

# NewsLetter

Term 2, 4th July 2025

## Principal's Report



As Term 2 draws to a close, I'm delighted to reflect on the energy, growth and community spirit that filled our school this term!

A highlight early in the term was the arrival of our brand new pushbikes. Seeing the joy on students' faces as they zipped around during sport time has been a real treat. It's heartwarming to watch them build confidence and coordination—all while having plenty of fun!

Our Small School Cross Country was another big win, with students from all year levels showing remarkable determination and support for one another.

A special congratulations goes to Lexi, who absolutely shone at the Athletics Carnival, taking out 1st place in both Discus and Shotput! Her hard work and talent were an inspiration to us all—well done, Lexi!

During week 8 our visit to Niangala School to connect with the Life Education program was a fantastic learning experience. The students engaged with important topics in a fun and interactive setting, sparking meaningful conversations and new awareness.

And before we even stepped into Term 2, we were blown away by the generosity and teamwork in our Term 1 Foodbank FoodFight. Thanks to the kindness and enthusiasm of our school community, we created an amazing 540 meals for people in need. A huge thank you to everyone who contributed—what a way to make a difference!

Term 2 may have been packed with action, but it was also full of heart. I couldn't be prouder of our students and staff for the way they continue to grow, support one another, and show that being part of a small school never limits how big our impact can be.

# Student of the Week



**Week 1**

**Charlie Worthington**  
for coming back to  
school with a positive  
attitude



**Week 2**

**Nathaniel Worthington**  
for being a focused  
classroom member



**Week 3**

**Lexi McKern**  
for outstanding sporting  
achievements



**Week 5**

**Sebastian Joyce**  
for outstanding effort in  
reading



**Week 6**

**Nathaniel Worthington**  
for showing persistence  
in school



**Week 7**

**Zoie Denny**  
for working hard in  
Maths



**Week 8**

**Lexi McKern, Alyssa Brown & Thomas Joyce**  
for applying themselves to their learning



**Week 9**

**Nathaniel Worthington**  
for persistence in bike riding



**Week 10**

**Abby Worthington**  
for applying herself in  
all areas







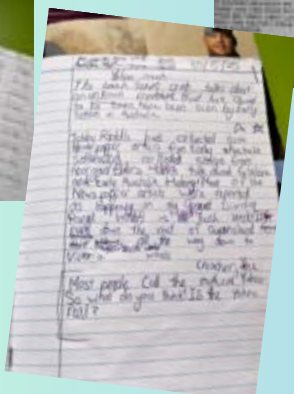


# Yrs 4 & 6

## TERM 2

### Literacy and Writing

Students are continuing to build their literacy skills in connection with writing. This term we have been exploring the book, Yahoo Creek. Students have been investigating the use of authority in texts.



### Mathematics

Students have been looking into number and place value as well as measurement and geometry!



# Yrs 4 & 6

## TERM 2

### PDHPE

PDHPE has been all about recognising those in our lives we can trust and also how we can be someone that others trust.



### History

Students have been learning about The Eora Nation - the Aboriginal peoples who were the original inhabitants of the Sydney coastal region.

History has been closely followed with our writing unit this term.



# Kindergarten

## Year 1 and Year 2

### Science

#### Mathematics

In Maths, students have been exploring different forms of measurement, counting and grouping of amounts.

Students have been learning about different materials and how we can manipulate them.



### PDHPE

Students have been looking at respecting others.





# Kindergarten Year 1 and Year 2

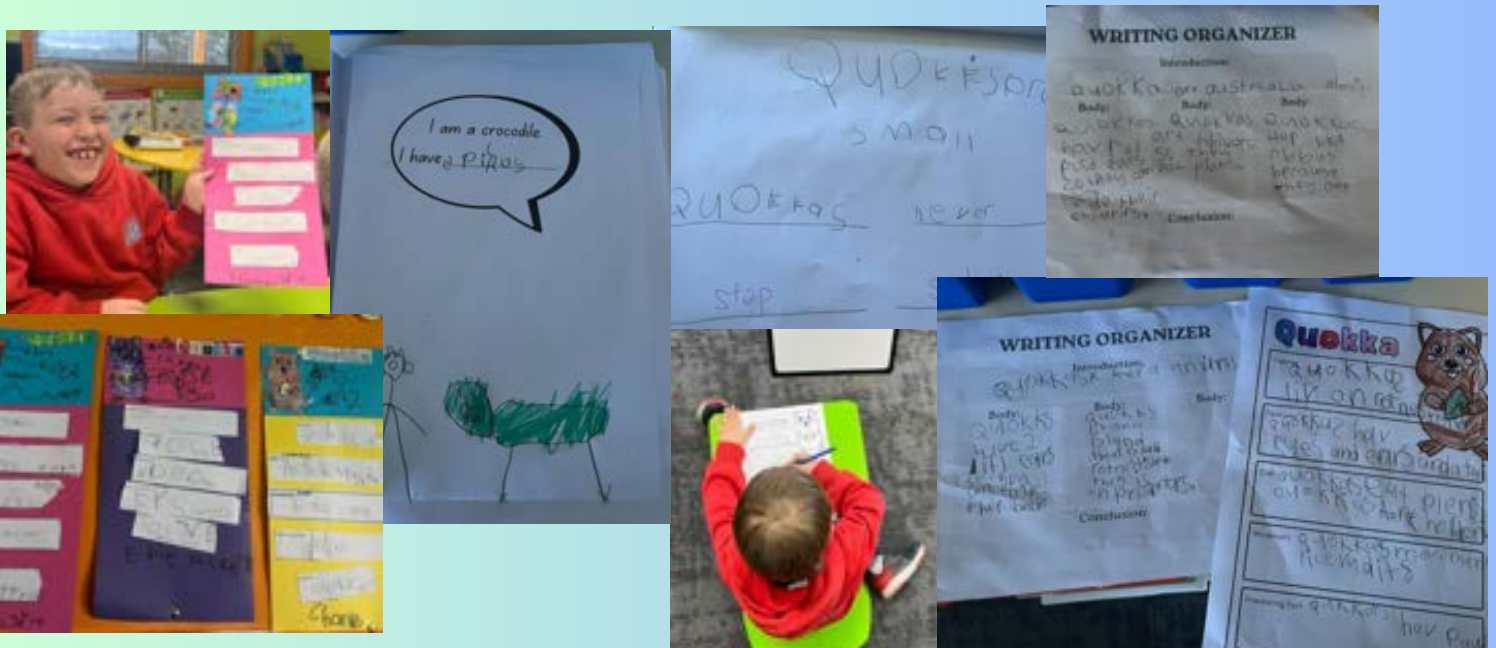
## Literacy

Kindergarten - Students have been learning about initial sounds, heart words and they are all beginning to put their reading skills to use!  
Year 1 and 2 - students have been learning about blends and common long vowel sounds. This has been matched in both spelling and reading.



## Writing

Students have been learning about informative texts and Australian Animals.













# Healthy Harold







# WALCHA COUNCIL



## Winter holiday activities



### COOL GUYS SKYLAP

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> July  
10.30-11.30am  
Walcha Preschool  
Ages 8yrs+  
Book online



### LEARN TO KNIT & CROCHET

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> July  
2pm @ Walcha Library  
Ages 6+  
Join 'Winter in Walcha'  
Yarn Bombing on Sun 13/7

### MUG ART

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July  
11am - 12pm  
K-6 @ Library  
\$19pp

### INDOOR HOCKEY CLINIC

Tues 15<sup>th</sup> July @ hockey hall  
K-1 9:30-10:30am  
2/3/4 11am-12pm  
5/6 12:30-1:30  
High school 2-3pm

### "BORED" GAMES

Wed 16<sup>th</sup> July  
12.30 - 2pm  
Beat the boredom  
with some board  
games at the library  
Ages 6-12yrs

### GOLF NSW CLINIC

Sat 19<sup>th</sup> July  
11am - 12.30  
Golf Club  
Free BBQ  
Ages 7 - 18 yrs  
Limited spots

**Book via the Library 67742550 or [library@walcha.nsw.gov.au](mailto:library@walcha.nsw.gov.au)**



*The Walcha Library has new opening hours!*  
**Mon & Fri 8.30am - 5pm (closed 1-2pm)**  
**Tues, Wed & Thurs 10am - 3pm**



## NAIDOC at the Library

Wednesday  
9<sup>th</sup> July



**10-11am**

**Story & rhyme time  
for bubs and under 8's**

**12 - 2pm**

**Stories & craft  
for primary children**

**3-5pm**

**Film & feast for  
teens/highschoolers**



# School News



## Lake Keepit

All students are invited to take part in our 2025 excursion to Lake Keepit Sport and Recreation Park

The excursion will take place from Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> - Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August Week 6 Term 3 2025

Travel will be by private vehicle  
Permission note needs to be returned by 1<sup>st</sup> August 2025

Cost of the excursion is \$50 per student

More information to come

### IMPORTANT DATES

22<sup>nd</sup> July - Students return for Term 3  
1st May- Cross Country

26th July- Christmas in July,  
Woolbrook Hall

8th August - PSSA District Athletics

27th-29th August - Lake Keepit  
Excursion

