

Today's effort, tomorrow's success

171 Archer Street Woodford QLD 4514

Woodford P-10 State School News June 2022

News from the Principals' Desk

Bronwyn Raponi – Principal



Welcome to Week 10 Term 2 2022

Congratulations staff and students for another amazing term. I appreciate the resilience shown by students through all the rain and flooding, and not being able to use our oval for some weeks. It has been rewarding seeing students playing football and tag as well as playing on the playground equipment in the last two weeks. Students are looking forward to school athletics. I hope you all have a safe and enjoyable holiday.

Explicit Improvement Agenda 2022

- Review and refine non-negotiable Pedagogical Practices to enhance teaching and learning
- Students achieving a "C" or better in English, Maths, Science and specialised subjects in Secondary

Staff Movement for Term 3

Ronnie Hill - Principal

Bronwyn Raponi – Deputy Principal

Kerry Larson – Head of Department – Curriculum (Primary)

Karli Drzystek - Head of Department – Curriculum (Secondary)

Tony Aldis - Head of Department – Curriculum (Secondary)

Semester 1 Report Cards

Report Cards will be emailed to parents Week 2 of Term 3.

Teachers use the student's assessment folio, at the end of each semester to determine the overall level of achievement in each learning area. Please ensure that if you have any questions about your student's progress, please contact the office to make an appointment with their teachers.







Under Eights Day

Thank-you to Mrs Henry and the P-2 staff for organising another fun-packed Under Eights Day. Thank-you to the volunteers who helped on the day. The team provided a few different activities this year that were enjoyed by all. Can't wait for Under Eights Day 2023!







Primary Debating

Woodford P-10 State School hosted an Interschool Debating Program with our cluster schools this term. Students participated in activities that concentrated on the protocols around debating. The teachers were very impressed at the students' skills and creativity. Congratulations to our Primary Debating Team who participated on the day.



NAIDOC Week

Students have been invited to submit a written Acknowledgement to Country as part of NAIDOC week. (4-11 July) It's an opportunity to show action towards reconciliation and perhaps win a prize for those acknowledgements that stand out. A box for submissions is in The Hub and students have until Friday week 10 to submit. All students are encouraged to enter. All entries will receive a Woodford Star token. Tuckshop voucher awards for outstanding entrees will be announced early term 3. NAIDOC signs have been created under the direction of Arts teacher Mr Lang. Students from various primary classes have put their handprints on the canvas and helped create the message for NAIDOC week: Get Up! Stand Up! Show Up!











Athletics

Finally, the oval dried out after all the rain and we were able to hold our Primary Athletics Carnival. Congratulations to all students as participation and behaviour was excellent. Thank-you Mr Appelman for organising a wonderful carnival.

We are looking forward to the Secondary Athletics Carnival after the holidays.







Cluster Instrumental Music Workshop

This Thursday Woodford P-10 State School hosted our first Cluster Schools Instrumental Workshop. Students from other schools have been invited to participate in musical workshops, and to experience a chance to play in a large group. Thank-you Mrs Dodds for organising this day.





School Uniform

To achieve our school goals, there must be expectations and standards maintained with regard to uniform and personal presentation. Students attending Woodford P-10 State School are required to wear the correct school uniform at school, including excursions and sport and while going to and from school. All students have been reminded of the uniform policy in the school on parades and in class. As the weather is becoming cooler, students are reminded to continue to ensure that they are complying with the Student Dress Code. If you have any concerns around uniforms please contact the office staff. If students are not able to wear correct items to school, please provide a note to teachers or please ring the school explaining reasons.

Safe and Supportive School Environment

Karli Drzystek – Deputy Principal



Explore Experience Evolve Extend

Our Year 6 into 7 transition event was held on Tuesday 21 June. The Woodford and Delaney's Creek Year 6 students, as well as students who have expressed an interested in Year 7 2023 had the opportunity to explore and experience Junior Secondary at Woodford. Students participated in HPE, Design and Technologies, Art and Science activities as well as a Junior Secondary quiz and information session. There was basketball and 'Just Dance' at break times and a tour of the Secondary area for prospective Woodford students.













Japanese Festival

Our Year 8 students culminated their Japanese learning with a focus on Japanese Festivals. Students worked in teams to investigate a festival in the Japanese calendar and then produce an activity popular during that festival or a display of information and artefacts. Classes from across the school were invited to attend the event and join in the fun! Activities included sumo *Just Dance*, mask making, paper lantern making, colouring sheets, origami, food sampling and Daruma Otoshien, which involves hitting thin cylinder pieces from a stack with a *mallet* one by one, bringing *down* the daruma head without the rest toppling over.









Student Code of Conduct

Here are the expectations we have focussed on the past few weeks. Please discuss with your child/ren what these mean to them, at school and even at home. We have provided links to YouTube clips that align with our expectations for you to watch together.

Being Responsible – We make decisions that help us be successful and happy

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n OTzBMf7rw

Being Resilient – We are open to critical feedback

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cYdLmj5jQKQ

Seeing Results – We are organised and prepared

Being Resilient - We reflect on all experiences

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=azftoaZLLeo

















News from Junior Secondary

Simon Pendergast - HOD Years 7-8

Tony Aldis - HOD Years 9-10





Year 10 Work Experience

Thanks to the support of a number of local businesses, 24 of our Year 10 students are out this week to investigate the world of work. While covering industries as diverse as diesel mechanic, childcare provider, veterinarian and hairdresser, our Year 10s will complete a Work Placement Journal where they can reflect on the skills they have refined and receive valuable feedback from their host employers. We wish them all the best.











Japanese Matsuri

On the 17 June the year 8's hosted a Japanese festival. We invited the year 4-6 students to join in with the many activities planned. Some of the highlights were, Japanese games, making masks, lanterns and origami. We even had a dancing sumo and chocolate covered bananas. It was wonderful to see students across different age groups working together and enjoying Japanese culture.







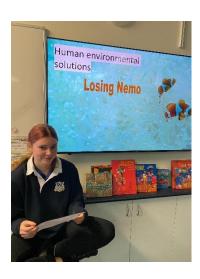


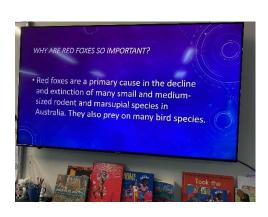


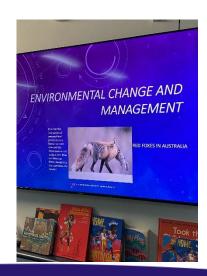


Year 10 Geography

Year 10 Geography students impressed with their research work and proposed strategies for managing environmental change.



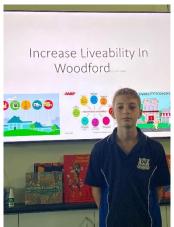




Year 7

Mrs Smith became the mayor and students took on the role of local councillors as they pitched their creative and practical ideas to improve liveability in Woodford.









Year 6 into 7 Transition Event





















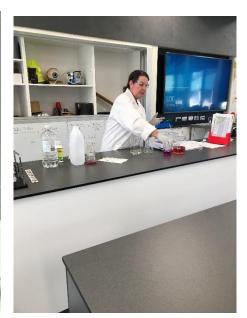












Junior Secondary Information Session

All Year 5 and 6 families are invited to the Junior Secondary Information Session on Wednesday 27 July from 3:15-4:15.

Woodford P-10 State School



2023 Year 7 Transition Events

Dear Parents/Carers of Year 6 Students

Welcome to Woodford P-10 State School's Transition Events program for students commencing

Year 7 in 2023

We are excited to meet your family to showcase all that Woodford P-10 State School can offer your child as they begin their journey into secondary schooling

YEAR 7 TRANSITION INFORMATION SESSION

Learn about Year 7 at Woodford P-10 State School

Meet Staff, Access Information, Take a Guided Tour, Choir Performance, Light Refreshments 27 JULY 3.15 - 4.15pm

Meet at the Administration Gate

EXPLORE EXPERIENCE EVOLVE EXCEL

TUESDAY 21 JUNE

9.00AM — 2.20PM

The day begins with a welcome and program outline followed by rotating activities in Art, Design and Technology, Science, HPE and 'Life as a Junior Secondary Student Quiz'. This transition event allows students the opportunity to meet with teachers and future classmates, explore our Secondary Department while experiencing life as a Junior Secondary Student at Woodford P-10 State School.

CURRICULUM

MONDAY 28 NOVEMBER

9.00 — 11.00 AM

This half-day event focuses on supporting transition into the classroom. Students will participate in three Year 7 lessons (Maths, English and Science) to develop a sense of what it means to be a Junior Secondary student and will have the opportunity to visit the Junior Secondary area of the school and meet their future teachers.

INCURSION

TERM 1 2023

Date to be announced

This one-day event focuses on developing team building and leadership skills in our new Year 7 students. With the assistance of the Year 7 Core Teachers and the Year 10 House Captains, students will work through a variety of problem-based activities.

Enrolments are now open for 2023
Please contact the school office on 54225 333 to organise an Enrolment Pack

Junior Secondary schooling is an exciting time and we trust Woodford P-10 State School will prepare your child for a successful future while providing memories that will last a lifetime!



HOW IT ALL WORKS . . .

For more info or to download the info pack and application form:

Give us a buzz on 3240 8900 (press 1)
 Go to www.atsichsbrisbane.org.au/ybps

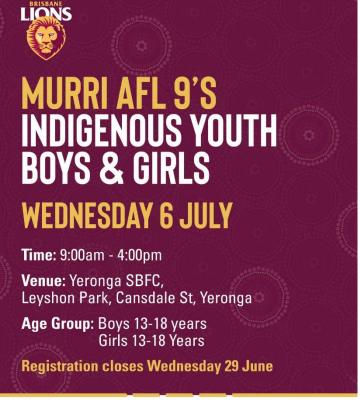
























News from Primary

Kerry Larson - HOC



Stem at Woodford P-10 State School

STEM provides many benefits for students. It encourages teamwork, builds resilience and fosters creativity.

Here at Woodford P-10 State School, we are lucky to have amazing teachers that bring creativity and fun into curriculum lessons via STEM activities on a regular basis. Year Six students recently had the opportunity to engage with Spheros on the ipads. They had lots of fun navigating courses, setting up races and learning to program the Sphero to drive itself back to the basket. Year Two students have been busy creating spinning tops and evaluating designs to see what makes the spinning tops spin faster and longer.

Our littlest learners in Prep have been constructing houses for the Three Little Pigs out of different materials. They have a pretty good idea of which one will be the hardest for the big bad wolf to blow down. They have also set to work on building a bridge for the Three Billy Goats Gruff.









Debating

On Monday June 5, Woodford P-10 State School hosted the first series of quick debates for our local debating cluster. Six of our Year 6 students had the opportunity to compete in a series of quick debates. The students spent some time in the lead up week preparing and becoming familiar with debating protocols. Our teams did an excellent job on the day, with both teams winning their debates.

We look forward to next term taking part in a formal debate and refining our debating skills even further.





Under 8's Day

Last Friday, we celebrated Under 8's Day and it was the best by far! There were so many favourite activities. Younger children from the community also came to join in the fun.

Our Under 8's and many Parents/Carers enjoyed the Petting Zoo, Science Experiments, Putt Putt Golf, Yoga and Mindfulness Colouring, 10 Pin Bowling, Face Painting, Apple Slinkies, Emergency Services, Mural Painting, Treasure Hunt, Racing Central, Australian Photo Booth, Mural Painting and more!

Thank you to all who supported this fun day, including a very special thank you to our local Emergency Services and Woodford Woolworths for their wonderful support and contributions!

The children can't wait until next year's annual event.





Charlotte's Web

2/3C and 3A were busy performing procedures in class last week. They have been reading and analysing the novel "Charlotte's Web" this term. For their assessment, students chose a character from the story and created a procedure to present to the class as that character. We had some awesome outfits and it was an amazing effort by all! Mrs Robinson, Miss Cantrell and Miss K were very proud!











State of Origin Free Dress























Indigenous Art

Recently the Preppies and Year One students have been learning about indigenous art and 'Acknowledgement of Country.' They were very interested and engaged in learning.



Sir Thomas Brisbane Planetarium

The Year 5 students went on an excursion to the Sir Thomas Brisbane Planetarium to learn about outer space and the different elements of our solar system.





Teddy Bear's Picnic!

2/3C have a marble jar they try to fill every term. This term their chosen reward was a Teddy Bear's Picnic! Today they are out enjoying some games in the sun and each other's company.



Prep -2 Rewards Day PJ Party!



News from Diverse Learning

Sharon Oakes – Deputy Principal Diverse Learning

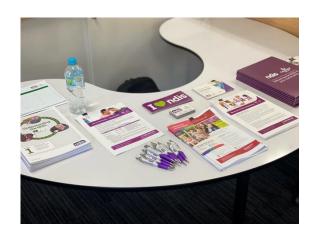


NDIS Workshop

Carers Queensland visited all the schools in the Mountain View Cluster (Woodford P-10 State School, Wamuran State School, Delaneys Creek State School and Mount Mee State School) and delivered an information session on navigating NDIS. They discussed the eligibility criteria, the process to apply, the information that you need and where to go for more information. These sessions were very informative and helpful for our families.

If you would like to book for a one to one session with a Carer's Queensland Co-ordinator at Woodford P -10 State School on Tuesday 23rd August please contact Sally on 5422 5333 or email shoga48@eq.edu.au







Pause Program

Woodford Students have been participating in Pause Program this year. Here are the Prep A students learning about "Mindful Seeing" so they can observe themselves, others, and their surroundings in greater detail.

- When we practice seeing with mindful attention, we observe more detail in what we are seeing.
- Mindful seeing is done quietly so that the amygdala is calm which allows the Prefrontal Cortex to collect the data that you need.

Students doing the memory tray activity





We are here to help you understand how to access the NDIS

Carers Queensland is working with the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) to deliver the Local Area Coordination Partner in the Community Program.

If you have a disability that significantly impacts your daily life activities, or you know someone who does, we can help you understand the NDIS and how to apply for access to the Scheme, including:

- NDIS eligibility criteria
- The process to apply
- What information you need to provide
- Where to go for more information

There will be a select number of 30 minute one to one sessions available for families to discuss NDIS access or your current NDIS plan.

How to book a session

If you would like to book one of these sessions, please contact the Diverse Learning Administration Officer Sally Hogan on 07 5422 5333 or email shoga48@eq.edu.au

Date	Time	Where	
Tuesday 23rd August 2022	Individual session times	Woodford P-10 State School,	
W 5	from 9am onwards.	171 Archer Street,	
		Woodford, QLD 4514	

Let's keep everyone safe!

- . Stay at home if you are unwell or have a cough, fever, sore throat, fatigue or shortness of breath.
- Stay at home if you have been in contact with a COVID-19 case or have returned from overseas or a
 hotspot in the last 14 days.
- Remember to practice 1.5 metres physical distancing, good hand hygiene and cough etiquette.
- If you become unwell during the event let our staff know if you need any assistance, but continue to
 observe the 1.5 metres distancing.

To start your NDIS journey, connect with us today.

1300 999 636
 □ cq.enquiries@ndis.gov.au

Sporting News

District Cross Country

Recently, the District Cross Country was held at St Michael's Caboolture. A number of our selected primary students attended and ran their hearts out. Amongst the squelch of wet grass there were some amazing results including 2 students that have now qualified to run in the Regional Cross Country. Woodford finished with 7 in the top 20 in various races.

Isola Lobley and Reggie Stuckey now have the opportunity to compete at the next level after both achieving 4th place.

Our best wishes go with them



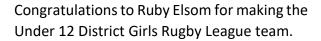








Reggie Stuckey and Isola Lobley- Participated in Regional Cross Country held at Noosa. Both students did an amazing job representing the school.





Kilcoy Gala Day



























Primary Athletics Carnival







































Tuckshop News

International Food Day Japan





Athletics Carnival Tuckshop Menu Thursday 14 July

Wood 1x GoGo Blue Slushie 2x Ham & Cheese Pocket 1x Cookie \$7.00	Archer 1x Raspberry Juice Bomb 1x Hot Dog 1 x Cookie \$7.00	Stanley 1x GoGo Yellow Slushie 1x Dino Burger 1 x Cookie \$7.00	
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AVALIABLE BOTH BREAKS

Frozen Icy cups \$1.50 Jam or Nutella Donuts \$2.00

All orders MUST be placed either online or handed into the Tuckshop by 9am Thursday Normal Tuckshop menu will also be available.







State of Origin Tuckshop Specials Wednesday 13 July

QLD MEAL DEAL

HOT DOG & SAUCE JUICE BOMB ICECREAM WITH STRAWBERRY TOPPING

\$7.50

NSW MEAL DEAL

CHEESE BURGER JUICE BOMB ICECREAM WITH TOPPING

\$7.50



Available both breaks

QLD Maroons Icy Cup \$1.00 Jam Donut \$2.00 Nutella Donut \$2.00

QLD Maroons Cookie \$1.00



Orders <u>must be</u> dropped off to the Tuckshop by <u>9am Wednesday 13 July</u>
<u>Please note:</u> there will be **NO** online ordering for the special meal deals

Normal Tuckshop menu will still be available on this day.

Come Dressed on the day in your Team Colours!

STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR SCHOOL APPROPRIATE CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR

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TUCKSHOP VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED!!!

The school tuckshop is in urgent need of volunteers to keep this invaluable service operating every Wednesday, Thursday and Friday for our students.

If you can volunteer for 1 hour, 1 day or even a few days a term then we would love to hear from you!

The tuckshop is a great way to meet new people, give back to your child's school community and learn new skills.

Please contact the school office for more information. 5422 5333



Menu



Toastie Meal

\$6

Toasted Ham & Cheese Sandwich

Cookie

Popper Juice

Pocket Meal

\$5.50

Toasted Ham & Cheese Pocket

TNT

Flavoured Milk

Burger Meal

\$6.50

Dino Burger TNT Slushee

Birthday Iceblock Bucket

\$15

If your child has a birthday coming up, order them a surprise Birthday Bucket! Each student and teacher will receive a Quelch Iceblock in your child's classroom.

ORDER YOURS NOW ONLINE!

Eat Well .FEEL. GREAT



EFTPOS NOW AVAILABLE



ORDER ONLINE TODAY!





Uniform Shop News

Uniforms and Cold Weather

With the cold weather forecast this week please ensure your child comes dressed in warm, school appropriate uniform.

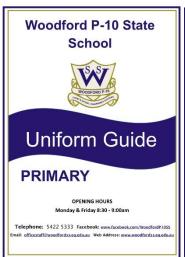
School uniform expectations-

- Regional Primary and Secondary jumpers are now available from the uniform shop.
- Navy blue winter items such as track pants, skivvy's (under polo) winter stockings, gloves etc. can be worn and/or purchased through local retail outlets.

Items must be plain with no logos, designs, or stripes.

- Please ensure all items are clearly named.
- Secondary students may wear black jeans if navy is unavailable.

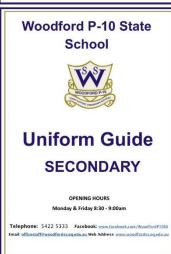
Uniform Shop Opening hours are 8:30-9am Mondays and Fridays. If you have any questions, please contact the office 5422 5333

















Chappy News



Collective Action Team

Chappy Amy has formed a collective action team with a group of students. Besides learning about the environmental impact of litter, the students learned about cooperation, collaboration and communication. More to come from this amazing team!



Term 2 Academic Awards























Awards













Calendar



Woodford P-10 State School – Term 3 Calendar 2022

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
W 1	11-Jul Chappy Support	12-Jul Chappy Support Secondary Study Session	13-Jul State of Origin Special Tuckshop Tuckshop	14-Jul Early Bird Breakfast Secondary Athletics Carnival Tuckshop	15-Jul Tuckshop
W 2	18-Jul Chappy Support	19-Jul Chappy Support Secondary Study Session Plastic Free Day	20-Jul Tuckshop	21-Jul Early Bird Breakfast Prep Maleny Dairy Excursion Tuckshop	22-Jul Tuckshop
W 3	25-Jul Chappy Support	26-Jul Chappy Support Secondary Study Session	27-Jul Junior Secondary Information Event	28-Jul Early Bird Breakfast Primary District Athletics	29-Jul Primary District Athletics
			Tuckshop	Tuckshop	Tuckshop
W 4	01-Aug Chappy Support	O2-Aug Chappy Support Year 9 Camp Information Session Secondary Study Session Secondary Student Progress Interviews	03-Aug Tuckshop	04-Aug Early Bird Breakfast Tuckshop	O5-Aug P & C Pie Drive Orders Due Tuckshop
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W 5	08-Aug Chappy Support	09-Aug Secondary Study Session Year 9 Camp Information Session Chappy Support	10-Aug Tuckshop	11-Aug Early Bird Breakfast Speed Soccer Carnival Secondary District Athletics Tuckshop	12-Aug Secondary District Athletics Tuckshop
W 6	15-Aug Chappy Support Science Week Yr 9 Leadership Camp	16-Aug Chappy Support Secondary Study Session Yr 9 Leadership Camp	17-Aug Yr 9 Leadership Camp	18-Aug Early Bird Breakfast Yr 9 Leadership Camp P & C Pie Drive Delivery	19-Aug
			Tuckshop	Tuckshop	Tuckshop
W 7	22-Aug Chappy Support Book Week Book Fair	23-Aug Chappy Support Year 10 ATO Tax and Super Work Ready Visit Secondary Study Session Book Week Book Fair	24-Aug Book Week Book Fair Tuckshop	25-Aug Book Week Book Fair Early Bird Breakfast Tuckshop	26-Aug Book Week Book Fair Tuckshop
W 8	29-Aug Chappy Support	30-Aug Chappy Support Secondary Study Session	31-Aug Tuckshop P & C Father Day Stall Tuckshop	01-Sep P & C Father Day Stall P & C Colour Fun Run Early Bird Breakfast Tuckshop	02-Sep Student Free Day
W 9	05-Sep Chappy Support	O6-Sep Chappy Support Secondary Study Session Secondary Justin Hodges 9s	07-Sep Tuckshop	08-Sep Early Bird Breakfast Tuckshop	09-Sep Tuckshop
W 10	12-Sep Chappy Support	13-Sep Chappy Support Secondary Study Session	14-Sep Tuckshop	15-Sep Early Bird Breakfast Tuckshop Valley Champs	16-Sep Tuckshop