School Watch
If you see any suspicious activity at our school.
Ph 131788

With thanks
Mr Dan Murphy (Kyle and Toby’s Grandad) for helping celebrate NAIDOC last week.
P&C—Heavily subsidising the camp for our students in Years 2-7
Mrs Castle—painting our awesome new blackboard near the bubblers under A Block
Charlton SS for celebrating NAIDOC with us

2013 Camp

Forms will be sent home in the next couple of weeks with itinerary, what to pack etc.

The cost of the camp will be $100/student. Please note early part payments are encouraged. BPay is also an option for families. Full payment will be required by 16th August. Thank you to those families that have started to pay.

Please see the office if you would like further information.

2013 School Opinion Surveys
The annual School Opinion Survey is occurring in our school this week. The Parent/Caregiver Surveys have been sent home to all families, and can be completed either online or using the paper form provided. Students in Years 4 and above will complete their survey online at school and all school staff have been provided with access details to complete their survey online. Completing your survey ensures that your opinion is included in our schools’ reports, which we will receive later this year. Please remember, all answers are confidential. Survey queries can be directed to our school.

Good luck to our students representing Wellcamp today and Friday. Best of luck everyone!!

Forms and payment were due back today. We still have quite a number outstanding.

Can you please return forms with payment by this Friday, 26th July.

We have a limited number of seats being held by Empire Theatre and we have to let them know final numbers on Friday.

Please see the office if you would like a new form. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Red Nose Day
(supporting Sids & Kids)
Thank you to everyone who has bought from our Red Nose Box. We will be returning these items on Monday. If you would like to buy anything to support this cause, please come and see us by then. Everything $2
NAIDOC Celebrations

Last Friday, 18 July, saw the population of Wellcamp State School expand when we were visited by Charlton State School and our special guest Mr Dan Murphy (Kyle and Toby’s Grandad). They were all here for our NAIDOC celebrations.

The afternoon began with Mr Murphy talking to the children and staff about the importance of NAIDOC or National Aboriginal and Islander Day Of Celebration. He told us of the many different Aboriginal groups in Australia as well as some of the skills, languages and laws of these groups.

The students spent the rest of the afternoon trying a variety of activities which included traditional Aboriginal games and painting as well as learning about famous Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and artefacts.

Too soon 3 o’clock came rolling around and it was time to say goodbye. Thank you to Charlton S.S for visiting and a very big thank you to Mr Dan Murphy for taking the time to come to our school and share his knowledge.

Fathers Day Stall

Due to the Numinbah Camp this term and Father’s Day fast approaching, the P&C will be bringing the stall forward to the 22nd August. Gifts for every Dad—prices start from $2—$5.

If anyone can help on the day of the stall, please let Tracey know before this date.
Library Days
Please remember to bring your library bag if you would like to borrow books

Prep—Monday
1-3—Tuesday
4-7—Wednesday

A reminder that we have a few bins beside the Sports Shed for any paper to be recycled. The money received from the paper last year paid the entry for all students to attend the break up at Highfields. Please note: only paper can be placed in these bins.

Auskick

Some Facts about Headlice
Head lice infestations are a common occurrence, particularly in primary schools.

- about 23% of primary students have had head lice at any one time
- Anyone can catch head lice regardless of their age, sex, or how clean their hair is
- Head lice move from one person’s head to another via hair
- Head lice do not survive long when they are off a human head
- Head lice do not live on furniture, hats, bedding or carpet
- Head lice have built up some resistance to head lice treatments

Tips for Parents in Reducing the Spread of Headlice

- regularly check your children’s hair
- Tie back and braid long hair
- Keep a fine tooth head lice comb in the bathroom and encourage all family members to use it when they wash their hair

For more information please visit

Break-ins
There have been a couple of break-ins in the area recently. Please remember to
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**Star Kids**

**Will** - Consistent effort

**Preston** - Improved effort in all areas of his school work

**Alex** - Great effort

**Star Kids**

**Does your child have enough stationery?**

Please check with your children to see if they need extra pencils, rubbers etc.
Reminder: Please return money or unsold chocolates to the P&C box in the office.

If fruit and veg money is not received by the end of this week, unfortunately those children will miss out.

Tuckshop: Wednesday 31st July
Orders Due: Monday 29th July
Roster: Grace McClymont & Tracey Becker

Home Baking: 2 Choc Chip Cookies or 1 Choc Caramel Slice

Interschool Athletics Carnival Cake Stall
Reminder, our P&C will be catering at the Interschool Athletics Carnival, this Friday the 26th.

The more helpers we can get, the more time you have to enjoy watching your children compete.

Please come along and give an hour of your time!

Father’s Day Stall

- Help needed to wrap gifts for the Father’s Day stall.
- If you can spare a little time, on Friday the 16th of August, please give Tracey a call on 46304367 or 04170257084.

World’s Best Dad!

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President: Nick Stuart email: nick@totalspantmba.com.au mob: 0488220377
Treasurer: Brenda Quade email: dolhold1@bigpond.com mob: 0407336660
Secretary: Rebecca McCosker email: bec.mccosker@bigpond.com mob: 0407756830

Next meeting: 7:00 pm Mon 5th August.

Special points of interest:
- Ice blocks $1 Fridays
- Jumpers, jackets & pants are available for purchase before winter.

Term 3: 11 Weeks
Fruit and Veg will be for 10 weeks,
Cost is $10 per child to be paid by the end of week 3.

Roster:
26/07- No fruit & Veg this week.
02/08- Kimberly Gibson & Carla Jervis

Pick up Term 3- Brenda Quade

Mowing Roster:
19/07 to 01/08
Smith Family
02/08 to 15/08
Naumann/Curtis Families

Oval Mowing
Becker family

Children are NOT allowed to mow!
Please sign the register on arrival & departure.