Our value this fortnight – Inclusion (Understanding, Tolerance)

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INFORMATION UPDATE NO: 3 – WEDNESDAY 9TH APRIL 2014

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** IMPORTANT NOTICE **

Wanniassa School is a sustainable school and reduction of paper usage is a priority. The Whole School Newsletter and Junior Campus Information Updates are valuable communication methods and we are introducing a number of options in which to access these publications. They are available on the school website at http://www.wans.act.edu.au or by collecting a paper copy from either campus front office.

As of Term 2, the Whole School Newsletter link will be emailed to parents and other contacts whose addresses are currently recorded in our school data base.

The Junior Campus Information Update paper copy will continue to be sent home via the youngest sibling in each family.

If you would like to receive the newsletter link via email, please include your email address below and return to the front office or email us at info@wans.act.edu.au

Parent/Guardian Name: __________________________

Student’s Name: ________________________________

Email: ______________________________________

Dress Up Day-For the Farmers
Thursday 10th April
Gold Coin Donation

Can you help our Queensland & NSW Farmers and their communities?
Over 70% of Queensland and almost 50% of NSW is drought declared. Farmers, country towns and country schools need our help.
SRC are asking students to dress up for the farmers and bring a gold coin donation. You can dress up in farming outfits, animal outfits anything to do with a farm.
This day will help farmers keep their stock alive and help their local communities. For every $20 raised equals one bale and every bale helps!

National Assessment Program (Literacy and Numeracy) - NAPLAN
Testing will be taking place next term, Tuesday 13th – Thursday 15th May and will involve students in years 3 and 5 taking part in several assessment papers based around literacy and numeracy. Please ensure participating students have a nourishing breakfast on these days and have a water bottle with them.

Wanniassa School Hats ** No Hat No Play**
Students are required to wear a hat during outdoor class activities and during recess and lunch. Due to health regulations, spare hats cannot be issued. Hats are $6-50 each.
Camp Cooba Years 5/6
Medical and consent notes have gone home for the year 5/6 camp next term. Please complete and return all coloured notes as soon as possible. Keep the payment option dates in mind to ensure full cost is paid by the due date, being Thursday 15th May. Camp is on Wednesday 21st to Friday 23rd May, 2014.

Mother’s Day Stall
When – Thursday 8th May, 2014
What – Some donated gifts and some store bought products ranging from value of about $2 - $10.
So – Are you able to send in something to contribute to the stall? It can be new or hand made. It could even be handmade cards. Anything you like, we will be very grateful for any donation!
Send your items to the Canteen ASAP so we can get them all wrapped up and ready for the big day.
Happy Mothers Day to all you very special women, you are doing a brilliant job!
Wanniassa School P&C

Pencil case refills
During school holidays is an ideal time to check your child’s pencil case and restock with any items that need to be replenished for the beginning of the new term. Pencils, glue sticks and other items will have been well utilised by now and may need replacing.

2014 Sports Expo
Calling all children aged 5 – 15 years old!
Come & enjoy a 3 day sports expo. You will get the chance to learn, enjoy and play a variety of sports, including Hockey, Touch Football, Volleyball, Cricket and Netball all in one place.
Date: 14th -16th April 9:00am - 3:00pm (All 3 days)
Venue: National Hockey Centre
196 Mouat Street, Lyneham
Cost: $55 per day - to register please go to: http://www.hockeyact.org.au/Development/Clinics

Kidsoccer Holiday Clinics and Winter Programs
Registrations are now open for Kidsoccer’s April holiday programs. We run skills based, age appropriate programs for 3 - 12 year olds. Our emphasis is on fun, participation, fun, development, and did we mention - fun!
Visit our web page - kidsfc.com.au – and click on the program link for all the details. A fantastic 35% discount is available if you register before 8th April.
Whilst you are looking at our website, check out our winter program – special early bird discounts also apply if you register before 18th April. Our program caters for the very beginner through to the more experienced player, and we take kids as young as 3! It is a great way to keep your kids fit and active and improve their skills. Kidsoccer – it’s just more Fun.