MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a beautiful day it was yesterday for our open tabloid day! It was great to see so many parents here participating in activities and I know the canteen was a very busy place making up all those lunch orders! Thanks to all for their contribution to the day. Well done to the leaders who did a great job, guided by Mr Cavanagh, with the ‘radio show’ at lunch time. Well done, too, to the Premier’s Sporting Challenge leaders, supported by Mr Newman, who did a wonderful job leading the tabloid activities. There was also an exhibition netball game that was very competitive and displayed great skills. Congratulations to the teams involved – Costa Rica and Columbia! The competition proper resumes tomorrow and it is the beginning of the 2nd round. It is wonderful to see so many students giving up their lunch times to play in the ‘Newman’s Netball’ competition.

Regards,
Liz Newman, Relieving Principal

Walk Safely to School Day
This week’s message:
Until your child is at least eight years old, hold their hand:
- On the footpath
- In the car park
- When crossing the road
Between eight and at least ten years old, supervise your child very closely, holding their hand when crossing the road.

JEANS FOR GENES DAY
This Friday August 1 is Jeans for Genes Day. Students are encouraged to wear jeans and give a gold coin donation. Students can also wear casual shirts with their jeans.

BOOK WEEK

Book Week will be held from Monday August 18 to Wednesday August 20. This year the theme for Book Week is “Connect to Reading”. Students may like to begin thinking about what costume they would like to wear in our Book Week Parade and begin preparations on their costumes. Costumes can be of any Book Character they like.

A Book Fair will operate throughout Book Week with an extensive range of books for purchase. All proceeds from the sale of the books will go towards the purchase of new books for our library. Our Costume Parade will be held on Wednesday August 20. Everyone is most welcome to attend.

We always have a wonderful selection of costumes and again look forward to seeing as many students as possible involved in the parade. We look forward to sharing this special event with many parents and friends.

SESQUICENTENARY OFFICIAL RECEPTION TICKETS

Tickets for the Official Reception to celebrate Wingham’s Sesquicentenary of Public Education are on sale. The evening of celebration is to be held in the auditorium at Wingham Services Club on Saturday night September 13. Tickets are $40 per person and can be purchased from the school office between 8.45am and 1.30pm. These tickets will be allocated on a first-in basis and must be paid for in full at the time of purchase.

Remember to check out the photo archives, where we have more than 500 great photos uploaded, with more to come. You can access the archives via the website:
ENROLMENTS FOR 2015
Forward planning is now underway. If you have a child who will start school next year, or you know someone who does, please obtain an enrolment form from the school office as soon as possible. Kindergarten students need to be 5 years of age on or before July 31, 2015 to be eligible to enrol in Kindergarten in 2015. You will need to present the following documentation:
- A completed enrolment form
- A birth certificate or current passport
- Proof of residency (drivers licence, council rates notice etc.)
- Immunisation History Statement

CANTEEN NEWS
Uniform Shop
Feeling the cold? The uniform shop has sourced out some great long pants for the boys (and girls!). They will be in stock as of Term 3. A great quality microfibre sporty long pant for $28. The uniforms that we sell through the uniform shop are always the best quality we can find and the best thing is that any profit we make goes back into the school to purchase much needed items for the children. Please support our uniform shop.

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playcricket.com.au

Wingham Sesquicentenary of Public Education
Official Reception
at Wingham Services Club Auditorium
From 6pm, Saturday September 13, 2014
TICKETS $40 per person
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