Dear Parents and Carers

**ANZAC DAY**
We celebrated ANZAC Day on Tuesday 28th April.
I would like to thank Mr Barry Young and Mr Bob Cousins from the Warilla RSL Sub-branch for participating in our celebration.
I am very grateful to Mr Neil Lendrum from Oak Flats Public School for his outstanding rendition of the “Last Post”.
Uncle Richard Archibald will be visiting our school on Monday 5th May at 12.15 p.m. to present a DVD presentation of “Spirit of the Warrior”. This DVD is about aboriginal soldiers who served our Nation. Everyone is welcome to attend this screening.

**Breakfast at school**
Our school participates in a breakfast program on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. The program is run through the support of Baptist care, Warilla North.
Mrs Wendy Lander is the playgroup and volunteer co-ordinator.
We need more volunteers to keep the program running.
If you could spare an hour from 8.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m. on any of our breakfast days, it would be very much appreciated. Please ring Wendy Lander on 0411459698.

**NAPLAN Test**
Children in Years 3 and 5 will be tested in aspects of Numeracy and Literacy on Tuesday 13th, Wednesday 14th and Thursday 15th May. These tests will be utilised by our school for children’s further education. Therefore, it is vital that everyone attends school and participates.
Please try to avoid appointments on these days.

Regards
Graham Johnson
Principal

**WHAT'S HAPPENING**

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**KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS FOR 2015**
Mount Warrigal Public School is now taking Kindergarten enrolments for next year. Please contact the school office for enrolment forms.
Our Library is holding a Book Fair featuring exciting new books from Scholastic! We have sent home a brochure explaining how the Book Fair will work. Sale of books will be benefiting our School Library.

Parents will get to preview the books on Monday 5th May in the library from 2-3pm. Money to be paid on SALE days 6th and 7th May.

Students will have a preview of these books during class and then the sale days will be on 6th May at 2.30pm - 4pm & 7th May at 2.30pm – 4pm in our School Hall. We will have EFTPOS facilities available on the SALE days as well as cash sales with the correct money.

Susan. A. Marold
Librarian/Classroom Teacher

Parking is not available for parents in the school grounds other than for emergencies.

Volunteer NOTICE
It is an offence for a person to apply or volunteer for any activity involving contact with children or youth if such a person has been convicted under the NSW Child Protection Act 1998.

SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS
The Voluntary School Contributions for Mount Warrigal Public School are set at the following amounts for single children or families. A family is defined as two or more children.

- Single children: $20
- Families: $30

SCHOOL VISITORS
DON’T FORGET TO SIGN IN AT OUR OFFICE AND COLLECT A BADGE IF YOU ARE HELPING AT OUR SCHOOL.

FUNDRAISING NEWS
Mother's Day Raffle tickets will come home this week. Tickets are 50c each/$5 per book. Prizes include an Ereader, hairdressing vouchers and more. Raffle will be drawn at the Mother's Day Stall, Friday 9th May 2014. Please return your tickets sold or unsold to the canteen by Thursday 8th May and Thank you for your support.

Mother's Day Stall will be held on Friday 9th May in the school hall. If you would like to help by donating small gifts to be sold on the day, it would be greatly appreciated. Donations of items can be left at the canteen. All gifts will be selling for $5 each.

UNIFORMS
Have arrived (finally). They are available for purchase from the canteen 8.30am – 1pm, Monday to Friday. Sorry for any inconvenience.

P & C
Next meeting is Monday 19th May at 9.30am in the Community Room, all welcome to attend.

Stewart House Clothing Appeal 2014
Your child has been given a bag from Stewart House & The Smith Family Clothing Appeal

- Everyone can help by donating any good, clean, wearable clothing, shoes, Manchester and blankets.
- Our collection day will be 6th May so please if you can assist bring bags back to our School Office any time before this date.

Stewart House Donation Drive 2014
An envelope has been sent home with your child last Term from Stewart House. If you are able to help please seal the envelope and return to school with your details on the envelope for your chance to win a Family Holiday.

The Smith Family Student2student Reader FREE program
Do you have a home phone? Student in year 3-6?

- The student2student reading program works by having high school students read to primary students over the telephone 3 times a week for 20 minutes.
- Cost is FREE and all books are provided.
- Runs from 2nd June until 24th October 2014.
- Contact Richard@The Smith Family on 4297 0833 before the 8th May for more information and to book your child’s place.
**Playgroup Term 2 2014 Monday @ Warilla North CC hall 9:30-11:30**

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© Thursday May 8th KidsFest Taster event @ Blackbutt Youth centre near Harrison Park 11-12 noon.

Any questions? Phone or text 0411659698.
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**RIDE AROUND THE LAKE**

**BREAKING THE CYCLE**

Join us at 11am for the 10km family ride on Saturday 3rd May at Lake's Park, Kambah.

At the finish we've got a free Kids Zone and entertainment for the whole family.

What a BIKK bike! The prize goes to the kid with the best dressed bike.

Visit www.ridearoundthelake.com.au

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**THE ILLAWARRA ABORIGINAL MEDICAL SERVICE**

**DENTAL CLINIC HAS A DENTAL THERAPIST TREATING CHILDREN TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY. WE ARE ALSO NOW SET UP TO CLAIM THE CHILD DENTAL BENEFIT SCHEME SO PLEASE CALL US TO BOOK AN APPOINTMENT AND HELP KEEP FUNDS IN OUR SERVICE TO BE ABLE TO CONTINUE TO TREAT OUR COMMUNITY.**

**THE IAMS DENTAL CLINIC IS A SERVICE FOR THE ILLAWARRA ABORIGINAL COMMUNITY FROM GERRINGONG TO HELENSBURGH.**

**WE HAVE A SHORT WAIT TIME SO PLEASE CALL US FOR YOUR DENTAL CHECK APPOINTMENT TO GO ON OUR LIST.**

**OUR DENTAL THERAPIST IS VERY FRIENDLY AND DEDICATED IN LOOKING AFTER THE KIDS OF THIS COMMUNITY AND CAN TREAT CHILDREN 0-17 YEARS OF AGE.**

**THE IAMS DENTAL CLINIC IS LOCATED AT 150 CHUCH STREET WOLLONGONG.**

OUR PHONE NUMBER IS 02 42 297755.