Dear Parents, Carers and Community Members,

We are now in our second-last week of the term. Though the term is winding down class activities and routines are still the same. Students need to arrive promptly each day by 9.15am, organised and ready to work. We ask you to support us in having your children arrive each day on time.

Nostalgia Festival

Congratulations to our wonderful Senior Dance Troop who performed fantastically on Saturday at the Nostalgia Festival in Kurri Kurri. A huge ‘THANK YOU’ to Mrs Fonssbach for the wonderful effort and time that she puts into the dance activities at our school. Special thanks to our parents/carers for transporting students at the weekend. Your time and support is greatly appreciated and valued.

Easter Parade

Our Annual Easter Parade will be on Thursday, 10th April (next week) commencing at 12.15pm. All K-6 students participate in the parade by either wearing an Easter hat and/or mask or carrying an Easter basket and/or poster. Children will have the opportunity to make a hat, mask, basket or poster here at school. The P&C Easter Raffle will be drawn at the Easter Parade where tickets will also be available for purchase.

Notice from Cessnock City Council

Cessnock City Council will be undertaking maintenance to the jumps at the bike track in Carmichael Park Bellbird during mid-April. We are interested in discussing the proposed works with users of the track and a site meeting will be held at the jumps at 4.30pm on Tuesday 8 April, 2014. If you would like to attend the meeting or wish to provide feedback please call 02 4993 4220; SMS 0417 739 014; email greg.chapple@cessnock.nsw.gov.au or see Councils Facebook page.

Important Dates for Term 1 2014

April

- Wednesday 9: Tocal Excursion Yr 1-2
- Thursday 10: Easter Hat Parade
- Zone Cross Country

Friday 11: Last day of Term 1

Important Dates for Term 2 2014

- Monday 28: Staff Development Day
- Tuesday 29: Students return to school
- May
- Friday 9: Out of Uniform Day for Stewart House—Gold coin donation.
- Monday 12: P & C Meeting—7pm

**No sun safe hat play under the covered areas**

Class Assembly Items

Assemblies are held at 1.00pm in the hall. All welcome!

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Quote for the Week

"If you want to be a winner, you have to be willing to give it your all."

At WPS staff, students and community are Safe, Respectful and Responsible."
Fourth Street Bridge Closure

Refurbishment of the Fourth St Bridge is programmed to commence in April 2014 with completion expected in June 2014. The bridge will remain open to pedestrian traffic only, with alternative vehicular access over Kline St Bridge. Advertisements will be placed in newspapers and information placed on Council’s website with full closure programmed for 9.00am on Monday 7 April 2014 (Week 10).

Thank you for your ongoing support of our school.
Mrs R Callinan
Principal

PBL Corner

At WPS staff, students and community are Safe, Respectful and Responsible.

This week’s focus for PBL is the Reward System at Weston PS. As shown on page 6 of this week’s Bulletin.

Photo: Our wonderful Safe, Respectful and Responsible students from Week 10.

It’s booked!!! Children who have consistently worn their uniform this term (3Xs or less) will be rewarded with a session of wet, slip and slide fun on Friday 11th April. Invitations to participate will go out next week. Also! Students who have not received ANY Orange Cards this term will receive a big ‘Thank You’ at lunch the same day, for consistently displaying Safe, Respectful and Responsible behaviour. What a great day to come!

P & C News

Easter Raffle

Donations of chocolate eggs, bunnies, baskets etc would be greatly appreciated for the Easter Raffle. Extra tickets are available at the office. Raffle tickets will need to be back at school by April 9. The raffle will be drawn at the Easter Hat Parade on April 10.

P & C Meeting

Our next P & C meeting will be held on Monday May 12, 2014, in the staffroom at 7pm. All are welcome.

Mandy Johnson - P & C Secretary
Congratulations to Weston Public School's Senior Dance Troop who performed spectacularly at Kurri Kurri Nostalgia Festival on Saturday. They represented the school with pride and were acknowledged as being wonderful ambassadors for their school by members of the community. A big thank you also goes to the parents and carers who took time out of their weekend to transport the students and who offered fantastic support during their performance. Well done!
What’s happening in K Happy?

In KH we have been learning about position. KH is on the mat.

Panda is between the bikes with Tony.

Panda is in front of the tree with Ella.
WESTON JUNIOR SOCCER CLUB AND WWC

INVITE YOU TO JOIN US TO DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY!

DISCO

19th APRIL

@ WESTON WORKERS CLUB

FROM 6:30PM - 10:30PM

EASTER RAFFLES

$1 PER PERSON

PARENTS MUST REMAIN WITH CHILDREN

Healthy Dads, Healthy Kids

A PROGRAM FOR MEN AND THEIR PRIMARY SCHOOL AGED CHILDREN

Coming to Cessnock Term 2, 2014

Session 1 – Tuesday 6/5/2014

Then every Tuesday for the rest of term 2.

How will you and your children benefit?

✓ Spend quality time in fun physical activities with their kids that lead to optimal physical, mental, and socio-emotional health
✓ Shed kilos without giving up the things they love
✓ Learn how to transform the dinner table from warzone to peace train
✓ Get active, fitter and healthier with their kids
✓ Receive the latest information on physical activity and nutrition

More information or to register your interest.

Please contact Zane Osborn – 0410 856 141
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www.healthydadshealthykids.com.au
Weston Public School Award System

Bronze Level
- P Yr 1
- P Yr 2
- P Yr 3

Silver Level
- P Yr 4
- P Yr 5
- P Yr 6

Gold Level
- P
- P
- P

Note: Children can achieve a Principal’s award with any combination of PBL and Academic awards, (1+4, 2+3, 3+2, 4+1 or 5 of either),

Students are responsible for keeping their awards safe at home, and then to bring them in as proof for the next level.

Bronze Banner Yr 3 + Silver Banner Yr 6 + Gold Banner

Mac’s Medal