



Willans Hill
School

news from the hill

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Information evening

Parents were invited to attend our 2016 Parent Information night in the school hall on Tuesday, 9 February. This was an opportunity for parents and carers to find out more about the different programs within the school and to meet the staff. It was lovely to meet those parents that attended and hopefully I will have an opportunity to catch up with those that did not attend.

Change of Middle and Senior School Leaders

We would like to inform parents and carers that due to a number of circumstances we have had to swap our middle and senior school leaders.

The middle school will be headed by Christine Brickhill.

Peter and Anne in 7-9CI (Pink)
Shirley and Owen in 6-8T (Purple)
Christine and Lyn in 6-9B (Aqua)

The senior school will be lead during Term 1 by Amanda Cappello.

Amanda and Jane in 9-10C (Yellow)
Marg and Leanne in 11-12M (Green)
Jason and Anthea in 9-11S (Orange)

Gabby

Reminders:

- Please return any Health Care Plans and Media Consents.
- P & C AGM at 7:30 in the staffroom. All are welcome to attend.
- Personalised Planning meetings will be held this term in weeks 5 and 6. Teachers will provide parents with available days and times in the coming weeks. Parents are an important part of the planning process and their input is extremely valuable in helping staff support students achieve learning outcomes. We strongly encourage you to attend these meetings.
- Students are required to wear closed in shoes. This is a Department of Education requirement.
- Year 7 Immunisation forms with Medicare numbers need to be returned by Tuesday.

If you have any questions regarding your child's progress or concerns about their learning and wellbeing then please do not hesitate to contact the front office to make an appointment with the classroom teacher.



Lisa Parnell is the support person transition for the Wagga Area. The focus of Lisa's role is to assist staff, families and students to best prepare for the post school environment. Lisa develops and supports various programs that aim to develop independent living skills, work readiness and community connections.



Fiona Crakanthorp is the Job Coach at Willans Hill School. Fiona's role is to promote and support work readiness in school and to organise work experience placements.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Thu 18th Feb | Yr 7 Immunisation – Please return forms |
| Fri 19th Feb | Uniform orders due |
| Wed 24th Feb | P&C AGM 7:30pm in the staffroom |
| Week 5 & 6 | Personalised Planning Meetings |

**WOW
OF THE
WEEK!**



Josh Schroder is WOW of the Week

Josh has had an outstanding start to his school year and his leadership responsibilities. Josh has been applying himself in all aspects of his learning, especially his writing.

Fabulous work!!

WOW!

6/8T getting into the swing of things for 2016!



CLASS AWARDS

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| Class K-1U | Elijah Yang | Great participation in all lessons |
| Class 1-6M | Danielle Steele | Showing maturity in all areas especially reading |
| Class 2-6S | Cooper Camery | Independently using different addition strategies |
| Class 7-9CI | Ryan Nechvatal | Lifting objects then describing if they were heavy or light in maths |
| Class 6-8T | Cooper Hille | Increased focus on Smartboard activities |
| Class 6-9C | Emily Baldwin | Excellent work using words to spell other words |
| Class 9-10B | Jaiden Martin | Outstanding effort in all aspects of his class work |
| Class 9-11S | Cody Winnel | Active participation during WWW activities |
| Class 11-12M | Josh Schroder | Awesome writing |
| LIBRARY | Elijah Yang | A very settled start to sport and lessons in the library |
| | Chloe Blanchard | Amazing thinking during shared reading |
| | Ephram Abdel-Malak | Fantastic responses and interest in 'Green Eggs and Ham'. |

Writing Awards

Junior School
Middle School
Senior School

Caleb Brydon
Emily Whittaker
Chayse Camery

Football 4 All - Correction

Please note Football 4 All commences on Saturday 9 April not 9 March as advertised last week.
Sorry for any inconvenience.

