

TERM 2 WEEK 1 2025 WALLAROO PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL! WE HAVE HAD A SUCCESSFUL WEEK BACK SO FAR.



BACK SCHOOL

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY

2ND

GC Sausage Sizzle

MAY

12TH -18TH Kernewek Lowender

JUNE

9тн

Kings Birthday Public Holiday

10TH

Pupil Free Day

LUNCHTIME SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

- Lego Club
- Minecraft Club
- Piano Phonics
- pals
- Wellbeing Dog Pink

This week we welcomed Tennayah Evans to the school as our new Student Wellbeing Leader.
Tennayah will take on the role for the remainder of the year. She comes to us from Wallaroo Mines Primary School and is still working there Thursdays and Fridays. Tennayah will be at WPS Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Tennayah has fit in effortlessly within our WPS community and we are excited to have her onboard.

Portia and Tytan at the ANZAC Day Dawn Service in the school holidays



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As we concluded our first term, I was delighted to reflect on the exciting journey we embarked upon together. It has been a privilege to commence my tenure as the Principal of Wallaroo Primary School, and I am grateful for the warm welcome and support from students, staff, and families.

New Initiatives: We launched our very own Wallaroo Primary Anchor Podcast. This platform has allowed us to share our learning, achievements, and insights from our school community. It has been wonderful to hear the voices of our students and we look forward to more engaging episodes in the coming terms.

Kindness Walk: Our Junior Primary students participated in a heartwarming initiative called the Kindness Walk. They created beautiful kindness rocks, each with a unique message of positivity and encouragement. These rocks were placed around the Wallaroo community, spreading joy and kindness to all who discovered them. It was a wonderful opportunity for our students to engage with the community and learn the value of kindness. Within this unit of work, our students worked on curriculum learning in Mathematics, English, Social Skills and more. Students created maps of the town, made 3D maps to small scale and learned what being kind looks and feels like. They had put a lot of thought into where they were placing their rocks and what message their rocks would include. We hope you got as much joy finding the rocks as our learners did creating them! Upper Primary Interviews on Anchor Podcast: Our Upper Primary students had the unique opportunity to interview our Copper Coast Mayor, Roslyn Talbot. This experience not only enhanced their communication skills but also provided them with insights into local governance and community leadership. We are proud of their curiosity and professionalism during this project. **Focus on Learner Agency and Hands-On Math:** This term, we are focusing on enhancing learner agency and promoting hands-on learning in Mathematics. In collaboration with the Math Association of South Australia, we have implemented innovative strategies to make Math more engaging and interactive. Our students have enjoyed exploring mathematical concepts through practical activities, fostering a deeper understanding and love for the subject. We are engaging in learning as a staff with Lisa Burman. She has written many books about learner agency. We have already gained a lot of knowledge whilst embarking on Professional Development with her. Easter Raffle: A highlight of this term was our Easter Raffle, driven by the Wallaroo Primary School community. The total amount raised was \$1,765.05! We extend a special thank you to our generous donors, including but not limited to: Edithburgh Caravan Park, Karen Kligner and Family, Leslie Rowe Photography, YP Skin & Aesthetics (KMA), Anglers Inn Hotel Motel, Tarnasey Farm, BC Beauty Wallaroo, Location Cafe Edithburgh, Fat G's, Wallaroo Primary School Community. Your contributions made this event a great success, and we are grateful for your support. **Looking Ahead:** As we look forward to the remainder of Term 2 we remain committed to providing a nurturing and stimulating environment for all our students. We will continue to build on our successes and explore new opportunities for growth and learning. Thank you for your continued support and partnership.

Warm regards,
Jenevieve Heinrich
Principal, Wallaroo Primary School







Congratulations



Thank you to all our supporters for their kind donations towards our amazing 2025 Easter Raffle:

Edithburgh Caravan Park
Leslie Rowe Photography
YP Skin & Aesthetics (KMA)
Anglers Inn Hotel Motel
Tarnasey Farm
BC Beauty Wallaroo
Location Cafe Edithburgh
Fat G's



Term 2 Overview Calendar



TERM 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	28 Apr	29 Apr	30 Apr	1 May	2 May Governing Council Sausage Sizzle
2	5 May	6 May Book Fair	7 May	8 May	9 May
3	12 May	13 May Dressing of the Graves	14 May	15 May	16 May Fer Kernewek Maypole Saturday - Maypole
4	19 May	20 May Assembly 1:45-2:45	21 May	22 May	23 May
5	26 May Reconciliation Week	27 May	28 May	29 May	30 May Governing Council Sausage Sizzle
6	2 Jun	3 Jun	4 Jun	5 Jun	6 Jun
7	9 Jun King's Birthday Public Holiday	10 Jun Pupil Free Day	11 Jun	12 Jun	13 Jun
8	16 Jun	17 Jun Assembly 1:45-2:45	18 Jun	19 Jun	20 Jun
9	23 Jun	24 Jun	25 Jun	26 Jun	27 Jun
10	30 Jun Naidoc We <u>ek</u>	1 Jul	2 Jul	3 Jul	4 Jul Early Dismissal 2pm

Wallaroo Primary School and Community OSHC

WE ARE HIRING

Qualified OSHC EDUCATOR

- Qualified, or 2nd year Education Degree
- Cert 3 in ECEC, Outside School Hours or SSO qualifications
- WWCC, RRHAN and First Aid
- 8+ hours available, morning 6.45-8.45 and afternoon 2.00-6.00 or 3.30-6.00 shifts
- Extra hours during school holidays (perfect for SSOs)

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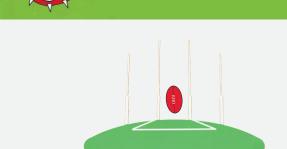


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WALLAROO NETBALL CLUB

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Wallaroo FC Auskick 2025!

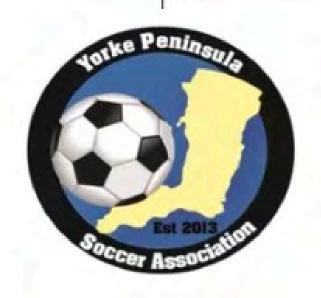
Running on Wednesday nights during Term 2

Contact Kristy on 0409 295 378 for more info

Free with the use of the ORSR Voucher







2025 SEASON

SUNDAY 30th MARCH

SEASON BEGINS

10 AM 5-6 year old

11 AM <u>7-10 year old</u>

12 PM 11 and up

AGES 5-17

NEW PLAYERS ALWAYS WELCOME!

CNR PORT RD & DRAIN RD KADINA

BBQ WILL BE RUNNING FOR BREAKFAST AND LUNCH

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