au/) – NO LATER THAN FRIDAY 24TH JULY 2015 (Kindly note this is our preferred method of payment)

OR

2. Complete the order form below. Please return the order form and total monies to the payment box in the office in an envelope marked Attention: “Ride Convener” - NO LATER THAN FRIDAY 24TH JULY 2015.

A receipt will be issued via email. Individuals who purchased an all-day ride pass can get their pass on fete day at the rides ticket tent (main oval). Enjoy all the rides from 10.30am – 3.30pm!

Non WHSS students, who wish to purchase an All Day Ride Pass, may do so on Flexischools. All they need to do is register, search for the school name, and choose the Ride Pass option.

Should Harmonies be cancelled at any time during the course of the festival (e.g. due to rain), no refunds will be given.

Should Harmonies be canceled for any reason prior to the day (i.e. by the 31st July 2015), day pass holders will be advised if a refund will apply or if an alternative date will be set whereby your tickets can still be used.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. We hope you have a great time at Harmonies and enjoy the rides!

Jana Novak (Rides Convener) at janalanna15@outlook.com

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FAMILY NAME: ____________________ EMAIL (for receipt): ___________________ CONTACT NO: ____________________

Individual Day Passes:
Number of Tickets Required: ________@$30 per ticket. Total amount due: $ ______ cash/cheque

Name of Pass Holders:
1. __________________________________________
2. __________________________________________
3. __________________________________________
4. __________________________________________

- Order form and payment must be returned to the office payment box in an envelope marked Attention: Ride Convener
- Cheques to be made payable to “Wellers Hill State School P&C Association”
- Forms and money are due no later than Friday 24th July 2015
- No cheques will be accepted on the day of Harmonies. Cash Only.
Wollers Hill State School Fete – Sunday 2 August

**DON'T FORGET TO GET IN TOUCH WITH YOUR STALL CONVENOR 😊**

A stall has now been allocated to your child's class. Whilst you should be contacted by the stall convenor allocated to your child's class, it would be appreciated if you could also contact them to offer your assistance.

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