



WINTERFOLD

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From the Admin Team

Term 3 Week 10, 25 September 2013

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Community Members,

What a hardy lot the students, staff and parents from Winterfold are! The forecast was bleak, the rain was ever-present, but the spirit and enthusiasm of everyone on the day was remarkable. We believe that there were as many parents there on the day as in previous (fine) years. The hotdogs and cakes, coffee and drinks were seriously consumed – and our students were “brilliant in the wet”. The Dockers would be proud of our school!

Our P&C had around 14 volunteers working on the day to keep everything happening and our thanks go to everyone who contributed. And in terms of contributing – what a range of cakes! Many thanks to our parents who supported the P&C on the day.

The school grounds looked a treat thanks to the hard work of our gardener, Ivan, and many parents were complimentary of his work on the day.

Many schools have had to cancelled their carnivals completely, but it was important for us to allow those kids who love and excel at athletics their moment in the sun – and it was only a moment! But our eyes were also firmly on our Interschool Carnival being held today. We managed to get through 118 events which is amazing.

Thursday evening sees us holding our Edu-Dance concert in our undercover area – and again we need to acknowledge and thank our students, staff and P&C for putting it all together. We trust that all parents will come along on the evening and support the P&C sausage sizzle and other offerings as this is how the P&C recoup the (nearly) \$3000 they donated to subsidise the cost of Edu-Dance so that all families could afford to participate.

And finally, we wrap the term up on Friday with Mr K's Music Assembly which should be fantastic, and then Reward Day which will be a movie, drink and popcorn.

Third term is very busy at WPS, and as the term draws to a close, can I sincerely thank the staff of WPS – they are just so hardworking and professional and really care about all aspects of our students' development.

Cheers
The Admin Team

Will you be leaving us at the end of this year?

Winterfold Primary School is starting to plan classes for 2014. We hope everyone will be returning to us next year but do realise there are varying reasons why some students won't be coming back. To help the school start putting together classes, can all parents of current Pre Primary to Year 6 students please contact the school if your child/ren **are not** returning to WPS next year?

A letter, phone call or email to

Winterfold.ps@education.wa.edu.au would be very much appreciated.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Commencing Thursday 8 August and then every Thursday during Term 3

- ◆ Edu-Dance for students from Pre Primary through to Year 7

Thursday 26 September

- ◆ Edu-Dance Concert commencing at 7pm - information flyer distributed with last newsletter

Friday 27 September

- ◆ Reward Day - Movie Screening
Pre Primary to Year 3 will be viewing *Madagascar 3*
Year 4 to 7 will be viewing *The Croods*
See separate note being distributed with this newsletter
- ◆ Free Dress - Bring a gold coin donation for Oxfam
- ◆ Music Assembly in the PAC
- ◆ Gift Card draw for those families who have paid their 2013 Voluntary Contributions
- ◆ Last Day of Term 3

Monday 14 October

- ◆ Staff Professional Development Day
Student Free Day

Tuesday 15 October

- ◆ Students return for commencement of Term 4

Wednesday 16 October

- ◆ Canteen CLOSED

Friday 18 October

- ◆ Canteen OPEN as normal

P&C News

Thanks to everyone for an amazing effort last Friday for Winterfold's Annual Sports Day. In particular a HUGE thanks to the Mums and Dads who worked hard organising, setting up and manning the cake stalls, drinks stalls and barbeque. Despite the patches of rain everyone stayed positive and focused and many hands ended up making light work for all involved.



A big thank you also to our school community for donating a beautiful selection of cakes, biscuits and sweets for the cake stall – photos included. We are asking you again to bring along a cake or something similar as a donation to our cake stall for the Edu-Dance Concert this Thursday evening. We also have a few people who have graciously volunteered to help again on the evening so if you are able to help serve some soup or make tea and coffee or sell some of the yummy cakes we would love to have you join us. We won't be serving during the performance so everyone will have the opportunity to see their children on stage.

Thanks again to everyone for your efforts on the P&C for Term 3 and we look forward to wrapping up the year with another event or more in Term 4.



Parents, please note that the canteen **WILL NOT** be open on **Wednesday 16 October** but will commence operating as normal from **Friday 18 October**.

Thank you.

Happy Holidays!

P&C Uniform Shop News

The new jackets and skirts have been available for a few weeks now. These two new products tick all the boxes for durability and comfort. Our new suppliers are able to provide quality custom made garments at a great price. But manufacture is not quick and it takes 10 weeks to get our uniform orders. So to ensure your family is ready for 2014 we need **all families** to pre-order their uniforms before the end of term. So remember to place your uniform pre-order in today, **Wednesday 25 September**.

The Uniform Shop is open every Monday so come along and fit your child/ren for their correct size.

Please note that the first Term 4 open day for the uniform shop will be Monday 21 October.

Thank you for your co-operation and support.
Leah and Nat

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Ages 5+

Please contact:
Carmel Robinson on 0423 498 915

2013 Sports Carnival

Congratulations to Dolphin faction who won the Sports Carnival and the Teams Games Shield. A wonderful day was had by all and the students should be commended on their behaviour on what was an unpredictable event due to extreme weather. The following students are our Champions for 2013:

| Year | Champion Boy | Champion Girl |
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| Pre Primary | Oscar Matthee | Abi Hill |
| Year 1 | Renz Caretas | Meili Deng |
| Year 2 | Tyson Elverd | Kuleng Forgol |
| Year 3 | Xavier Haddon | Sarah Baines |
| Year 4 | Elliot Martin | Ilaria Valtolina |
| Year 5 | Henry Miller | Aleisha Pickett |
| Year 6 | Milomir Kovacevic | Annika Wohlleben |
| Year 7 | Tom Leckie | Eva Lowe |

Kiefer Sheehy Hebb, Tom King, Oscar Matthee and Jake Sweetman give the thumbs up to the day!



Ruby Goodwin, Josie Frymuth, Kathleen Noguerraza & Shudia Forgol enjoying our Sports Carnival.