



WAGIN DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

Providing an empowering environment for life-long learning



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INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Wagin District High School was the WINNER of the Central Great Southern District High Schools Athletics Carnival last Friday. We had many students receiving championship and runner up trophies along with students beating their own personal best results. All of our students were fantastic representatives for the Wagin District High School community and broader community.

CONGRATULATIONS to our TROPHY winners and our entire team.

Also a very big thank you to families for helping and/or supporting the team on the day. We really appreciate everyone's time, support and commitment to not only your children but to the entire school.

PRESENTATION DAY 2018

Our whole school Presentation Day will be held on Tuesday, December 11 in the Town Hall. It is wonderful when families can join us to celebrate students' achievements. We will continue to have a whole school transition after our recess break on the same day. This gives students an opportunity to know which classroom and, hopefully, which teacher they will have in 2019.

SEMESTER TWO REPORTS

Reports will be emailed to families in the last week of Term 4 on Monday, December 10. Please ensure we have your most current email address or let the office staff know if you require a paper copy.

BUSH FIRE PLAN

Wagin District High School is in a Bush Fire Zone as determined by the Department of Fire and Emergency Services. As such, we have a Bush Fire Plan and will work with local agencies in the event of a bush fire. We may be directed by our Regional Office to close school. If this occurs, we will do our very best to inform you as soon as we know. To ensure you remain up to date with information from school, please ensure your contact details are current and also listen to local ABC radio stations as they also provide updates. Bus services are overseen by the Public Transport Authority; we will do our best to work with them to ensure all students are safe in the event of a bush fire. If your children travel to and from school on the bus please also ensure bus drivers/contractors have your current contact details.

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Principal

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Messy Play Day

Our Kindy students had loads of *messy* fun on Monday, 22 October 2018 at the Ram Park where they attended the Wagin Early Years Network 'Rubber Duck Play Day'.

[Photo Gallery](#)



School Social

Come dressed as a farmer or farm animal for the Year 4's school social on **Thursday, 15 November 2018**. It will be running from 5.30 - 7.30pm with a \$5 entry fee. All proceeds are going towards the NSW Drought sufferers.



Interschool Athletics Carnival

We had 56 students competing at the Interschool Athletics Carnival this year in Kojonup. A fun and energetic day was had by all with Wagin DHS coming out on top as the 2018 champions. Check out all the photos [here](#). [Results](#)



Healthy Living Option

The High School Option 'Healthy Living' have once again been cooking up a storm. Check out this delicious recipe of [Sweetcorn and Zucchini Fritters](#) which would make for a fantastic, healthy school lunch or snack. [-Photo Gallery-](#)



Certificate Recipients

Congratulations to the following students who received awards at our Assembly on Monday, **5 November 2018**.

PP - Bella, Laykhar and Charlie

Year 1/2 - Cooper, Miranda and Evan

Year 2 - Kaaliha, Dylan and Mico

Writers of the Week

Jack, Imogen, Tiarna, Charlie, Oscar and Talegan



P & C Meeting

Parents and Citizens are invited to attend the 2018 AGM, to be followed by a general meeting. This will take place at 12pm on Monday, 26 November at the Palace Wine Bar. Any queries to paulnicole@activ8.net.au

Attendees are invited to order lunch prior to the meeting with lunch to be served at its conclusion. This is a fabulous opportunity to meet P & C members and gather an understanding of what P & C is all about.

[Click here for previous meeting minutes](#)



School Photos

On School Photo Day speciality group images (e.g. Country Week, School Councillors) were taken. These images can be viewed and purchased at a unique website, which is DIFFERENT to where you order the portraits and class photos online.

1. To place your Order online simply go to <https://mspphotography.shootproof.com/>
 2. Click Specials 2018, then select the album titled: Wagin DHS Specials - 2018.
 3. You will then be required to enter a password to view the Album. The password for this **WDHS2018**
 4. Please ensure that you use your child's name at the checkout
 5. The images you are viewing are uncropped and will be cropped to fit to a 10x8 print (as per the first image in your gallery, a sample of layout & colour)
- The online orders will be open until midnight on **Monday, 12 November 2018** – for the Bulk Pricing Offer
 - The Bulk Pricing Offer is \$20 per print and these will be delivered to the school BY CLASS GROUP
 - After the \$20 pricing expires, the photos will remain available online, but the photos are now at a cost of \$35 per image and delivered to a preferred address.

If you have any queries please contact MSP Photography on 9240 8000 or via email on ordering.perth@misp.com.au

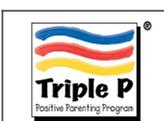


School Development Days 2019

School Development Days 2019 as selected by staff and endorsed by School Council are Thursday 31 January, Friday 1 February, Monday 29 April, Monday 26 August, Monday 14 October and Friday 20 December.

31 January, 1 February & 20 December are mandated days set by the Department of Education: we cannot change them.

Students start the year on Monday, 4 February and finish on Thursday, 19 December.



Positive Parenting Program

On Tuesday, 6 November we will host Yvette Harrison who will present a session on the Positive Parenting Program here in the Kindy Rooms. This will coincide with our third session of Kindy Transition. If you would like to attend, please register your interest at the school reception on 98613200.

The program is supported by more than 35 years of research and provides simple ideas to help raise confident, healthy children and build stronger family relationships. It is aimed particularly at parents of Kindergarten to Year 2 students and how we can support our children during this time.

What: Positive Parenting Program
Host: Yvette Harrison
Where: Kindy Rooms @ Wagin DHS
When: 9am on Tuesday, 6 November



VacSwim

All children should know how to be safe when at the beach, in the swimming pool, and in water holes and rivers.

You can now enrol your children in VacSwim swimming lessons during the summer school holidays.

VacSwim programs are held at pools and beaches all across Western Australia. If you are travelling during the summer school holidays, there may be VacSwim programs available.

VacSwim is for all children – from beginners through to advanced survival, rescue and resuscitation. Your children can start as young as five years old.

Enrol your children in VacSwim now at education.wa.edu.au/swimming



Thank you

A big thank you to the **Shire of Wagin** for donating Pool Passes as part of a High School Rewards Program. Also to **Wagin Meats** for donating hearts for High School Science classes to dissect. Very much appreciated.

Event Quick View

Wed 14th November
Whole School Assembly - Kindy
Thu 15th November
School Social
Thu 29th November
School Council
Tue 4th December
Senior Citizens Lunch

[Click here to go to our Events Calendar](#)