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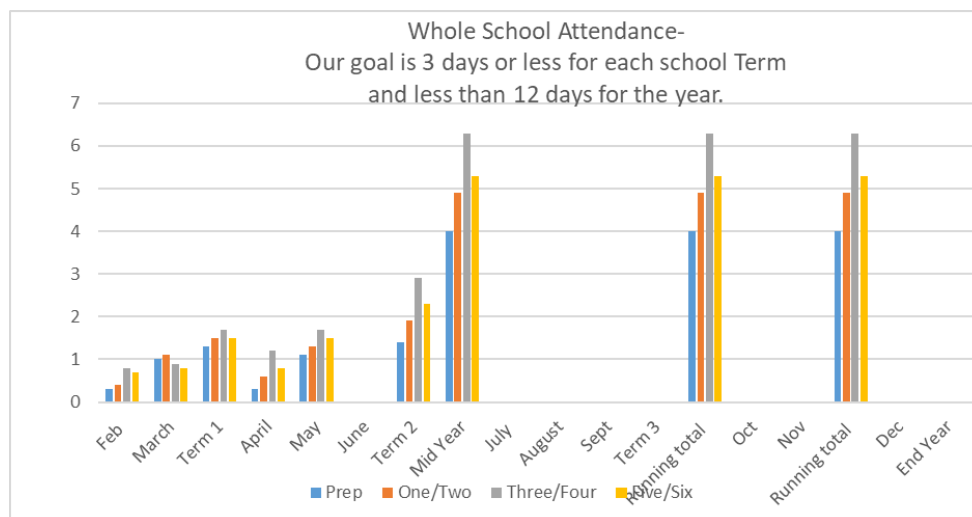


# Newsletter - 2019

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## *From the Principal*



Dear Parents & Guardians,

During the month of May, we have had an increase in our days absent across all year levels. This may be due to illness and extended family holidays. The Preps are leading the way with an average of 4 days absent coming into the half waypoint of the year. Congratulations to those students who are maintaining an impressive 100% attendance rate. Remember every minute matters.

Thank you to the families who were able to attend our Open Night. It was a big success with many new families visiting our school for the first time and getting a sense of just how strong our community is. There were children with reptiles draped around their necks, bee bots being coded, students using the iPads to construct symmetrical pictures, science experiments in 3/4 and engineering in 5/6. It was a pleasure taking prospective new families on school tours and walking into each of the classrooms with excited and engaged children with their family participating in the tasks. The Art Show was another success story on the night. The students had been working hard throughout Term 1 to complete their 'Take 3 for the Sea' themed piece. Thank you to the families who had been collecting their plastic caps for our outstanding mural that was unveiled on the night. Keep an eye out for the local Leader and Mail newspaper this week who are both publishing articles in relation to our whole school mural project. A huge thank you to my staff for organising such a great night!

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We constantly reflect on what is working and where we can improve at Wandin North. With the increase of digital technology devices at the school in recent years we have found our students lacked capacity in this area. Our aim at Wandin North is to integrate our devices into the curriculum to complement our Literacy and Numeracy practices. A decision was made to timetable an hour a week of explicit Digital Technology instruction. The impact of this timetabling has meant the 30 minutes of Library timetable has been reduced in 2019. The Library has been open of a lunch time on Tuesdays and Wednesdays however, with the weather becoming colder, the Library will now be open Tuesdays to Fridays during lunch time. During this time, students are able to borrow and return books or come in to escape the cold. All classes still have classroom libraries that students use during Readers Workshop each day and these books are rotated through our Library at the beginning of each Term.

Teachers are currently writing student reports in readiness for our 3 way conference on June 26th and 27th. I strongly encourage all parents to attend mid-year interviews. Invitations will be sent to home families this week.

With the weather getting colder, there are a number of jumpers and jackets piling up in the lost property tubs in front of the toilets. Please check lost property to see if your child's items are there. In the coming weeks will be sorting the tubs and placing any unnamed items of clothing into our emergency supply and second hand uniforms.

In this month's newsletter there is information regarding a future enrolment survey that will be handed out this week in relation to our 2021 and beyond enrolments. We are currently in a position at Wandin North where we are required to manage our enrolments subject to facility limitations. This is new for us and Lyn and Rachael are doing an amazing job deciphering information when we receive it from the Department of Education. Rest assured, current families that have a child commencing Prep in 2020 and we have received their enrolment form at the office, we hope to see them at our first Prep Transition session on Tuesday 13th of August, starting at 9.15am.

A reminder that we have a curriculum day this Friday 7th of June. Have a safe and enjoyable long weekend.

Yours sincerely, Paul Bailey

Acting Principal - Wandin North Primary School.

## *Berry Sales – Thank you*

We would like to thank Caroline from Yarra Valley Berries for donating delicious berries for sale during the berry season.

The total amount raised from the berry sales is a fantastic \$2,020 for our school.



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# Payments

Students are to hand all payments and forms to the class teacher at the start of the day so that teachers can complete their cash sheets.

CASH PAYMENTS : Please place correct cash in a clearly labelled envelope including student's name, home group, date, reason.

DIRECT DEPOSIT DETAILS : Account Name: Wandin North Primary School BSB: 633 000 Account Number: 127483352  
Family Identification Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Please state family name and what payment is for (Eg UNIFORMS Smith) when using the internet or making a payment directly at the bank, and send an email copy of the transaction to :

[wandin.north.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:wandin.north.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au)

# Diary Dates

- **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June** - Divisional Cross Country Selected students.
- **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> June** - Yarra Valley Archery Tournament Selected students.
- **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June** - **Curriculum Day. No students at school.**
- **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June** - **Queen's Birthday Public Holiday.**
- **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June** - CERES Incursion Gr1/2.
  - Healesville Sanctuary Preps.
  - Interschool Sports Yarra Glen v Wandin Nth (away).
- **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June** - Working Bee #6 9:00am – 12:00pm.
- **Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June** - School Council 7:00pm.
- **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June** - Interschool Sports Wandin Nth v Wollombi Cluster (home).
- **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June** - 3-Way Conferences 4:00pm - 8:00pm
- **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June** - Oasis Camp Gr3/4.
- **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June** - Free Dress - Vinnies Sleep-out - Pyjamas.
  - Last Day of Term 2 2:30pm dismissal.
- **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July** - Start Term 3.
- **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July** - School Council 7:00pm.
- **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July** - Interschool Sports Wandin Nth v Wandin Yallock (home).
- **Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July** - Working Bee #7 9:00am – 12:00pm.

## A Special Note about ...

### ASSEMBLIES ON FRIDAY AFTERNOONS

Each Friday afternoon, weather permitting, an assembly is held outside on the central quadrangle.

The following items are announced:

- National Anthem
- Forthcoming events
- Thank you messages to the community
- House Points
- Stars of the Week
- Messages from our Captains (or nominated student)
- Special Presentations (if applicable)

## *Stars of the Week*

Prep A	Miss Allen	.....	MAXTON GROISS / FINLAY MCDUGALL / WALTER VANDERSTAAK / JAXON WATSON
Prep M	Miss Moore	.....	TIGGY HARTNETT-FREEMAN / LEVI HOLLAMBY / JENNA LECKIE / SEBASTIAN TANDER
Prep W	Miss Wilcox	.....	ZANE BURGESS / MITCHELL EVA / SUMMER GODALY / JASMINE JOWITT
Grade 1C	Mrs Clarke	.....	OLIVIA BRENT / NIXON CAINES / BENJI HENSKENS / BRADLEY HIBGAME / ALANA LINLEY
Grade 1G	Mrs Grisold	.....	HARPER DOUGLAS / LUCY KILLIN / OLIVER LAMPKIN
Grade 1J	Miss Johnson	.....	TILLY LODGE / ADRIAN MITCHELL / VIOLET RUSCITTI / STIRLING SCHIPPER / ALEXAH DE KONING
Grade 2B	Miss Bell	.....	ZANE CRONKSHAW / CAMERON FERNANDO / AVA GODALY / BILLY RICKETTS / CHLOE SARGEANT
Grade 2S	Mrs Salvitti	.....	SCARLETT GROISS / JONATHAN HARTNETT-FREEMAN / WILLIAM ILBURY / BELLE KIRKWOOD / INDIANNA PERRIN
Grade 3/4B	Ms Burrows	.....	
Grade 3/4H	Miss Hoehne	.....	KOBY RUTLEDGE / LARA SCHIPPER / DEKLAN DIVOLA / ELLA FREAM
Grade 3/4M	Mrs McArdle	.....	NOAH JENKINSON / JAKE TROYAHN / DION MCLEOD / ZAC GARRETT / WILL HOILES
Grade 3/4W	Miss Wilkinson	.....	
Grade 5/6A	Miss Abbruzzese	.....	CHARLIE CREED / SAMMY LOVE / ALBY SCHIPPER
Grade 5/6L	Mr Langley	.....	CALEB BROADBENT / RANI CLARK / JAMES HOOK / CONNOR JEWELL / AUSTIN LEONARD / OLI NATHAN / ANHAD PANCHHI
Grade 5/6S	Mr Syme	.....	CHARLIA AULICH / ISLA CARR / MAX DELACY / COOPER HENDERSON / DEAGAN GODALY / ALEX HALL
GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP	Mrs Gibson Ms Kennedy	.....	ZANE CRONKSHAW / ZAHLI HAYNES / EVA VAN GRAAS / AMELIA JACKSON / LARA TUNNECLIFFE / MATILDA MAYES / ELLA DELACY / ELEANOR VANDERSTAAK / NASH RYAN / PIPPA HARTNETT-FREEMAN / ROBBIN VENEMA / SCOUT CINCIS / SOPHIE TROYAHN
ART	Mrs Bailey Ms Kennedy	.....	COOPER BAST / ALEX BARNARD / INDI PERRIN / EDEN RYAN / AMBER NAYAK / JAMES EMBLIN / AVA GODALY / HARLEY ALDRIDGE / ALANA PIPER / BEAU DELANY / WILLIAM HOILES / COOPER AITKINS
P.E.	Mr Marikar	.....	SCARLETT GROISS / ASHA BILTON / LIAM WALLIS / CHLOE SARGEANT / INDI PIPER

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# Value Awards

## BRONZE AWARDS

ADDISON ELLEMANS / JENNA LECKIE / CLAIRE O'CONNOR /  
MIA POOLE / SEBASTIAN TANDER / TARIQ WINFIELD /  
ALLEIRA CISILIN / LARA CUNNINGHAM / GRIFFIN JEWELL /  
MATILDA MAYES / ELIJAH MOLONEY / BELLE PAISLEY / AMITY  
RUNDLE / PAIGE THORNTON-LINDSAY / LUCINDA VANDERSTAAK /  
AYALA BASSETT / MILLIE EVA / RAHNI FRASER / MENZI SIKHALI /  
BELLE KIRKWOOD / INDIANNA PERRIN / SCARLETT TANDER /  
CHARLOTTE WRAY / BONNIE KEARNEY / HUNTER AITKINS /  
CHELSEA CARTER / TAYLAH COOPER / MIA JEF COTT /  
EMILY HUDAK / MACKENZIE REID / LACHLAN FRASER /  
ZANE CRONKSHAW / REED MOLLICA / EMMA DOWTHWAITE /  
CAMERON FERNANDO / MARLI ROWE / QUINN RYAN /  
JETT WEBBER / DAX MUNRO / CHELSEA TANNER / ARWEN JOHNS  
/ AVA BROADLEY / KOBY RUTLEDGE / ISIS DEWHURST-SIBLEY /  
COOPER AITKINS / TAJ THORNTON-LINDSAY / OLIVE HINDLE /  
JACK DOWTHWAITE / ELEANOR VANDERSTAAK /  
NOAH JENKINSON / CODI HIBGAME / AMITY BLYTHMAN /  
MAY MCCONNELL / AMELIA BARNARD / ISLA BROWN /  
MARLIE BROWN / TANAH BUSST / MIAH CASTELLANO /  
LEWIS VAUGHAN / NORAH YONG / ALEXAH DE KONING /  
JED LECKIE / KOBIE EMERY / JOSH OLIVER / DECLAN PANETTA /  
HARRY PANETTA / STIRLING SCHIPPER / ZAHLI HAYNES /  
BEAU DELANY / AALIYAH LEARY / LUCY ROBERTS /  
LARA TUNNECLIFFE / CAITLIN VAUGHAN / ROBBIN VENEMA /  
ZEKE DEWHURST- SIBLEY / JORDAN ILBURY / ABBY HARRISON /  
ISAAC ARMSTRONG / SUMMER DELANY / CRYSTAL HOOD /  
RANI CLARK / ZAC LAMMERTSMA / AUSTIN LEONARD /  
JAMES HOOK / EMILY PENROSE

## SILVER AWARDS

CHARLIE GLENN / KOBE PITRELLI / LACHIE AKERS /  
PATRICK SARGEANT / AMELIA JACKSON / MAY MCCONNELL /  
CHASE GLENN / HARPER CRONKSHAW / MAX ROBERTS /  
LATISHA TUNNECLIFFE

## A Special Note about ...

### OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE

Please visit the website

[www.wandinnorthps.  
vic.edu.au/](http://www.wandinnorthps.vic.edu.au/)

for :

- Newsletters / Weekly News
- What's On - classroom news
- Working Bee Roster
- Lunch Orders
- Uniform Orders
- Enrolment Form
- Excursion Permission Form
- WWCC Application Link

## *No Smoking*

Smoking is  
NOT PERMITTED  
at any time on school  
grounds or the surrounding  
areas, including the car  
parks.



Some children at this  
school are allergic to nuts.  
We urge you to refrain  
from sending food  
containing nuts to school.

# *Sport Report*

## **Sport Reminders for Term 2:**

Interschool Sports Round 3 Vs Yarra Glen PS (traveling away) Friday 14th June

Interschool Sports Round 4 Vs Wollombi Cluster Schools (at home) Friday 21st June

\*\*For ALL Interschool Sports matches. Please ensure that students are wearing appropriate clothing and footwear. For each Football (AFL) game, students MUST bring a towel, spare clothes and spare shoes. If students do not have all of these items, they will not be taking the field. Students are also responsible for taking their Wandin North Primary School jersey/clothing home after each game and washing them, ready for the next match.

## **District Cross Country:**

On Tuesday 21st May, students from Wandin North Primary School in grades 3-6 travelled to Margaret Lewis Reserve in Coldstream, to compete in the Wandin District Cross Country Carnival. In ideal running conditions, the Cross Country Team battled against hundreds of runners from 5 other local schools. The students competed across 2000 and 3000 metre events and represented our school with great pride, setting an outstanding example for our school among the local community. We experienced many great results throughout the day, with 23 students qualifying through to the Divisional Cross Country Championships on June 4th at Yarra Valley Racecourse.

Well done to those students on making it through to Yarra Division Cross Country Carnival:

10-Year-Old Girls: Olive Hindle, Emily Oliver, Isis Dewhurst-Sibley, Anabelle Sargeant and Summer Delany

10-Year-Old Boys: Mitchell Upton, Will Hoiles, Deegan Moloney and Cooper Aitkins

11-Year-Old Girls: Emily Hudak, Abby Akers and Ava Upton

11-Year-Old Boys: Lachlan Fraser, Cooper Rowe and Joe Robinson

12/13-Year-Old Girls: Sammy Love, Scarlett Henderson, Isabellah Castellano, Rani Clark and Mackenzie Reid

12/13-Year-Old Boys: Jamal Njeri, Zeke Dewhurst Sibley and Lachlan Haynes

Congratulations to the team and every individual on their achievements. Thank you to the parents who attended and supported the team and as well as the teachers and support staff.

## **Jamie Oliver's Learn your Fruit and Veg Program:**

In the past few weeks, the students in 3-6 have been learning all about nutrition and healthy eating through the Jamie Oliver's learn your Fruit and Veg Program. The students prepared a raw cauliflower salad with herby yoghurt dressing. They worked in groups cutting vegetables such as spring onions, lemons, dried apricot and cranberries. They also learnt to share equipment and delegate roles and responsibilities as well as learning to identify ingredients with a MasterChef inspired tasting test of spices. What I loved the most was the sharing of student's stories about their cooking experiences at home. I was very impressed to learn that so many of our students love to cook! A huge thank you goes to our program facilitator, Alanna Brown who delivered an amazing cooking masterclass with our students! If you would like to learn more about Alanna and her healthy eating recipes such as the raw cauliflower salad with herby yoghurt dressing that was prepared and cooked by the students, please find the link and attachments below and , or if you would like to learn more about the Jamie Oliver's Learn your Fruit and Veg Program, there is a link below also.

<http://www.positiveeating.net>

<https://www.jamiesministryoffood.com.au/our-program>

# Sport Report .... continued



## Raw cauliflower salad with herby yoghurt dressing

Serves 4



You might not have seen cauliflower and dried fruit together before, but they make an incredible combination. Sprinkle some toasted flaked almonds over the end for a nice finishing touch.

### Ingredients

- 1 cauliflower (roughly 750g)
- 6 dried apricots
- 25g dried cranberries
- 4 spring onions
- 4 tablespoons natural yoghurt
- 1 teaspoon madras curry powder
- 1 pinch of ground cumin
- 1 lemon
- ½ a bunch of fresh coriander or mint

- ### Equipment list
- Chopping board
  - Knife
  - Serving bowl
  - Weighing scales
  - Measuring spoons

### Here's how to make it

- 1 Click off and discard the cauliflower leaves.
- 2 On a chopping board, cut the florets from the cauliflower, then cut or break them into bite-sized pieces.



- 3 Trim and finely slice the cobs, then place all the cauliflower in a serving bowl.
- 4 Roughly chop the apricots and cranberries.
- 5 Trim and finely slice the spring onions.
- 6 Place the dried fruit and spring onions into the bowl.
- 7 Add the yoghurt, curry powder and ground cumin, then place to one side.
- 8 Cut the lemon in half.
- 9 Squeeze half the juice over the veg, using your fingers to catch any pips.
- 10 Pick and roughly chop the coriander or mint leaves, discarding the stalks.
- 11 Sprinkle over the chopped herbs and toss together.
- 12 Have a taste and add a squeeze more lemon juice if you think it needs it, then serve straight away.

Allergy info

Recipe © Jamie Oliver Photo © Matt Smeeth

For additional information, ask your teacher.

## Future Enrolment Survey

In order to assist us with future planning we will be sending home this week a survey form for current families to complete and return as soon as possible.

We will require the names and the year in which younger children are due to commence Prep to enable us to develop a better understanding of our school's development.

## FlexiBuzz

**FLEXIBUZZ** is a free online application that can be used on your phone or tablet, to receive notifications for emergency events, excursions, newsletters, notices, calendar of events and reminders from the school.

**If you are already a WNPS FLEXIBUZZ member, you do not need to join again.** Please ensure that you have updated the groups that you are connected to in accordance to your children's year level.

**ABSENCE NOTIFICATIONS :** Absence notifications are sent via FlexiBuzz. If you receive a message, please respond via FLEXIBUZZ to your child's class teacher.

**EMERGENCY NOTIFICATIONS :** In the event of an emergency situation, families will be notified by a **FLEXIBUZZ** message. It is essential that all families have joined and their contact phone numbers are up to date.

# *Working With Children Checks (WWCC) And Code Of Conduct*

**All volunteers helping in our school require a valid Working With Children Check.**

If you have recently received your WWCC card, remember to bring it to the office for registration.

Should you already hold a WWCC card for another organisation you will not be required to apply for a new card, however you will need to advise the Department of Justice that you are now a volunteer at Wandin North Primary School. Please provide a copy of your card to the school office. We also require you to complete a 'Code Of Conduct' form.

This year, many existing WWCC's will be due for renewal. The expiry date is clearly marked on the front and back of your card. A renewal form will be posted to you by the Department of Justice approximately eight weeks before your card expires. Applications must be made online at <http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au/home/applications/>

**We also require you to complete a 'Code Of Conduct' form before you are able to assist with activities. If you have not yet done so, please collect a form from the office staff.**

## *Extend OSHC at Wandin North Primary School*

**There will be no OSHC program this Curriculum Day  
Friday 7th June 2019**

### **Extend OSHC at Wandin North Primary School**

Enrol in Out of Hours School Care – Enrolling is quick and easy! Simply set up your own account online via LookedAfter : <https://www.lookedafter.com/>.

Please note it is a government regulation that all children must be enrolled BEFORE attending an Extend service. For information on operating hours and fees for your school, visit your OSHC venue, the school website or [extend.com.au](http://extend.com.au)



### **A Special Note about ...**

#### **LATE PASSES AND ABSENCES –**

DET accountability practices insist that every child is marked on the roll each day, both morning and afternoon.

**Children must be signed in by their parents and obtain a yellow 'late arrival' card from the office before going to the classroom.**

Children must also be signed out if they are departing early and parents are to wait for their child in the office. Students will not be released from class if parents/adults approach the classroom directly.

Also, a reminder that **all absences must be accounted for** from the parents using FlexiBuzz .

In the interest of every child's safety, we ask for your cooperation.

#### **VISITORS TO SCHOOL –**

**All visitors**, including parent helpers, are required to sign in and collect a numbered lanyard at the office upon arrival. Please return the lanyard when departing.

## *Lunch Orders*

Lunch orders are to be **handed into class by students** on **TUESDAY MORNINGS** and then will be taken up to Mr K's Deli/Café. Lunches will then be delivered to school on **THURSDAYS**. Order forms are available from the school office, on the school's website and FlexiBuzz.

## *Bookclub*

**BOOKCLUB : All orders and payments are to be made online.**



# Working Bees

Future Working Bees : 9:00am - 12:00pm Families will be contacted prior to the day.

6. Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Kirsten Burrows Rachael Moore	Aulich (Ada) Blythman Buckland Cisilin Hawkey Hollamby Hume Hutchinson Leonard Mayes Mollica Moloney (Chase) Munro (Astrid) Paisley Pearson Rutlegde Ryan Sudholz U'Ren Webber Weir Wilson
7. Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Justin Schipper Laura Wilcox Tim Langley Alice Jamieson	Aitkins (Eve) Brilliant Brown(Marlie) Busse Byne Carroll Cooper Cole Dewhurst-Sibley Douglas Hoiles Johns Leckie Nathan Njeri Perrin Scott Vanderstaak Venema Winfield
8. Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> August	Ben Caines Adriana Grisold Kristy Kennedy Natalie Johnson	Fream Bristow Emery Fernando Hartnett-Freeman Kraus Moloney (Elijah) McConnell McEvoy (Arlene) McKeown Peterson Pollock Poole Ricketts Rigby Sargeant (Patrick) Snodgrass Thornton-Lindsay
9. Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> September	John Hagen Emma Hoehne Caitlin DeKlijn	Askham Bast Caudwell Douthwaite Emblin Eva Garrett Hibgame Hindle Killin Kitto Knight McLeod Mitchell Nolder Panchhi Ramsauer Rodd Scoroit-Ostler
10. Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Teresa Salvitti Paul Bailey Kiera Rankin	Armstrong (Patrick) Busst Castellano Cincis Clements Davies Duncan Groiss Haynes Henderson Johnston Kleefsman Lodge Mealmaker Nayak O'Rourke Robinson Ruscitti
11. Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> November	Fiona Berryman Zoe Abbruzze Melissa Wilkinson	Barnard Bombinski Harrison Hills Jowitt Kirkwood Lampkin Linley Love Munro (Darby) Norris-O'Donnell Panetta Roberts (Lucy) Rowe Tanner Wallis Watson Wheeler Yong
12. Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> December	Craig McEvoy Nick Syme	Carter Creed De Jager Farrow Fisher Henskens/Van Dreumel Jeccott Kearney Norman Penrose Peters Rainbird Roberts (Max) Tunnecliffe Van Graas Walshe Wray

**OH&S :** To ensure the safety of our volunteers, an OH&S briefing is conducted at each working bee. Please read the "Volunteer Induction Handbook" posted on our school's website : <http://www.wandinorthps.vic.edu.au/parent-involvement/>

## Student Banking

Our school banks with Wandin–Seville Community Bank (Bendigo Bank). Student bank books can be handed in by **THURSDAY MORNINGS** and they will be returned after processing.