



Wauchope High School Newsletter



Term 3 Week 10 Friday 27th September 2019

2020 SCHOOL CAPTAINS



School Captains

Chad McGovern & Ellen McKittrick



School Vice Captains

Chloe Bennetts & Matthew Gibbs

APEX PUBLIC SPEAKING



Tyler and Jordan took top honours in the APEX Public Speaking contest last weekend.

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Key Dates Term 4

Last Day of Term 3	Friday 27th September
First Day of Term 4	Monday 14th October
Year 8 & 9 Yearly Exams	Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November
Year 7 & 10 Yearly Exams	Monday 4th November to Friday 8th November
Remembrance Day	Monday 11th November
Year 12 Formal	Thursday 14th November
Year 7 2020 Orientation Day	Tuesday 3rd December

Year 12 Assembly and Final Roll Call



Lions Club of Wauchope Award	<i>Caitlin Miller & Flynn Warburton</i>
Rotary Club of Wauchope Award	<i>Ella-Jai Nolland, Edward Muro & Shikira Porter</i>
Federal Member for Lyne Community Service Award	<i>Paris Rock</i>
Mid Coast Connect Award	<i>Jack Reynolds</i>
Reuben F Scarf Award	<i>Reece Anderson</i>
Wauchope Country Club Hospitality Award	<i>Lani Swinnerton</i>
Wauchope Country Club Primary Industry Award	<i>Lacey Hearfield</i>
Gabriel Mathematics Award	<i>Madeline Kennett</i>
Gabriel Mathematics Standard 2 Award	<i>Molly Styles</i>
Hastings Co-Op Award for Community Service	<i>Shannah Schroeder</i>
Year Advisors Award	<i>Kayla Turner</i>
Caltex All Rounder	<i>Molly Styles</i>
ADFA Long Tan Award	<i>Isaac Watson</i>
Sixth Place in Year 12	<i>Isaac Watson</i>
Fifth Place in Year 12	<i>Grace McKenzie</i>
Equal Third Place in Year 12	<i>Molly Styles</i>
Equal Third Place in Year 12	<i>Stephanie Hicks</i>
Equal WHS Outstanding Achiever 2019	<i>Madeline Kennett</i>
Equal WHS Outstanding Achiever 2019	<i>Sarah Phillips</i>





Year 11 Kitchen Operations



Apex Public Speaking Competition

On Saturday, 21st September, two Year 10 Wauchope High School students participated in the Apex Public Speaking competition. The competing students were Tyler Matthews and Jordan Relf. Tyler was the first speaker and he outlined the attributes of the fourth Industrial Revolution as well as where the future is headed, technology-wise! His speech was extremely engaging for both the young primary students (invisible climbing is always a hit!) as well as informative and entertaining for the other teachers and judges.

Jordan was the next to speak. She spoke about the intensity of gender inequality and the statistics behind it, from extremes of gender pay gap to violence against women. She also outlined what many women are facing in society today and why there is a bias about women in leadership. Jordan's strong use of humour and pop culture references (I use Dr Google myself!) landed hard with the audience, earning a loud round of applause at the completion of her speech.

Tyler was announced as the winner for the Apex Public Speaking competition with Jordan coming in an extremely close second place.

These students represented Wauchope High School with maturity and confidence and received their feedback with enthusiasm and poise.

A big thanks to Apex for organising this events and another thank-you for these two students for representing their school in such a sophisticated manner.

Miss Thomas.



Congratulations
to the students
who entered the
Australian History
Competition



Merit and Credit Awards



Congratulations
Gus for winning
the RUOK
poster
competition



Distinction and High Distinction Awards

Lessons in 'Etiquette'

Table etiquette was the focus of French lessons last week. Year 7 students were given the challenge of setting a formal table with three sets of knives, forks and spoons. There were some interesting combinations and discussions about the need for so much cutlery. Most parents would be happy if their children used just one knife and fork!

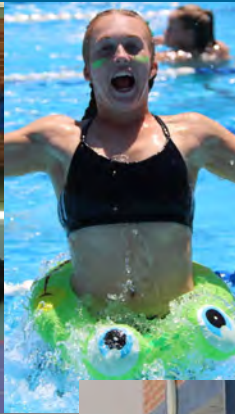


Upcoming Fieldwork for Year 10 Geographers

All Year 10 students will be engaging in a fieldtrip to Lake Cathie as part of their Stage 5 Geography course. This excursion is compulsory and will take place on Friday 25th October. Permission notes will be issued at the start of next term.



Goodbye and Good Luck Year 12



Faculty Excellence Awards

Every Monday on assembly a different faculty will be presenting their Faculty Excellence Awards. Students will be chosen for being consistently engaged and achieving academically within that subject area. Congratulations to the following students.



English

Year 9 Food Technology Assessment Task



OCTOBER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2019

GEMMA KIRKMAN AUTHOR VISIT

Friday 27 September 3:30pm
Port Macquarie Library

Gemma Kirkman lives in Melbourne, Australia and enjoys travelling, hiking and reading, when not hunched over a laptop. An avid reader of fantasy from a young age, she always got in trouble for reading at the dinner table.

'She is currently writing the third book in her fantasy adventure series "Skilled in Magic" and holds a Diploma in Professional Writing for children.'

THE BIG BOOK SWAP give a book - take a book Let's swap!

Saturday 3 October
10:00 - 11:30am
Port Macquarie Library

Bring your best (read and/or loved) books to swap and swap with others. Swap off from Friday 27 to Saturday 3 October. You'll swap tokens.

Info: See A & B or visit www.portmacquarie.org.au/school-holidays

All bookings via mnclibrary.org.au/school-holidays



**BRISBANE ROAR FC
HOLIDAY
SKILLS CLINIC**
WITH SOCCER GENIUS

WHEN: OCTOBER, 10 & 11: 9AM-1PM
WHERE: ALEXANDRIA SOCCER ACADEMY, PORT MACQUARIE
AGES: 8-16
COST: \$99 PER PLAYER
-INCLUDES ROAR T-SHIRT
-SOCCER GENIUS MEASUREMENTS AND RESULTS
REGISTER VIA: ROARACTIVE.COM.AU

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BAREFOOT BOWLS FOR CHARITY

17TH OCTOBER – 28TH NOVEMBER

7 WEEKS ON A THURSDAY NIGHT AT

WAUCHOPE COUNTRY CLUB

BE THERE AT 5:30PM FOR A 6PM START

TEAMS OF FOUR \$5.00 PER PERSON

IT DOESN'T MATTER IF YOU HAVEN'T PLAYED BOWLS BEFORE
WE HAVE BOWLS YOU CAN BORROW FROM THE CLUB AND
PEOPLE ON HAND TO SHOW YOU WHAT TO DO. YOU DON'T
HAVE TO COMMIT TO THE WHOLE 7 WEEKS. AND TEAM
PLAYERS CAN BE CHANGED WHEN NEEDED

IT'S ALL ABOUT HAVING FUN, MEETING NEW PEOPLE AND
RAISING MONEY FOR A LOCAL CHARITY. ALL MONEY AT THE
END OF THE 7 WEEKS GOES TO A

LOCAL CHARITY NOMINATED BY THE WINNING
CARD HOLDER. FOR MORE INFORMATION OR
TO BOOK IN A TEAM

CONTACT THE CLUB ON 65 85 3020 – BAR
EXTENSION



The Support Unit garden is
blooming, thanks to the efforts of
staff and students.