

Wellers Hill State School P&C

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Important Dates in March!

- ◆ P&C AGM Wed 28th March @ 7.00pm followed by the General Meeting
- ◆ Tuckshop Special Menu - order by Fri 23 March

What's happening:

Please bring your vouchers to the box in the School Office or drop off to the P&C Office. We have requested a box for Greenslopes Coles but if you use another Coles, locally, you may be able to request one directly whilst instore.



Fundraising:

WHSS Family Portrait Fundraiser

The P & C is holding a Family Portrait Fundraiser on **Saturday 10 March** at school (exact location to be advised) from 9am – 5.30 pm. The P & C have successfully organised this photo opportunity for a number of years and the families who had photos taken were very pleased with the results.

Brett McDonald from BMG photography will provide you with a Family Portrait for only \$20 (valued at \$80) - choice of colour or black and white mounted print. 100% of this money is retained by WHSS.

Each FAMILY photo MUST contain 2 generations ie. Parent/s and child/ren or grandparent/s and child/ren. The photos are not for children only. Please contact the P&C office on 3162 1965 or email: wellershillpandc@gmail.com to reserve a time. We need 30 families for this to proceed. The photos only take 10 minutes. Once a time slot has been reserved \$20 in a named envelope (Parent and child name and class with booking time) needs to be delivered either to the P & C office or put into the payment slot at the office. This must be done within a couple of days of booking to ensure the time is held. Additional photos will be available for purchase and these photos will also be taken on the day. There is no obligation to purchase extra photos.



P&C Service News:

TUCKSHOP

Tuckshop "Back to 1982" special. Commemorating the Comm Games. We are offering "typical" menu items from 1982 – when the last Comm Games were held in Qld. Available Monday 26th March to Thursday 29th March.

Hot Food (\$3.30) – Sausage Rolls, Chicken Nuggets or Hotdogs
Sweet Treats (\$2.20) – Iced Finger Bun, Cream Bun or Frog in a Pond

Snacks (\$2.00) – Burger Rings, Cheezels or Chips

Order must be received by Friday 23rd March. Order on Flexischools. Cash orders can be made by collecting an order form from the tuckshop

Uniform Shop

Our Uniform Shop Convenor, Deb Love, collected a lot of lost 'named' jumpers last year, washed them and has now brought them back to be re-united with their owners. They will be held in the uniform shop until the end of winter this year, and then placed in second hand sales.

Parents can email the shop at uniformshopwhss@gmail.com to find out if their item is here. Jumpers can be collected from the shop, or sent to the tuckshop for collection.



Autumn Vacation Care

Bookings are opened! The bookings will close on Sunday 18th March 2018. Please ensure you have signed the appropriate permission forms if your child is attending the Tuesday 3rd April and Thursday 12th April 2018. These are attached to the program that can be found on the school website.

New Child Care Package

As of July 2 2018, there will be a new child care package introduced, providing more support for more families. The package includes a new [Child Care Subsidy](#), which replaces the current Child Care Benefit and Child Care Rebate. The Child Care Subsidy will be paid directly to services.

There are also changes to the annual cap which will make child care more affordable for most families. Three things will determine a family's level of Child Care Subsidy:

1. [Combined family income](#)
2. [Activity level of parents](#)
3. [Type of child care service](#)

Some basic requirements must be satisfied for an individual to be eligible to receive Child Care Subsidy for a child. These include:

- the age of the child (must be 13 or under and not attending secondary school)
- the child meeting immunisation requirements
- the individual, or their partner, meeting the residency requirements.

Please see below a link where you are able to estimate what your new subsidy might be.

<https://www.education.gov.au/sites/education/files/chcare/est/index.html>

SACCS Contact Details

Service

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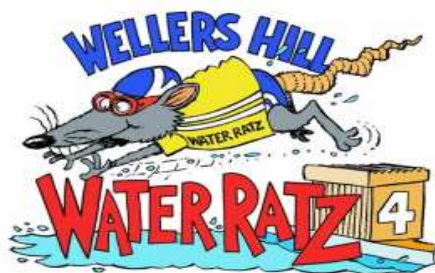
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KEEP THE DATE FREE – Club Championships – SATURDAY 24 MARCH 2018

The season will end with the Wellers Hill 2017/18 Club Championships on Saturday 24 March 2018. Warm up will start at 1.30 pm with racing to start at 2.00 pm.

The Program of Events for the remainder of the season is below:

Date	Events			
	1	2	3	4
9 Mar	INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY 100m - JNR/INTER 200m - SENIOR	25m or 50m FREE	25m or 50 m BACK	25m or 50m BREAST
16 Mar	25m or 50m FREE	25m or 50m BACK	25m or 50m BREAST	25m or 50m FLY
23-Mar	No Club Night			
24-Mar	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS - All Strokes 25m and 50m			

Remember to like us on Facebook – **Wellers Hill Water Ratz** so you can register for racing events on-line, see the swimming results and keep up to date with news.

Sub-committees:

Music Support Group (MSG)

About the MSG

The Music Support Group (MSG), a sub-committee of the P&C, supports the music program by fundraising for new instruments, helping to organise the school music concerts and talent show, assisting with communications, and managing uniform loan items and second hand uniforms. For more information or suggestions about MSG fundraising activities or music events, please contact the MSG at wellershillmusic@gmail.com.

New members/volunteers needed

We would love to see some new faces at our meetings. All parents/carers are welcome and absolutely no music knowledge or experience is needed. The MSG committee meets 2-3 times per term on a Tuesdaynight. The next meeting is 7pm, 13 March 2018 in the WHSS staff room. **Contact the MSG for more information - or just come along to a meeting and find out what we do.**

MSG email list

Are you receiving emails from the Music Support Group? All email contacts the MSG had from last year for continuing students have been moved over to a MailChimp mailing list, and we are in the process of adding new contacts for this year. This will help us communicate with the various groups more easily, and allows you to update your own details as they change.

If you have a child in the music program but you have not received an email from the MSG yet (ie in the last week), please subscribe to our email list using the online sign up form available from the music program page on the WHSS website (<https://wellhillss.eq.edu.au/Extracurricular/Music/>). This will ensure you receive communications relevant to your child's ensemble(s) or the music program as a whole.

New ties now available

All students in the music program (choirs, bands, strings) will now need to purchase a tie from the WHSS Uniform Shop - the MSG will no longer be loaning out ties.

New ties are now available in the shop (girls ties \$9.50; boys bow ties \$11). Some second hand ties are also available (cash only). Please ensure you write your child's name on the back of their tie!

Performance uniforms

Music students will need the following items to wear for performances: black pants, white music shirt, tie (button on tie for girls and bow tie for boys), black shoes, black socks and royal blue hair ribbon for girls. All items (apart from the shoes) can be purchased new from the WHSS Uniform Shop. Please name all of your child's items (students are required to get changed at school for some performances and things do get lost).

It is best that you organise (or check) your child's uniform as soon as possible. The first performance for some groups will be the ANZAC Day ceremony in week 2 of term 2 (Senior Choir, Chamber Choir, Camerata Strings and Senior Band).

Uniform items that will be provided on loan by the MSG are: cummerbund for boys in Senior Choir only; blazer for students in Chamber Choir, Senior Band, Senior Strings and Camerata Strings; and vest for students in Jazz Band. Students have been fitted for blazer and cummerbund size over the last two weeks; vest size will be assigned based on blazer size. These loan items will be issued to students prior to their first performance for the year.

We do our best to allocate the appropriate size blazer for each child. However, with over 100 students to fit and a limited number of each size, this is not always possible. We may need to issue a blazer in the next size up for some students - we ask for your understanding if this happens for your child.

Second hand performance uniforms

There is a limited supply of second hand music uniform items available in the Uniform Shop - cash only for second hand music uniforms. All funds raised from second hand music uniforms will go back into the music program to purchase new instruments and support music events for our students.

Donations gratefully accepted

Has your child tried on their music uniform recently to see if it still fits? If you have any music uniform items you no longer need, please consider donating them to the MSG for sale (they can be dropped into the Uniform Shop when open, or to the school office any time).

Music levies

The school is now collecting the choir, instrumental music and instrument loan levies instead of the MSG. Please contact the school administration if you have any questions about payment of levies.

Attendance at rehearsals

If your child is absent from lessons or rehearsals, please send an email to your ensemble conductor:

Mrs Kristensen (Choir): gkris11@eq.edu.au

Mrs Rosewarne (Band): rrose42@eq.edu.au

Mrs Price (Strings): pric211@eq.edu.au

Bilingual Support Network バイリンガルサポートネットワーク

Are you Interested in engaging more with the school's Bilingual Program to enrich your child's experience?

Join like-minded parents working to support the program in a range of ways. Contact the Bilingual Support Network (bsnwhss@gmail.com) to find out more!



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