

NEWSLETTER WINGHAM HIGH SCHOOL

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Learning in an environment of RESPECT, TRUST, FAIRNESS & POSITIVITY

Dates to Remember

18 September Equine Studies Excursion

20 September Yr 12 Slave Auction

21 September Yr 12 Graduation Assembly

21 September Excellence Assembly

22 September Last day of Term 3

9 October Day 1 Term 4 - Students & Staff

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EFTPOS facilities available at the Accounts Office and the Canteen.



Year 8 High Achievers with Mr Paul Ivers. Harry Fittock, Charlie Taylor, Lincoln Harrell, Jordan Kane, Sarah Busuttil, Kathryn Deal and Elanor Deal.

From the Principal's Desk

Here we are at the end of another busy term. Whilst there are many busy people moving at a hectic pace it is also a great period where we can come up for breathe and celebrate the efforts and achievements of our young adults. Year 12 will be at their Farewell Assembly on Thursday in acknowledgement of 13 years of schooling. It is a mighty effort to work through the HSC and great achievement in itself. It is again important to remember that the job is only 'half-done' and a strong performance in the exams by all will produce that great feeling of accomplishment. We wish our students all the best and encourage a busy study schedule in the lead up to their HSC Examinations.

We will also be acknowledging the fantastic achievements of our student body on Thursday at our Excellence Assembly. This is always one of my favourite assemblies where I can sit back and absorb the great efforts and achievements of our numerous students. It is always an uplifting experience and sends me toward the holiday period on a high.

I wish all students and families a wonderful break and hope they have the opportunity to spend some time together and look forward to hitting the ground running in Term 4.



On August 31st Wingham High School Year 9 students were invited to Charles Sturt University - Port Macquarie for an open day. 38 students, accompanied by Mrs Clissold and Mr Austin took up the opportunity to see what tertiary study might look like.

Students participated in an Environmental Science Laboratory investigation into the impact of oil spills on marine bird life; a practical explanation on the basketball courts about how neurotransmitters work inside the human body; a campus tour through the student services building, the library and key learning spaces, and lastly were given a hands on opportunity to see the University's first class facilities for paramedic training. This included using life like resuscitation dummies for CPR training, ECG machines and splinting and slinging common injuries.

The students who attended were wonderful representatives of Wingham High and gained a great insight into what CSU - Port Macquarie has to offer, its hoped such experiences may help influence and guide their subject selections in year 10. Though judging by their skills shown at Giant Jenga in the student courtyard not too many Structural Engineers exist amongst the group.



Paper Planes

Year 7 students viewed the movie Paper Planes and studied the use of film techniques as part of their English unit, Teen Rivalry. The movie is about a young boy who represented Australia at the World Paper Plane Championships in Japan. To get in the spirit students participated in their own competition to see whose plane accumulated the most points after a number of throws. The winner was Jim Turner.













Year 7 High Achievers





Workshops for the Year 7 and 8 Outstanding Achievement Program were held recently. Students in Year 8 focused on their communication skills with a teamwork challenge and instruction in the finer points of public speaking. Our Year 7 group also participated in a teamwork challenge that involved problem solving and creativity.

The workshops aim to recognise and reward the achievements of students in Semester 1. It was a pleasure for teachers to spend time with such committed and motivated learners.



Year 7 High Achievers with Mr Paul Iver Amelia Hansen, Josiane De Souza Rodrigues, Isobel Butler-Kwa, Lea Urquhart, Emily Turner, Amber Loretan, Mia Polley



Year 7 History Class

Mr Harrell's Year 7 History/Geography class are just completing a subject on Ancient Egypt. Emily Turner and Tara Lawton were willing volunteers to act as Ancient Egyptian mummies as a fun way to 'wrap-up' the term.





These students spent their last year of school designing, planning, drawing and making a Major Project. Their projects could be virtually anything made substantially from timber and it must also be accompanied by a folio. Their Major Project contributes 40 marks towards the HSC, with a further 20 marks coming from the folio. The other 40 marks comes from the final exam.

The students that undertake these Major Projects spend 3 full school terms just making their jobs. They have to source all their own timber and they also spend a full week of the school holidays working at school on their projects. They are not on detention. They do this willingly, because they enjoy working on their own projects! It's a great course, where students are able to grow, especially as they take "ownership" of their projects. You can choose to study this course in Year 11 and Year 12. Scotty Brown.



Cricket themed TV entertainment unit Shane Manny



Golf themed chair **Reid Brown**



Queen bed with Lichtenburg features **Dominic Majkic**







Home Bar Jack Boyd



Aboriginal themed coffee table **Myles Mitchell-Deak**





Timber storage box Damien Sheridan





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Creative Industries Roadshow



On the 31st of August, four Year 10 students went to the Creative Industries Roadshow at Chatham High School. The main message from the day was about the importance of creativity for 21st century learners and employment. With technology continuing to advance at a rapid pace many jobs are becoming defunct or at least are partially being over-taken by computers. Some of the jobs our students will be doing in five years' do not even have a name or a title. New kinds of jobs are being developed all the time such as 'Drone Photographer' or 'Social Media Marketing'. So what university degrees do students need to ensure employment? A difficult question to answer, but one thing for sure is that the emphasis on creativity and innovation is moving to the forefront as these are the kinds of things technology can't do.....yet! The students participated in workshops in virtual reality and animation and discussed the many pathways into creative industries.



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Wingham High School • Summer Canteen Menu • 2017 & 2018

The CANTEEN is OPEN from 8am every day – please knock at the side door. For any special requirements please call in & have a chat with Judy.

REMEMBER to ORDER your LUNCH & RECESS (you're guaranteed to get what you want & it saves time in the line)

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Cheese & Ham English Muffin	\$2.50	NO hot water will be given out. NO Students in the canteen through lunch or recess .	the canteer	n through lunch or recess	
Fish Piece	\$2.50	COLD FOOD		ICE CONFECTIONS	S
Large Vege Spring Roll	\$2.50	Salad Roll (white or wholemeal) \$3	\$3.00 Pa	Paddle Pops	\$1.5(
Chicken Fingers	\$2.50			Icy Twist	\$1.5(
Chicken Cheese & Chilli Wrap	\$2.50	salad/egg & lettuce/ham, cheese & tomato/ \$2 chicken & lettuce/ Beef & Pickles	\$2.50 Mi	Mini Calypo	\$1.00
Sausage Roll	\$3.50	Chicken Lettuce & Mayo Roll \$3	\$3.00 Cy	Cyclones	\$2.0(
Tuna Mornay	\$3.00	Salad Wrap \$3	\$3.50 Fr	Frozen Yoghurt	\$2.5(
Mini Frittatas	\$2.00	with Chicken or Ham	\$4.00 Fr	Frozen Fruit Cups	\$1.5(
Baked Chicken Meal	\$4.50	E C	\$4.00 Lo	Low fat Ice Cream Cup	\$1.2(
Toasted Sandwich	\$2.50			Frozen Juice Cup	.80¢
Spaghetti & Meatballs	\$300			Frozen Jelly Sticks	.10c
Fried Rice	\$2.50			Frozen Fruit Pieces	.80
Garlic Bread	\$1.50	sar Salad	\$4.00	Whole	\$1.0(
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Cheese Burgers	\$3.00	Solude consist of lettice tomato beetmoot			
Hamburgers	\$3.50	onion, cucumber, carrot & low fat cheese.		Gluten Free	
Gourmet Chicken Burgers	\$4.00			Options	
Beef Stir Fry	\$3.50			Available	
VEGETARIAN HOT FOOD			/	only for orders	
Spinach & Cheese Roll \$3.50		Ì	cals		
Cheesy Mac \$2.50		may not be available contain vegetables. every day.	es.		
Vegetarian Noodle Salad \$3.00		Please Order.			
Caesar Salad \$3.00					

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DRINKS	
All Juices	\$2.50
Flavoured Milk (large)	\$3.00
Flavoured Milk (small)	\$2.00
Just Natural Flavoured Milk	\$3.50
Plain Milk	\$2.50
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Iced Tea (Low Sugar Lemon/Peach	\$3.00
600ml Water	\$1.50
750ml Water	\$2.50
Berry Active Water	\$3.20
Lemon Active Water	\$3.20
Orange Active Water	\$3.20
SNACKS	
Fruit Muffin	\$1.00
Fresh Fruit, whole or pieces	.80¢
Fresh Fruit Salad	\$2.00
Yoghurt Muesli Custard Cup	\$2.00
Fruit & yogurt cups	
Eucalyptus Cough Drops	.80¢
Chips 28gm	\$1.00

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MISCELLANEOUS

Aprons - Blue or White	\$10
OHS Packs (apron, goggles, ear plugs, dust mask)	\$20
Visual Arts Diaries	\$7

Community Info



Wingham Swimming Club Inc



Invites you to join our club each Wednesday from 6pm from 4/10/17 till 23/3/18, for a fun night of swimming races and activities for the entire family.

Ages 3 and over including adults can swim.

Barbeque is held each night

Cost is \$84 which includes silicon WSC swim cap.

Normal Pool entry still applies

Under 8's are free to join.

For the more competitive swimmers, Wingham Swimming Club hosts a qualifying carnival in December and an under 8's carnival in February.

The first 2 nights are free for new members to come along to try it out.

For further information contact:

Mez on 0411260939 or

Jo on 0422154015

WINGHAM JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB

Registrations for all age divisions are now open online at playcricket.com.au.

> Contact Sarah for further information on 0423 581 184.

We want girls!! To play cricket

Girls-only competition Manning Valley-Wide Wednesday afternoons

Contact Jenni McLeod jennim111@dodo.com.au or Dennis Smith 0428 525327 Part of the Wingham Junior Cricket Club

TAREE TORNADOES





ALL GAMES AT SAXBY BASKETBALL STADIUM For further details check Facebook or call the stadium: 65517456 or 0407517456