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IMPORTANT DATES

October

Tuesday 8th
Student Return PP-6

Tuesday 15th
Money Talk Incursion Part A

Wednesday 23rd
Community Healthy Lunch

Friday 25th
Scitech

Wednesday 29th
Money Talk Incursion Part B

Thursday 31st
Halloween Walkathon

KITCHEN GARDEN GRANT

Wundowie Primary School have won a grant for \$4,300 for a Kitchen Garden Grant from Healthways.

Students are working on the garden with Mrs Mate, with plans to incorporate a worm farm.

Breakfast Club
Tue & Fri 8:30am

AUSSIE OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to Rubie, Cooper, and Jackson for Aussie of the Month.



Aussie of the Month May



Aussie of the Month June



Aussie of the Month July

All visitors to the school must sign in through the front office

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

You can pay your voluntary contributions via EFT or EFTPOS



WE RELY ON YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS SO THAT WE CAN ENSURE THE SUSTAINABILITY OF PROVIDING EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES, SUCH AS COOKING AND CREATING SPECIALS PROJECTS FOR FATHER'S DAY, MOTHER'S DAY, AND OTHER IMPORTANT DATES.

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SCHOOL UPGRADE

Great News! Wundowie Primary School has been nominated for an upgrade to our heating and cooling system. The current evaporative system will be decommissioned and replaced with split systems in all the classrooms and admin building. This project is due to start over the Christmas school holidays.

SCHOOLS TREE DAY

Thank you to Wooroloo Prison for supplying these beautiful seedlings for planting around the school.



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LUNCH WITH THE PRINCIPAL

Congratulations to Archer for being the first student for getting 50 WOW's. Ms Stallman and Archer enjoyed lunch outside for achieving a tremendous goal. Well done Archer!



NATURALIST, ERIC MCCRUM

Eric McCrumb, the renowned naturalist, captivated students with his fascinating talk on spiders, revealing their crucial role in maintaining ecological balance. He explained how these often-misunderstood arachnids help control insect populations, benefiting both agriculture and human health.



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BOOK FAIR

What a great turn out of students who dressed up for the day, so many wonderful costumes!



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ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The athletics carnival was a vibrant event filled with fun activities, games, and community spirit.



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THE GREAT VEGIE CRUNCH

Wundowie Primary School received the Great Vegie Crunch grant, encouraging students to eat more vegetables through fun, healthy eating activities and initiatives.



SILVER THREADS BAND

The Silver Threads Band performed at Wundowie Primary School, bringing lively music to the students and staff. Their visit added a special touch of entertainment and engagement to the school's activities.



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TERM PLANNER, SEMESTER 2

Term 4					
Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	7 October World Cerebral Palsy Day (6th Oct) SDD	8 October Students Return PP-6	9 October	10 October Early Close	11 October
2	14 October	15 October Talk Money Incursion A (Yr5/6) 9am-10am	16 October	17 October Early Close	18 October
3	21 October	22 October	23 October Community Healthy Lunch	24 October Early Close	25 October Scitech
4	28 October	29 October Talk Money Incursion B (Yr5/6) 9am-10am	30 October	31 October Early Close Halloween Walkathon	1 November HEC Interschool Athletics Carnival
5	4 November	5 November	6 November World Maths Day	7 November Early Close HEC Art Festival Chidlow PS	8 November
6	11 November Remembrance Day	12 November	13 November	14 November Early Close	15 November
7	18 November	19 November NSHS Yr6 Transition Day	20 November	21 November Early Close	22 November National Fairy Bread Day
8	25 November	26 November NSHS Yr6 Transition Day	27 November	28 November Early Close	29 November Year 6 Graduation Presentation
9	2 December Swimming	3 December Swimming International Day of Persons with Disabilities	4 December Swimming	5 December Early Close Swimming EHSYS Orientation Day	6 December Swimming
10	9 December Swimming	10 December Swimming	11 December Swimming Year 6 Graduation Excursion	12 December Christmas Concert Rewards Day (P&C to Organise) Last Day of School	13 December SDD NO STUDENTS

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WPS IS A POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT (PBS) SCHOOL

This Term’s focus behaviours is:
“we use the toilet properly ”
(not staff)

At Wundowie Primary School we are dedicated to our whole school Positive Behaviour Program. The school has three overarching school values to follow.

We are Respectful, We are Responsible, We Strive to Be Our Best

This approach helps foster a sense of community and shared responsibility among the students. The staff at Wundowie Primary School are not only dedicated to addressing behaviour issues, but also promoting and reinforcing positive behaviours. By using consistent language and a unified approach, the staff ensure that students understand the expectations and know what behaviours are considered respectful, responsible, and striving to be their best.

The acknowledgment and reward system implemented at the school further motivates and reinforces positive behaviour. Students are observed and acknowledged for displaying behaviours that align with the school’s expectations, and they are rewarded accordingly. This helps to create a positive atmosphere and encourages students to continue exhibiting these behaviours.

In addition to the acknowledgment and reward system, whole school and class lessons are conducted to explicitly teach behaviour expectations. This ensures that students have a clear understanding of what is expected of them in terms of behaviour. By teaching these expectations, the staff empower the students to make positive choices and take ownership of their behaviour.



Expectations Matrix

	Settings				
	All settings	In Lessons	Technology	Outside	Toilets
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We use kind words We keep our bodies to ourselves We speak respectfully to adults We ask permission to use other people’s property and school equipment We use good manners We follow the transition procedure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We put our hands up and wait to be asked We use whole body listening We keep quiet so others can learn 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We follow the technology agreement that we signed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We look after plants and animals We play games fairly We include others 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We give others privacy We use a quiet voice
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We follow directions the first time we are asked We are truthful We share equipment and play areas We use appropriate voice levels We use equipment properly We help pack away all equipment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We walk inside 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We keep passwords safe We print only when asked We use appropriate sites 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We put rubbish into the correct bins We stay in the school boundaries We follow the rules of the play area We walk in covered areas We wear a school hat We walk our wheels on the school grounds and lock them in the bike rack 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We wash our hands with soap and water We flush the toilet We walk inside We use the toilet properly
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We greet staff We offer to help others 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We stay on task We keep trying We ask for help when we need it 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We take personal phones and iPads to the office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We follow the eating procedure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We leave toilets clean