



Learning Together in Harmony

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Calendar

2 August	PSSA Zone Athletics. Arrive 7.45am
6 August	Education Week Awards MHS
7 August	Book Club orders due
8 August	Meerkat Production Interaction Day
15 August	Education Expo – Open Classrooms
16 August	Books are Magic K-2 Paterson Preschool
23 August	Book Week Parade 2pm

P&C Meeting

Our next P&C Meeting is tomorrow morning at 8:15am in the library.

PSSA Zone Athletics

Important-Early Start

Please note we have just been notified that students need to arrive at 7.45am due to an increase in the number of events on the day. Please meet Mrs Bird at the Iona PS flag. Congratulations and good luck to all the students who will be representing Iona PS this Friday at Zone Athletics. Please be aware that if a competitor fails to compete in a qualifying round of an event that they have entered, it will be assumed that they have a medical reason, therefore they will not be able to compete in anything else. This means that you need to ensure that students arrive on time to make sure they don't miss their events, especially the 800m! Programs have been sent home today.

Assembly

No assembly this week due to the Zone Athletics carnival.

Meerkat Incursion

Please return notes and money prior to 5 August.

OOSH – Kindy Patch Largs

We have been notified by Kindy Patch Largs that as of around mid-August they are offering our parents access to before and after school care at their facility. This is a great and long overdue opportunity for our community!

They only have 10 spaces available of a morning and afternoon, operating from 7am-6pm. These spaces will also be offered to Largs and Bolwarra PS, so if you are interested in, or need before and after school care, you need to register your expression of interest with Kindy Patch, Largs by calling 02 4930 1080 ASAP. Please see Mrs Leary or Mrs Mahony if you have any questions.

3 Way Conferences- Reminder

We are continuing to hold 3 way conferences during this week if you would like to discuss anything with your class teacher.

Interview times available for K/1 are-

Mon 29 July 3.30pm, 3.50pm, 4.10pm

Tues 30 July 8am, 8.20am, 3.15pm, 3.35pm, 3.55pm

Wed 31 July 3.15pm, 3.35pm, 3.55pm

Thur 1 Aug 1pm, 1.50pm, 2.10pm, 2.30pm, 2.50pm, 3.10pm, 3.30pm, 3.50pm, 4.10pm

Interview times available for 2/3 are-

Tues July 30 - 3.15pm, 3.30pm, 3.45pm, 4pm, 4.15pm

Wed July 31 - 3.15pm, 3.30pm, 3.45pm, 4pm, 4.15pm

Thurs August 1 – 9am until 11.15am.

Interview times available for 4/6

Mrs Genge will be coming in on Wednesday 31 July from 12pm until 3pm.

Please call the office to make a booking of your preferred time.

Sydney 3-6 Excursion

Permission, dietary and medical notes have gone home today with all 3-6 students for their excursion to Sydney. Please return these by Friday 6 September with your final payment for camp.

Skoolbag App

A new version of the SkoolBag app was released about a year ago. To ensure a smooth transition from the individual school apps to the new app, they made both apps available for a period. From the **1st August 2019**, Skoolbag will be actioning Apple's new guidelines and will be removing these outdated, individual school apps from the Apple App and Google Play stores. Instructions on how to install Skoolbag on your device can be found attached to the newsletter or via Skoolbag's website:-
<https://moqproducts.com.au/skoolbag/installation-instructions/>

What a Great Way to Recycle Plastic Bottle Tops!

We are supporting Envision Hands, a wonderful charity that recycles plastic bottle tops and uses them to make artificial limbs. The Lorn Kitchen is now a collection centre. Bottle tops must have a 2 or 4 on the underside of the cap. Please wash them and give them to Mrs Bird and we will pass them onto The Lorn Kitchen.



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HOW YOU CAN HELP THE PLANET

LET'S DO OUR PART AND HELP END WASTE
PLASTIC DESTROYING OUR PLANET

**RECYCLING
PLASTIC BOTTLE
TOPS IS SO WORTH
IT**

VISIT GROWWITHJOE.ORG/TARGET-1000000 FOR MORE INFO.

Book Club

Please return all orders to the office by 7 August.

CLASS INFORMATION

K/1

Our news topic this week is free choice. Mrs Bird will be at the Zone Athletics Carnival on Friday, so the students will be completing their activities with Miss Flanagan or Miss Hartigan.

2-3

Year 2/3 have settled well into the new term. We have already started exploring new units in history and writing, we are investigating fractions and 3D shapes, and we are relishing the wonderful words of Roald Dahl as we read George's Marvellous Medicine. The weeks ahead look very busy but everyone is keen to learn.

4-5-6

On Mondays this term Mrs Leary will be focusing on descriptive writing, 3D shapes, volume and in Visual Arts, lino printing. Students will be examining the artworks of Margaret Preston and Hokusai before creating their own lino print. Students will also be learning languages on Monday afternoons. We would like to thank Mrs Chang, Mrs Leonard and Mrs Brown for sharing their knowledge with us.



Cancer Council
Healthy Lunch Box

Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

... to use winter vegetables.

Don't feel like salad during winter?

Here are some fruit and veg filled, winter ideas.



Cook extra for dinner and dessert and pack leftovers for lunch.

- Baked vegetables such as pumpkin, sweet potato, beetroot
- [Mushroom, spinach and lentil lasagna](#)
- [Sweet potato and lentil curry](#)
- [Salmon and potato cakes](#)
- [Shepherd's pie](#)
- [Stewed apples and sultanas](#)
- [Healthy apple crumble](#)

For these recipes and more visit healthylunchbox.com.au

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EVERY DAY COUNTS...

A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...	This means that the best your child can achieve is...
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ a years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

Give your child every chance to succeed...

Every day counts!



The Woodville School of Arts Hall has been a valued part of the community since 1876, with the current hall being in use since 1923. It is one of the very few School of Arts halls which is still owned and managed by the community. It is used regularly by the Iona Public School and other community groups such as VOWW (Voices of Wallalong and Woodville).

It is easy for the community to take for granted access and use of the hall, but its operation would not be possible without the dedicated work of its volunteers and membership.

Memberships play an important role in the operation of the hall for a number of reasons such as financially to support ongoing expenses. Secondly, a larger membership pool assists when we need volunteers for fundraising activities and more importantly, the larger the membership, the greater our chances of being successful when applying for grants.

Memberships are now due, so we are encouraging more of the community to join and support this important asset.

Single memberships are \$20, whilst family memberships are \$30.

An application form is attached, with emailing and bank details. Alternately, application forms are available at the Woodville General Store, which can be left there with your payment.

If you have any enquiries, please contact me on pwillan69@bigpond.com

Kind Regards,

Pat Lannen – Secretary – Woodville School of Arts



Woodville School of Arts Inc

Membership application form

I,

[full name of applicant]

hereby apply to become a member of the Woodville School of Arts Incorporated and in the event of admission as a member agree to be bound by the Constitution of the Association for the time being in force.

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[Signature]

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[Date]

Contact details: Circle Preferred method – phone/text/email/postal

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[postal address]

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[email]

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[telephone]

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[telephone]

Do you wish all information, other than your name, to remain private? YES/NO

Note: Acceptance of this application will also result in membership of the unincorporated Woodville School of Arts, for which you are asked to attach your annual fee of Single \$20/ Household \$30 (circle the appropriate membership category)

Return this form to woodvillesoa@gmail.com, drop it into the Store, or mail it to The Treasurer, Woodville School of Arts, C/- Woodville General Store, 229 Clarence Town Road, Woodville, 2321.
Either enclose your membership fee or pay it into our account Woodville School of Arts BSB 637 000 Account 7234 58455
If direct depositing, please send us an email identifying your funds woodvillesoa@gmail.com
Treasurer Helen McCall Phone: (02) 4938 5308 <https://www.facebook.com/WoodvilleSchoolOfArts>

**HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN TO NOTIFY THE SCHOOL ABOUT CHANGES
TO YOUR INFORMATION?**

New mobile, home or work phone number, new emergency contact person or contact number, change of address, new carer (step-parent), medical updates (eg allergies, medications).

We need to keep in touch with you

Please send us a note, drop in at the office, phone 49 301415
or send an e-mail to iona-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au.

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**CHANGE OF DETAILS SLIP
IONA PUBLIC SCHOOL**

Student's Surname: _____

First Name/s: _____

Classes: _____

New Address: _____ Postcode: _____

New Home Ph Number: **Mother** _____ **Father:** _____

New Mobile Number: **Mother** _____ **Father:** _____

New Work Number: **Mother** _____ **Father:** _____

New Carer information: (only if you need to change information you have already given us)

Carer's Surname: _____ First Name _____

New Emergency Contacts:

Name: _____ Name: _____

Home: _____ Home: _____

Mobile: _____ Mobile: _____

Relationship to Student: _____ Relationship to Student _____

New medical conditions/allergies etc:

Please tick if you have no change to your details. Thank you.

How to install the SkoolBag app

instructions for parents and community

1. Get your favourite mobile device
2. Open the App Store/Play Store
3. Search for "SkoolBag"
4. Download the free app
5. Open the app and add your school(s)

for Apple users



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Google Play

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