Presentation Days
Please be reminded that our two Presentation Days will be on Tuesday 1 December for children in Years 3 to 6 and on Wednesday 2 December for children in Kindergarten to Year 2. Both Presentation Ceremonies will commence at 9:30am. I am very much looking forward to recognising and rewarding many of our fantastic students.

School Spectacular
Our Wauchope PS choir are currently having another sensational experience and will be performing at the Sydney Entertainment Centre this week. The boys and girls left by train on Tuesday and will return on Sunday. Thank you Mrs Dignum and Mrs Brassey for making this trip possible.

K-2 Concert
I know the K-2 boys and girls have been practising for this fun event on Wednesday 9 December. All will be welcome to attend.

Semester 2 Reports
Teachers are currently writing your child’s Semester 2 report. These will be sent home on Friday 11 December.

Year 7 Orientation Day
All children commencing at a government high school in 2016 will have an orientation day next Thursday 3 December. The children will enjoy a BBQ, meet staff, participate in lessons and explore Wauchope High School.

Swimming Scheme
Thank you to all involved. I know the children have greatly benefited for this.

Don’t DIS my Ability - 3 December
This campaign celebrates the diversity and ability of people with disability. More information can be found at www.dontdismyability.com.au.
Phil Hughes

It was about this time last year that cricketer Phil Hughes passed away. I know they will pay tribute to him at the first ever day/night Test match at Adelaide oval starting tomorrow.

Last day of 2015
The last day for students to attend is Wednesday 16 December.

Choir
Good luck to the Choir who will perform for the Wauchope Senior Citizens on Wednesday afternoon.

Aunty Helen Farewell
We will have a farewell assembly for Aunty Helen on Friday 4 December commencing at 10.30am. All are welcome to attend.

Cameron Osborne

Phil Hughes

P & C NEWS
Canteen Roster Term 4 Week 9
Monday 30  Kelli D
Tuesday 1    Hazel F
Wednesday 2  Angela H
Thursday 3    Jacki, Lyn H
Friday 4      Katrina W, Anne-Marie C

Thank you for all your support. In case you are unable to work on your allocated day please contact the Canteen Manager, Mrs Nicole O'Hagan prior to the day you are working, to enable her to organise a replacement.

REMEMBER TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE TO OUR SCHOOL

Extra Uniform Shop Opening Hours
The WPS uniform shop will be open on the following days during January 2016:

Thursday 21 January
• 10.00am - 12.00 noon

Friday 22 January
• 10.00am - 12.00 noon

Thursday 28 January
(first day of school for students Years 1-6)
• 9.00am - 11.00am

Helpers Needed
The P&C are seeking parent helpers to assist with the set up and decorating for this year’s Year 6 Farewell. If you are able to assist and for further information please contact Jo Garrett on 0417 852 777. The date for the farewell is Thursday 10 December.

P & C AGM
The P&C AGM will be held on March 10 2016 in the school staff room at 6:00pm. All executive positions will be made open to be filled. The general P&C meeting will follow at 7:00pm that evening after a short break.

Executive positions include:
• President
• Vice President K-2
• Vice President 3-6
• Secretary
• Treasurer
• Assistant Treasurer

For further information please contact Kaela Croft on 0427 250 395.

2015 Talent Quest
Our school talent quest will be held on Friday 11 December. There is a limit of one act (entry) per person. Performances must be no longer than one minute and 30 seconds. If you would like to enter the talent quest, please see Mrs Shields for a note and infants can collect notes from Mrs Kath Bailey. The form needs to be completed and returned to Mrs Shields ASAP.

Thank you - Mrs Jordan Shields

Aunty Helen - Farewell
We will be celebrating Aunty Helen’s time at Wauchope Public School followed by the cutting of the cake and official re-opening of the ‘Bush Tucker Garden’. The farewell takes place on Friday 4 December at 10.30am in the schools assembly hall.
**Year 6 Farewell and Year 5 Disco**
The Year 6 Farewell and Year 5 Disco will be held on Thursday 10 December at the Wauchope RSL Club. The format for the night is as follows:
- 7.30pm - Year 5 students arrive for the dance/disco
- 8.45pm - Finish. Parents are to collect students from the auditorium.

The cost for the night is $5.00 which covers the disco and drinks. Money must be paid prior to the entry to the disco.

As this is the students official Farewell/Disco, we ask that students dress appropriately for the occasion. e.g. Smart/Classy.

Thank you - Year 5 and 6 Teachers

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**Outstanding Library Books**
All Library Books due back to School now. Thankyou

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**Year 6 Graduation Assembly**
Dear Parents,
You are invited to attend our Year 6 Graduation Assembly on Monday, December 7, 2015 at 10:00am in the school hall. All students in Year 6 will be presented with their graduation certificates. There will also be a number of slide show presentations looking back over the students’ primary school years. After the assembly all Year 6 classes will assemble on the basketball court for photo opportunities. This will be the final assembly for the year.

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**P & C Meeting**
The next P & C Meeting will be held on Monday 7 December at 6.00pm in the schools staff room.

**Thank You**
Thankyou to Kylie Hackney and Curley’s Cafe Wauchope for your generous donation following the school fete. Kylie donated $289.55 to our school Fete total.

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**WOOSH News**
December / January Vacation Care, 2016 dates are as follows:
- Pupil free days at the end of Term 4 are Thursday 17 and Friday 18 December 2015.

These are up on the board in the Woosh room now. Please come into the centre and place your child’s name on the list with the required days clearly ticked or alternatively give Alex a ring at the centre. The closing date for registration is Tuesday 1 December 2015. The closing date for After School Care 2016 is Friday 8 January 2016.

As we have to undergo a priority procedure, please phone Miss Alex on 0412 852 441 at the centre for availability after Monday 7 December 2015.

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**Schools Spectacular Broadcast Details**
Tune in together to watch the Schools Spectacular broadcast! The Schools Spectacular will once again be screened on the Nine Network.

Our national broadcast time is Saturday 5 December 2015, 7pm – 10pm, which is the weekend after the live performances. Tune in together with your friends and family to watch the magic of the Spectacular.

The broadcast will be replayed on GEM and the entire show will be available to watch online on Jump-In in December.

Please note the Schools Spectacular will not be live to air – Channel 9 will film the Friday matinee and Friday evening shows, and this will be edited for the television broadcast. The broadcast will be 3 hours and include background stories on our students, teachers and schools. Due to timing (ad breaks and background stories) it is not possible to screen the entire show on 9 or GEM! The replay on GEM may not be the whole broadcast that screens on Channel 9.

A full broadcast of the show will be available at Jump-In.

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**Community News**
Loved to be able to Help out: Midcoast Uniform Solutions
Midcoast Uniform Solutions in Wauchope was delighted to be able to sponsor and supply hats for the School Choir for their trip to Sydney. Midcoast Uniform Solutions are a locally owned business that can assist with any uniform needs from; corporate, construction, hospitality, promotional items, school uniforms and much more. We service individuals to larger companies, and offer onsite fittings/ delivery and consultations. We also offer decoration services in embroidery, screen/ digital printing and sublimation. Come in and see us, we are happy to try and source items if you are having trouble finding them, we also can get fantastic school bags! Our shop located on High Street, Wauchope is stocked with a fabulous range of quality pants, skirts, dresses, shirts, Hi Vis, mongrel boots and much more. Drop in and take a look we would love to meet you.

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**Christmas Carols at the Beach**
Where: Wauchope Bonny Hills SLSC on the grass
Time: from 5.15pm
Date: to be confirmed
Lots of school choirs, Camden Haven Band, school bands, the big man in the Red Suit will visit in a fire engine and much more.
Food: BBQ and WBHSLSC
Cost: free
This event is brought to you by the WBHSLSC as a community event supported by Port Macquarie Golf Club, Bonny Hills Beach Hotel and PMHC.
Wauchope High School Uniform Shop
The Wauchope High School Uniform Shop, located in the front foyer, will be open on the following days during January and February 2016:
○ Saturday 23 January
  8:30am to 12:30pm
○ Thursday 28 January
  8:30am to 9:30am
○ Friday 29 January
  8:30am to 9:30am
○ Saturday 30 January
  8:30am to 12:30pm
○ Monday 1 to Friday 5 February
  8:30am to 9:30am
Then back to the regular times of Monday and Friday 8:30 to 9:00am.
Note: during the school holidays there are no EFTPOS facilities.
The uniform shop will also be open on Orientation Day - 3 December.

Year 6 Fund Raiser and Mufti Day Photos

Aboriginal Students Farewell