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# Walpole Primary School

## Dates to Remember

<b>Friday 31 May</b>	<b>8.50am Assembly</b>
<b>Monday 3 June</b>	<b>Public Holiday</b>
<b>Tuesday 4 –7 June</b>	<b>Year 4/5/6 Camp</b>
<b>Thursday 13 June</b>	<b>WOW Cruise P-Yr6</b>
<b>Friday 14 June</b>	<b>Interschool Cross Country</b>

The students have been busy preparing for the Lapathon, Cross Country and completing NAPLAN.

### NAPLAN

NAPLAN testing is finished, and I am glad to report that we only had one child who had difficulty accessing the Writing Test. The staff look forward to getting the results earlier this year due to the online format.

### Faction Cross Country

The weather was perfect for our Cross Country on Wednesday. Congratulations to all of the students who completed the gruelling event of 850m (K-1), 1.6km (Yr 2-4) and 2.2km for Yr 5/6 students.

Congratulations Blue Faction who won with 258 points compared to Green with 228 points. Championship medals went to Pia and Tristan (Gold) and Keenan and Luke (Silver).

Thank you to Rob Griffiths and Rob Jones for setting up the course, Janine and Mal Smeathers for donating transport and the Walpole Country Club for allowing us to use their venue.

Thank you also to the many parents who assisted to make the run a safe one.

**THANK YOU**

### URWalpole WOW Cruise

The P-6 students participated in their first URWalpole excursion on Gary's boat this Thursday. We visited Circus Beach and checked out the fungi growing along the dunes.



### Football Clinic

Four volunteers from Denmark/Walpole Football Club conducted an Auskick workshop with the P-6 students last week. The students learnt various skills including handball and kicking. They finished the afternoon with a scratch match to demonstrate their skills.

### Community Twilight Event

It was lovely to have Saturday's youth focused Twilight Event feature a number of current and past Walpole students. Lara, Luluca, Amber N and Maddie opened the occasion and demonstrated their flexibility with instruments and vocals. Jed C, Amber V, Pia and Stella also participated by playing guitar, singing or playing the drums.

## School Uniforms



Some items of the new school uniform can be purchased through the office. There are shirts in all sizes and some jackets.

## Fun Run 2019

On the 17<sup>th</sup> of May we had our Fun Run, fundraising for the Telethon Kids Institute. We had 30 minutes to run as many laps as possible around the oval. Each lap was 200m. We listened to a range of music as well.

Congratulations to Pia, Jack and Oliver for running the most laps in their class. Well done to everyone, we were all exceptional!

It was great practise for the Cross Country. The whole school all up ran 116km, equal to the distance from Walpole to Albany. We have raised so far \$491.10.

Jorja K



## Faction Cross Country



Thank you to Steven Madaffari and colleagues from Magpies Football Club for conducting an Auskick workshop with the P-6 students last week.

## National Volunteer Week

Thank you to the many parents who volunteer to help the school formally through School Board and P&C or informally, through carnivals or classroom help. Your involvement is very much appreciated and results in stronger partnerships and support for your child/ren.

## Faction Shirts

Please return shirts to the office ASAP.  
Thank you ☺

## School Photos

There has been a change of date with the school photos. They will now take place Sept 13.

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## FABULOUS FUNGI ART EXHIBITION

@ PETRICHOR GALLERY



Thank you to Amity Health, the Edmonds and the P&C for helping make possible this family friendly event.

This will be our  
URWalpole celebration  
and include paintings,  
prints and ceramic  
sculptures as well as  
samples of work.



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