



Our outgoing 2019 and our incoming 2020 student leaders



We acknowledge and pay our respects to the elders, both past and present who have walked this land before us and now walk alongside us. We honour their totem Biraban the Eagle Hawk and his little brother Wiripaang which our school is named after.

SOARING HIGH ON THE WINGS OF SUCCESS

Dear Parents, Carers and Community,

The last week of the 2019 school year is finally here – there has been so much to celebrate, Wonnai Graduation, Presentation Day, Year 6 Farewell, Soaring High Day and Carols under the COLA will take place tomorrow. These events have all been tremendous examples of our students and community coming together to share in the culture and learning commitment of Wiripaang PS. Congratulations to all of our award recipients, our outgoing 2019 Year 6 students and families and our incoming 2020 student leader executive. I thank the wonderful students, our committed P&C and our dedicated teachers for what has been an outstanding year.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has supported the school this year, whether it has been your attendance at whole school events, being an in class volunteer, listening to a child read, or someone who has given up time transporting students to many different events, I sincerely appreciate your efforts.

I have included a copy of classes and teachers proposed for day 1 next year. Please note that due to numbers fluctuating this structure may change slightly depending on any new enrolments at the start of the 2020 year. Please also keep in mind that each child's learning path is individual and should your child be in a composite class that this is not due to streaming of abilities but more so supporting social considerations and class numbers.

With the 2020 new year comes several staffing changes for Wiripaang PS. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Ms Penny McGee for her outstanding years as Early Action for Success, Deputy Principal - Instructional Leader. Ms McGee has been instrumental in working side by side with staff and students ensuring that everyone has the opportunity to succeed and reach their ultimate learning potential, our student gains have been acknowledged and recognised nationally. Ms McGee was successful in an appointment as Deputy Principal - Instructional Leader at Ellalong PS for 2020 and we wish her every success. Mrs Amanda

Lavercombe has now been appointed to this position at Wiripaang for 2020 and will continue delivering the schools vision and plan of ongoing improvement, enhancing the work she has successfully already undertaken across years 3-6. We thank Mr Daniel Morgan for his efforts relieving in this role for the past 15 weeks. Mr Peter Thompson has been successful in securing the relieving Assistant Principal 3-6 role at Wiripaang PS and he is very much looking forward to this new challenge in 2020.

We also welcome a new member to our staff, Mr Aaron Carter who will be filling the role of Assistant Principal -Wellbeing for 2020. Mr Carter visited our school last Thursday to undertake a meet and greet and he instantly connected with our students. We are very much looking forward to the expertise Mr Carter offers in this area and we are sure he will complement our executive team in this new role.

Lastly I advise that this Principal message will be my last for some time for Wiripaang Public School. I share with you all the news that I was appointed to relieving Principal of Adamstown Public School for the duration of Terms 1-3 in 2020. Mrs Julie Low has been appointed to the relieving Principal position here at Wiripaang and is visiting our wonderful school on Tuesday. I am so proud of all that we have collectively achieved at our school to date and I know that Mrs Low will continue to build on these successes, I will miss my Wirifamily but I know that you are in good hands in my absence.

On behalf of all my staff I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a safe and peaceful holiday break. The school email will be intermittently monitored across the holiday period if you need to make contact. The 2020 school year commences for students in years 1 - 6 on 29th January and Kindergarten commence their school career on 30th January. Take care everyone.

Kind regards,
Emma Stothard



Projected Classes and Teachers for 2020

Relieving Principal	Julie Low	Mon- Fri
Deputy Principal/ EAFS Instructional Leader	Amanda Lavercombe	Mon-Fri
KL	Elizabeth Ginters	Mon- Fri
KH	Hannah Davies (In 2019 1D room)	Mon- Fri
1/2D	Donna Summers – Assistant Principal K-2 (In old Assistant Principal Office)	Mon- Fri
1/2S	Salli Gilmour/Christine Clifford	4 days/1 day
3/4M	Damian McNeil	Mon- Fri
3/4S	Karlie Symons/Shantelle Ingram	Mon- Thurs/
5/6T	Peter Thompson – Relieving Assistant Principal 3-6	Mon - Fri
5/6P	Deanna Pfeiffer	Mon- Fri
WF	Clare Fleming – Assistant Principal Support Unit/Laura Grieve	Mon- Fri
WS	Stacey Moffitt/Laura Grieve	Mon- Fri
WM	Noelene Matheson/Laura Grieve	Mon- Fri
Learning and Support	Vicki Smart	4 days
Teacher Librarian	Eimear Dunne	4 days
Relief from face to	Hayley Reeves/Shantelle Ingram	2 days/2 days
Additional Teaching Staff funded out of school based allocated funds		
K-2 LaST	Michelle Quigley	4 days
Assistant Principal Learning and Support	Debra Cook	1 day
Assistant Principal (Wellbeing)	Mr Aaron Carter	5 days
Wonnai	Mrs Christine Clifford	1 day

Term 4

- Tues 17th December—Carols under the COLA
- Wed 18th December—Last day of Term 4 & Year 6 clap out. At 2:45pm

Term 1—2020

- Tues 28th Jan 2020—staff return
- Wed 29th Jan 2020—students in Years 1-6 return
- Wed 29th Jan—Kindergarten best start interviews
- Thurs 30th Jan 2020—Kindergarten's first day
- Mon 3rd Feb —Swimming Carnival
- Fri 14th Feb—Leadership Induction Assembly
- Thurs 26 March—GRIP Leadership for Leaders
- Thurs 2nd April—School Photos
- Thurs 9th April —Last day of term 1
- Fri 10th April—Good Friday

**Please note there is always a possibility of staff and students moving in and out of area so this list may alter according to student numbers within the first few days back of the 2020 year. We are currently very close to obtaining an additional class.*





JOIN US FOR OUR
COMMUNITY

Christmas

CAROLS UNDER THE COLA

**TUESDAY
17th DECEMBER**

1.00pm to 2.55pm
Wiripaang Public School

- CLASS CHRISTMAS ITEMS NEW CAROLS AND OLD FAVOURITES
 - SANTA VISIT • P&C CHRISTMAS BUMPER RAFFLE & SAUSAGE SIZZLE
 - P&C STALLS REGISTER YOUR STALL WITH THE P&C TODAY FOR \$20
 - CLASS CHRISTMAS STALLS • FOOD STALLS & ACTIVITIES
- ...AND MUCH MORE!



Gateshead

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19th December
Kayon Theme Restaurant
 Celebrate the end of the year with a Kayon Theme Party. Dance, play and enjoy the games. Dine in and indulge in the yummy food.
Excursion

20th December
Xmas Cooking
 Put on your chef hat and get messy in the kitchen and make delicious Christmas treats.
Disco Party
 Come dance and groove with Boop till you drop for an afternoon disco.
Incursion

23rd December
Christmas Gifts & Knart Shopping
 Take a trip to Knart and buy a gift valued at \$15 for a family member or friend to spread to gift of giving.
 \$15 to be made available to the OOSH.
 Spend the afternoon wrapping and getting the present ready for giving.
Excursion

24th December
Megamania
 Jump into Monday & enjoy the giant slides, inflatables and obstacles for hours of fun.
 Return & enjoy a talent quest to showcase your talents.
Day Camp Operating 7-3
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Merry Christmas from
 Fair Play OOSH



6th January
Timezone
 Enjoy the latest and greatest arcade games at timezone with your friends.
Whistle-Bud
 Bring your bike or scooter in for some wheel fun.
Excursion

7th January
Woolly Water
Play
 Take aim and get wet with an all in water battle.
Minute to Win It
 Take on the minute challenges to be the champion.
Day Camp

8th January
Telecogan Path
 Join us for a fun filled day at the adventure park.
 Join us for a tractor ride around the park, play putt putt, conquer the maze and enjoy a toboggan ride.
Excursion

9th January
Dutch Braid
 Central Coast Braid Extensions are here to spruce up your hair.
Tattoo Up
 If your hair is short don't worry we have Tat Me Up here for temporary air brush tattoos.
Incursion

10th January
Aqua Park
 Put your life jacket on for a fun & safe experience tackling the big inflatable water course at the central coast.
 Ammo 1.5
 Eat lunch in the park before heading back to OOSH.
Excursion

13th January
Merewether Ocean Bath
 Visit our local ocean baths, swim, build sandcastles, explore rockpools and have a game of beach volleyball and cricket.
Excursion

14th January
Movie Madness "Spies in Disguise"
 Kick back & recline with a popcorn in hand & enjoy the latest release on the big screen.
 Become a spy for the afternoon and create spy gadgets.
Excursion

15th January
Colour Run
 Become a rainbow warrior and tackle the colour run course to be crowned the most colourful child at OOSH.
Incursion

16th January
Slime Bowling & Laser Tag
 Lace up and knock down the pins to get a strike and venture upstairs for a game of laser tag.
Lizard Monster
 Become the OOSH lego master.
Excursion

17th January
BYO Device
 Bring your device for a day of supervised play on electronics.
Waterskiing
Nett Court
 Build forts and help create a bottle arena.
Day Camp



20th January Jump into Summer Enjoy a fun filled day of unlimited jumping castle water fun. Enjoy water activities for a wet and wacky water day. Staff - V- kids water bomb fight. Incursion	21st January Mega Putt Putt Test out your hand eye coordination and take on the 36 hole putt putt course. Challenge yourself to get a "hole in one". Excursion	22nd January Moolband Pool Join us for a fun and refreshing day of swimming. Be brave and stand under the bucket as it tips in the splash pad. Excursion	23rd January Build a Bear Pick a bear and make him your own by filling him with love. Teddy's Bear Picnic Blockbust Bring along your newly created bear for a picnic in the park. Excursion	24th January Networld Bounce, play and explore an exciting new world high up in the tree tops. Experience a new sense of gravity and enjoy games and fun. Excursion
27th January  CLOSED	28th January Back to School Join in on the back to school craft. Wheeler Bin Cricket Celebrate Australia day with a good old game of cricket. Day Camp			



Disclaimer

- Fair Play COOSH does not state the address or times for child protection reasons. The service coordinator will send a message to all families booked in the day before.
- Please ensure that you arrive by 8:30am on Excursion days unless told otherwise by the service coordinator.
- If you are not at the service at the departure time we will not be able to find you and you will have to meet us at the excursion or your child will miss out.

Fees

Day Camps \$55 (k60 as of 1.1.20)

Incursion & Excursion \$70

Coach & Hire Bus \$10

Late Collection Fee \$5 per child per minute

Excursion **GREEN** Shirt \$15

Daily incursion and excursion fee of \$70 is inclusive of excursion costs*

Daily Fees reduced by Child Care Subsidy

No cancellation policy for Vacation Care Excursions and Incursions and 24 hours for Day Camps.

Please ensure that you have confirmed your enrolment online prior to attending.

How to Book

Phone: 0412 728 915

Email: spoolsgal@det.nsw.edu.au

Family Lounge: www.fairplaypoosh.com.au

You will be required to complete a booking form to confirm your booking

Operational Hours

7am - 6pm

(Please confirm with Centrelink your approved hours of care)

Fellon Street, Gosford NSW 2250

Things your children will need daily

- Send your child each day with a packed recess: lunch, snack and drink bottle.
- A wide brimmed hat and sun safe clothing.
- Enclosed shoes. No flipflops, sandals or roller boots. *Wool Excursions excluded*
- Positive attitude
- **Green Fair Play** (Excursions only)

Breakfast Club in VC

A light breakfast will be supplied and served between

7am & 8am

(Toat, Cereal & Juice)

Afternoon Tea in VC

Fair Play COOSH provide themselves on healthy eating and will provide a delicious fruit snack for afternoon tea.

Risk Assessments

Educators complete a full risk assessment prior to the activity taking place.

The companies/ excursion location Rtk Assessment and Public Liability and WWCC are obtained.

1:1.5 in service

1:10 on Excursion

1:5 Water activities

Play, learn & grow together in a quality service where kids can be kids



PCYC | POLICE CITIZENS
YOUTH CLUB NSW
OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS
January School Holidays
Week 1

Monday 6 th	Tuesday 7 th	Wednesday 8 th	Thursday 9 th	Friday 10 th
GERM DAY From \$10.83 - \$55 Today will be all about having fun and laughing while learning about germs!	BRING YOUR DEVICE DAY From \$8.04 - \$47 Bring your own devices but don't forget it will be your own responsibility to look after them.	ROBOT EXCURSION From \$11.90 - \$85 Today we are going on an excursion to PCYC Maitland to join in on the fun of SMART robot coding!	MINI OLYMPICS From \$9.04 - \$47 Compete in several events including, balloon relay, hula-hoop races and lots more.	RECYCLED CRAFT From \$11.90 - \$85 Bring in some old cardboard boxes and let's make them into amazing creations!
As well as some other cool science experiments. 	In the afternoon we will be making some pretty epic 'Paper Maché' art pieces. 	Once back at the club lets have a fun afternoon making the biggest straw tower we can! 	We will have medals and awards for our OOSHIES 	Come and watch Spies in Disguise with the rest of us OOSHIES! 
In the afternoon let's do some magic tricks, show and tell jokes and many funny gags 				

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YOUTH CLUB NSW
OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS
January School Holidays
Week 2

Monday 13 th	Tuesday 14 th	Wednesday 15 th	Thursday 16 th	Friday 17 th
TRADIE DAY From \$9.04 - \$47 Dress as a tradie today 	MEGAMANIA EXCURSION From \$11.90 - \$85 Today we are going on an excursion to Megamania! 	WACKY WEDNESDAY From \$10.83 - \$55 Wacky Hair Day Today we will make our own weird and wonderful hats, plus colouring our hair! 	CAKE DECORATING & BEADS From \$10.83 - \$55 Today we will be decorating cakes and then enjoying them for afternoon tea. 	FREE PLAY FRIDAY From \$9.04 - \$47 Today is all about what YOU want to do! 
We will be visiting Bunnings to learn how to make some awesome things with wood! 	Once back at the club we will be making yummy delicious taco's for afternoon tea. 	In the afternoon, we will play the awesome 'Chow Crown' with different fruit and marshmallows. 	Then, group games in the hall 	Feel like craft, group games or relaxing? It's completely up to you what to do today 
We will make either a tool box or a wooden pencil case 				

PCYC | POLICE CITIZENS
YOUTH TRAINING
OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS
January School Holidays
Week 3

Monday 20 th	Tuesday 21 st	Wednesday 23 rd	Thursday 24 th	Friday 25 th
AUSTRALIA DAY CRAFT	REPTILE EXCURSION	TIE DYE DAY	MOVIE DAY	BACK TO SCHOOL
From \$10.63 - \$55	From \$11.90 - \$85	From \$10.63 - \$55	From \$11.90 - \$85	From \$10.63 - \$55
 <p>Today we are getting ready for the week ahead for Australia Day! We will make paper plate opera houses, twirl snakes, Aussie and Indigenous flags.</p>	 <p>Enjoy a fun filled day at the club with an excursion to PCYC Maitland to join in the fun of a visit from Crocodile Encounters!!</p>	 <p>Let's have a colourful day today and tie dye. We will be making some awesome tie-dye pillowcases!</p>	 <p>Let's go to the movies and watch Doodle.</p>	 <p>Today is all about going back to school!</p>
 <p>Plus we will have a sausage sizzle for lunch!</p>	 <p>"Dr Crunch Reptile Show", is an interactive, educational, yet entertaining experience.</p>	 <p>If you want to bring something from home to dye, you can do that too! Ask your parent/guardian first.</p>	 <p>When we get back to the club, we will make our own finger puppet animals. Plus we will have plenty of animal craft to do today!</p>	 <p>Today we will make some cool name labels for our schoolbooks, make bookmarks, create a 2020 calendar and decorate items to use at school.</p>



HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

SUMMER 2020








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