



WINDSOR
HIGH SCHOOL

Week 5 Term 4 2022

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Eucalypt Macro—Quinn and Molly—Year 9



We are exactly halfway through the final term of 2022. Where has the time gone!

A reminder to parents and carers who have students enrolled in courses with fees, that they can easily pay these now by clicking on the link in the invoice recently sent to you via email. Fees are only charged in courses where there are consumables, such as Art, Metal, Timber and Food Technology. As we are all aware, the cost of materials and food are rising quickly and your fees are used to buy the items required for learning. Parents sign the subject selection paperwork, so they know that some courses require fees. Any families having trouble making these payments can contact the front office to arrange a payment plan or student assistance.

On assembly this week I spoke to the students about the importance of wearing a helmet when riding a bike or scooter. I mentioned the safety aspect of needing to protect their brains, but also about the financial cost if fined by the police for not wearing a helmet.

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OPPORTUNITY INNOVATION SUCCESS

As you can see from the photo, it was a bright sunny Tuesday morning at our assembly this week, when the Science Faculty awarded their faculty awards to some very strong candidates. Congratulations to all!

Bradley, Ruby, Aiden, Maeve, Layla, Kaitlyn, Tamara, Cassidy, Chloe & Gemma.



The VIVO awards were presented this week by Lauren and Skye- they did a great job at school leaders.



This week's High Flyers were Brianna and Liam- Well Done!



Thank you to Ms Rowan from Support for distributing all her VIVO points this week to her students.



RESPECT

Mrs West's 7A2 Music class helped Mrs Ruis move wheelbarrows of goat shed bedding this week. As a thankyou they were allowed to get the baby pekin chicks out into the sun and cuddle the baby goats (kids).



ACHIEVEMENT

Support Unit students this week have been learning to make Chinese Beef Dumplings as part of their Celebrations Around the World unit.



TEAMWORK

MC2 enjoyed picking the beetroot from our veggie patch this week.



SAFETY

Year 12 chemistry are investigating ways to change the equilibrium position of various reactions.



This term in the Support Unit, students in Miss Katie’s Tech classes have been making recycled paper as part of their unit of work on sustainability. They have been collecting used paper, shredding and blending it, then moulding and setting the pulp to make beautiful handmade custom pieces of paper. Stay tuned to see what the students make out of their recycled paper...



The result: Handmade Christmas Cards



This week the year 6 First Nation students attended Windsor High School in an engaging, exciting and cultural transition day. The students engaged in a game of ‘deadly bingo’ and had the opportunity to paint and throw boomerangs, make, and cook damper, and ended the day with a yarning circle to build relationships and stimulate a rich learning environment. Thank you to everyone involved.



Our Year 11 Hospitality classes made steak sandwiches with toasted Turkish bread and beetroot relish and served with a tropical mocktails. Our classes have been focusing on time management, teamwork and presentation. Well done team!



Our barista interest group has spent the last few weeks trialling our new blenders. They have made iced chocolate, caramel, and mocha frappes. We are looking forward to offering these to our staff soon!



Kind Regards
Jennifer Hawken
Principal

A Message from Learning Support

Check-in assessments will be run in Week 6 for Years 7, 8 and 9 for both literacy and numeracy. These are an online, multiple-choice test designed to track student progress. The results are used to assist teachers to plan lessons to suit the needs of students.

Year 7 will take part in these tests on Monday 14th, Year 8 on Tuesday 15th and Year 9 on Wednesday 16th November. Students will be required to bring their own headphones.





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Where to From Here – Autism Support Group for Parents and Carers

Are you a parent or carer of an Autistic young person aged 7-14?

We understand there are times when you may feel confused, not sure where to turn for support or just want to connect with others who are also navigating this journey.

Uniting Local Area Coordination will be facilitating regular 'Where to From Here' support groups. We want you to join us, connect with others and share your experiences, in a safe and supportive environment.

The future of these groups will be guided by what you want, so come along, have a cuppa and let us know how we can support you.

Where: Glossodia Community Centre, 165 Golden Valley Drive, Glossodia NSW 2756

When: 10:00am – 11:30am Thursday 1st December 2022

RSVP: Please RSVP to pherbert@uniting.org, RSVP will close 2 business days before the event.

If you are unable to make it in person, but would still like support, please email Peggy at the email address above and we will make contact to see how we can support.

Additional information: If you have any accessibility requirements please let us know when you register. Please note - we need a minimum of five (5) business days' notice to book Auslan interpreters. Please email your request to pherbert@uniting.org



Christmas Hamper Drive

The SRC in partnership with the Strong Nation Community (formerly Hawkesbury Community Services) has organised a Christmas Hamper Drive. As such, we are asking all students and staff to bring in a non-perishable food item that will be distributed to those who need it over the Christmas season.

Here are a few suggestions for Christmas Hamper donations.

In general we are looking for shelf stable food items.

- Rice
- Canned Tuna
- Tuna Bake
- Tinned Vegetables
- Tinned Fruit
- Tinned Spaghetti
- Pasta Sauce Mixes|
- Spaghetti/Pasta
- 2 Minute Noodles
- Cereal
- Instant Coffee
- Tea Bags 50pk
- Long Life Milk
- UHT Custard
- Spreads
- Biscuits
- Lollies
- Jelly
- Cake Mix
- Self-Saucing Pudding Mix

CALENDAR TERM 4

Thursday 17th November	Year 12 Formal
Tuesday 29th November	Year 6 Orientation Day
Monday 28th November— Wednesday 30th November	Year 11 Camp
Wednesday 7th December	Presentation Day Period 3
Thursday 8th December	Year 10 Formal
Friday 16th December	Last Day Term 4 2022

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