



# Warrenheip Primary School Newsletter

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## DATES TO REMEMBER

<u>May</u>		
Tue	15	NAPLAN
Wed	16	NAPLAN
Thu	17	NAPLAN
Thu	17	Resilience Project Parent Session (pm)
Fri	18	Winter Sport
Fri	18	Division X Country (Victoria Park)
Fri	25	Winter Sport
Wed	30	Basketball Session 1
<u>June</u>		
Mon	4	School Council meeting 6pm

- Term 2 weather is changeable; please dress kids in layers!
- Yr 7 Transition forms due back now

## THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

"Don't pray when it rains if you don't pray when the sun shines."

Satchel Paige

*Dear Parents and Community Members,*

Well, winter has finally struck in Warrenheip with a torrential downpour of rain last night and today. Because of the rain the Winter Sports event that had been going to take place today was postponed, and just as well too! Of course the children have been stuck inside all day today so they may be a little restless by the time they come home this afternoon.

Winter Sports will now take place next Friday, as well as the scheduled final session on the 25<sup>th</sup>. That will make next week very busy with NAPLAN assessments and the division cross country event!

Please remember that there is a parent information night on Thursday next week about the Resilience Project. Bungaree Primary School at 7pm; I look forward to seeing you there.

We received the official results of the Athletic Sports this week. Talk about punching above our weight! Warrenheip PS placed 18 times over 9 events and gained two new cluster records. The places are

listed for children in their age groups:

- Shot Put, Aiden 2<sup>nd</sup> / Alisha 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- Discus, Ryan 3<sup>rd</sup> / David 1<sup>st</sup> / Aiden 2<sup>nd</sup> / Sam 1<sup>st</sup> / Vincent 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- Javelin, Jett 2<sup>nd</sup> / Aiden 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Long Jump, Abby 3<sup>rd</sup> / Livy 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Triple Jump, Livy 1<sup>st</sup>.
- 200m, Livy 1<sup>st</sup>.
- 100m, Aiden 4<sup>th</sup> / Abby 4<sup>th</sup> / Livy 1<sup>st</sup>.
- 1500m, Aiden 1<sup>st</sup>.
- 800m Livy 1<sup>st</sup>.

Placing here does not guarantee a place in the next round of competition as that depends on how well all the other schools did – students will be notified individually if they get through. Well done to all contestants!

Those of you who ordered school photos last term will find them coming home today. I hope that you enjoy the photos!

Looking ahead to next term, we have now been able to work out the costing for the Swim and Gym program. All students will be expected to participate in this program, which will run on a Thursday in term 3. The Swim and

Gym program is a joint program with Bungaree PS and will be subsidised by a grant from the Sporting Schools organisation. At the moment we anticipate the cost to parents of the program to be \$115.00 per student. This provides a 10 week course of swimming lessons as well as 10 gymnastics sessions. I am putting the expected cost up this early as parents may wish to begin budgeting for the cost. Permissions and accounts for the program will come home later this term.

We are continuing to make progress with our new portal / app, 'Saeko'. I have now added a link to the Saeko web app on the home page of our website. The app itself allows you to get notifications if we need to send out urgent messages as well as reminders about the newsletter. It will also enable you to see your children's reports once they are written (with hard copies coming home as usual).

*Have a happy Mother's Day!*  
Arthur Lane